

## PRAYER OF DEDICATION FOR OFFERING

Lord God, thank you for the blessings  
you have given us year after year.  
Help us to wisely use the time you have given us.  
Lead us, while we remain here on earth,  
to serve you through all the people around us  
who are in need. Amen.

## Sharing of JOYS and CONCERNS of the CONGREGATION

## THE LORD'S PRAYER IN UNISON

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name.  
Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in  
heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our  
debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into  
temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the  
kingdom and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

## Go Out as God's People in the World

\*Closing Hymn No. 371: "Ask Ye What Great Thing I Know"

\*BENEDICTION

\*POSTLUDE

# First Presbyterian Church

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## February 24, 2019

FOR PASTORAL CARE, PLEASE CALL:

The Rev. Gary M. Brose at 513-260-8230



A leper begged Him, "If you wish, you can make me clean."

"I do will it. Be made clean."

Mark 1:40, 41

## CHURCH STAFF:

Transitional Pastor: The Rev. Gary M. Brose

Today's Musician: Laura Keesor

Custodian: Tim Klinker

Nursery Attendant: Linda Flowers

Administrative Assistant: Denise Metzger-Kelling

Today's Elder Assisting: Curt Hungerford

# Worship For the Lord's Day

Sunday School, 9:30 a.m. Feb. 24, 2019 Worship, 10:45 a.m.

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## Gathering of God's People

### RINGING OF THE STEEPLE BELL

WELCOME: *Fill our worship with grace, Lord Jesus Christ,  
that every thought, word, and deed may be acceptable to you,  
our Rock and our Redeemer. Amen.*

### GREETING AND SHARING GOD'S PEACE

*As God has greeted us with his peace,  
so let us pass the peace of Christ to each other.*

ANNOUNCEMENTS *(Also See Old First News Bulletin Insert)*

RITUAL OF FRIENDSHIP *(Please sign & pass the black pew pads)*

### PRELUDE

\*Call to Worship *Psalm 93*  
The Lord reigns; he is robed in majesty; he is girded with strength.  
Yea, the world is established; it shall never be moved; thy  
throne is established from of old; thou art from everlasting.  
The floods have lifted up their voice, the floods lift up their roaring.  
Mightier than the thunders of many waters, mightier than  
the waves of the sea, the Lord on high is mighty.  
Let us worship God!

\*Hymn of Praise No. 1: "Praise Ye the Lord, the Almighty"

### \*PRAYER of CONFESSION

We pour out our hearts before you, O God; you are our refuge and strength. Waves of doubt beat against us, weakening our faith. Tremors of discord shake our foundation. The winds of temptation drive us from our course. Too often we rely on ourselves when wisdom is sought. Still the storms in our souls! Provide in Christ a haven of hope for our troubled and distracted spirits. In Christ's name we pray. Amen

### \*ASSURANCE of PARDON

In all these things we are more than conquerors through him who loved us. For I am sure that neither death, nor life, nor angels, nor principalities, nor things present, nor things to come, nor anything else in all creation will be able to separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord. Friends, believe the good news of the gospel:  
In Jesus Christ we are forgiven!

### \*GLORIA PATRI / RESPONSE NO. 546:

*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, Amen.*

## Proclamation of God's Word

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

*Tiffanie Chalfant-Hahn*

ANTHEM

SCRIPTURE:

*Mark 1:40-45*

SERMON: "Be Made Clean"

*By The Rev. Gary M. Brose*

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH: "The Apostles' Creed"

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, the Creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord, who was conceived of the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; He descended into death. The third day He arose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From there He shall come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting. Amen.

*\* "catholic" means God's mercy extends through the church to all peoples in the world*

\*Hymn of Response No. 235: "Breathe on Me, Breath of God"

## Response to God's Word

CALL TO STEWARDSHIP

OFFERTORY

\*DOXOLOGY: 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 LIST:** (New prayers should be given to Denise in the Church Office.)

