

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

July 25, 2010



Jesus Cares about Your Enemy

Our mission is: To grow in the knowledge and love of our Lord Jesus Christ, and to make Him known in our community and the world.

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SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

8:30 AM

*A nursery is available during the service. We will be happy to assist you in finding your way.
Large print Bibles and hymnals are available in the rear of the room.*

Gathering around the Word of God

Songs of Praise

Welcome and Announcements

Encountering the Word

First Reading

Proverbs 25: 21-22

Sermon Reading

Matthew 5: 38-48

Sermon

Jesus Cares about Your Enemy

Responding to the Word

Offering

Celebration of the Lord's Supper

Song of Response

Charge and Benediction

SERMON NOTES

Jesus Cares About Your Enemy
Matthew 5: 38-48

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11:00 AM

ORGAN PRELUDE

Shall We Gather at the River

**WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS
MOMENTS OF FRIENDSHIP**

CHORAL CALL TO WORSHIP

Fount of Every Gift and Blessing

Dave Eaton, Trumpet

CALL TO WORSHIP

Laura Abell, Liturgist

Liturgist: O gracious and holy God,

People: Give us diligence to seek you.

Liturgist: Grant us O God,

People: A mind to meditate on you and eyes to behold you.

Liturgist: Grant us a life to proclaim you.

People: Through the power of the Spirit of Jesus Christ our Lord.

Liturgist: Let us Pray.

PRAYER OF PRAISE

***HYMN No. 455**

All Creatures of Our God and King

***CONFESSION OF SIN** (*In Unison*)

Almighty God, you love us, but we have not loved you. You call, but we have not listened. We walk away from neighbors in need, wrapped in our own concerns. We condone evil, prejudice, warfare, and greed. God of grace, help us to admit our sin, so that as you come to us in mercy, we may repent, turn to you, and receive forgiveness, through Jesus Christ our Redeemer.

(Let each worshipper pray silently)

***ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

***GLORIA PATRI** (*The Hymnal, No. 579*)

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.

FIRST LESSON: Proverbs 25: 21-22 (Pew Bible, OT page 467; Lg. Print page 1023)

Liturgist: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

Kyle Peters

(Children in grades K-3 will be dismissed to Our Chapel-Children's Church)

ANTHEM

Rejoice the Lord is King

Amy Camillo, Pianist

SECOND LESSON: Romans 12: 9-21 (Pew Bible, NT page 803; Lg. Print page 1764)

Liturgist: This is the Word of the Lord. **People: Thanks be to God.**

***HYMN No. 379**

My Hope is Built on Nothing Less

SERMON LESSON: Matthew 5: 38-48 (Pew Bible, NT pg. 684, Lg. Print pg. 1503)

Pastor: This is the Word of the Lord. **People: Thanks be to God.**

SERMON

Jesus Cares about Your Enemy

Rev. Jonathan Fettig

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH** – (In Unison)

Apostles' Creed (traditional)
(Page 14-in the hymn book)

OFFERTORY

Morning Has Broken

GIVING OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

***PRESENTATION, The Doxology** (The Hymnal, No. 592)

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

***HYMN No. 339**

Be Thou My Vision

***CHARGE AND BENEDICTION**

*** CHORAL BENEDICTION**

Lay Aside Your Passing Pleasure

***POSTLUDE**

Lord of the Dance

***Those who are able, please stand**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

SUNDAY SCHOOL FOR GRADES K-5 This is just a reminder that there will be no Sunday School for the months of July and August. Mark your calendars for August 29th. We will be having a kickoff celebration for Sunday School. Please join us and bring a friend for Sundae Sunday at 12:30 after the second service. There will be free ice-cream sundaes and lots of fun! Watch for more details later this summer. Again, I am looking forward to working with all the families of First Presbyterian Church. **MICHELLE SHILLITO**
INFANTS AND TODDLER NEWS. If you are willing to volunteer to help in childcare on Sunday mornings, please see Carly Haas. New equipment and toys for the infant and toddler rooms may be purchased through a Wish List at Wal-Mart.

SUNDAY SCHOOL The adult Sunday School program is studying a series on Galatians. The study will conclude in August and is co-led by Eric Vanderhoof and Brett Wiley. Class meets in the John Knox room. If you have ideas for Sunday school topics, such as book studies, books of the Bible studies, or other topical studies, please let either Jonathan or Brett Wiley (bewiley@hotmail.com) know. We hope to offer two or three Sunday School options in the fall and would love to have your input as to what classes should be offered.

