



SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE

GATHERING

\*CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: I will sing of your steadfast love, O Lord, forever;
People: with my mouth I will proclaim your faithfulness to all generations.
Leader: I declare that your steadfast love is established forever;
People: your faithfulness is as firm as the heavens.
Leader: Praise the Lord!
People: The Lord's name be praised!

\*HYMN "All People That on Earth Do Dwell" No. 385

CALL TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Gracious God, we confess that we have been faithless servants. We have abused and wasted your good gifts to us. We have hoarded your grace and love for ourselves, not sharing with others. We have turned a deaf ear to the cries of the needy around us and refused to see where we could provide grace to others. Loving God, forgive us. Send your Spirit to give us new strength, new vision, and new courage that we may serve you and all whom you love. We pray in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

(The prayer continues in a time of silent, personal confession)

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Leader: In this is love, not that we loved God but that God loved us and sent the Son to be the payment for human sin. If God loved us so much, we ought to love one another. Friends, believe the good news of the gospel...

People: In Jesus Christ we are forgiven. Thanks be to God.

PASSING OF THE PEACE

Leader: The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you.

People: And also with you.

(Please share a sign of peace with others.)

GLORY TO GOD!

No. 582

CHILDREN'S SERMON

Rev. Dan Wilkers

ANTHEM

THE WORD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE READING

Luke 12:13-21

Leader: The Word of the Lord.
People: Thanks be to God.

SERMON

"What We Need Is Bigger Barns"

Rev. Dan Wilkers

SENDING

\*HYMN

"Where Cross the Crowded Ways of Life"

No. 343

\*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

"The Apostles' Creed"

Hymnal p. 35

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

\*DOXOLOGY

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

\*HYMN

"Seek Ye First"

No. 175

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

Serving Today (Oct 16)

Greeters: Becky Collins, Burch Idol
Ushers: Faye Hodges, Bernie Krecklow
Lay Reader: Donna Myers
Acolyte: Linus Downing

Serving Next Sunday (Oct 23)

Greeters: Lorna Foster, Bernie Krecklow
Ushers: Burch Idol, Skip Smith
Lay Reader: Dottie Roudabush
Acolyte: Isaac Downing

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**GOOD MORNING!** We welcome each of you to this service of worship and we are glad you are here. We invite you to fill out the Welcome card found in the pew rack and place the card in the offering plate, so we can welcome you further and start to get to know you better.

**THIS WEEK'S ACTIVITIES**

<b>Today</b> (10/16)	9:00a	Café Faith
	9:30a	Sunday School
	10:30a	Worship Service
	11:30a	Congregational Meeting (Election of Elders)
	11:45a	PWOC Chili Luncheon
<b>Mon</b> (10/17)	9:00a	Bulletin Information Due
	6:30p	Sweet Adelines
<b>Tue</b> (10/18)	1:00p	Paint Ministry
	5:00p	Wt. Watchers
<b>Wed</b> (10/19)	9:00a	Wt. Watchers
	9:30a	Men's Bible Study
	7:30p	Adult Choir Rehearsal
<b>Thu</b> (10/20)		No Scheduled Church Activities
<b>Fri</b> (10/21)		No Scheduled Church Activities
	12:00p	Church Office Closed
<b>Sat</b> (10/22)	8:30a	Women's Bible Study
<b>Sun</b> (10/23)	9:00a	Café Faith
	9:30a	Sunday School
	10:30a	Worship Service

**New Craft Idea:** *Whatcha Makin' Now*, by Dee Barham, is featuring Magnolia Angels. Go to [www.fpckernersville.org](http://www.fpckernersville.org) for the instructions.

**Church Office Hours:** The church office will close at 12:00 noon on the following Fridays: October 21, and 28.

**PWOC Luncheon:** Today the Presbyterian Women of the Church, invite everyone to a Chili Luncheon immediately following worship service. If you have any questions, please see Shari Downing.

**Lost & Found:** If you have lost a gold bangle bracelet, please see Jane in the church office.

**Rent-A-Youth:** Don't Forget! If you need any yard work done, household repairs, odds & ends work, please contact Amy Evans and **rent our youth to do the work!**

**Crisis Control:** They are in need of boxed dinners (ex. Hamburger Helper) during the month of October. Please place your donations in the Crisis Control box.

**Mark Your Calendars!!!** Saturday, November 12, is the Holiday Market and Pancake Breakfast.

**CONGREGATIONAL MEETING  
TODAY**

**Election of Elders**  
Nominees: Jean Nitkin & Lorna Foster

**Please fill out prayer request cards.**

This will ensure that your request is added to the prayer list and that names are spelled correctly.

Thank you for your assistance!



**First Presbyterian Church**

Rev. Dan Wilkers, Interim

Amy Evans, Christian Education Director  
Jane Johnson, Secretary

Nancy Bolen, Choir Director  
Kay Sudderth, Organist