



**JUNE 10, 2018**  
**SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY**  
**8:30 and 11:00 AM**

**GATHERING**

OPENING SENTENCES Todd Jones

†VOLUNTARY François Couperin  
*Récit de Cromhorne*

\*CALL TO WORSHIP (8:30) Stuart Gordon  
(11:00) Josh Rodriguez

Pastor: He who dwells in the shelter of the Most High,

**People: Who abides in the shadow of the Almighty,**

Pastor: will say to the Lord, "My refuge and my fortress;

**All: my God, in whom I trust."** (Psalm 91:1-2)

†\*PROCESSIONAL HYMN 667 LAUDES DOMINI  
*When Morning Gilds the Skies*

†WELCOME AND OPPORTUNITIES FOR DISCIPLESHIP Todd Jones

CALL TO CONFESSION (8:30) Stuart Gordon  
(11:00) Josh Rodriguez

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

**Holy, Triune God,**

**we confess that we have not lived for Your glory.**

**You claim us as Your people,**

**but we seek out other saviors.**

**You welcome us into Your house,**

**but we contribute to conflict and division.**

**Forgive us, God of grace.**

**Restore and rebuild us**

**so that we may be ready to live**

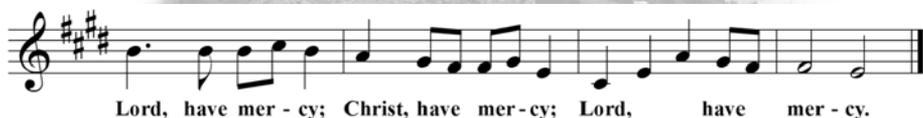
**in the eternal home You promise,**

**building Your kingdom on earth, as it is in heaven;**

**through Jesus Christ our Lord.**

(A moment for silent confession.)

LORD, HAVE MERCY *Kyrie Eleison*



ASSURANCE OF PARDON

\*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE 581 GLORIA PATRI

# THE WORD AND SACRAMENT

*Children are invited to come to the front  
for the baptism or children's time.*

CHILDREN'S TIME

(8:30) Stuart Gordon

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

(11:00) Todd Jones

Julie and Andrew Barrett are presenting their daughter, Marcia Ann Barrett, for baptism. Assisting Elder: Deb O'Brien

†HYMN FOR BAPTISM (11:00)

TALLIS' CANON

3 Lord Je - sus Christ, our Lord most dear, as  
6 You were once an in - fant here, so give this child of  
Yours, we pray, Your grace and bless - ing day by day

‡ Children who are age four, five or six (not in first grade) are invited to  
*Young Children and Worship* in room CW-110.

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Todd Jones

**God of mercy,  
You promised never to break Your covenant with us.  
Amid all the changing words of our generation,  
speak Your eternal Word that does not change.  
Then may we respond to Your gracious promises  
with faithful and obedient lives;  
through our Lord Jesus Christ. Amen.**

OLD TESTAMENT SCRIPTURE READING

Anderson Rader

I Samuel 8:4–20, *page 251*

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

GOSPEL READING

Todd Jones

Mark 3:20–35, *page 37*

Pastor: The Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

SERMON

Todd Jones

*Jesus' Homecoming Blues*

## RESPONSE OF THE PEOPLE

\*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

Sandra Randleman

The Apostles' Creed (traditional)

Hymnal, *page 35*

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

(debts)

Hymnal, *page 35*

OFFERTORY

(8:30)

John Rutter

*As the Bridegroom to His Chosen*

As the bridegroom to his chosen, as the king unto his realm,  
as the keeper to the castle, as the pilot to the helm,  
as the captain to his soldiers, as the shepherd to his lambs,  
so, Lord, art Thou to me.

As the fountain in the garden, as the candle in the dark,  
as the treasure in the coffer, as the manna in the ark,  
as the firelight in the winter, as the sunlight in the spring  
so Lord art Thou to me.