- **Sympathies to the Ellis Family on the passing of Angie Ellis 2/13/19;**
- **Sympathies to the Family of Dean Buri** (former member/Deacon) passed Feb. 2; sympathy cards to: 11501 Sinatra Ct, New Port Richey, FL 34654.
- **Sympathies to Pat Morrison & Family** on the loss of Pat's sister, Tommy (aged 93), lived in N.H. / her family was by her side;
- Ken Mathews, Jean Peters & Winston Page (Jim Charles) God's healing;
- **Emily & Brian (Kathy Wallace's friends) – we rejoice with the safe delivery of baby boy, Calvin, on Feb. 18!!!!**
- Jane Crawford, (Don's sister-in-law) pre-leukemia/chemo/further treatments/ultimately will need a bone marrow transplant;
- Don (David O'Toole's uncle) heart valve procedure on Feb. 8;
- Chris Goldsmith (Beth Thornton's nephew), burned in gas explosion in PA / mid Dec. / expecting 3-4 mth. Hospital recovery;
- Sydney Guton (Zeller's family friend's 9 yr. old daughter) had surgery to remove blot clot / brain aneurysm / on Tues., Jan. 2/ recovering well;
- Jerry Joyner (Dee Spaulding's brother-in-law);
- Kela (Shirley Beckner's sister), needs prayer to lift her spirits after having a hard time with back surgery that she had;
- Sherri Kirkbride (Kim Lightle's family member) has 3<sup>rd</sup> degree burn on her hand that will need a skin graft;
- **Ken Mathews, will be having a 3<sup>rd</sup> surgery on Feb. 28 to correct problems that occurred during his Jan. 16<sup>th</sup> knee replacement;**
- Larry Mock (Diana's husband), cancer / pray for healing;
- Winston Page, pancreatic cancer;
- Jean Peters, recovering from hospitalization at the Oaks Care Center;
- Randy (Dave O'Toole's cousin) is critically ill / now on o2 all the time;
- Ralph Stock, knee replacement surgery Jan. 22 / recovering well /prayers for continued progress for next knee replacement in March;
- Tom Watt (Lords' friend) spends the winter in FL, has been hospitalized for pneumonia / has to be medically evacuated back to Ohio for rehab;

Congratulations to Tom Kimble (Grandpa) on the birth of new grandson, Xader James Kimble (born Feb. 2<sup>nd</sup> /9 lbs. 4 oz. / 21")!!!

### Church Family & Friends with Cancer:

Rich Arasmith, Brenda S., Dale Fry, Paula Hawley, Jim Hess, Micki Mason, Carol P., Winston Page, Kristi Rudolph, Jon Thom

### Church & Family Members at Home/Care Centers:

Connie & Victor DeRose, Faye Hammond, Claudia Johnston, Anne Nixon

## Olde First News – Feb. 24, 2019

Childcare offered 9:30 – Noon in the Lower Level Nursery.  
If you are visiting today, we thank you for your visit and hope you enjoy the  
“Welcome Packet” provided by our Church Greeter.

Please call the Office or an Elder for any prayer needs and emergencies. Call the office at 740-927-4796 and leave a message for changes in the weekly prayer list, updates or announcements. PLEASE NOTE: Assisted Listening Devices are available in the Sanctuary during Worship. If you need instructions, please see the Greeter.

After Worship, please join us in Fellowship Hall,  
for coffee & light refreshments!



### WEEKLY CALENDAR OF EVENTS:

- SUNDAY:** Sunday School 9:30 a.m. / Worship at 10:45 a.m.  
**MONDAY:** Clogging, 7:30-8:30 p.m.  
Cub Scout Pack #4021, (Every Monday), 6-8 p.m.  
**WEDS:** Karate Class, 6:30 to 8 p.m. –  
Illumin8 & Adult Bible Study – Every Week, 6-8 p.m.  
**THURSDAY:** Girl Scout Troop 386, 6-9 p.m. (Every Week)  
**GOOD NEWS CLUB begins Feb. 21 – Mar. 21 at the Pataskala Elementary**  
**FRIDAY:** Daisy Troop, 6:30-8:30 p.m. (Every other Week)  
**Next Deacons Meeting: Sunday, March 17 at 10 a.m. in the Kitchen**



Come & Enjoy the Deacons' Annual  
Potato Bar Fellowship, Sunday, Mar. 17  
Following Worship

