

# First Presbyterian Church

## Morning Worship

June 12, 2016

Please sign the Fellowship Pad and pass it to your neighbor.

\*Please stand if able. It is our custom to sing, "Amen," after hymns.

**PRELUDE** "Gavotte from French Suite No. 5" arr. J. S. Bach

**RESPONSIVE CALL TO WORSHIP** Ina Ingram

Leader: You have searched me, Lord, and you know me.

People: Before a word is on my tongue, you, Lord, know it completely

Leader: For You created my inmost being

People: You knit me together in my mother's womb

Leader: Your works are wonderful, I know that full well

People: I praise you because I am fearfully and wonderfully made

**\*HYMN OF PRAISE 263** "Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise"

**PRAYER OF CONFESSION** Ina Ingram

Eternal and merciful God, you have loved us with a love beyond our understanding, and you have set us on paths of righteousness for your name's sake. Yet, we have strayed from your way; we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, through what we have done and what we have left undone. As we remember the lavish gift of your grace symbolized in baptism, O God, we praise you and give you thanks that you forgive us yet again. Grant us now, we pray, the grace to die daily to sin, and to rise daily to new life in Christ, who lives and reigns with you, and in whose strong name we pray. Hear our prayers as we continue our confession in silence...

**SILENT PRAYERS OF CONFESSION**

**ASSURANCE OF PARDON** Ina Ingram

Leader: Salvation is a gift received.

People: Let us humbly receive it.

Leader: Grace is amazing.

People: It turns sinners into saints.

Leader: Friends, believe in the Gospel.

People: In Christ we are forgiven!

**\*GLORIA PATRI** GREATOREX, 1851

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost. As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be; world without end. Amen, amen.

**DEDICATION OF OFFERINGS**

Offering in Music "Blessed Are Ye, Faithful Souls" Johannes Brahms

\*Doxology: (HYMN 591) Old Hundredth

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him all creatures here below; Praise Him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen**

\*Prayer of Dedication

TIME FOR YOUNG DISCIPLES

Tom Barrett

ANNOUNCEMENTS

MINUTE FOR STEWARDSHIP

Mike Reynolds

**PASTORAL PRAYER & LORD'S PRAYER**

*Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.*

**ANTHEM** "Make Me a Channel of Your Peace" arr. Jane Holstein

**UNISON PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION**

*Gracious God, give us humble, teachable, and obedient hearts that we may receive what you have revealed and do what you have commanded. Since we do not live by bread alone, but by every word that comes from your mouth, make us hunger for this heavenly food, that it may nourish us today in the ways of eternal life. Through Jesus Christ, the bread of heaven, Amen.*

**LESSON** Acts 5:27-6:4 (774/814)

**SERMON** "Letting God Sort It Out" Rev. Thompson

**\*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH**

*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 on 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.*

**\*HYMN OF PRAISE 391** "Take My Life"

**\*BENEDICTION**

**\*RESPONSE** "Go With Us, Lord" Hymn 535

*Go with us, Lord, and guide the way/through this and every coming day/that in your Spirit strong and true/our lives may be our gift to you*

**POSTLUDE** "Toccatina in D Minor" J. S. Bach

SERVING TODAY

Nursery/Sunday School	Ava Barrett
Sunday School K-2	Kathy Dolianitis/Elaine Lea
Sunday School 3-5	Melva Sweeney/Carolyn Baker
Elder at Front Door	Joan Reynolds
Friendship Period	Mike Reynolds, Gary Wimer
Deacon to Receive Offering	Kathy Dolianitis
Officers to Count Offering	Beale/Meadema
Flower Distribution	Seekers Bible Class
Church School Superintendent	Gail Davis
Liturgist	Ina Ingram
Time for Young Disciples	Tom Barrett
Sound System	Sam Meadema
Lunch Ministry June 18	Kent Shelton, Ina Ingram

"Make Me a Channel of Your Peace"

Make me a channel of Your peace.

Where there is hatred let me bring Your love.

Where there is injury, Your pardon, Lord,  
and where there's doubt true faith in You.

O Master, grant that I may never seek  
so much to be consoled as to console,  
to be understood as to understand,  
to be loved, as to love,  
with all my soul.

Make me a channel of Your peace.

Where there's despair in life, let me bring hope.

Where there is darkness only light,  
and where there's sadness every joy.

Make me a channel of your peace.

It is in pardoning that we are pardoned,  
in giving of ourselves that we receive,  
and in dying that we're born to eternal life.

The flowers today are given in loving memory of

Nat Crews by his family.

### Praise God for Last Sunday

Sunday School Attendance	46
Worship Attendance	89
Tithes & Offerings	\$5,519.00

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

We provide **nursery care** from 9:30 AM to 12:30 PM and **Sunday School** for grades K-5 after Time for Young Disciples.

**PASTORAL CONCERNS**—Anne Banks, Chuck Bolt, Pat Bolt, Alice & Randy Bradshaw, Beth Brown, Bill Brown, Nelson R. Clark, Jay Covington (Jean White's nephew), Ruby Crowell, Grace Dahl, Maude Dalton, Ronnie Dinkle, Rev. Cecil Eanes, R. L. Clifton, W. J. “Buck” Collins, Clarence Edmunds, Bill Erwin, Sarah Fisher (Sally Clark's Mother), Betty Fitzgerald, Fred Gunn, Lois Hayes, Tim Hooker, Kathy Huggins, Conner Jones, Kay Keesee, Chris Kile, Ruth Lawton, Larry Mann, Jake McGee, Thelma Meadors, Carolyn Miles, Larry Miller, Alex Mitchell, A B. Motley, Debbie Perrin Neal, Greg Nunley, Richard Russell (Ina Ingram's brother), Ella Ryan, Alice Saunders, Lynn Saunders, Diane Shelton, Alan Sweeney, Pat Tyler, Russell Vandiver, Nultie Wiseman,

**ON THE MEND**--(Praise & Gratitude for improved condition) Robert Brooks, Reva Goss, Kelvin Gunn, Glenda Hyde, Ina Ingram, Adjowa Kassa, Grace Litzenberg, Ruth Meadors, Thomas Peyton Mahaffey, Ken Obye, Jean White

It is with sadness in loss, but joy in resurrection, that we report that Mary Ann Burton has been promoted to the church triumphant. Arrangements were not known at the time of printing.

