



*Welcome*

Our mission is to know Christ, serve Him,  
and make Him known.

**Youth Sunday & Pentecost**  
~ **Gathering before the Word** ~

**Welcome**

Abigail Malinovsky

**Prelude and Preparation**

*Fairest Lord Jesus*  
Fred Caskey, piano

Silesian Folksong

**Lighting of the Candles**

Amias Hamilton & Camryn Lowder

**\*Call to Worship (Psalm 145:1-4)**

Banagher Hamilton

Leader: I will exalt You, my God the King; I will praise Your name for ever and ever.

**All: Every day I will praise You and extol Your name for ever and ever.**

Leader: Great is the Lord and most worthy of praise; His greatness no one can fathom.

**All: One generation commends Your works to another; they tell of Your mighty acts.**

**\*Hymn of Praise No. 747**

*Breathe on Me, Breath of God*

TRENTHAM

**\*Prayer of Adoration**

Amelia Caskey

**\*Apostles Creed**

Linden Hamilton

**I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth;**

**and in Jesus Christ His only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; He descended into hell; the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting.**

**\*Song of Response No. 896**

CHILDREN PRAYING

*Lord, Listen to Your Children Praying*

~ **Proclaiming the Word of God** ~

**The Word in Song**

*Heaven's Kitchen*  
PraiseMakers

Clydesdale/Clydesdale

*Sweet, Sweet Gift*  
*Jailhouse Rock!*

**Solos:** Lily Efird, Camryn Lowder, Evie Sechler, Cierstyn Lowder, Ingrid Townsend

*The Lord Is My Shepherd*

*Fruit That Is Rooted in You*

**Solos:** Caylin Lowder, Erica Efird, Violet Hamilton

**Head Chef:** Toby Caskey

**Junior Chefs:** Erica Efird, Lily Efird, Amias Hamilton, Violet Hamilton, Camryn Lowder, Caylin Lowder, Cierstyn Lowder, Evie Sechler, Ingrid Townsend, Oliver Townsend, Landon Walker, Noah Walker

**Word with Our Children**

Malaina Meeks

**\*Scripture Reading**

John 2:1-11

C.J. Semcho

(Pew Bible, pg. 1050-1051)

**Sermon**

Joy

Eddie Spencer

**Prayer of Thanksgiving**

Ella Sechler

**Offering & Offertory**

*Holy Spirit*

James/Katie

Interpretive Dance by Amelia Caskey with Erica Efird, Lily Efird, Violet Hamilton, Camryn Lowder, Caylin Lowder, Cierstyn Lowder, Evie Sechler, and Ingrid Townsend

**\*Song of Response**

*Sweet, Sweet Spirit*

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There's a sweet, sweet Spirit in this place, And I know that it's the Spirit of the Lord;  
There are sweet expressions on each face, And I know that it's the presence of the Lord.  
Sweet, Holy Spirit, Sweet heavenly Dove, Stay right here with us, Filling us with Your Love;  
And for these blessings We lift our hearts in praise:  
Without a doubt we'll know that we have been revived, when we shall leave this place.

**Benediction**

Fred Caskey

**Choral Benediction Response No. 942**

GOD BE WITH YOU DORSEY

*God Be With You*

**\*Postlude**

*We Gather Together*

Netherlands Folk Tune

Toby Caskey, piano

**Ushers:** Landon Walker, Noah Walker, Harris Watkins, Toby Caskey

**Worship Leader:** Abigail Malinovsky

\*All who are able please stand  
CCLI# 2221136

# To Our Guests

**Welcome!** We are delighted that you are worshiping with us this morning, and hope you find today meaningful and refreshing. Visitors are asked to fill out a Visitor Information Card, located in the pew, and place it in the offering plate. Prayer Requests may be noted on the reverse side of the same card.

**Children's Activity Bags** are available for children age 3 to grade 5. They include a children's bulletin related to the Sunday sermon, crayons, and scrap paper. **Children's Church** is available for children 4 years through 2nd grade. After the "Word with our Children," they will be escorted to their classroom on the choir hallway. Parents should report to the classroom immediately following worship to pick up their children.

**A Nursery** is available for newborns through age 4. It is located in the Educational Building. If you need assistance or directions, an usher would be happy to help you!

## UPCOMING



Celebrate **Youth Sunday** with us **TODAY** during the **Worship Service**.

Our youth will lead our time together, while Pastor Eddie will bring us the message. Please note this change: We will recognize our graduates during our Worship Service on **Sunday, June 26th**. You are invited to a reception in their honor immediately following the worship service on June 26th in the Fellowship Hall.



**Women Without Reservations are invited to a couple's pool party and cookout on Saturday, June 11 at the Swaringen's home.**

We will gather at 4pm and eat around 6. The meat will be provided. **Please sign up** for a side dish, desserts, or drinks on the sheet in the Narthex!



**YOUTH ARE INVITED. . .**

**to see Christian music artists Crowder, We The Kingdom, Anne Wilson and Patrick Mayberry!** The concert will take place at White Oak Amphitheatre in Greensboro on Saturday, June 18 at 7:30p.m. Please see Michelle Walker TODAY if you would like to attend!



**YOU ARE INVITED** to a light breakfast each Sunday morning in the Fellowship Hall from 9:30am - 10:00am. Members of the congregation are needed to bring items to share.

