

PRESENTING OUR TITHES & OFFERINGS

MUSICAL OFFERING

“Lord Reign in Me”

***OFFERING RESPONSE #2176 (SF)**

“Make Me a Servant”

**Make me a servant, humble and meek,
Lord, let me lift up those who are weak.
And may the prayer of my heart always be:
Make me a servant, make me a servant,
make me a servant today.**

***PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

CELEBRATION OF HOLY COMMUNION

WE LEAVE TO SERVE

***HYMN #152 (SH)**

“The River is Here”

***CHARGE AND BENEDICTION**

***BENEDICTION RESPONSE #2281 (SF)** “May You Run and Not Be Weary”

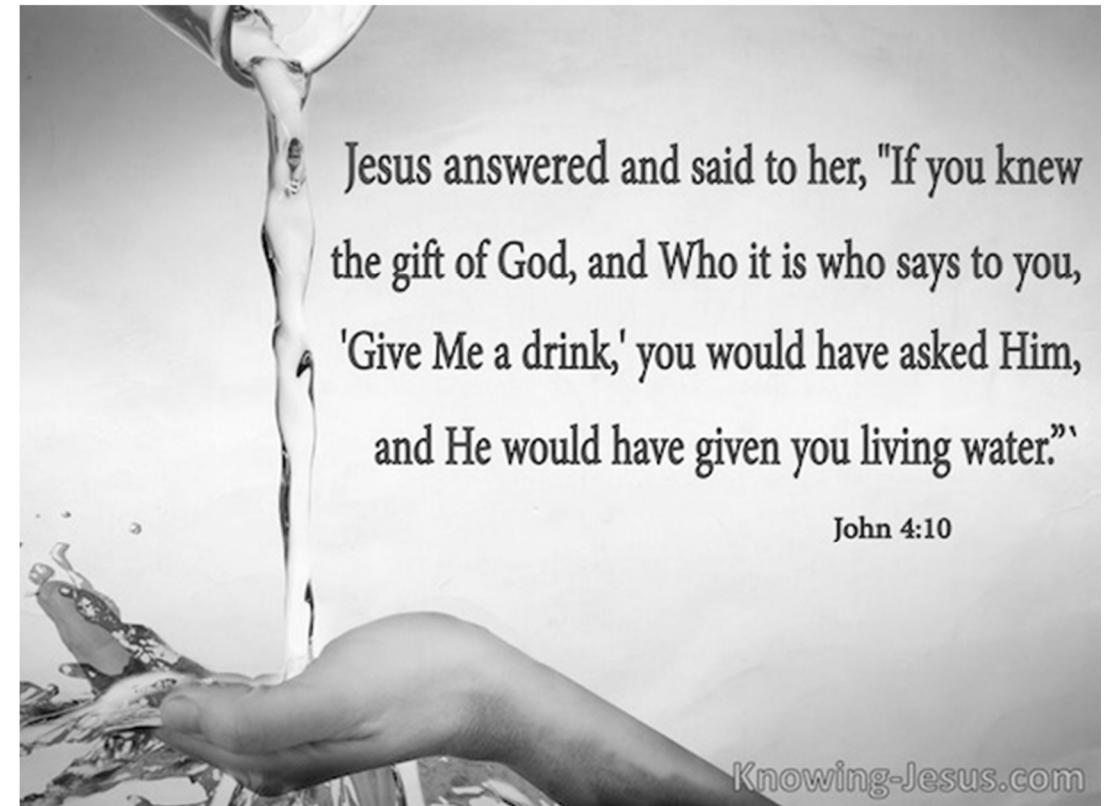
POSTLUDE

“Praise You In This Storm”

ASSISTING WITH WORSHIP THIS WEEK

Preacher: Rev. Scott Thompson
Liturgist: Rev. Leanne Thompson
Pianist: Jill Boeyink
Special Music: Music Team
Projectionist: Deb Grunwald
Sound Tech: Terry Woitaszewski
Nursery Supervisor: Erica Boeyink
Valet Parking: Sarah Sieck
Ushers & Greeters: Roger Tatge and Jerry Bulthuis
Communion Servers: Roger and Carol Tatge, Jerry Bulthuis,
and Mel Odens
Counters: Doug and Sharon Bakker
Coffee Fellowship: Connie Jensen and Stacey Olson

First Presbyterian Church Willmar, MN



February 4, 2018

WE GATHER TO WORSHIP

**Please rise as you are able.*

*Please join in speaking **bolded** text.*

PRELUDE

“Oceans”

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE GREAT ENTRY #2 (SH)

“We Come to Your Feast”

Verse 1:

**We place upon your table a gleaming cloth of white:
the weaving of our stories, the fabric of our lives;
the dreams of those before us, the ancient hopeful cries
the promise of our future, our needing and our nurture
lie here before our eyes.**

Chorus:

**We come to your feast, we come to your feast:
the young and the old, the frightened, the bold,
the greatest and the least.
We come to your feast, we come to your feast:
with the fruit of our lands, and the work of our hands,
we come to your feast.**

Verse 2:

**We gather round your table, we pause within our quest.
We stand beside our neighbors. We name the stranger “guest.”
The feast is spread before us, you bid us come and dine:
in blessing we’ll uncover, in sharing we’ll discover
your substance and your sign.**

Repeat Chorus

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

One: We’ve come to worship God,
who makes streams flow from rock,
who turns the parched earth into springs of water,
who sends the rain from heaven
and makes the wilderness blossom and flourish.

**All: As the deer thirsts for flowing streams,
so we thirst for You, O God.**

One: Come, let’s worship our life-giving God,
who pours out living water on all who thirst.

***HYMN #2025 (SF)**

“As the Deer”

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

“To Be Loved, Is to Be Known”
by Chris Kinsley and Drew Francis

CONFESSION RESPONSE #14 (SH)

“All Who Are Thirsty”

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

***THE PEACE**

One: The Peace of Christ be with you.

All: And also with you.

WE HEAR GOD’S WORD

CHILDREN’S MESSAGE

HYMN #439 (PH)

“In Christ There Is No East or West”

SCRIPTURE LESSON

John 4:1-42

One: This is the Word of our Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

MESSAGE

WE RESPOND TO GOD’S WORD

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE & THE LORD’S PRAYER #1 (SH)

**Our Father, in heaven, holy is your name.
Your kingdom come, your will be done
on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us today, our daily bread;
forgive our sins and turn us from temptation.
The kingdom and the power and the glory are yours forever.
A-men, a-men, a-men.**