

**\*PRAYER OF DEDICATION FOR OFFERING**

*Psalm 104*

We do not belong to this world, but to you. Neither does anything that you have given to us, belong to us but to you. Consecrate these gifts you give for use according to your purpose and perfect will. We give all of us to the work of your kingdom. Amen.

**VBS COMMISSIONING**

Sharing of JOY 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 HoF #48: "O God, Our Help in Ages Past"

**\*BENEDICTION**

**\*POSTLUDE**

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**June 23, 2019**

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**CHURCH STAFF:**

Pastor: The Reverend Dr. Janet A. Hufford

Today's Elder Assisting: Chuck Long

Today's Musician: Doug Ritchey

Nursery Attendant: Linda Flowers

Secretary: Denise Metzger-Kelling      Custodian: Tim Klinker

# The Lord's Day of Worship

Sunday School, 9:30 a.m. June 23, 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

*Psalms 47:5-7*

God has ascended amid shouts of joy,  
the LORD amid sounding of trumpets.  
Sing praises to God, sing praises;  
sing praises to our King, sing praises.  
For God is the King of all the earth;  
sing to him a psalm of praise.

\*Hymn of Praise HoF #5: "Let's Just Praise the Lord"

\*PRAYER OF CONFESSION: *(Unison)*

*Psalms 47*

Though God, you reign over nations, seated on your holy throne,  
we are not obedient to you. Nations are to assemble, yet even on the  
Lord's day, we your disciples do not always gather in your name. At  
times, we ignore you rather than exalt you greatly. Great instead is  
our sin. In your mercy, please forgive us. Amen.

\*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

In His awesome love, God gave us Christ his Son to pay the price for  
our sins with his death. Friends, believe the good news of the gospel.

In Jesus Christ we are forgiven!

\*GLORIA PATRI / RESPONSE

*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

*By Genie Dixon*

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE:

*John 15:18-25* (N.T. Page Nos. 104-105)

SERMON:

"You Do Not Belong to the World"

*By The Reverend Dr. Janet Hufford*

## Response to God's Word

\*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH: "The Heidelberg Catechism" 4.001

What is your only comfort in life and in death?

That I am not my own, but belong— body and soul, in life and in  
death—to my faithful Savior, Jesus Christ. He has fully paid for all  
my sins with his precious blood, and has set me free from the  
tyranny of the devil. He also watches over me in such a way that  
not a hair can fall from my head without the will of my Father in  
heaven; in fact, all things must work together for my salvation.  
Because I belong to him, Christ, by his Holy Spirit, assures me of  
eternal life and makes me wholeheartedly willing and ready from  
now on to live for him.

\*Hymn of Response HoF #447: "Seek Ye First"

*sing once, then twice more as round*

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 Family of Susie Swimburne VanWinkle (Pat Vincent's family member) on her recently passing;
- Sympathies to the Buckaloo & Courtright Family on the loss of their Mother, Dora;
- Sympathies to the Keenan Family (Kathy Russo's friend) in loss of Carol Audrey Keener (passed due to cancer);
- Sympathies to the Ransomer Family (Hungerford's family) on the passing of Mother of Christian & Jerka Ransomer on Fri., May 31;
- Sympathies to the Family of Pat Landis on the sudden loss of her great-granddaughter Ryelynne Hicks (Daughter of Justin Hicks, Pat's grandson) ..... services were Friday, May 31;
- Sympathies to the Family of The Rev. Dr. Donald D. Swift, age 95, (former Interim Pastor of our church) passed away May 2;
- CPO John Vincent & All Military – Keep them safe!
- Doug Crawford (Fred Goldstein's step-father) hospitalized in St. Ann's / aggressive treatment;
- Jane Crawford, (Don's sister-in-law) out of hospital but 24/7 care;
- Elijah Donaldson (Rob Rawls' Brother), shot in the chest while waiting for a bus near the University of Washington in Seattle / he did survive, Glory be to God!!!!
- Linda Goldstein, recovering at home after recent surgery;
- Faye Hammond (Betty Gieseck's mom) home with hospice care;
- Karen Johnston needs our prayers after a recent fall;
- Donald & Veronica Kisk (Kathy Russo's Uncle & Aunt) who both have health issues;
- Laura L. (Celler O'Toole's friend) diagnosed with stage II ovarian cancer / has had surgery / starts chemotherapy in July;
- Bobby Lutz (Karen Johnston's Brother), cancer has spread;
- Bill Swift (Nancy Lord's brother), has been in remission from colon cancer for 3 years / tumor markers are up / CAT scan ordered;
- David Zeller, please continue to pray for health issues;

