# Celebration of Worship Reformation Sunday October 31, 2021

### Gather in God's Name

**The Chiming of the Hour** 

**The Prelude** 

**Christine Yoshikawa** 

**The Kirkin O The Tartans** 

(see insert)

The Welcome and Announcements

### To Worship God in Spirit and Truth

#### \*The Hymn of Praise

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"I Greet Thee, Who My Sure Redeemer Art"

### \*The Reaffirmation of Faith (In Unison)

### A Brief Statement of Faith

We trust in God the Holy Spirit everywhere the giver and renewer of life. The Holy Spirit justifies us by grace through faith, sets us free to accept ourselves and to love God and neighbor, and binds us together with all believers in the one body of Christ, the Church. The same Holy Spirit who inspired the prophets and apostles rules our faith and life in Christ through Scripture, engages us through the Word proclaimed, claims and cleans us in the waters of baptism, feeds us with the bread of life and the cup of salvation and Calls everyone to the ministries and missions of the Church in Jackson County and throughout the world. Amen!

#### \*Gloria Patri

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.

### To Seek and Share God's Forgiveness

### **The Call to Confession**

#### **The Prayer of Confession (In Unison)**

God of grace and mercy, we often say that we love you with all our heart, soul, mind and strength, but when we look closely at our lives, we confess that our hearts are sometimes full of concerns that are not always your concerns. We often neglect our souls; and our strength is at times depleted by things that do not have anything to do with you. Please forgive us our sin. Cleanse us. Renew us. Reform us. Make us ever new. We ask this in the name of the One who died and rose again to set us free, Jesus the Christ, our Savior and Lord, the only head of the church. Amen. (A time for silent prayer and confession.)

#### The Assurance of Forgiveness

We may not always keep our promises to God, but God's promises to us never fail. Friends, let us rejoice that only because of God's great faithfulness, we have been forgiven and we can forgive others and ourselves. Amen.

#### The Response of Praise and Gratitude

I Love You, Lord

I love you, Lord, and I lift my voice to worship you; O my soul, rejoice. Take joy, my King, in what you hear; may it be a sweet, sweet sound in your ear.

## We Celebrate the Gospel with Children

### The Children's Sermon

To Worship God with Tithes and Offerings

The Call to Offering

**The Offertory -- Special Music by Bagpipes** 

#### \*The Doxology

\*The Prayer of Consecration and the Lord's Prayer

### To Hear God's Word Read and Proclaimed

#### The Scripture Lesson

The New Testament – Romans 5:1-2; 6-11

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#### The Anthem

"Wherever He Leads I'll Go"

Music and words by: B. B. McKinney

### **The Sermon**

"Reformed and Always Reforming"

Dr. Raymond Guterman

## And Depart to Live as Followers of Jesus

#### \*The Hymn of Dedication

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"A Mighty Fortress Is Our God"

### **The Charge and Benediction**

#### \*The Choral and Congregational Response

I Love You, Lord

I love you, Lord, and I lift my voice to worship you; O my soul, rejoice. Take joy, my King, in what you hear; may it be a sweet, sweet sound in your ear.

#### \*The Postlude

Please silence phones.

Mel McLure Lundgren (Elder of the Month) 850-814-2849

#### **Welcome Newcomers**

We are happy to have you worship with us today. We invite you to join us each Sunday, as we worship and study God's word. If you would like more information concerning our church or becoming a member, you may fill out one of the welcome cards in the pews and place it in an offering plate, talk to the ushers or Pastor Raymond (cell # 352-817-8700); call the church office at 850-526-2430 or email us at fpcmarianna@gmail.com

**The Flowers** gracing our sanctuary this morning are provided by Muriel Turner in celebration of Roy's birthday and in honor of all those who, for health reasons, are prohibited from worship attendance. Praise God for the love and prayers of this church.

#### **This Week In Our Church**

Today	October 31 <sup>st</sup> Heritage Sunday
9:45 am	Adult Sunday School Classes
	(Andy Tinsley's class Zoom ID 870 9356 1430)
9:45 am	Children & Youth Sunday School
11:00 am	Worship Service (In Person, Facebook Live and
	Radio (WTYS 94.1)
Noon	Spaghetti lunch fundraiser for Montreat 2022
Monday	November 1 <sup>st</sup>
10:30 am	Circle 1 in fellowship hall
12:30 pm	Circle 2 in fellowship hall
Tuesday	November 2 <sup>nd</sup>
10:00 am	Prayer Meeting
3:00 pm	Food Pantry Bagging
Wednesday	November 3 <sup>rd</sup>
9:00 am	Food Pantry distribution
10:00 am	Sewing with Love/Office
1:30 pm	Piano lessons with Xylpha Schwehm
3:15 pm	Wild Wonderful Wednesday (children)
3:30 pm	Bell Choir
4:30 pm	Choir Practice
5:30 pm	SQUAD (5 <sup>th</sup> -8 <sup>th</sup> grade)
5:30 pm	Senior High
Thursday	November 4 <sup>th</sup>
10:30 am	Alzheimer's support meeting
Saturday	November 6 <sup>th</sup>
8am to noon	Church Clean Up Day

#### First Presbyterian Church Prays For:

Edward Syfrett Frankie Stewart Sandra Daffin Roy Turner

Shelby Vlieg (requested by Ellie Lawson) Bob Ward (requested by Mary Wierman)

David Hand (Betty Joyce's son)

Chris Butler (Ed and Linda Pittman's son-in-law)

Jay Hoyt Rackley (requested by Ginger Green

Alisa Gunter Goldberg (Jake Gunter's daughter)

Joy Lewis

Our Pastor Nominating Committee

Our Elder Nominating Committee

Buddy Bannerman (requested by Sharon)

Sherry Barber (Amanda Hinson's mother)

Hedy Williams (Hanni Daffin's sister)

Ruth Hammett (Scott Yant's mother)

Fran and Ernie McNeill

Charlton Keen Jr. and niece, Kathryn Keen

Doug Woolery (requested by Cindy Morgan)

Joy Gilbert

Sumi Hanstine (requested by Ashley Rackley)

Ronnie Heath (requested by Larry & Jackie Spivey)

Mary Bevis Schmidt (requested by Mel McLure

Lundgren)

Steven Quigley

Stewardship growth in our church

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#### **OUR MISSION STATEMENT**

The mission of our family of faith is to worship God; to successfully nurture the spiritual growth of each person in our church family so that we experience loving fellowship, joy, and peace; and to share our love and talents with others in our community and beyond.

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#### **ORGAN REPAIRS**

Last week, donations were given to the Organ Repair Fund in memory of Edgar McDaniel.

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