As the music at the banquet, as the stamp unto the seal,  
as refreshment to the fainting, as the winecup at the meal,  
as the singing on the feast day, as the amen to the prayer,  
so Lord art Thou to me.

As the ruby in the setting, as the honey in the comb,  
as the light within the lantern, as the father in the home,  
as the eagle in the mountains, as the sparrow in the nest,  
so Lord art Thou to me.

As the sunshine in the heavens, as the image in the glass,  
As the fruit unto the fig tree, as the dew unto the grass,  
As the rainbow on the hilltop, as the river in the plain,  
so Lord art Thou to me.

(11:00)

William Mathias

*Let the People Praise Thee, O God*

Let the people praise Thee, O God.

O let the nations rejoice and be glad,  
for Thou shalt judge the folk righteously  
and govern the nations upon earth.

Then shall the earth bring forth her increase,  
and God, even our own God, shall give us His blessing.

God shall bless us, and all the ends of the world shall fear Him.

God be merciful unto us and bless us,

and show us the light of His countenance and be merciful unto us.

That Thy way may be known upon earth,

Thy saving health among all nations.

(Psalm 67)

*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.*

\*PRESENTATION AND RESPONSE

*Doxology*

OLD HUNDREDTH

\*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

**SENDING FORTH**

\*HYMN OF COMMITMENT 307

CWM RHONDDA

*God of Grace and God of Glory*

\*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

Todd Jones

\*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE 547

AR HYD Y NOS

*Go, My Children, with My Blessing*

**Go, My children, with My blessing, never alone.**

**Waking, sleeping, I am with you, you are My own.**

**In My love's baptismal river I have made you Mine forever.**

**Go, My children, with My blessing, you are My own.**

*The congregation will be seated for a moment of silent prayer  
after the congregational response.*

\*CLOSING VOLUNTARY

François Couperin

*Plein Jeu*

\* Those who are able, please stand.

† Latecomers may be seated.

Please silence your cell phone as you enter the Sanctuary.

**PARTICIPATING IN THE SERVICE**

Todd Jones, Pastor

Stuart Gordon, Executive Pastor

Sandra Randleman,

Associate Pastor for Congregational Care and Missions

Josh Rodriguez, Associate Pastor for Young Adult Ministries

Rachel King, Baptism Buddy

Sophia Huddleston, Worship Helper

Raphael Bundage, Director of Music

Nicholas Bergin, Organist

Rhonda Swanson, Assistant Organist

(8:30) Sanctuary Chorale: Keith Moore, Conductor;

Courtney Gammill, Mezzo-Soprano

(11:00) Sanctuary Choir: Raphael Bundage, Conductor

**Welcome!** — First Presbyterian Church extends a warm welcome in the name of Christ to all who worship with us today. We are delighted you have chosen to join us. Whether you are a longtime member or a guest, please note your attendance today in the fellowship pad found in your pew.

**Guests** — Please take a moment to fill out a Connect Card so that we may more personally welcome you into community. We also invite you to visit the Welcome Center in the church narthex for additional information or if you are interested in becoming a member. There, you may visit with one of our elders, staff or pastors. You may also contact the church office at 615-383-1815, and we will be happy to answer any questions you may have.

**TODAY AT FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

■ **FLOWERS** on the chancel table are given to the glory of God and in celebration of the marriage of Alexandra DeRose Meister and Jonathan Neil Upleger, and in loving memory of Edward & Helen DeRose, Leonard & Mary Meister and Herman & Elizabeth Pevitt.

■ **FELLOWSHIP, COFFEE & DONUTS** — Please join us between services downstairs in Courtenay Hall for coffee and donuts.

■ **ASSISTANCE FOR THOSE WITH DISABILITIES** — Hearing devices, large-print hymnals, large-print bulletins and large-print Bibles are located in the narthex across from the Welcome Center. If anyone has a need or disability requiring assistance or accommodation for any church activity, please contact the church office at 615-383-1815.