### Giving Totals for Sunday – Feb. 17, 2019:

Per Capita \$143 Plate \$2,175

*Past Attendance & PLATE Offering - Budget needs \$3,700 plate offering weekly*

Feb. 3: 39/\$3,734 Feb. 10: 43/\$2,642 Feb. 17: 28/\$2,175

### MARCH BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

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|--|------------------------------------|
| 1 Victor DeRose, Pat Morrison              | 10 Chris Crawford                  |
| 11 Beth Vanko                              | 13 Alaina Dixon, Delores Spaulding |
| 14 Beverly Hammond                         | 15 Kim Lightle                     |
| 18 Mike Bowlby, Ava Wandersleben           |                                    |
| 23 Joyce Mathews                           | 27 Catherine Baird, Brian Ladd     |
| 29 Brian & Genie Dixon, Larry & Diana Mock |                                    |
| 30 Brian Dixon                             | 31 Betty Gieseck                   |

On February 7th Kathy Russo & the Women's Auxiliary went to the Pataskala Oaks & visited 13 veteran's. I made a personal visit with Jean Peters. If the First Presbyterian has any get well cards for Jean Peters please give them to me & I will personally deliver them to her. Every month the Women's Auxiliary visits the Pataskala Oaks.

Thank you – Kathy Russo

### Kroger Community Rewards:

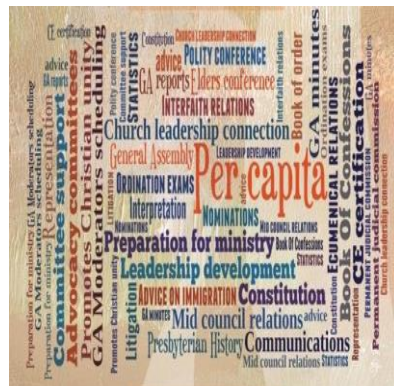
Did you know you can link your Kroger Rewards card to First Presbyterian Church? Kroger Community Rewards donates money to your favorite charity every time you use your Kroger card.



All you must do is go online to Kroger.com. Go to the Savings & Rewards Section and choose Community Rewards in the drop-down menu. Then you sign in with your Kroger Card ID and click on enroll. Search for First Presbyterian Church PA128 and enroll. Doing this does not affect your regular Kroger Rewards or Gas Points. And, once you enroll, you no longer have to re-enroll. The more folks we have registered the more money Kroger donates to our church. *This Reward Program helps earn money to support the Local Missions of our Church! Your support is greatly appreciated! If you have any problems, please call Denise Kelling (614-560-6022) or Chuck Long (740-927-6056) for assistance.*

### PER CAPITA TIME:

Please see the insert with information about Per Capita. The amount per person this year is \$35.75. Please mark you checks in the memo as: Per Capita. Thank you in advance!



# LENTEN ACTIVITIES

## Tuesday, March 5, 5 – 7 p.m.

### SHROVE TUESDAY PANCAKE SUPPER

This event has supported choir music expense in the past, but this year the choir would like to offer a FREE pancake supper to encourage each of us to reach out to our friends, neighbors, youth, and all the faces we've been missing at church. Invite many guests. Join us in promoting this event of Special fellowship!



## Wednesday, March 6

### ASH WEDNESDAY SERVICE

Service at 7:00 pm

(followed by choir rehearsal at 7:30)

While you are here, why not give choir a try!



## Sunday, March 10 – During Fellowship

### POTLUCK & PROGRAM

Meal during Fellowship Hour – ham and rolls will be provided, bring side dishes and desserts to share. The potluck will be followed by the movie “War Room” to kick off the Lenten season.



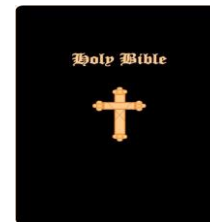
## Wednesdays, March 13 – April, 17

### LENTEN BIBLE STUDY –The Lord's Prayer

Study lasts for six weeks 6: 30 to 7:15 p.m.

Choir Practice to immediately follow.

We will use *The Lord's Prayer* as a model to renew our understanding and commitment to pray.



## Sunday, April 21

### EASTER SUNDAY SERVICES

Sunrise Service is at 8 a.m. in Fellowship Hall

Traditional Service is at 10:45 am. in Sanctuary

