



# Welcome to Worship

If You Are New to First Federated Church:

We invite you to stop by the Commons for coffee and Fellowship Hour after worship. Information pamphlets about church programs and volunteer opportunities are available.

A Handicap and Family Bathroom is located in the hallway outside the Commons on the first floor.

During Today's Worship - Questions? Ask an Usher.

- Large print hymnals, individual listening devices and reading glasses are available in the Narthex for an improved worship experience. Worship also can be heard through the speakers in the Lounge and the Commons.
- Worship bags, containing quiet activities, are available in the front & back of the sanctuary by the ushers' stands. Children who are attending worship in the sanctuary are invited to borrow one of these bags.
- Childcare is available for your infant or small child during 10:00 a.m. worship each Sunday. The nursery is located next to the Chapel. See one of the ushers for directions.
- Kids' Kingdom Sunday School is provided each week during worship. Preschoolers 5th grade go to the chapel briefly for announcements and offering before being led to separate Sunday school rooms. 6th 12th grade have separate Junior and Senior High events. All classes last until approximately 11:00 am. Schedule varies during summer months.
- Please pass the Pew Friendship Pads so that we know your name and all worshipers have an opportunity to provide up-to-date information and sign up for special events. If you are a visitor, please be sure to give us your address so that we can send you a note.
- For pastoral care, to notify the church of illnesses, hospitalizations, or deaths, to pass along a prayer request, please call the church office at 685-5258 or e-mail: info@ffcpeoria.com.

Please silence your cell phones when in the sanctuary.



#### **PRELUDE**

## **NEWS OF THE CHURCH**

#### **CALL TO WORSHIP**

(Psalm 124: 8; II Corinthians 1: 4-5)

Responsive

Leader: Our help is in the name of the Lord,

Congregation: Maker of heaven and earth

Leader: God consoles us in our affliction, so

that we may be able to console those who are in any affliction.

Congregation: For just as the sufferings

of Christ are abundant for us, so

our consolation is abundant

through Christ.

\* HYMN

Lift Every Voice and Sing

No. 631



### — TIME WITH THE GROWING CHURCH —

Jesus once said that unless we receive the Kingdom as a child we cannot enter into it. This time spent with the youngest members of our worshipping congregation reminds us of the great truth that all of us are children of God and that all of us need to grow in wisdom and in faith. Children of all ages are invited to come forward for a children's message. Following the Lord's Prayer all children are invited to Sunday school. Parents are welcome to accompany hesitant children. Visitors are welcome!

All children, Preschool through 5th grade should be picked up by their parents or guardian in the following location following worship:

Preschool - Preschool Palace
Kindergarten, 1st and 2nd Grades - Creation Station
3rd, 4th and 5th Grades - Upper Room
Junior Highs (6th - 8th Grades) - Junior High Room, 3rd floor
Senior Highs (9th - 12th Grades) - Remain in worship

## **GATHERING HYMN**

Let Them Come

(Children please come forward during the "Gathering Hymn")

Let them come, let them come, let the children come to me.

I have time, I have time, said the Savior tenderly.

Let them come, let them come,

please don't send them away.

I have time, let them come, let them stay.

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE Rev. Dr. Forrest Krummel, Jr.

## **LORD'S PRAYER**

(Unison)

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.

## **DEPARTING HYMN**

Praise Him, Praise Him, All Ye Little Children
(Please remain seated and sing this hymn for the children as they
depart for Sunday school)

Praise Him, praise Him, all ye little children, God is love, God is love: Praise Him, praise Him, all ye little children, God is love, God is love.

#### PRAYER OF CONFESSION

(Luke 11: 9-11)

Responsive

Leader: Jesus said: "Ask and it shall be given

you; seek, and you will find; knock,

and it will be opened to you."

Congregation: For every one who asks receives,

and the one who seeks finds, and to the one who knocks it will be

opened.

Leader: Friends in Christ, God knows our

needs before we ask, and in our asking prepares us to receive the gift

of grace. Let us open our lives to God's healing presence, seeking

peace with God and reconciliation

with our neighbors. Let us be mindful

not only of personal evil but also our

communal sins of family, class, race, and nation. Let us confess to God

whatever has wounded us or brought

injury to others, that we may receive

mercy and become for each other

ministers of God's grace.

