

MorningSong September 10, 2017 8:45 and 11:00am

Welcome!

First Presbyterian Church is a community of believers committed to "Glorifying God and Sharing Christ Together through Word and Deed."

Opening Music

Opening Prayer and Welcome

Children's Time

"Be Like Christ:

Look Who's Coming to Dinner"

Mark 2:13-17

Rev. Jason C. Moore

Commissioning of Leaders in Educational Ministry

Song

Prayers

Offering

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Benediction

Today's Scripture

Mark 2:13-17 (NRSV)

- ¹³ Jesus went out again beside the sea; the whole crowd gathered around him, and he taught them. ¹⁴ As he was walking along, he saw Levi son of Alphaeus sitting at the tax booth, and he said to him, "Follow me." And he got up and followed him.
- ¹⁵ And as he sat at dinner in Levi's house, many tax collectors and sinners were also sitting with Jesus and his disciples—for there were many who followed him. ¹⁶ When the scribes of the Pharisees saw that he was eating with sinners and tax collectors, they said to his disciples, "Why does he eat with tax collectors and sinners?" ¹⁷ When Jesus heard this, he said to them, "Those who are well have no need of a physician, but those who are sick; I have come to call not the righteous but sinners."

Sermon Notes				

Participating in Today's Services

Rev. Jason C. Moore Rev. Christi O. Brown Rev. L. Craig Foster

Sunday School

9:45-10:45am

CHILDREN

Classes in the Clark Building Nursery (Birth-2K); Preschool (3-4K); Elementary (5K-5th Gr)

To see your child's lesson for this week (Preschool and Elementary), visit www.Deepbluekids.com. Download the parent's lesson guide by selecting:
Curriculum> This Sunday> Choose your child's age group>
Choose "All Hands on Deck" with today's date.
You can also download a free App
to follow weekly lessons, games, music, and videos.

YOUTH (6th-12th Gr) 2nd Floor of Family Life Center

ADULTS

BIBLE ALIVE (Room 2210) A talented and experienced teaching team leads this class for those who want to study the Bible in-depth, book by book.

CHOIR CLASS (Room 2208) This class meets from 10:00 to 10:30am to accommodate choir members, but anyone can join.

CHRISTIAN PERSPECTIVES (Room C212) This class explores and studies contemporary issues from a variety of perspectives using the Bible, the Christian faith and life, the Presbyterian/Reformed tradition, and World Christianity to form its conclusions.

Emmaus Class (Room 2207) Join us on our journey as we welcome everyone, with eyes open towards Jesus. We are the loud class at the end of the hall, enjoying fellowship, coffee, and a fresh, new, scripture-based lesson each week.

FAITH DRIVEN (Room C210) This class is largely made up of parents of young children and seeks to learn more about the Bible and how to apply its truths within the workplace and the home.

FELLOWSHIP CLASS (Room 2212) Special, distinctive, and important: The host presents a scholarly and factual study of selected books of the Bible presented with a mature flair and wisdom. All ages feel at home with this loyal group.

OPEN CLASS (Room 2213) A small-group discussion of Christian themes in literature; open to all ages and points of view. They are currently studying "Bonhoeffer for Armchair Theologians".

Purnell Class (Purnell Room) For a hymn sing and an excellent Bible lesson, join this faithful group of men and women.

SPARK (Room 2216) This class is made up of young adults in their 20's and 30's, both single and married, with and without children, who are interested in connecting and building relationships with each other, while exploring Christianity and the Bible and their applications to life.

This week, please pray for the Church's Capital Campaign.

CAPITAL CAMPAIGN PRAYER

Gracious and loving God,
we thank you for the blessings you have given to this
church and for our long history of worship and service.
Our one wish is to continue to glorify you
through worship and service
to our members, our community,
our nation, and our world.
We ask that you bless our endeavors
as we raise funds for these improvements
in our worship and gathering spaces.
In Jesus' name we pray.
Amen.

<u>Staff</u>: Dr. Tom Evans, Senior Pastor; Rev. Craig Foster, Associate Pastor, Education/ Discipleship; Rev. Joanne Hull, Associate Pastor, Congregational Care; Rev. Jason Moore, Associate Pastor for Evangelism and Church Growth; Rev. Christi Brown, Pastoral Associate for Missions; Holt Andrews, Pastoral Musician; Marcia Andrews, Associate Director of Music and Organist; Penny Wright, Director of Young Adults; Beth Burris, Children's Ministries Director; Beth Cecil, Parish Nurse; Colleen McCullough, Recreation Director; Jane Mullins, Hospitality Director

<u>MorningSong Musicians</u>: Lisa Cunningham, *piano/vocals*; Kolby Carrouth, *drums*; Cooper Cecil, *bass*; Landon Hammett, *keyboard/vocals*; Jeff Key, *acoustic guitar/bass*; Leigha Pace, *vocals*.

Need to Step Out During the Service? If possible, please use the door in the back of Fogartie Hall.

