

Morning Worship—June 9, 2019  
Day of Pentecost

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  
MINUTE FOR MEMBERSHIP  
PRELUDE

“Be Thou My Vision” Ray Hayes & Mack Williams, duet

RESPONSIVE CALL TO WORSHIP from Psalm 104  
Leader: O God, how manifold are your works! You have made them all in wisdom; the earth is full of your creatures.  
People: I will sing to the Lord as long as I live; I will sing praise to my God while I have being.  
All: Let us worship God.  
\*HYMN OF PRAISE 126 “Come, Holy Spirit, Heavenly Dove”

PRAYER OF CONFESSION  
God of wisdom and understanding, have mercy upon us as we confess our sin. Your children are scattered; language keeps them apart. Forgive us for the cultural pride that refuses to learn the language of another. Forgive us for the barriers of insensitivity that repel those whom you seek to call through us. By your Spirit’s power undo the plight of Babel by the miracle of Pentecost, to the end that all may hear the gospel and praise the risen Christ with one voice.  
SILENT PRAYERS OF CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON  
Leader: As God confused the language of all the earth to keep the people from idolatry, so God sent Christ with the universal message of salvation.  
People: “Whoever calls on Christ’s name shall be saved.” Brothers and sisters, trust that name and be as-sured; In Jesus Christ we are forgiven!

\*GLORIA PATRI (579) 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.

TIME FOR YOUNG DISCIPLES Joyce Perez  
(children exit for Sunday School)

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION  
Almighty God, in You are hidden all the treasures of wisdom and knowledge. Open our eyes that we may see the wonders of Your word; and give us grace that we may clearly understand and freely choose the way of Your wisdom; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

GOSPEL LESSON (771/810) John 14:8-17

ANTHEM “Great Is Thy Faithfulness” #276 Choir & Congregation

SCRIPTURE LESSON (764/803) Acts 2:1-21

SERMON “Happy Trails” Dr. John McDonald  
\*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH (See Apostles’ Creed in Aids to Worship pew insert)

SACRAMENT OF THE LORD’S SUPPER (Lord’s Prayer see Aids to Worship pew insert)  
Invitation  
Prayer of Thanksgiving

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

Leader: It is truly right and our greatest joy to give you thanks and praise, O Lord our God creator and ruler of the universe. . . Therefore, we lift our hearts in joyful praise, joining our voices with choirs of angels, and with all the faithful of every time and place, who forever sing to the glory of your name.  
People: Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.  
Leader: You are holy O God of majesty, and blessed is Jesus Christ, your Son, our Lord,... Prayers of the People and Lord’s Prayer (see pew insert)

Words of Institution  
Distribution of the Elements  
Communion Prayer

DEDICATION OF OFFERINGS  
Offering in Music “Arioso” by J. S. Bach  
\*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 326 “Spirit of God, Descend Upon My Heart”  
(children return from Sunday School)

\*BENEDICTION  
\*BENEDICTION RESPONSE 540 “God Be with You Till We Meet Again”

POSTLUDE “Seven Manifestations of Salzburg ‘At the Lamb’s Hight Feast We Sing’ ”

The flowers today are given in honor of Rev. Dr. John McDonald.  
Our entire congregation extends to him our deepest appreciation for all he has done for us during this past year. We wish only the best for him as, once again, he goes to serve God, as an interim for another congregation.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**PASTORAL CONCERNS**— Brian Anderson (H. Perryman’s brother), Chlodine Bittner (J. Weller’s grandmother), Amy Bracey, Dianne East, Betty Fitzgerald, Fred Gunn (W. Gunn’s brother), Mrs. Helen Harris (Kathleen Harris’ mother), Laura Jones, Beth Landfair (John’s mother), Bill Landfair (J. McDonald’s step father), Bob Lowther, Dr. McDonald, Freel Shipe (J. McDonald’s father-in-law), Martha McQueen, George Perry, Ella Ryan, Andrea Smith (G. Gunn’s cousin), Debra Thompson (C. Bolt daughter), Easton Zunker

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

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

**ON THE MEND** — Lisa Ireson (A. Barrett’s sister-in-law), Mary Lou Snead

The Mother’s Day/Father’s Day offering will be taken today to benefit the Sunnyside Communities during the worship service. The Sunnyside Communities Fellowship Fund provides financial & personal support for residents who can no longer pay their own way. Thank you for your continued support to ensure that our seniors have the quality care that they deserve regardless of their ability to pay.

We will be having Children and Adult VBS classes. Dinner will be served at 5:30 p.m., VBS will start at 6 p.m. VBS will be June 17th – 20th. All are invited!

*We are grateful for Martha Bell’s leadership in music today and for the many ways in which God continues to bless FPC through her.*

**SERVING TODAY**

Nursery/Sunday School	B. Takata
Combined Sunday School	Jones
Elders at Front Door	R. Beale
Security & Side Door	C. B. Strange
Visitation	S. Mathena
Deacon to Receive Offering	D. Swann
Officers to Count Offering	Barrett/Wilson
Church School Superintendent	Gail Davis
Liturgist	R. Beale
Time for Young Disciples	J. Perez
Sound System	D. Parris
Ushers	Team 2
Flower Ministry	Seekers
Childcare Specialists	Lea Smith, Kelley Fochler
Saturday Lunch Ministry June 15th	M. Bell/N. Bracey
Saturday Lunch Attendance 6/1	23

*Everyone is invited to the reception honoring Dr. McDonald immediately following worship today. The women of the church are hosting the reception.*

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**TO KNOW CHRIST AND MAKE HIM KNOWN**  
**June 9, 2019**

**THIS WEEK AT FIRST PRESBYTERIAN**

**MONDAY, June 10**

9:15 a.m. Prayer Group  
10:00 a.m. Staff Meeting  
11:00 a.m. VIP Committee  
7:00 p.m. Session

**FRIDAY, June 14**

All Day Church Office Closed

**SATURDAY, June 15**

11:30 a.m. Lunch Ministry

**TUESDAY, June 11**

5:15 p.m. Handbells

**WEDNESDAY, June 12**

5:30 p.m. PNC Committee  
6:00 p.m. Youth

**SUNDAY, June 16**

9:00 a.m. Mission Committee  
9:45 a.m. Sunday School:  
See below for Class information  
11:00 a.m. Worship, Sanctuary  
Mid-worship K-2/3-5 SS  
Noon Fellowship

**THURSDAY, June 13**

5:30 p.m. Chancel Choir

**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.