WE GATHER IN GOD'S NAME

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

* THE PEACE

The peace of Christ be with you.

And also with you.

Please turn to your neighbor and exchange the greeting of peace.

* GATHERING MUSIC #150 Come Christians, Join To Sing

* CALL TO WORSHIP

We gather as the faithful of God, we come to listen to what God has to say to us.

God has invited us to this place;

may our faces reflect our hopes and our hearts.

We gather as the faithful of God,

people of the new covenant of hope and promise.

We boldly enter into the presence of God,

hoping to be transformed into new people.

We gather as the faithful of God,

our fears melting away in the heart of God.

We come to share in the freedom of the Spirit,

we come to praise God's holy name.

WE PRAISE GOD

* HYMN OF PRAISE #455 All Creatures of Our God and King LASST UNS ERFREUEN PRAYER OF THE DAY

WE PROCLAIM GOD'S WORD

THE WORD SPOKEN

In the beginning was the Word

And the Word was with God, and the Word was God.

EXODUS 24:12-18 2 PETER 1:16-21 MATTHEW 17:1-9

PEW BIBLE, NT, PAGE 70

Madrid

PEW BIBLE, NT, PAGES 236-237
PEW BIBLE, NT, PAGES 18-19

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

THE WORD IN MUSIC

ANTHEM "Here, O My Lord"

STEVEN SCOTT

THE WORD PROCLAIMED: "Attend to the Light"

BILL HAMILTON

*Hymn #69

O Morning Star, How Fair and Bright

WIE SCHON LEUCHTET

WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

Joys and Concerns of the Congregation
Prayers of the People
Presentation of Gifts, Tithes, and Offerings
Offertory

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All praise to the Father, from who all things come,
And all praise to Christ Jesus, his only Son,
And all praise to the Spirit, who makes us one.
And they'll know we are Christians by our love, yes, they'll know we are Christians by our love.

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

Invitation to the Table

GREAT PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

May the God of mountaintops be with you.

And also with you.

Do not be afraid to come to our God.

We come, offering our hearts in joy and hope.

Here, at this Table, sing praises to God.

We rejoice, singing our thanks to the One who welcomes us here.

With the Word and the Spirit,

Majestic Glory,

you conspired against chaos,

shrouding mountains in clouds,

teaching birds how to sing,

carving paths for waters to race to the seas.

You shaped us in your image,

yearning to be with your beloved children,

but we did not want

to be tied to your apron strings,

and so went down the rabbit trails

devised by sin and death.

You sent prophets to us,

who called us back to you over and over,

yet we would not pay attention

to their Yield and Stop signs.

So you sent your Beloved

to us, so we might return to you.

With those who stood on mountaintops, and those who serve in the valleys, we lift our songs to you:

Holy, holy, holy are you, God of wonder. All creation gathers to praise you. Hosanna in the highest!

Blessed is the One who receives honor and glory. Hosanna in the highest!

You alone are holy, God of our hearts, and your Child, Jesus Christ, is our Savior. He was not afraid to become one of us, being faithful to your call. He was willing to walk in the shadowed corners of life, so your hope might shine forth like the sun. As those around him conspired, he went up to the cross where death waited to defeat him, yet your glory settled upon him as he walked out of the tomb.

As we journey with him up the mountain, as he walks with us through our valleys, we are a part of that mystery we call faith:

Christ died, coming to the end of life; Christ rose, coming with the bright sun of the resurrection; Christ will come, so we may be God's beloved children.

We come to the Table where,
by the presence of the Spirit,
bread becomes the grace we need,
the cup offers us the hope for which we long.
Taking them up, you transfigure them
into that sacred meal of love
which strengthens us to get up
and go into our neighborhoods,
bringing light to the shadows,
hope for the despairing,
healing for the broken,
justice for the forsaken.

And when you gather us up, taking us to the holy place of your heart, we will join with those of every time and place, forever singing your praises, God in Community, Holy in One. Amen.

THE LORD'S PRAYER (TRADITIONAL)
COMMUNION BY THE PEOPLE
PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

*CLOSING HYMN #74 Jesus on the Mountain Peak

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WE GO IN GOD'S NAME

- * CHARGE AND BENEDICTION
- * BENEDICTION RESPONSE May the Lord Go With You
- *Postlude

WELCOME TO FAITH PRESBYTERIAN

WELCOME to **Faith Presbyterian Church**. Whether you are a member or a visitor we are so glad that you are worshipping with us this morning and pray that this time of worship will be both renewing and rewarding for you. If you have an interest in joining Faith Presbyterian, please speak to the pastor or call the church at 336.292.5704. Please visit our website at www.faithpresgso.org or Facebook at www.facebook.com/faithpresgso.org

Elders of the Month for March are Graham Pope and Lindsey Brown.

On the calendar for this week:

Adult Sunday School. Join us each Sunday morning at one of our two adult classes. The Discussion Class meets at 9:30 in the parlor for engaging conversation and discussion. Also, you may want to attend our other adult class, **The Present Word**, which meets in the library. Using our denomination's curriculum, this class considers scripture and its interpretation for today.

There are Sign-Up Sheets in the Narthex for Ushers, Flowers and Snacks for each Sunday. Please take a turn and sign up.

Theology on Tap will meet Monday, **March 10**th at 7:30 pm.

Wednesday, March 5th, is Ash Wednesday. There will be a Baked Potato and Salad Dinner at 6:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall, before the Ash Wednesday Service at 7:00 p.m. There is a sign-up sheet in the Narthex, so we will know how much food to order. Please sign up and Everyone is welcome!

Chic Lutz Memorial Scholarship

Applications for the "Chic Lutz Memorial Scholarship" are available in the church office. The scholarship is available for active members or children of active members of Faith Presbyterian Church. Applications must be submitted by the scholarship deadline, April 30, 2014.

INFORMATION AND PRAYER LISTS

Statistics for February 23: Attendance-47

March 2- March 9, 2014

Today: 9:30 A.M. Sunday School

Wednesday:

10:30 A.M. Coffee And Conversation

11:00 A.M. Worship and Communion **Tuesday:** 9:30 A.M. Parish Nurse

6:00 P.M. Ash Wed. Dinner 7:00 P.M. Ash Wed. Service

Sunday: 9:30 A.M. Sunday School

10:30 A.M. Coffee And Conversation

11:00 A.M. Worship

Prayer Lists

Tabor Church, Harmony First Presbyterian Church, Burlington

Faith Presbyterian Church Prayer List:

Cile Gorman Peggy Pope Maxine Heath Dot Patat's Family Fran Cuthbertson Larry Murren Pat Magnuson Virginia Cornet Erich Bordne PNC **Bonnie Evans** Ann Huffine Melissa Burris' Father Priscilla Christiansen Georgia Renfrow Dellaine Risley **Bob Phillips** Kelly Bottoms (Friend/Lindsey Brown) Ed Price Bill Shannon Doris Claybrook (Betsy Rule's Mother) Andy Moye Dee McGhee Bob Huffine's Family Karen Thomas (Helen Hall's daughter) Penn Truit Christopher Colbert Marge Mack Jennifer Yoder

Pastoral Team

Bill Hamilton, Interim Pastor
Jim Rissmiller, Pastoral Visitor
Libby Inman, Young Adult Ministries
Jeremy Corn, Music Director
Lois Bazhaw, RN, Congregational Nurse
Lynn Wright, Office Administrator





We are a loving faith family, worshipping and serving God, and testifying in word and deed as disciples of Jesus Christ.

March 2, 2014 11:00 A.M. Service for the Lord's Day Transfiguration of the Lord

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