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This Week at 1st Pres Sunday, January 23

8:45 AM	Communicants Class	SS 202
9:30 AM	Worship Service	Fellowship Hall
10:30 AM	Sunday School	
11:30 AM	Worship Service	Sanctuary
6:00 PM	High School Small Group	Student Center

Monday, January 24

10:00 AMWomen's Prayer MinistrySession Room5:30 PMSession MeetingSession Room

Tuesday, January 25

8:45 AM	Women's Continental Breakfast	Connector
9:30 AM	Women of the Covenant	Nell Davis
9:45 AM	Grace and Peace (GaP)	Tower 10 th Floor
10:00 AM	All-Staff Meeting	Tower 402
12:00 PM	Beatitude Living	Tower 404
6:30 PM	Virtual House of Prayer	Zoom

Wednesday, January 26

6:15 AM	Dead Theologians Society	Fellowship Hall
4:30 PM	Deacon-on-Call	Tower 301
	World Missions Prayer Time	Tower 303
5:30 PM	Midweek Meal	Fellowship Hall
6:00 PM	Middle School Small Group	Student Center
6:15 PM	Midweek	
	Kids	Children's Wing
	Music Rehearsal	Choir Room
	Adult Electives	SS 210 & SS 211
	Officer Training	Tower 404
	Rapha Fellowship	SS 209 & SS 212

Thursday, January 27

5:30 PM Stephen Ministry Tower 301 7:30 PM Virtual House of Prayer Zoom

Friday, January 28

High School Winter Retreat

10:15 AM Support Staff Meeting

12:00 PM Card-E-Ology Tower 8th Floor
6:00 PM First Friends Student Center

Saturday, January 29

High School Winter Retreat

Announcements are available via email subscription, the 1st Pres App, or 1stPresbyterian.com.



The Vision of First Presbyterian Church of Chattanooga is to be a city-center church compelled by Christ's love to make disciples in our homes, city, and the world.

The Lord's Day SUNDAY, JANUARY 23, 2022 11:30 AM

† Please stand as you are able.

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Preparing Hearts and Minds for Worship
"Praise to the Lord, the Almighty" arr. John Rutter

THE PRAISE OF GOD'S PEOPLE

†CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 99:1-5

Reader: The LORD reigns; let the peoples tremble!

He sits enthroned upon the cherubim; let the earth quake!

People: The LORD is great in Zion;
He is exalted over all the peoples.

Reader: Let them praise Your great and awesome name!

Holy is He!

People: The King in His might loves justice.

You have established equity; You have executed justice and righteousness in Jacob.

Reader: Exalt the LORD our God; worship at His footstool!

People: Holy is He!

†Prayer of Invocation

†Hymns of Praise

"Lift High the Name of Jesus" Getty, Getty, de Barra, & Cash "Rejoice, the Lord Is King" No. 310 (vv. 1, 5)

†Affirmation of Faith

Westminster Shorter Catechism Q&A 1-3

Reader: What is the chief end of man?

People: Man's chief end is to glorify God, and to enjoy Him forever.

Reader: What rule hath God given to direct us how we may glorify and enjoy

Him?

People: The Word of God, which is contained in the Scriptures of the Old and New Testaments, is the only rule to direct us how we may glorify and enjoy Him.

Reader: What do the Scriptures principally teach?

People: The Scriptures principally teach, what man is to believe concerning God, and what duty God requires of man.

Confession of Sin

from Psalm 51

Have mercy on me, O God, according to Your steadfast love; according to Your abundant mercy blot out my transgressions.

Wash me thoroughly from my iniquity, and cleanse me from my sin! For I know my transgressions, and my sin is ever before me.

Against You, You only, have I sinned and done what is evil in Your sight,

Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me.

Cast me not away from Your presence,

and take not Your Holy Spirit from me.

Restore to me the joy of Your salvation, and uphold me with a willing spirit.

Hymn of Assurance

"Holy Spirit" by Getty and Townend

PRAYER FOR CHRIST'S PEOPLE

OFFERTORY

"Before the Throne of God Above" by Bancroft & Cook, arr. Camp Kirkland

Greeting & Dismissal to Children's Church*

*Please check in your children PreK-1st grade at the check-in station by the FH level elevator and walk them to the PreK-K dept.

†Doxology

THE WORD FOR GOD'S PEOPLE

SERMON

Revelation 1:9-20—"Seeing Jesus"

"Revelation: Roadmap for Daily Life, Refuge for the Future"

Dr. Gabe Fluhrer

†Hymn of Response

"All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name"

THE SENDING OF GOD'S PEOPLE

†Benediction

from Numbers 6:24-26

Pastor: May the LORD bless you and keep you;

May the LORD make His face to shine upon you

and be gracious to you;

May the LORD lift up His countenance upon you

and give you peace, both now and forevermore,

in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

People: Thanks be to God! Amen.

Postlude

The flowers today are given in loving memory of Leroy and Curtis Smith by their family, to the praise and glory of our Lord Jesus Christ.

The flowers will be arranged by the Flower Committee and delivered by volunteers to our homebound and hospitalized on Monday, January 24th.

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