■ **LIVE STREAM IN COURTENAY HALL** — Each of the Sunday morning worship services is streamed live in Courtenay Hall.

■ **HAVE A PRAYER REQUEST?** — Prayer request cards can be found in the pews and deposited in the offering plate or the prayer request boxes, located in the narthex on the southeast wall and at the Hospitality Center. Church officers meet weekly to lift up prayer requests to God.

- **SERMONS** can be found on our website at [fpcnashville.org](http://fpcnashville.org).

*Greet those who worship around you. Be a Worship Friend!*

## GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **THE FIVE THIRTY** — Josh Rodriguez is preaching *Veils The Testimony* tonight in The Gathering Place. Nursery care for children six weeks to age three.
- **SUMMER SUNDAY SCHOOL** — Each ministry has a slightly different plan for Sunday School. Check the monitor outside Courtenay Hall or visit our website to see the current Adult Sunday School class options. Graduating seniors and college students are meeting in L-203. Our 7th–12th graders will meet in The Gathering Place. Preschool and kindergarten will meet in CW-111, and 1st through 6th grade will meet in Grundy Hall. If you have any questions, contact 615-383-1815.
- **SOUNDS BASEBALL NIGHT** — Tonight at 6:15 P.M., join your church family for a night at the baseball park! We have reserved seats in Section 119. Use the link on our website and use code: “firstpres18”.
- **PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN SUMMER STUDY** begins on June 12. The study will focus on the book *Knit Together* by Debbie Macomber. Visit our website for more information.
- **WON’T YOU BE MY NEIGHBOR?** — Whether you grew up in Mr. Rogers’ Neighborhood or just wanted to, you will want to join Senior Pastor Todd Jones and your church neighbors to view the award-winning documentary based on the life and legacy of Presbyterian minister Fred Rogers. We have purchased tickets (\$7.50 each) for the 4:45 P.M. showing on Wednesday, June 20, at the Belcourt Theatre in Hillsboro Village. You can buy tickets on Sunday mornings between services in Courtenay Hall or from Brenda Geise in her office Monday–Thursday afternoons. You will have your tickets and free parking pass. Everyone is welcome. Contact Brenda Geise (615-298-9515) for more information.
- **NACOME FAMILY CAMP** is August 4–5. This is a wonderful weekend for people of all ages and stages. There are structured activities but also time to relax and get to know other church families. Rev. Josh Rodriguez will be leading our weekend sessions this year. Our focal scripture will be Psalm 139:23, “Search me, God, and know my heart.” Come cool off in the creek, savor the homemade sweet rolls and unplug from electronic devices.

## CONGREGATIONAL CARE MINISTRY

- **CONGRATULATIONS** — The First Presbyterian Church family congratulates:
  - Rebecca June & Whit Smith, on the birth of their son, thomas Shepherd Smith, II, born on April 24. Proud grandparents are Jane & Tom Smith.
- **SYMPATHY** — The First Presbyterian Church family extends sympathy to the friends and family of the following during their time of loss:
  - Melody & Tony Cates, on the death of Tony’s father, William Harold Cates, who died on May 30.
  - Janie & Kevin Hughart, on the death of Kevin’s father, John Frederick Hughart, who died on May 30. Sympathy also to Macy & Chris Johnson, Sara Hughart and John Hughart.
  - Patsy Cooney, on the death of her husband, Charles ‘Hayes’ Cooney, who died on June 5. Sympathy also to Mercer Leggett, Amy Leggett & Jack Bass, Polly Bass, Edie Bass and Jack Bass IV.

