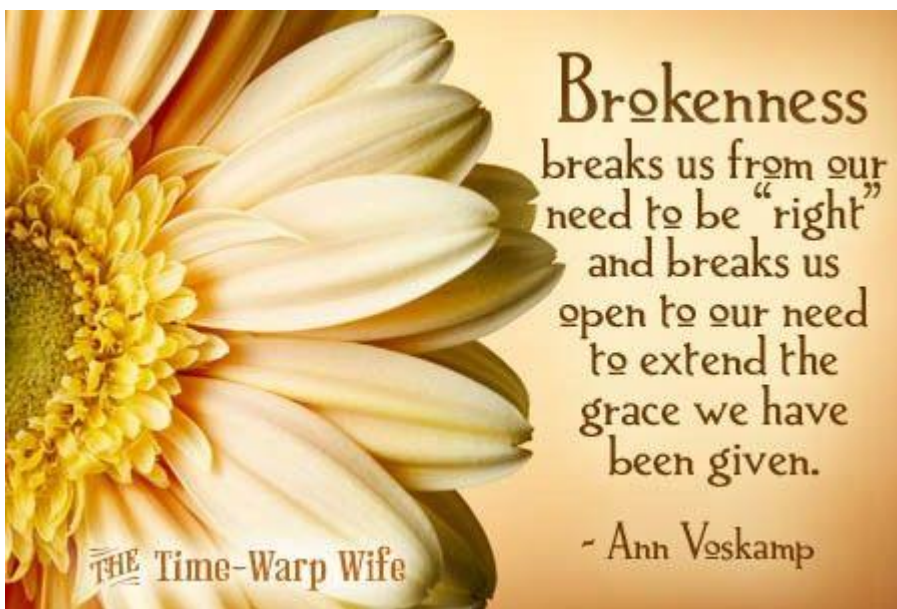


First Presbyterian Church of Ferguson



June 9, 2019
401 Darst Road
Ferguson, MO 63135
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SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

Sunday, June 9, 2019
Day of Pentecost

Seasonal Color: Red
10:15 AM Worship Service

Prelude: Prelude in A minor
Benedetto Marcello (1686-1739)

*CALL TO WORSHIP

ONE: Be amazed friends for the God of all creation is in our midst in the Holy Spirit.

MANY: Let us accept the Spirit into our hearts, minds and world.

All: Young, female, gay, old, straight, male and all colors of humanity are One in the Spirit.

*Hymn: #289 On Pentecost They Gathered (MUNICH)

***CLAIMING THE SPIRIT – O enter into our lives, Divine Spirit of inclusion and diversity. Make us One in love, compassion and mercy while maintaining our uniqueness which is Your gift to us. Shake us up, break the safety belts that keep us from being kin-dom people. Burn within us, so that we may rise from the ashes of the past and embrace Your new work in and among us. Amen.**

*ACT OF PRAISE: #267 (Verse 1) Come, Christians, Join to Sing (MADRID)

***PEACE PRAYER – May the holy fires of compassion, peace and wholeness remold our lives. Amen.**

*SHARING OF THE PEACE

TIME FOR THE CHILDREN AND ALL THOSE WHO LISTEN IN

Anthem: Like the Murmur of the Dove's Song
Words by Carl P. Daw, Music by Alan Smith

*** PRAYER FOR UNDERSTANDING –Holy Fire blaze the way for our renewal. Amen.**

SCRIPTURE: Acts 2:1-4

RESPONSE: #453 (Verse 1) Open Your Ears, O Faithful People

SCRIPTURE: Genesis 11:1-9

SERMON “Out of Our Brokenness”

*HYMN: #286 Breathe on Me, Breath of God (TRENTHAM).

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND LORD'S PRAYER

OFFERING

OFFERTORY: Introduction to Toccata in G Major
William Walond (1725-1770)

OFFERTORY RESPONSE: #606 Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow (DOXOLOGY)

*PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING – **Thank You Holy: Architect, Builder and Shammash who nurture what is beautiful in us. Amen.**

*Hymn: #295 Go to the World! (SINE NOMINE)

CONGREGATIONAL BENEDICTION RESPONSE:

**Grace and Peace Be With You, 'Til we meet again
Grace and Peace be with you, Let God's love come in;
And shine through your heart light, in everything you do,
Grace and Peace be with you, God will see us through.**

POSTLUDE: Toccata in E minor
Johann Pachelbel (1653-1706)



**Today's Flowers are given by:
Bernice Mohesky**
"In memory of departed loved ones."



Acts 2:1-4

When the day of Pentecost had come, they were all together in one place. And suddenly from heaven, there came a sound like the rush of a violent wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting. Divided tongues, as of fire, appeared among them, and a tongue rested on each of them. All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other languages, as the Spirit gave them ability.

Genesis 11:1-9

Now the whole earth had one language and the same words. And as they migrated from the east, they came upon a plain in the land of Shinar and settled there. And they said to one another, "Come, let us make bricks, and burn them thoroughly." And they had brick for stone, and bitumen for mortar. Then they said, "Come, let us build ourselves a city, and a tower with its top in the heavens, and let us make a name for ourselves; otherwise we shall be scattered abroad upon the face of the whole earth." The Lord came down to see the city and the tower, which mortals had built. And the Lord said, "Look, they are one people, and they have all one language; and this is only the beginning of what they will do; nothing that they propose to do will now be impossible for them. Come, let us go down, and confuse their language there, so that they will not understand one another's speech." So the Lord scattered them abroad from there over the face of all the earth, and they left off building the city. Therefore it was called Babel, because there the Lord confused the language of all the earth; and from there the Lord scattered them abroad over the face of all the earth.

