
FOCUS

Prayer Before Worship

“Thou art the King of Glory, O Christ.
Thou art the everlasting Son of the Father...
When Thou hadst overcome the sharpness of death,
Thou didst open the Kingdom of Heaven to all believers.
Thou sittest at the right hand of God, in the glory of the Father.”
- From the “Te Deum,” attrib. Sts. Ambrose & Augustine, 4th c.

Prelude

I Call to Thee, Lord Jesus Christ
(J.S. Bach, 1685 - 1750)

EXALT

Call to Worship

LEADER: Our help is in the name of the Lord,
ALL: who made heaven and earth.
We have gathered to praise our gracious God.
Praise God, from whom all blessings flow!

Opening Song

No Other Name*

(Words and Music: Douglas Engquist, Laurie Engquist, and Freddy Rodriguez)

Prayer of Confession

**ALL: Merciful God, we confess that we have not loved You with our whole heart.
We have failed to be an obedient church. We have not done Your will, we have
broken Your law, we have rebelled against Your love. We have not loved our
neighbors, and we have refused to hear the cry of the needy. Forgive us, we
pray. Free us for joyful obedience; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**
(People offer their own private silent prayers to the Lord)

Assurance of Pardon

LEADER: Believe the good news of the gospel:
In Jesus Christ you are forgiven.
ALL: Thanks be to God!

God is My Strong Salvation*

Blue #179

(Words: James Montgomery, 1822, alt. 1988; Music: Melchior Vulpius, 1609)

ENCOUNTER

Welcome

Children's Moment

Passing the Peace of Christ

Faith in Action - Nelda Hobbs

Offering of Gifts

Musical Offering

Sing to the Lord

(Words: Isaac Watts, 1674-1748; Music: tune “Dunlap’s Creek,” arr. Alice Parker, 1967)

Sing to the Lord, ye heav’nly hosts,
And thou, O earth, adore;
Let death and hell through all their
coasts
Stand trembling at His power.

His sounding chariot shakes the sky,
He makes the clouds His throne;
There all His stores of lightning lie,
Till vengeance darts them down.

His nostrils breathe out fiery streams
And from His awful tongue
A sovereign voice divides the flames,
And thunder roars along.

Think, O my soul! the dreadful day,
When this incensed God
Shall rend the sky, and burn the sea,
And fling his wrath abroad.

Let all that dwell above the sky,
And air, and earth, and seas
Conspire to lift Thy glories high
And speak Thine endless praise.

The whole creation join in one
To bless the sacred Name
Of Him that sits upon the throne,
And to adore the Lamb!

Scripture Lesson

Acts 19:11-20

(New Testament pp. 132-133)

Sermon

The Power of Jesus’ Name

RESPOND

Song of Response

What A Beautiful Name*

(Words and Music: Ben Fielding and Brooke Ligertwood)

Prayers of the People and the Lord’s Prayer

Closing Hymn

A Mighty Fortress is Our God*

Blue #260

(Words: Martin Luther, 1529, trans. Frederick Henry Hedge, 1852; Music: Martin Luther, 1529)

Benediction

Postlude

A Mighty Fortress Is Our God

(Sharon Elery Rogers)

Welcome We’re glad you are here!

We ask everyone to complete and return this
tear-off slip to the offering basket every week.

June 24, 2018 - 10:00 a.m.

Your Name

Family members’ names/ages

Street Address, City, State, Zip

Phone: Cell Home

Email address

Send me the weekly E-newsletter

Single
 Married
 Have children at home
 Junior/High School student
 College student

First time visitor
 Occasional attendee
 Regular attendee/member

I’m interested in:

Knowing Jesus better
 I need prayer or support
 Joining a Small Group
 Joining the Welcome Team
 Worship Music Team/Choir
 Sound/AV/Video Team
 Becoming a Member
 I need a Stephen Minister
 Counseling at The Counseling Center
 Communion at home suggested for
_____ (name)

Please Pray for: (This is shared with
pastors & confidential prayer team.)

* Please stand as you are able

** Assistive listening devices are available in the back of the sanctuary.
Please return receivers at the end of the service.

*Please silence all cell phones
and electronic devices*

Welcome Visitors!

