

Morning Worship—April 28, 2019  
2nd Sunday of Easter

Please sign the Fellowship Pad and pass it to your neighbor. \*Please stand if able. It is our custom to sing, “Amen,” after hymns.

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE “Carillon Toccata” by G. Martin

RESPONSIVE CALL TO WORSHIP from Psalm 150

Leader: Praise the Lord! Let everything that breathes praise the Lord!  
People: We will praise you for your mighty deeds, O God, according to your surpassing greatness.  
Leader: Praise the Lord with the sounds of the trumpet, with tambourine and the dance!  
People: We will praise you with strings and pipe and loud clashing cymbals.  
All: Let everything that breathes praise the Lord!

\*HYMN OF PRAISE 485 “To God Be the Glory”

LITANY OF ASSURANCE

Leader: We must obey God rather than human authority.  
People: To God be glory and dominion forever and ever.  
Leader: The God of our fathers and mothers raised Jesus, who was killed by hanging on a tree.  
People: To God be glory and dominion forever and ever.  
Leader: God exalted him at God’s right hand as Leader and Savior.  
People: To God be glory and dominion forever and ever.  
Leader: Christ brings repentance and forgiveness of sins.  
People: To God be glory and dominion forever and ever.  
Leader: And we are witnesses to these things, and so is the Holy Spirit who God has given to those who obey.  
People: To God be glory and dominion forever and ever.

\*GLORIA PATRI (579) GREATOR EX, 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.

TIME FOR YOUNG DISCIPLES Catie Clarke  
(children exit for Sunday School)

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

God of mercy, You promised never to break Your covenant with us. Amid all the changing words of our generation, may we hear Your eternal Word that does not change. Then may we respond to Your gracious promises with faithful and obedient lives; through our Lord Jesus Christ. Amen.

FIRST SCRIPTURE LESSON (774/814) Acts 5:27-32

ANTHEM “Christ Be In My Waking” arr. Larry Shackley

GOSPEL LESSON (769/808) John 20:19-31

SERMON “Peace, Peace, Where is the Peace?” Dr. John McDonald

\*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH (See Apostles’ Creed in Aids to Worship pew insert)

HYMN OF RESPONSE 108 “Christ Is Alive!”

PASTORAL PRAYER & THE LORD’S PRAYER (See pew insert)

DEDICATION OF OFFERINGS

Offering in Music “It Is Well With My Soul” arr. Donnie Davis  
\*Doxology 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

\*HYMN OF COMMITMENT 368 “I’ve Got Peace Like a River”

BENEDICTION

BENEDICTION RESPONSE 464, first stanza “Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee”

POSTLUDE “Trumpet Tune” by Gordon Young

The cross of lilies is given to the glory of God and in loving memory of the Temple and Wilson families.

Through the Season of Easter the lily cross will remain in place and we will observe the Litany of Assurance in place of the Prayers of Confession. Both are symbolic recognition of the forgiveness and life everlasting we have through our Lord and Savior.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

**PASTORAL CONCERNS**— Brian Anderson (H. Perryman’s brother), Chlodine Bittner (J. Weller’s grandmother), Ruth Elaine Bittner (J. Weller’s aunt), Amy Bracey, Lisa Brown, Will Brown, Joseph Campbell (S. Mathena), Charles Cuttle, Lib Cuttle, Matthew Dolianitis, Dianne East, Fred Gunn (W. Gunn’s brother) Carolyn Herring, Martha Jo Hodges, Greg Howard, Bobby Hudson, Lisa Ireson (A. Barrett’s sister-in-law), Gail Jones, Laura Jones, Beth Landfair (John’s mother), Bill Landfair (J. McDonald’s step father), Dr. McDonald, Dana Overstreet (S. Mathena), Sali Parker (K. Dolianitis’ sister-in-law), Meg Powell (B. Takata), Freel Shipe (J. McDonald’s father-in-law), John Rodgers (J. Weller’s uncle), Ella Ryan, Mary Lou Snead, Joan Sprinkle (G. Jones), Debra Thompson (C. Bolt daughter), Jim Turner, Leslie S. Vance (G. Jones), Nultie Wiseman, Bill Wood, Ann Wood, (K. Dolianitis’ cousins), Dave Zook

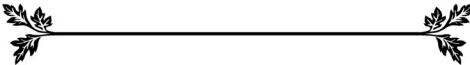
The concerns of those who wish to remain unnamed. Our PNC Committee

**ON THE MEND**— James Gill Sr. & Jr., Mrs. Helen Harris (Kathleen Harris’ mother), Willem van der Griendt

Our Service Personnel & First Responders. The people of Togo.

Once again it’s First Presbyterian’s turn to help out with the God’s Storehouse Backpack program, meet at God’s Storehouse on Thursday May 2nd at 4:00 p.m. to help stuff back packs for area hungry children.

*The PW Birthday Luncheon will be Monday May 6th, at 11:30 a.m. please make plans to attend. Call the office with your reservation by Thursday May 2nd. All women of the church are invited!*



SERVING TODAY

Nursery/Sunday School	H. Beale
Combined Sunday School	S. Weller/J. Stowe
Elders at Front Door	F. Baker
Security & Side Door	D. Parris
Visitation	Nicole Bracey
Deacon to Receive Offering	K. Dolianitis
Officers to Count Offering	Barrett/volunteer needed
Church School Superintendent	Gail Davis
Liturgist	G. Gunn
Time for Young Disciples	C. Clarke
Sound System	R. Beale
Ushers	Team 4
Flower Ministry	Day Circle
Childcare Specialists	Lea Smith, Kelley Fochler
Saturday Lunch Ministry May 4th	E. Blount/B. Meadema
Saturday Lunch Attendance 4/20	47

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**TO KNOW CHRIST AND MAKE HIM KNOWN**

**April 28, 2019**

THIS WEEK AT FIRST PRESBYTERIAN

<b>MONDAY, April 29</b>	<b>SATURDAY, May 4</b>
9:15 a.m. Prayer Group	10:45 a.m. Lunch Min. Bible Study
6:00 p.m. Membership Committee	11:30 a.m. Lunch Ministry
<b>WEDNESDAY, May 1</b>	<b>SUNDAY, May 5</b>
5:00 p.m. PNC	9:00 a.m. Worship Committee
6:00 p.m. Youth	9:45 a.m. Sunday School: See below for Class information
<b>THURSDAY, May 2</b>	11:00 a.m. Worship, Sanctuary Mid-worship K-2/3-5 SS
4:00 p.m. God’s Storehouse Backpack program	Noon Fellowship
5:30 p.m. Chancel Choir	
<b>FRIDAY, May 3</b>	
All Day Church Office Closed	

**Opportunities to Study the Word every Sunday Morning**

**Youth & Adult Sunday School** 9:45 a.m.– 10:40 a.m.

**Youth** (middle & high school) Rm 112 /discussion type class studying scripture lesson used in Sunday’s sermon

**Bible Seekers/Rm 109/** “Feasting on the Word” / discussion type class

**Bible Study Fellowship/Library/ Ligonier Ministry’s** “Tabletalk Magazine” / discussion type class

**Outlook/Rm 322/**“The Present Word” / lecture type class

**The Children’s Extended Time** (mid-worship 11:15-12:00) Deep Blue Cokesbury Curriculum

**K-2 /Rm304/various instructors/Gr 3-5/Rm 306/various instructors**

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