## CHILDREN'S MINISTRY AND NURSERY

- **MISSION CAMP** — Children (in grades 3–6) and adults will work side-by-side in the local community, serving those in need in Christ's name. The camp dates are July 16–19. Visit our website to register now.
- **VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL** — Join us on a rolling river rampage on June 25–28 and experience the ride of a lifetime with God! Visit our website to register or volunteer.
- **MOTHER AND INFANT QUIET ROOM** — If you need a quiet place for nursing or calming your baby, please use the Quiet Room by Courtenay Hall.
- **OPPORTUNITIES FOR CHILDREN DURING OUR WORSHIP SERVICES**
  - **Children's Bulletin, Sermon Sheet & Worship Bag:** All children are encouraged to use these to stay engaged during the service. These are located both in the narthex and at the pulpit entrance.
  - **Young Children & Worship:** Children who are age four, five or six (not in first grade) are invited. After the children come up during worship services for children's time or a baptism, they will exit the Sanctuary and go to room CW-110. Parents are welcome to join their child or stay for the remainder of the service.
  - **Nursery Care** for children six weeks to three years is available during 8:30 & 11:00 services and Sunday School from 9:45 to 10:45. Ask an elder/deacon to help you locate the Children's Hospitality Center.

*For more Children's Ministry info, contact Deb O'Brien  
at 615-298-9582 or [dobrien@fpcnashville.org](mailto:dobrien@fpcnashville.org).*

## MISSION MINISTRY

- **DOMINICAN REPUBLIC MISSION TRIP** — November 3–9, 2018. Physicians, dentists, nurses and other medical personnel are needed along with non-medical participants to provide medical services or construction labor on a new clinic building. Estimated trip cost is \$1,300; \$800 deposit and copy of your passport due by September 15. Dr. Jim Cato is trip leader. Contact 615-298-9507 or [missions@fpcnashville.org](mailto:missions@fpcnashville.org) for more info.
- **MISSION TRIP FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE** is available for members to attend one of our church mission trips. Contact Sandra Randleman (615-298-9502 or [srandleman@fpcnashville.org](mailto:srandleman@fpcnashville.org)) to submit a request.

*For Mission Ministry info, contact Mike Crout  
at 615-298-9593 or [missions@fpcnashville.org](mailto:missions@fpcnashville.org).*

## OLDER ADULT MINISTRY

- **SUNDAY LUNCH** — June 17 at 12:00 P.M. at Puckett's Boat House, Franklin. Meet in the foyer after the 11:00 worship service to ride the church bus. RSVP by June 15.
- **BOOK DISCUSSION** — June 28 at 2:00 P.M. in Memorial Library. We will discuss *News of the World* by Paulette Jiles.

*For First Friends info, contact Brenda Geise at 615-298-9515.  
To make reservations, email [hospitalitycenter@fpcnashville.org](mailto:hospitalitycenter@fpcnashville.org).*

## RECREATION MINISTRY

■ **NEW SPORT: PICKLEBALL** — Have you ever played pickleball? Have you always wanted to learn pickleball? If you answered yes to either of these questions, come be a part of a First Pres Pickleball team! Come join as an individual or get your Sunday School or Bible study together to play. Email [bmiller@fpcnashville.org](mailto:bmiller@fpcnashville.org) if you are interested.

*For Recreation Ministry info, contact [recreation@fpcnashville.org](mailto:recreation@fpcnashville.org).*

## YOUTH MINISTRY

■ **YOUTH WEEKLY SUMMER ACTIVITIES** — Beginning June 13, our activities will include Tuesday Morning Prayer, Tuesday Night Basketball, Wednesday Night Festivus and Thursday afternoon Bible Study Groups. Visit our website for more info.

■ **THE GREAT ESCAPE** is a fun week of games, worship and teaching from June 10–15 in Cleveland, Tennessee. We'll be living in dorms, getting to know church friends better and rafting the Ocoee River.

■ **YOUTH CAMPS AND TRIPS** include Art Camp (July 9–11) and Water Sports Camp (July 12–14). Register online now!

*For Youth Ministry info, contact 615-298-9570 or [youth@fpcnashville.org](mailto:youth@fpcnashville.org).*

### **The Mission of First Presbyterian Church**

To know Christ, to make Him known, and to exhibit His love through worship, education, and service.



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