SUMMER CHANCEL CHOIR Our summer choir schedule continues to be in effect. During July and August there will be no Wednesday evening practice. Instead we will meet on Sunday mornings at 9:45 in the choir loft. During these summer months we shed our choir robes, and extend a special invitation for anyone to join us in singing, even for one Sunday at a time. Come join in the worship, fellowship and praise!

WELCOME

It is no accident you are worshipping here today. God's Spirit has led you to this place at this time to meet and be met by God, and you have responded. First Presbyterian Church is a fellowship of faith, a spiritual community of people who put their trust in Jesus Christ as Savior and desire to serve Him as Lord.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

SHUT IN If you are a shut in, or know of a shut in who would enjoy having communion, please contact the church office with your name, address and the best time of day for a visit. There are friends who are willing and anxious to come to you to share the sacraments.

CHURCH DIRECTORY Individuals and families that had their photo taken can pick up their copy in the Fellowship Hall before or after Sunday worship services. If you did not have a photo taken, you may request a copy by writing the word “directory” in the address line of the Sunday attendance pad and pick up your copy the following Sunday.

FACEBOOK The First Presbyterian Facebook page is an online resource that helps the church and its members and friends to interact and stay informed about events and news. Join more than 80 people who "Like" First Presbyterian Church of Mount Vernon, Ohio at www.facebook.com. Post comments, photos, videos and more.

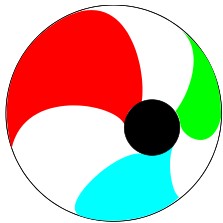
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Hearing devices and large print Bibles and hymnals are available in the rear of the Sanctuary.*

INVITATIONS



CHURCH PICNIC TODAY

First Presbyterian Summer Picnic



Hiawatha Picnic Shelter
and Water Park
Sunday, July 25, 2010
5:00 – 7:00 P.M.

What to bring: Two covered dishes per family
Table service
Lawn chairs, if desired
Lawn games, toys
Swim suits if planning to **swim**
at Hiawatha Community Pool



Swimming . . . Games for the kids . . . Great Food . . . and Fellowship

Admission price for swimming is **\$6.00** each, (age 6-59), children (age 1-5) **\$3.00** each, children under 1 yr. are admitted **free**. Seniors (60 & up) **\$5.00**. **Come early to swim, then enjoy games with the children after we eat.** The pool stays open until 7:00 P.M. and the pool admission prices are reduced after 5:00 PM

DEACON'S PRAYER AND COMPASSION

"... pray for each other so that you may be healed ..." James 5:16

Members & Friends Of Our Church Family

At the Ohio Eastern Star Home

Katherine Garzieri Maxine Peters
Martha Warden
Edith Whitney (*Sally Martin's grandmother*)

At Country Club Retirement Center

Irvin Wilbur Chuck Gregg

At Country Court Retirement Center

Jean Fribley

Autumn Health Care

Helen and Everett Chrisman

The Living Center

Myra Philpott

At Home

Rebecca and Ruth Grove
Treva Haltermon
Ellen Proper
Dorothy White
Robert Walcutt

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Special Prayer Concerns

Madeleine Blamer (kidney- Weil's granddaughter)
Darla Brown (*Niece of Sally Conway*)
Glen DeBoard (*Liver Cancer*)
John Ewalt
Tom Hall (cancer-friend of the Stone family))
Marilee Harrison-pneumonia
Jennifer Hatton (*Tyson's granddaughter*)
Debbie Krapf (*Paralyzed friend of Gary Hyman*)
Reverend and Mrs. Markle (friends of Toby Lord)
Matt Palmer (*Lung Cancer-friend of Sally Martin*)
Barbara Reitsma
Robert Kidder (*Polly Patterson's Father*)
Harriet & Richard Sells (*T. Lord's family*)
Red Shaw (*cancer*)
Lindsay Smith (*Crohns disease*)
Jason Southern (*malig.tumor-V. Donnelly cousin*)
Tom Spaulding (*leukemia*) former member
Kirk Swartz (*cancer- Ketner's nephew*)
Joan Tyson-(back pain)
Misty Whitmann (*Lupus-Family of Shillito's*)