Schnucks Rewards vs eScrip Rebates

Since Schnucks began the Rewards program last year, many persons have been confused about which selection to make when shopping at Schnucks stores. If you wish to continue supporting the First Presbyterian church Food Voucher program using Schnucks rebates, you must present your eScrip card to the cashier at time of checkout and not request Schnucks Rewards. Schnucks employees have indicated to some shoppers that they can specify both programs but we understand that is not really possible. You must specify one or the other program and not both. The past two years we averaged about \$47 per month from eScrip rebates while so far this year, we are down to about \$18 per month.

Concern List:

Betty Allen's Children– Ken, Patty and Tom
Tommy Babb – Friend of the Rockow family
Mike Bowers – Barbara Bowers' Son
Bill Carey – Jan Foster's Step Father-in-Law
Santiago Casas –Great Grandson of Becky Henderson
Joe Cieniceros, Jr. – Nephew of Earleen Lawrence
Karen – Barbara Bowyer's Sister
Kelly Gorham – Mike Trautman's Friend
Matt Helm – Betty & Bob Rybacki's Grandson-in-Law
Aaron Hotze
Sue Harrington – Lisa Henderson's Sister
The Kennedy Family
Howard Nelson
Nora – Great Granddaughter of Becky Henderson
Norman Pingel
Margaret Rauhut– Lee Rauhut's Mother
Phyllis Ritts
David Rutherford – Son of Maureen Rutherford
Carson Shelley - Mike Trautman's Friend
Rich Shugert – Brother of John Shugert
Arlie Tempel
Nancy Tempel
Clyde Wade – Brother of Bill Wade



Please contact the church office if you have additional names.



A portion of this year's Pentecost special offering will again be supporting The Little Bit Foundation. Today there will be minute for mission from The Little Bit Foundation to help you learn more about the organization and where the funds will be going. The Church Outreach Committee is also be hosting a 2nd Sunday Luncheon today immediately following the worship service as well as kicking off a book and underwear drive. The book/underwear drive run through July 28th.



**PENTECOST
SPECIAL OFFERINGS**

CHILDREN AT RISK • YOUTH • YOUNG ADULTS

The Pentecost Offering helps the church as a whole encourage, develop, and support its young people and addresses the needs of at-risk children. 40% of the Pentecost offering is retained by individual congregations wanting to make an impact in the lives of young people within their own community. The remaining 60% is used to support ministries of the Presbyterian Mission Agency. Special envelopes will be in the pews during worship on today. Please give as generously as you are able. Thank you.



If you have can sing in the shower, you can sing with us!

This summer we will invite anyone who would like to sing with the Summer Pick Up Choir to come to rehearsal at 9:00 AM on Sunday mornings in the Sanctuary for 45 minutes! Sing as often as you like, every Sunday morning beginning Sunday, June 23, 2019 at 9:00 AM. Our purpose is to make a joyful noise and our aim is to include people of all ages, regardless of experience or not. No audition required! No week night rehearsal. It will be fun and will include "great old hymns of the church" and explore some of the newer hymns in the Glory to God Hymnal. Reading music is not necessary! This is sincerely an open invitation to anyone of any ability or disability. All are welcome! (This means YOU!)

The Pastoral Nominating Committee requests your feedback. Beginning Sunday, June 2nd surveys were distributed asking you to indicate the ten (10) Leadership Competencies most important to you. These surveys will be available at church for three consecutive June Sundays, with a preferred return deadline of Sunday, June 23rd. Those of you with e-mail will receive these surveys by e-mail, and be able to respond to them accordingly. The paper surveys can be placed in the return tray at church, or mailed to the church office. Your responses and feedback are vital to the work of the committee and important for the direction of our church as we move forward together - thank you!

GOT LOTS OF OLD BOOKS?

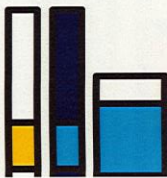
Donate them to Little Bit!

What you can donate:

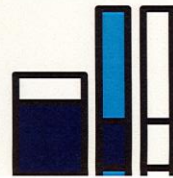
- Children's books
- Young adult books
- Fiction/non-fiction books
- Stuffed Animals

We can accept new and gently used books and stuffed animals.

We are also collecting underwear in all sizes from child's small through adult xx-large.



FOR INQUIRIES, PLEASE CALL 314-800-8719.
CONTACT US AT
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VISIT US ONLINE AT THELITTLEBITFOUNDATION.ORG



June 9 to July 28, 2019
Drop-off point: The Library

TO OUR VISITORS

We warmly welcome all that have come to this service. Let us reach out our hands and hearts in friendship to one another. Please join us for coffee, juice and conversation in our Fellowship Hall at 9:45 a.m. If you are without a church home, please accept our invitation to join us in fellowship and service. Speak to the pastor or call us at 522-8542 or email fergpres@gmail.com and we will be glad to arrange a visit or send information.

CHURCH STAFF

Rev. Michael F. Trautman; Minister
Bill Wade; Music Director
Marcia Key; Office Administrator
Lee Weltmer; Treasurer
John Shugert; Financial Recorder
Susan Owens; Nursery Supervisor
LaHaji Thomas; Youth Ministry Coordinator

Office Hours

Monday / Tuesday / Wednesday / Thursday – 8:30 am-12:30 pm
Friday – Closed

Weekly Calendar

Sunday, June 9:

9:00am- Choir Rehearsal 9:45am - Coffee Hour 10:15am - Worship Service

Monday, June 10:

9:00am - Wood Carvers 6:30pm - AA group

Tuesday, June 11:

12:30pm - Card Making

Wednesday, June 12:

11:00am – Bible Study 7:00pm - Boy Scouts, Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, June 13:

9:30am – 2nd Thursday Circle 5:30pm Hand bell Rehearsal

Friday, June 14, Saturday, June 15:

No Events