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 #106 Alleluia, Alleluia, Give Thanks

Alleluia No. 1

* CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 118

The stone that the builders rejected has become the chief cornerstone.

This is the Lord's doing;

it is marvelous

to us.

This is the day the Lord has made; Let us rejoice, and be glad in it.

WE PRAISE GOD

* **HYMN OF PRAISE #473** For the Beauty of the Earth **PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

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God of our lives, as we come to worship, some of us are lonely or empty or frightened. Some of us are sick or grieving or discouraged. Some of us come frustrated over ruined plans or unfinished projects—spiky with anger—discouraged about broken diets, hidden drinking, days without praying. Forgive us when we crumble under the pressures of our failures. Tell us again that we are your people, chosen by you to carry on Jesus' work, and shape us into the people you created us to be.

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.

ACTS 7:55-60

PEW BIBLE, NT, PAGE 126

I PETER 2:2-10

PEW BIBLE, NT, PAGE 233

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

THE WORD IN MUSIC

ANTHEM

"We Meet You, O Christ"

FRED KANU

THE WORD PROCLAIMED: "Chips Off the Old Rock"

DALE WALKER

*HYMN #361 How Firm a Foundation **FOUNDATION**

WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

JOYS AND CONCERNS OF THE CONGREGATION PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE PRESENTATION OF GIFTS, TITHES, AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY - Panis Angelicus - O Lord Most Holy

Bread of the Angels Is made bread for mankind: Gifted bread of Heaven Of all imaginings the end; Oh, thing miraculous! This body of God will nourish the poor, the servile, and the humble.

*DOXOLOGY (WITH ALLELUIAS)

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Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise God, all creatures here below, Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise God above, ye heavenly hosts; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

*Prayer of Dedication

THE LORD'S PRAYER (TRADITIONAL)

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*CLOSING HYMN #417 Christ is Made the Sure Foundation

WE GO IN GOD'S NAME

- * CHARGE AND BENEDICTION
- * BENEDICTION RESPONSE Lead Us O Lord

BOYD BACON

REGENT SQUARE

*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 <u>www.faithpresgso.org</u> or Facebook www.facebook.com/faithpresgso.

Elders of the Month for May 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.

Theology on Tap will meet Monday, May 19th at 7:30. The book we are studying is "Just Wives?" and will meet at Carolyn Campbell's home, 3-A Cactus Court, 27410. All are welcome! Come even if you haven't read the book.

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

<u>Visitors</u>: If you would like up-to-date information on Faith's activities each week and have an email address, call the office at 292-5704 and you will receive weekly updates of what is going on. You can also visit our FaceBook page at www.facebook.com/faithpresgso. Weekly updates of bulletins and newsletters are posted to our Website at www.faithpresgso.org on the Friday before the Sunday service. The newsletter comes out once a month. You can pick up a current copy of the newsletter on the table in the narthex and can see previous copies on our website. We have a Fellowship Brunch in the Fellowship Hall at 12:00 Noon after the Sunday service on the 4th Sunday of each month and our **Pennies for Hunger** are also collected on this day as well, during the service. Communion is the first Sunday of the month.

^{*} You are invited to stand if you are able

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May 18-25, 2014

Today: 9:30 A.M. Sunday School

10:30 A.M. Coffee And Conversation

11:00 A.M. Worship

Monday: 7:30 P.M. Theology on Tap **Tuesday:** 9:30 A.M. Chair Exercise

Wednesday: 7:00 P.M. Choir

Sunday: 9:30 A.M. Sunday School

10:30 A.M. Coffee And Conversation11:00 A.M. Worship and Fellowship Brunch

Honoring Jeremy and Lynn

Prayer Lists

First Presbyterian Church, Lexington Calvary Church, Statesville Stoneville Church, Stoneville

Faith Presbyterian Church Prayer List:

Peggy Pope	Cile Gorman
Dot Patat's Family	Maxine Heath
Fran Cuthbertson	Larry Murren
Pat Magnuson	Virginia Cornet
Erich Bordne	PNC
Bonnie Evans	Ann Huffine
Melissa Burris' Father	Priscilla Christiansen
Georgia Renfrow	Bob Phillips
Kelly Bottoms (Friend/Line	dsey Brown) Ed Price
Bill Shannon	Andy Moye
Bob Huffine's Family	Marge Mack
Karen Thomas (Helen Hal	's daughter) Penn Truit
Christopher Colbert	Jennifer Yoder
Bob Phillips	I.E. Martin
Rosemary Battle	The Family of Doris Claybrook
Jane Hogan	Kevin Cook
Kathy Risley	

Conscious Aging

Embarking on the Next Stage of Our Life Journey

The "Conscious Aging" program is one that Bill Hamilton, Jim McKenzie and Lois Bazhaw presented at Friends' Home Guilford during the month of February. **Jim Rissmiller** and **Lois Bazhaw** are going to present it at **Faith Presbyterian** every Tuesday afternoon in <u>June from 2-3 PM</u>. All Worksheets will be provided. There is no cost to attend.

The series will be in the form of a workshop. This is not a lecture to tell you how to age. The focus will be on small group discussion after a brief introduction.

June 3rd Who You Were, Who You Are Now; The Changes
The Ways in which we have changed in recent years.
How we have adapted to changes – imposed and chosen.

<u>June 10th</u> - Looking Back – Looking Ahead

The stages of our life. Significant events, roles and changes.

People who guided and influenced us, Special memories, dreams or wishes.

June 17th - Conscious Aging Plan

The essence of who you are and the tasks of conscious aging. Your personal conscious aging plan

June 24th - Roads Not Yet Traveled

Where you are, your path and stops along the way, your destination.

We do not expect to find answers or resolution in a few weeks. The unfolding answers and resolutions will come to us and be revealed to us along our continuing journey. Let us treasure each day for as long as our journey lasts.

Look for a sign-up sheet coming soon.

Pastoral Team

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.

May 18, 2014 11:00 A.M. Service for the Lord's Day 5th Sunday of Easter

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