The Membership Committee is selling tickets during fellowship time for the outing to the Danville Braves' home opener on June 29. \$7/each.

If you have additions, deletions, or other adjustments to the **church calendar**, please notify [christy@fpcdanville.com](mailto:christy@fpcdanville.com) in order to ensure that the calendar information stays as updated as possible. Thanks!

If you or your relatives enter the hospital, please be sure that the **church is notified directly**. You may call us at 792-7822, or email Rev. Thompson at [allen@fpcdanville.com](mailto:allen@fpcdanville.com) or administrative assistant Christy Edgar at [christy@fpcdanville.com](mailto:christy@fpcdanville.com).

Our **Summer Ladies' Bible Study** sessions will be held at 2:00 pm, in the Westminster Room the following Mondays:

June 13	Joyce Perez - Tamar
June 27	Charlotte Lowther - Miriam
July 11	Linda Copeland - The Women of Abel Beth Maacah
July 25	Karan Johnson - The Widow with Two Coins
August 8	Carolyn Baker - Bathsheba
August 22	Nancy Wilson - Abigail

Everyone is invited and encouraged to attend!

## THIS WEEK AT FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

[www.fpcdanville.com/calendar](http://www.fpcdanville.com/calendar)

<b>Monday, June 13</b>	9:30 a.m. Prayer Gathering 10:00 a.m. Staff Meeting 11:00 a.m. VIP Committee 2:00 p.m. Ladies' Bible Study
<b>Tuesday, June 14</b>	6:15 p.m. Handbells 7:00 p.m. Good News Choir Session 7:00 p.m. Session
<b>Wednesday, June 15</b>	12:15 p.m. Chapel Service
<b>Thursday, June 16</b>	5:30 p.m. Chancel Choir
<b>Friday, June 17</b>	All Day Office Closed
<b>Saturday, June 18</b>	10:45 a.m. Lunch Min. Bible Study 11:15 p.m. Lunch Ministry
<b>Sunday, June 19</b>	9:00 a.m. Missions Committee 9:45 a.m. Sunday Schools: Mid & High School, Rm 112 Bible Fellowship, Library Outlook Class, Rm 322 Seekers, Rm 109 10:45 a.m. Fellowship Time 11:00 a.m. Worship Mid-worship: K-2 Sun. Sch., Rm. 304 3-5 Sun. Sch., Rm. 306

### OFFICERS OF THE CHURCH THE SESSION

2016 Barry Cutright Ina Ingram Hampton Wilkins Thor Wright	2017 Tom Barrett Brenna Takata Gary Wimer David Zook	2018 Eddie Blount Gene Hayes Bob Newnam Joan Reynolds
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### THE DIACONATE

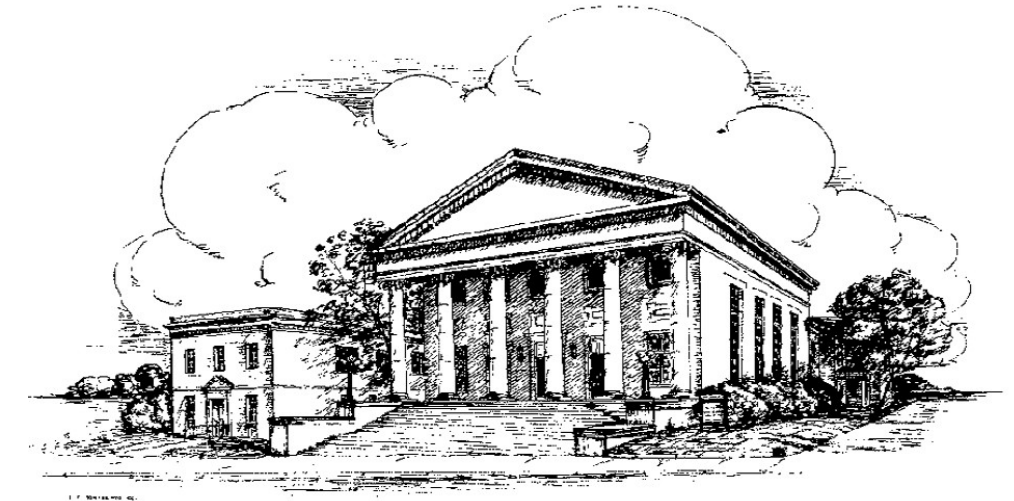
2016 Marie-Louise Crane Susan Mathena John Parris	2017 David Parris Mike Reynolds Kent Shelton Becky Meadema	2018 Ava Barrett Harriet Beale Kathy Dolianitis David Swann
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## THE COLUMNS OF THE First Presbyterian Church

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### Welcome

*To all who are spiritually weary and seek rest; to all who mourn and long for comfort; to all who struggle and desire victory; to all who sin and need a Savior; to all who are strangers and want fellowship; to all who hunger and thirst after righteousness; and to whosoever will come—this church opens wide her doors and offers her welcome in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ.*

*If you are visiting, we invite you to join us for refreshments after the service in Dunglinson-Roberts Hall.*