



## Save the date for Vacation Bible School!

Join us Monday through Thursday, July 13-16 from 9-11 am.

For ages 4 years old (Pre-K) - 5th Grade

6th grade and older can volunteer to help in leadership roles

Please call Kasey Smith at 815-979-9187 for more details.

We will be collecting school supplies for the school district  
as our outreach project for that week.

### **School Supplies needed:**

Ticonderoga or any quality #2 pencil, 2 pocket folders,  
colored pencils, Glue sticks, 8 washable markers,  
black dry erase markers, Kleenex

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**Welcome to Worship!**  
**First Presbyterian Church**  
**July 5, 2026 - Sixth Sunday after Pentecost**  
**9:30 a.m.**

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**Announcements**

Prelude/  
Welcome/Announcements

Introit: "O Beautiful for Spacious Skies"

\*Call to Worship: **Responsive Reading**  
**Great is the Lord; and greatly to be praised.**

Praise God in the cities and towns, and in all the quiet places.

**Praise God on the mountains and hilltops; and in every valley,  
on every plain and in the depths.**

We gather to raise our voices in praise with all God's creation;  
let us praise God's holy name together, here and everywhere.

**Let us worship God!**

\*Hymn "Come to the Table of Grace" #507  
(Sharon sings v1, Congregation Sings v 2-5)

Opening Prayer

Prayer of Confession **Unison Prayer**  
**Merciful God, in all our celebrations, fireworks, parades, and  
gatherings we will proclaim liberty and freedom. Yet our  
hearts are chained by anger, doubt, and fear. We live in those  
chains, often not knowing that there is really any other way.  
Forgive us when we turn away from your freeing love. Help us  
to place our trust in you and serve you by working with others  
for peace and hope for all. Hear us as we silently confess our  
sins.**

Time of Silent Confession

**Join us** after the worship service for a coffee and donut fellowship.

**Pastoral cellphone** Calls and messages to the pastoral cellphone  
will be taken by Stefanie Kluck July 6-19.

**VBS coupons** Items are due today.

**The Parking Lot** will be sealed this week, check ahead and see  
where parking may be available.

**Chicks with Sticks** knitting group meets Tuesday at 10 am.

**Newsletter items** are due by Wednesday.

**Large Print** Summer devotionals are on the table in the hallway.

**Preaching next Sunday** Frank Finch.

**Per Capita** for 2026 is \$45 per person.

**Sign-up sheet** for flowers is on the bulletin board, one week's  
notice is needed for flower orders, see Stefanie Kluck.

**Stewardship Update:** May income = \$23,457.53  
May expenses = \$12,307.25 Difference = \$11,149.98

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Where community, faith, family, and friends come together.*

## **THE LORD'S SUPPER**

(All Christians welcome-you don't have to be Presbyterian)  
(Gluten Free option available)

Invitation

The Lord be with you.

**And also with you.**

Lift up your hearts.

**We lift them up to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord, our God.

**It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

The Great Thanksgiving

Breaking of the Bread

Prayer after Communion

\*Hymn                    "I, the Lord of Sea and Sky"                    #69

Benediction

Postlude

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*Every member a minister...*

Accompanist	Sharon Smith
Special Music	Lisa Mitchell, Sharon Smith
Liturgist	Greg Rittmeyer
Projectionist	Joe Erb
Communion Servers	Stefanie Kluck, Greg Rittmeyer Bev Williams
Ushers	Bruce Benning, Greg Rittmeyer

Assurance of Pardon: (from John 20)

Through Christ, God has poured out the Holy Spirit upon us for the forgiveness of sins. In the name of Jesus Christ, we are forgiven!

**Thanks be to God!**

\*Gloria Patri                    #581

Passing of the Peace

Special Music    "Kum ba Yah with When Peace Like a River"

Time with Children                    Ron Muzzarelli

Scripture:        Hebrews 13:1-3, 5-8, Luke 5:17-26    pg. 1227; 1048  
This is the Word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

Sermon:                    "Freedom to Serve"  
Pastor Tanya Muzzarelli

The Nicene Creed                    pg. 34

\*Hymn                    "Your Only Son"                    #518

Presentation of Gifts and Offerings

\*Doxology                    #606

\*Prayer of Dedication                    **Unison prayer**

**Faithful God, we bring our gifts with trusting hearts, seeking your blessing on the ministries these gifts support. Work through our gifts and our lives, to touch the world with your healing grace through Christ, in whose name we offer ourselves to you. Amen.**

Joys & Concerns, Pastoral Prayer ending with **The Lord's Prayer**