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This Week at 1st Pres

Sunday, February 13

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, February 14

10:00 AM	Women's Prayer Ministry	Session Room
5:15 PM	Instrumental Ensemble	Sanctuary
6:30 PM	Bell Choir Practice	SS 208

Tuesday, February 15

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
5:45 PM	Bonded in Fellowship	
6:30 PM	Virtual House of Prayer	Zoom

Wednesday, February 16

6:30 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
	Choir Rehearsal	Choir Room
	Adult Electives	SS 210 & SS 211
	Officer Training	Tower 403
	Rapha Fellowship	SS 209 & SS 212

Thursday, February 17

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

Friday, February 18

10:15 AM	Support Staff Meeting	
12:00 PM	Card-E-Ology	Tower 8 th Floor
6:00 PM	First Friends	Student Center

Saturday, February 19



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*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, FEBRUARY 13, 2022
11:30 AM

† *Please stand as you are able.*

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PREPARING HEARTS AND MINDS FOR WORSHIP
"Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah" arr. Mark Hayes

THE PRAISE OF GOD'S PEOPLE

† **CALL TO WORSHIP**
Psalm 28:6-9
Reader: Blessed be the LORD!
For He has heard the voice of my pleas for mercy.
**People: The LORD is my strength and my shield;
in Him my heart trusts, and I am helped;
my heart exults, and with my song I give thanks to Him.**
Reader: The LORD is the strength of His people;
He is the saving refuge of His anointed.
**People: Oh, save Your people and bless Your heritage!
Be their shepherd and carry them forever.**

† **PRAYER OF INVOCATION**

† **HYMNS OF PRAISE**
*"I Know Whom I Have Believed" No. 705 (vv. 1,3)
"By Faith" by Townend, Getty & Getty*

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CONFESSION OF SIN
O Lord, we know that because You are our Shepherd,
we have everything we need;
yet we worry and want more.
You make us lie down in green pastures, leading us beside quiet waters;
yet our hearts are so often restless.
You restore our souls;
but we want to be self-sufficient and help ourselves.
You lead us in paths of righteousness;
but we turn our own way.
You are present with us even in the deepest darkness;
yet we would rather take comfort in our circumstances than in Your presence.
O Father, teach us again that we can never be satisfied
until we are full of Christ.
Thank You that Jesus is the bread that came down from heaven,
and in Him we will never hunger nor thirst. Amen.

HYMN OF ASSURANCE
“God, Be Merciful to Me” No. 486 (vv. 1,5)

PRAYER FOR CHRIST’S PEOPLE

OFFERTORY
“Arise, My Soul, Arise” by Dan Forrest

RECEIVING NEW MEMBERS
Cory & Susan Haughton Louis & Allison Savard (9:30 am)
Tom & Charlotte Patrick Adam & Lauren Tignor (9:30 am)
Joe & Rachel Riley Sara Kaitlin Van Puffelen (9:30 am)
Paul Hutchinson (9:30 am) Emily Wheat (9:30 am)

GREETING & DISMISSAL TO CHILDREN’S CHURCH*
*Please check in your children PreK-1st grade at the check-in station by the Fellowship Hall level elevator and walk them to the PreK-K dept.

†DOXOLOGY

SERMON
THE WORD FOR GOD’S PEOPLE
Revelation 2:12-17 — “The Wrong Kind of Tolerance”
“Revelation: Roadmap for Daily Life, Refuge for the Future”
Dr. Gabe Fluhrer

†HYMN OF RESPONSE
“O Jesus, I Have Promised” No. 654

THE SENDING OF GOD’S PEOPLE
†BENEDICTION
from Grace Be With You by Dale Ralph Davis
Pastor: Now may the Savior, Who has abolished death, come to you in your sorrows, stay by your side in the darkness, carry you through your distresses, and give you joy in the morning, 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 to the glory of God
and in appreciation of the Pastoral Staff and their families.

The flowers will be arranged by the Flower Committee and delivered by volunteers to our homebound and hospitalized on Monday, February 14th.

SERMON NOTES:
1. Christ Appears
2. Christ Commends
3. Christ Condemns
4. Christ Calls
5. Christ Gives us Confidence