(A moment of silent reflection)

Leader: Let us confess our sin together.

Congregation:

Eternal God, in whom we live and move and have our being, whose face is hidden from us by our sins, and whose mercy we forget in the blindness of our hearts: Cleanse us from all our offenses, and deliver us from proud thoughts and vain desires, that with reverent and humble hearts we may draw near to you, confessing our faults, confiding in your grace, and finding in you our refuge and our strength; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

#### ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

Leader: The mercy of the Lord is from

everlasting to everlasting. I declare to you, in the name of Jesus Christ, you

are forgiven.

Congregation: Thanks be to God.

\* GLORIA PATRI (Unison)

No. 35

Chalice Hymnal

("Gloria Patri" literally means "Glory to the Father." This ancient response has been sung by the Church for nearly two thousand years.)

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.

### PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

#### OFFERING OF OUR GIFTS TO GOD

**OFFERTORY** 

#### PRAYER OF DEDICATION

#### SCRIPTURE LESSON

**SERMON** Healing and Wholeness

Rev. Dr. Forrest Krummel, Jr.

(Third in the 2019 sermon series on "New Year's Resolutions")

**HYMN** Healer of Our Every III Pg. 506

Chalice Hymnal

## OFFERING OF OUR LIVES TO GOD

Romans 12:1

#### INTERCESSION FOR HEALING

Responsive

Leader: God, our creator, your will for us and

for all your people is wholeness and

salvation:

Congregation: Have mercy on us.

Leader: Jesus Christ, Son of God, you came

that we might have life and have it in

abundance:

Congregation: Have mercy on us.

Leader: Holy Spirit, dwelling within us, you

make us temples of your presence:

Congregation: Have mercy on us.

Leader: To the triune God, the source of all

love and all life, let us offer our

prayers.

(A moment of silent prayer)

Leader: For all who are in need of

healing...Lord, in your mercy,

Congregation: Hear our prayer.

Leader: For all who are disabled by injury or

illness..., Lord, in your mercy,

Congregation: Hear our prayer.

Leader: For all who are troubled by confusion

or burdened by pain...Lord, in your

mercy,

Congregation: Hear our prayer.

Leader: For all whose increasing years bring

weariness...Lord, in your mercy,

Congregation: Hear our prayer.

Leader: For all about to undergo

surgery...Lord, in your mercy,

Congregation: Hear our prayer.

Leader: For all who cannot sleep...Lord, in

your mercy,

Congregation: Hear our prayer.

Leader: For all who practice the healing

arts...Lord, in your mercy,

Congregation: Hear our prayer.

Leader: Into your hands, gracious God, we

commend all for whom we pray, trusting in your mercy; through Jesus

Christ our Lord.

ALL: Gracious God, source of all healing, in Jesus Christ you heal the sick and mend the broken. We bless you for oil pressed from the fruits of the earth, given to us as sign of healing and forgiveness, and of thee fullness of life you give. By your Spirit, come upon all who receive this ministry of compassion, that they may know your healing touch and be made whole, in the glory of Jesus Christ our redeemer. Amen.

(As worshipers leave the sanctuary they may use anointing oil and pick up a "Healing Prayer" card for their use.)

#### \* CLOSING HYMN

There's a Wideness in God's Mercy No. 73

Chalice Hymnal

#### Responsive

Leader: May the God of hope fill you with all joy

and peace in believing, so that you may abound in hope by the power of the Holy

Spirit.

All: Alleluia! Amen.

#### \* RESPONSE



#### \* POSTLUDE

#### Chancel Flowers

The Chancel flowers are given by Hank & Sally Stone in loving memory of their parents,
John Proctor Stone and Anne M. Stone,
Karl C Kaiser & Jane W.L. Kaiser,
and Hank's sister, Anne Stone Chapin.

I am glad that you could worship with us today.

If you are exploring faith for the first time, seeking to reconnect with your faith, or searching for a church home and would like to learn more about First Federated Church, please introduce yourself to me after today's service. You may also call me at (309) 685-5258 X. 101 or email at fkrummel@ffcpeoria.com.

I would enjoy a conversation with you!



Rev. Frosty Rev. Dr. Forrest Krummel, Jr.

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Contact the church office at 309-685-5258 if you would like a visit from Rev. Steve Barch, our Pastoral Minister, or Rev. Frosty Krummel.

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