**Please sign up on the sheet outside of the kitchen if you can contribute!**

**Children are invited to a SUMMER BIBLE ADVENTURE!** Join us Wednesdays at 10:30a.m. in the Fellowship Hall from June 15 - July 13. We will have a Bible lesson mixed with crafts, music, and even Bible Memory challenges. We'll also include fun outings or service projects. Some weeks, we'll just bring a lunch and enjoy eating together on the church grounds. **Let Michelle Walker know if your child(ren) are interested!**



## FAMILY FUN DAYS AROUND THIS SUMMER!

Mark your calendars for these events and watch the bulletin and weekly emails for more information:

**Sunday, June 12:** CannonBallers game

**Saturday, June 18:** Crowder and friends concert in Greensboro

**Saturday, June 24:** Painting class with Allison Hammett

**Friday, July 1:** Fireworks watching at the Research Campus

### Missions Opportunity!

Rev. Don Wehmeyer, our Missionary partner in Mexico, is leading construction of a community school in Sitpatch. He estimates that \$75,000 will be sufficient to complete the building project. A generous First Pres donor has agreed to match all contributions received from the congregation up to \$35,000. A prior donation and commitments from the Missions Team have yielded \$20,000. The congregation is challenged to provide the remaining \$15,000! Please make your donation to First Pres and designate it for "Sitpatch School." So far, our congregation has generously given \$7,352! We also hope to participate in a mission trip later this year!!!

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**Donations for Ukraine relief** are now being accepted and will be sent to Samaritan's Purse. When the Russian invasion began, Samaritan's Purse was in the process of distributing 600,000 Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes. Their "disaster response specialists" are in place in Poland, Romania, and Moldova. Additionally, they have now set up an Emergency Field Hospital outside Lviv, and a clinic at Lviv train station. Their desire is "to meet the needs of these families in their darkest moments while pointing them to the light and hope of Jesus Christ."

Please note that your donation is for "Ukraine" and place in the offering plate, or give online via our website. We are grateful for your donations totaling \$3,465 to date!

**Join us in supporting the Cabarrus Women's Center through their Baby Bottle Campaign!** Pick up a bottle and collect change or write a check with your donation and place it inside. **Return your bottle by Father's Day, June 19th.** The Cabarrus Women's Center is a non-profit, life-affirming medical clinic that provides services at no cost to patients.

# PRAYER CONCERNS

Please help us keep Prayer Concerns current with weekly updates.  
Email the church or write down  
on a prayer card & place in offering plate.

## COMMUNITY OF UVALDE, TEXAS

### CHURCH FAMILY

Cookie Hamilton - Loss of mother  
Susan Baker - Loss of mother  
Amy Hamilton - Loss of grandmother

### FAMILY & FRIENDS OF Church Family

Phil Smith - Recovery from hip surgery  
Buddy & Alice Troutman (Judy Hammond's son-in-law's parents) - Health concerns  
Jim Dandro (Bonnie Goodnight's son-in-law) - Loss of mother  
Jess McDaniel (McDaniel's daughter-in-law) - 5-year-old nephew drowned  
Becky Montgomery (Mark and Renee's friend) - Waiting for a second stem cell procedure  
Elizabeth Johnston (friend of church) - Melanoma surgery June 27th

### HOMEBOUND

Cindy Fisher - Transitional  
Peggy Barnhardt - Morningside  
Barbara Hancock - home  
Iris Efird - home  
Betty Overcash - Meadows of Rockwell  
Barbara Wise - Oaks at Hampton, Cummings, Georgia  
Loretta Young - Five Oaks



Dear FPC family,

Thank you so much for your prayers & calls both during Don's illness and after his passing. We'd also like to say a special thank you to Eddie and our Congregational Care Team for the visits and the calls. Don received a lot of love from our church family. It meant a lot to him and it meant a lot to us.

We love our church family, Mallory & Debbie.

# THIS WEEK@FIRST PRESB

## Sunday, June 5 – Youth Sunday

- 9:30 a.m. Fellowship Breakfast
- 10:00 a.m. Sunday School
- 11:00 a.m. Worship Service

## Tuesday, June 7

- 12:00 p.m. NA

## Wednesday, June 8

- 6:30 p.m. PraiseMakers

## Thursday, June 9

- 10:30 a.m. Ladies' Bible Study
- 12:00 p.m. NA

## Next Sunday, June 12

- 9:30 a.m. Fellowship Breakfast
- 10:00 a.m. Sunday School
- 11:00 a.m. Worship Service
- 1:00 p.m. CannonBallers Game

## SERVANTS

Elder Lock-Up: Tracy Caskey  
Children's Message: Malaina Meeks  
Children's Message next week: Roxanne Spencer  
Children's Church: NONE(Youth Sunday)  
Children's Church next week: Roxanne Spencer & Carol Lowder  
Acolyte Amias Hamilton & Camryn Lowder  
Acolyte next week: Erica Efird  
Nursery: Jenna Baker  
Nursery next week: Emma Sechler  
Ushers: Youth  
Ushers next week: Jill McLain, Phil McLain, Mal McDaniel, Sam McAllister  
Greeter: Tony Rary

## FINANCIALS FOR MAY

YTD Income	\$104,287.45
YTD Expenses	\$104,081.10
YTD Budget	\$123,073.75

Last week's attendance: 5/29/22  
Sunday School 57  
Worship 97



Please take a few minutes to check the address we have for you in the church directory, especially the zip code, as well as the email addresses and phone numbers. Please email Patricia Hartsell, our administrative assistant, with any changes: [PatriciaHartsell@firstpresb.org](mailto:PatriciaHartsell@firstpresb.org) or call the church office: (704) 938-4623



# SERMON NOTES