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: Joan Mauger,

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

# Olde First News – June 23, 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 and 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.; Scouts Pack #4021, 6-8 p.m.  
TUESDAY: Session Meetings – 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of Each Month  
WEDS: Karate Class, 6:30 to 8 p.m. – Bible Study @ 6:30 p.m.  
FRIDAY: Daisy Troop, 6:30–8:30 p.m. (Every other Week)

Vacation Bible School – Sunday, June 24 thru June 27

Next Berean Meeting – Thursday, June 27 at Noon

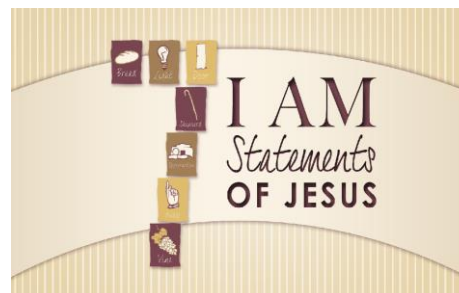
The Reverend Dr. Janet Hufford's Installation

– Saturday, July 13 at 10:45 a.m.

## Remaining June Birthdays & Anniversaries

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| 24 Dick & Nancy Lord         | 25 Tom Kimble, Jean Peters |
| 28 Leigh Ann Crawford-Zeller | 30 Megan Ladd              |

Please note that Denise will be out of the office until June 28.  
Please call Pastor Janet with prayers and emergencies at (412) 877-9310.  
You may also leave a message on the church phone. Thank you!



Starting Today  
New Adult  
Sunday School  
Series by  
R.C. Sproul

**Both Hymnals in Pews!** You may be wondering why both hymnals are now in the pews. To answer that question is easy. Have you ever noticed how the hymns we sing correspond with the scripture and sermons? Hymns are important to reemphasize the message that God has for us. To help in this, both hymnals are now in the pews so that there is more of a selection available to reflect and emphasize the sermon message. In order to know what hymnal to use, please see the bulletin; and the Assisting Elder will also make a corresponding announcement. Hymns of Faith will be listed as, HoF with the hymn Number. The Hymnbook will be listed as HB with the hymn Number. On most Sundays only one hymnbook will be used. This will also reduce the number of inserts needed. Please be patient as we get used to this subtle, but important change. Make a joyful noise to the Lord!

**NOMINATING COMMITTEE:** It has come to the attention of the Session that the Nominating Committee elected on January 20th does not match with our Church Bylaws. By this we mean that two of the members from the Congregation are actively seated on the Session. This is not permissible in our Bylaws. Therefore, Tami Conrad and Tom Johnston will not be serving on the Nominating Committee this year. Sally Kean and Mat Mauger are two Session Members who will be serving as per the January 20<sup>th</sup> Congregational Meeting. In order for our Bylaws and also the Book of Order to reconcile, it is necessary that the committee be composed of a minority from Session. With Deacon Susan Baird-Rawls and Congregation Members Don Crawford and Rob Rawls serving on the committee we meet all requirements. Please be praying for the Nominating Committee and all officers whom God is calling to serve His Kingdom and our Church. Thank you!

**Installation of our new Pastor:** Please join the Presbytery of Scioto Valley at the Installation of our New Pastor. Here at First Presbyterian Church on Saturday, July 13 at 10:45 a.m. Tom Johnston and Kathy Wallace will participate in the service. Tom Johnston may be calling you to serve as Greeter/Usher. A light luncheon will follow. We know you will be your usual friendly and welcoming selves as we host many guests!



## VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL STARTS TODAY! June 23 – 27, 2019 (6 – 8:45 p.m.)

For kids entering Kindergarten – just finished 5th grade

See inserted postcards for more information. And, please share one of the cards with friends and family that would like to join us for the fun!

### For More Information:

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Facebook: First Presbyterian Church of Pataskala

e-mail registration: [FPCpataskala@gmail.com](mailto:FPCpataskala@gmail.com)

To register by phone, 740-927-4796, Wed.-Fri. from 1:00-5:00

Register in person beginning at 5:45 on Sunday, June 23