



**\$836**  
**Our goal**

THANK  
YOU!

**PW's goal is to raise \$836**

This will purchase items to fill  
2 clean up buckets and 40 hygiene kits  
and pay for them to be processed.

First Presbyterian Church  
Winnebago, Illinois  
July 8, 2018  
9:30 a.m.

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Liturgical color is green for Ordinary Time

### **PREPARING FOR THE WORD**

Prelude "His Strength is Perfect" Chapman & Purifoy

Welcome/Announcements/Did You Know...

Call to Worship: from Psalm 118 Unison Reading  
**Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good; his love endures forever. Let those who fear the Lord declare that the Lord is with them. How wonderful is the Lord because he is my helper, my strength, and my song; he has become my salvation. This morning I have come to worship the Lord with singing and praise, and I enter this worship service with rejoicing in my heart. Amen.**

\*Hymn "Take My Life" #391

Prayer of Confession: Unison Prayer  
**Glorious Creator, I am very thankful for your kindness and forgiveness. Please extend your mercy to me and forgive my sins. Purify my heart and mind and make me holy in your sight so that my life is pleasing to you. In Christ's name I pray. Amen.**

### **Announcements**

Our Church Website: <http://www.thewfpc.org>

All groups meet at the church unless otherwise specified.

**Pastor Carroll** will be available Tuesday afternoon and Wednesday morning this week. His email is [pastor1@thewfpc.org](mailto:pastor1@thewfpc.org)

**Rockford Rescue Mission** Our night to serve is this Friday starting at 6 p.m. If you are interested please call the office.

**Consider sharing your musical talent** by signing up to provide special music this summer! All ages welcome! The sign-up schedule is posted on the bulletin board, or contact the office.

**The Sesquicentennial Committee** would like your help! We are in need of any pictures you may have from church occasions. Please email them to Phyllis Hogberg at [trumpetms@yahoo.com](mailto:trumpetms@yahoo.com)

**The Sesquicentennial Committee** would like your help in updating our history. Share your special memories that occurred at the church? Contact Jill Sunday with your info.

### ***Our Mission Statement***

To be a community of believers  
that love and follow God,  
love and support others,  
and offer Jesus Christ to the world.

Our vision statement is posted in the lower hallway.

Church phone number 815-335-2051  
Pastoral Cell 815-742-7503  
Attendance 59  
Offerings \$3188.26

2018 per capita is \$36.34 **per member**, collected to date \$2169.23

Remember or honor loved ones by sponsoring flowers and/or bulletins. Sign up sheets are on the bulletin board. Bulletins are \$20 / Flowers are \$15 (1) or \$25 (2) arrangement(s).

## Looking ahead...

July 22 - Church picnic at the Mitchell farm

Please join us for our annual Church Picnic following service on July 22<sup>nd</sup> on the Mitchell Farm located at 11539 Edwardsville Road.

PW will provide the food!  
We will have games, music, etc.

if you play a musical instrument,  
please join the “orchestra” for some good,  
old-time hymns and a sing-a-long.

Please bring your lawn chair.

***Everyone is welcome!***

Assurance of Pardon: **Unison Prayer**  
**God’s love is steadfast and endures forever. His mercy and forgiveness covers all my errors and sins. I have sincerely confessed my faults and failures and in faith I accept the forgiveness and pardon that the Lord promised me. In the holy name of Jesus I pray, Amen.**

\*Gloria Patri #579

Sharing of Joys and Concerns  
Unison Prayer concluding with the Lord’s Prayer  
**We give thanks to the Lord for the blessings and joys that we have given. Our lives have been enriched because of God’s love and grace. Loving Savior, we have presented our concerns to you with faith and confidence because you promised to hear us and answer us when we petitioned you with the concerns of life. That is why we pray as you taught your disciples to pray...**

Presentation of Gifts and Offerings  
“Since Jesus Came into My Heart” Charles Gavriel  
\*Doxology #592

\*Prayer of Dedication **Unison prayer**  
**Most Holy Creator, we thank you for the opportunity to praise you through the act of giving. We have offered our gifts so that your good news can be shared with our community. Give us wisdom and help us to share your blessings and your grace through our time, talent, and efforts. In Jesus name we pray, Amen.**

\*Hymn “O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing” #466

Passing of the Peace

**RECEIVING THE WORD**

Scripture: Romans 8:6; Ephesians 5: 18-20; Philippians 2:5  
pg. 1151; 1193; 1196

Message: "Maturity in Christ Series: Proper Mindfulness"  
Dr. Carroll Smith

**RESPONDING TO THE WORD**

\*Hymn "Give Me Jesus" insert

Benediction **Unison Prayer**  
**Loving Savior, we have worshipped you in praise, music, and singing. Now, we go to our community as your witnesses. We ask for your Holy Spirit to strengthen us so that we can easily share the joy of living for you. Help us to show others kindness and peace for the glory of your name. Amen, Amen.**

Postlude "Glory and Praise to Our God" Dan Schutte

All music in our bulletin is protected under CCLI#1409680

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**SHARING THE WORD THROUGHOUT THE WORLD**

*Every member a minister...*

Accompanist Lorita Ooyen  
Projectionist Kaleigh Freimuth  
Ushers Norm Dean, Jim Morrison, Chuck Rittmeyer  
Greeters Bill & Susie Newkirk

**"Give Me Jesus"**

*Verse 1:*

In the morning when I rise,  
In the morning when I rise,  
In the morning when I rise,  
Give me Jesus. (**chorus**)

**Chorus:**

Give me Jesus,  
Give me Jesus,  
You may have all the rest,  
Give me Jesus.

*Verse 2:*

Dark midnight was my cry,  
Dark midnight was my cry,  
Dark midnight was my cry,  
Give me Jesus. (**chorus**)

*Verse 3:*

Just about the break of day,  
Just about the break of day,  
Just about the break of day,  
Give me Jesus. (**chorus**)

*Verse 4:*

Oh, when I come to die,  
Oh, when I come to die,  
Oh, when I come to die,  
Give me Jesus. (**chorus**)