

ASSISTING WITH WORSHIP THIS WEEK

**Preacher:** Rev. Scott Thompson  
**Liturgist:** Rev. Leanne Thompson  
**Pianist:** Jill Boeyink  
**Projectionist:** Deb Grunwald  
**Sound Tech:** Terry Woitaszewski  
**Nursery Supervisor:** Erica Boeyink  
**Valet Parking:** Sarah Sieck  
**Ushers & Greeters:** Don Dean and Sherry Myers  
**Communion Servers:** Mel and Michele Odens, George Christensen, and Terry Holmquist  
**Counters:** Chuck and Karen Stern  
**Fellowship:** Nurture and Fellowship



**Welcome to worship! We are glad you are here to worship God and spend time with your family of faith. As we worship together this morning, here are some things to know:**

- **Children are welcome in worship!** We appreciate their curiosity, their wonder, and even their noise. We want children to know that they are welcome in God's house and in God's family. As a ministry to parents, a **nursery is provided for children birth-1st grade.** Children are invited to stay in worship through the Children's Blessing before going to the nursery. Activity pages and play bags are available for children during worship.
- **Copies of the sermon are available** in manuscript form at the back of the sanctuary each week. If you have difficulty hearing the sermon, you are welcome to pick up a copy of the manuscript to follow along during worship.

**First Presbyterian Church  
Willmar, MN  
June 3, 2018**



**WE GATHER TO WORSHIP**

*\*Please rise as you are able.  
Please join in speaking **bolded** text.*

**PRELUDE**

"Here I Am To Worship"

**WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**GRADUATION RECOGNITION**

Brianna Schoolmeester

**THE GREAT ENTRY #2 (SH)**

"We Come to Your Feast"

**\*CALL TO WORSHIP (Psalm 117)**

One: Praise the Lord, all you nations!

**All: Worship him, all you peoples!**

One: Because God's faithful love for us is strong,

**All: The Lord's faithfulness lasts forever!**

One: Praise the Lord!

**HYMN # 2023 (SF)**

"How Majestic Is Your Name"

## CALL TO CONFESSION

The grace of God overflows for us through Jesus Christ who came into the world to save sinners. Trusting in God's grace, let us confess our sin.

## PRAYER OF CONFESSION

**Holy and merciful God, in your presence we confess our failure to be what you created us to be. You alone know how often we have sinned in wandering from your ways, in wasting your gifts, in forgetting your love. By your loving mercy, help us to live in your light and abide in your ways, for the sake of Jesus Christ our Savior. Amen.**

## ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

The mercy of the Lord is from everlasting to everlasting. I declare to you in the name of Jesus Christ, we are forgiven! Know that you are forgiven and be at peace.

## THE PEACE

One: The Peace of Christ be with you.  
All: **And also with you.**

## WE HEAR GOD'S WORD

**HYMN #2158 (SF)** "Just a Closer Walk With Thee"

**SCRIPTURE LESSON** Jonah 1-4 (Selected Verses)  
One: This is the word of our Lord.  
All: **Thanks be to God.**

**CHILDREN'S BLESSING** "Who Did Swallow Jonah?"

## MESSAGE

## WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

**PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND 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.**

## PRESENTING OUR TITHES & OFFERINGS

**MUSICAL OFFERING** "I Will Follow" Jill Boeyink

## \*OFFERING RESPONSE #2237 (SF)

**We are learners; we are teachers; we are Pilgrims on the way.**  
**We are seekers; we are givers; we are vessels made of clay.**  
**By our gentle, loving actions we would show that Christ is light.**  
**In a humble, listening Spirit, we would live to God's delight.**

## \*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

## CELEBRATION OF HOLY COMMUNION

One: The Lord be with you.  
All: **And also with you.**  
One: Lift up your hearts.  
All: **We lift them to the Lord.**  
One: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.  
All: **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

## WE LEAVE TO SERVE

\*HYMN #2032 (SF) "My Life Is In You Lord"

## \*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

**BENEDICTION RESPONSE "Take Up Your Cross"**  
**Take up your cross and follow me, lift up the yoke of your salvation,**  
**Put on the armor of the Word, and walk in the Truth and Light.**  
**And walk in the Truth and Light.**

**POSTLUDE** "Praise Him! Praise Him!"

## SUMMER SERMON SERIES

6/10 Noah's Ark  
6/17 VBS Program  
6/24 Daniel & the Lion's Den  
7/1 David & Goliath  
7/8 Moses Crosses the Red Sea  
7/15 Mission Trip Report  
7/22 Moses & the 10 Commandments  
7/29 Jesus Walks on Water