Please speak with an usher for more information and to connect with FPCE members and staff. Please sign this tear-off panel with your contact information filled in on the other side and deposit in the offering plate.

Children are welcome in worship!

Ushers can help direct families to resources in our sanctuary space or to additional care rooms if needed. A changing table, quiet space, and service projection via TV are available in the back sanctuary lounge space.

Prayer Requests

Our prayer companions are available at the front of the sanctuary after each service to pray with you. You may also include your prayer requests on the weekly tear-off tab (on the other side of this bulletin) and deposit it in the offering. Our staff prays weekly for the needs of the congregation.

Worship Service Leaders

Rev. Dr. Raymond Hylton, Senior Pastor, Prayer before Worship, Call to Worship, Prayer of Confession & Assurance, Welcome, Sermon, Prayers of the People, Benediction

Rev. Kristin Mueller, Dir. of Children's Ministries, Children's Moment

Melody Henrie, Scripture Reader

Jack Harriff, Organ

Hannah Dixon McConnell, Dir. of Music & Worship, Choir Director

Elizabeth Ferguson, Interim Praise Band Director, Worship Leader, Piano

Allison Allen, Worship Leader; **Dan Allen**, Worship Leader, Guitar; **Christie Miller**, Guitar; **Scott Henrie**, Bass;

Fred Bryant, Drums; **Tina Laughlin**, Percussion

Neal Ostrovsky, Audio/Visual Coordinator

Stephen Ferguson, A/V Volunteer

Prayer Companions:

Marilyn Haase and Bob Bastian

Sunday Worship at First Presbyterian Evanston

10 a.m. Worship Service

Children are welcome in worship!**

Options for Families:

Infants/Toddlers – Crib Room

Ages 2-4 – Blue Room

Ages 4-8 – Children's Worship in the Choir Room following Children's Moment.

Children return to sanctuary during final hymn.

** Worship journals & children's bulletins are available in the back of the Sanctuary. Changing tables & quiet space is available in the lounge (at the back corner of the Sanctuary).

Lemonade on the Lawn (Front Lawn, weather permitting) (11:10 am)

Lemonade on the Lawn will take place this morning after the service. Join us for fellowship and lemonade out near the flagpoles.

Sunday Education 11:40 am - 12:30 am

Sunday Morning Forum (Room 103) – We will continue discussing the latest book by N.T. Wright, *The Day the Revolution Began*. Our class will be facilitated by James Singh.

Children's and Youth Christian Foundations Classes

No Summer Classes. These will resume in the fall.

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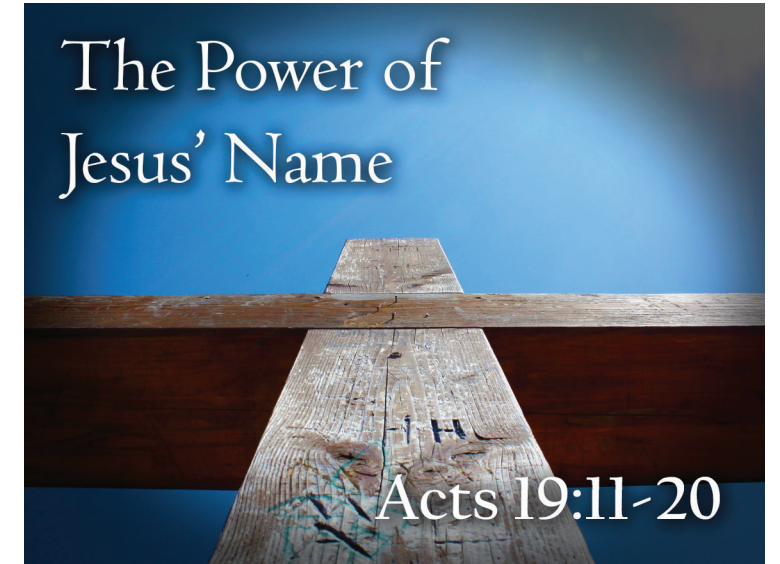


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WELCOME TO

Sunday Worship

June 24, 2018, 10:00 am



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FOLLOWING CHRIST

SERVING CHRIST



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