In the Military

Jacob and Curtis Hahn-USMC-Afghanistan –
(Moreland's nephews)
Brian Short- USMC-Afghanistan
Matt Patterson-USN (*son of Polly Patterson*)

SERVING TODAY

- Ushers** at the 11:00 AM Worship Hour include: Jan Watson, Dann Goodson, Carol Payne, Ben Stultz, Joan Mann, Betty Phillippi.
- At the **Sound Booth** is Matt Wilbur.
- Welcoming you at the **Fellowship Table** (8:30 AM) Carole and Mike Conway
(11:00 AM) Debbie and Bruce Malek
- Closing** is Mike Abell
- Prayer Partners** include Georgene Risko, Deb Curran, Deb Paxton, Charlie Reitsma.
- Sacramental Host** is John Denzer.
- Serving Communion** Communion is served on the first Sunday of the month in the 11 a.m. service and communion by intinction is served every Sunday in the 8:30 a.m. service.

CALENDAR

Sunday, July 25

Please join us for Fellowship Time in Fellowship Hall. Times for fellowship are 8:15 to 8:30, 9:30 to 9:45 , 10:45 to 11 and at 12 noon.

- 7:30 AM Worship Team Practice – *Fellowship Hall*
- 8:30 AM Child Care—Available until Noon *Room 102 Christian Education Building*
- 8:30 AM Contemporary Worship—*Fellowship Hall*
- 9:45 AM Church School-*For Adults*
- 9:45 AM Chancel Choir Practice
- 11:00 AM Worship Hour – *Sanctuary*
- 6:00 PM Sr. High Fellowship

Monday, July 26

- 5:30 PM Hot Meals

Tuesday, July 27

- 12:00 PM Men's Brown Bag Bible Study – *Church Kitchen*
- 6:00 PM Prayer Meeting- *Prayer Room*
- 7:30 PM Committee Meeting-Missions

Wednesday, July 28

- 7:00 PM Worship Team Practice

Thursday, July 29

- 9:30 AM Women's Bible Study– *Parlor*
- 11:00 AM Bridge—*Fellowship Hall*
- 12:00 PM AA Group Meeting– *Room 103*
- 6:00 PM Alpha-*Parlor*

GETTING TO KNOW US...

First Presbyterian Church

106 North Gay Street
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Church Office Hours:

Monday through Friday, 9 – 3 PM

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Rev. Jonathan Fettig - pastor@mtvpres.org

Kyle Peters - youth@mtvpres.org

Sunday service times are as follows:

8:30 a.m. Contemporary Worship

9:45 a.m. Christian Education
(Sunday school) for all ages

11:00 a.m. Traditional Worship

Church Staff

Administrative Assistant.....Holly Bredefeld

Childcare Attendant..... Carly Haas

Childcare Attendant..... Jordan Buchanan

Church Treasurer Bob Meldrum

Custodian..... Kevin Jones

Choir Director Virginia Cameron

Contemporary Worship Leader..... Alex Shillito

Dir. of Youth & Family Ministries..... Kyle Peters

Ministers..... The Congregation

Interim Organist Margaret Van Sickle

Pastor Rev. Jonathan P. Fettig

SESSION: The Session consists of the Pastor and Active elders and is responsible for the ministry, mission, and government of the church. *Moderator:* Rev. Jonathan Fettig *Clerk of Session:* Bill Shriver

Class of 2010 include Betty Hirsch, George Stone, Chuck Waugh, Mead Weil.

Class of 2011 include Mary Crumm, Deborah Curran, John Denzer, Georgene Risko.

Class of 2012 include Laura Abell, Charlie Reitsma, Bill Shriver, Brett Wiley.

DEACONS: The ministry of a deacon is one of sympathy, witness, and service, after the example of Jesus Christ. Deacons minister to those in need: to the sick, the friendless, and anyone who may be in distress. Deb Curran is the Elder Shepherd for Deacon Ministry.

Visitation: John Bibart, Joan and Jerry Mann, Carole Conway

Kenyon Outreach: Jeff Bergeson

Prayer Partners: Deb Paxton

Hospitality: Penny Sajkowsky

Hot Meals: Jan Watson

BHS Deacon: Polly Patterson

Youth Ministry: Monica Eutsey and Kim Reitsma

Newsletter: Ellen Eastman

Members: A faithful member accepts Christ's call to be involved responsibly in Christ's Church. Such involvement includes: worship, joining in fellowship, growing in discipleship, evangelism/mission and ministry.