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**This week at First Presbyterian....**

**Sunday, July 2**

9:30 a.m. Pancake Breakfast—Kirk  
10:10 a.m. Summer Choir rehearsal-Choir loft  
10:30 a.m. Worship

**Monday, July 3**

Daycare Closed  
1:00 p.m. Susan Buckner Bible Study-FLC  
2:00 p.m. Church Office Closes

**Tuesday, July 4**

Daycare Closed  
Church Office Closed

**Wednesday, July 5**

10:00 a.m. CPC Bible Study—Parlor  
12:15 p.m. Men's Bible Study—FLC  
7:00 p.m. Rejoicers Women's Bible Study

**Thursday, July 6**

10:00 a.m. Rhodes Respite Care—FLC  
5:00 p.m. Furman Music by the Lake  
Concert & Picnic—meet at FLC

**Friday, July 7** No scheduled events

**Saturday, July 8** No scheduled events



**ADULT MISSION TRIP**

**Thurs., August 3—Sun., August 6**

**Hayesville, NC**

We have spaces for 10 adults to join us for a mission trip to Hayesville, NC. The group will primarily do light construction, painting and discipleship building. Cost: \$150

Please contact Jennifer Stewart at 225-2551 or [jenniferw@fpcandersonsc.com](mailto:jenniferw@fpcandersonsc.com) to register.



**HAITI MISSION TRIP**

The dates have been set! Our next Haiti mission trip will be October 6—October 14, 2017. If you are interested in going, please contact Debbie Williamson, Andrea Storie or Jennifer Stewart. Cost: \$1600 (Scholarships available)

**ARIZONA/MEXICO MISSION TRIP**

**Monday, October 30—Monday November 6**

Contact Laura Bell or the church office for more information or to register for this trip.

*With Sympathy* **The Christian sympathy of the pastor and congregation** is expressed to the family of **Edgar William Albaugh** on his death June 26.

**Music by the Lake  
Furman Concert Series**

**Thursday, July 6th 5:00pm -  
meet at the FLC**

Chicken strips & drinks are provided. Bring a side dish to share. For all ages & families. We will return to church at approximately 10:30pm  
Call the church office to reserve your seat on bus.

Traveling this summer? Watch our worship service online on our website, [www.fpcandersonsc.com](http://www.fpcandersonsc.com).

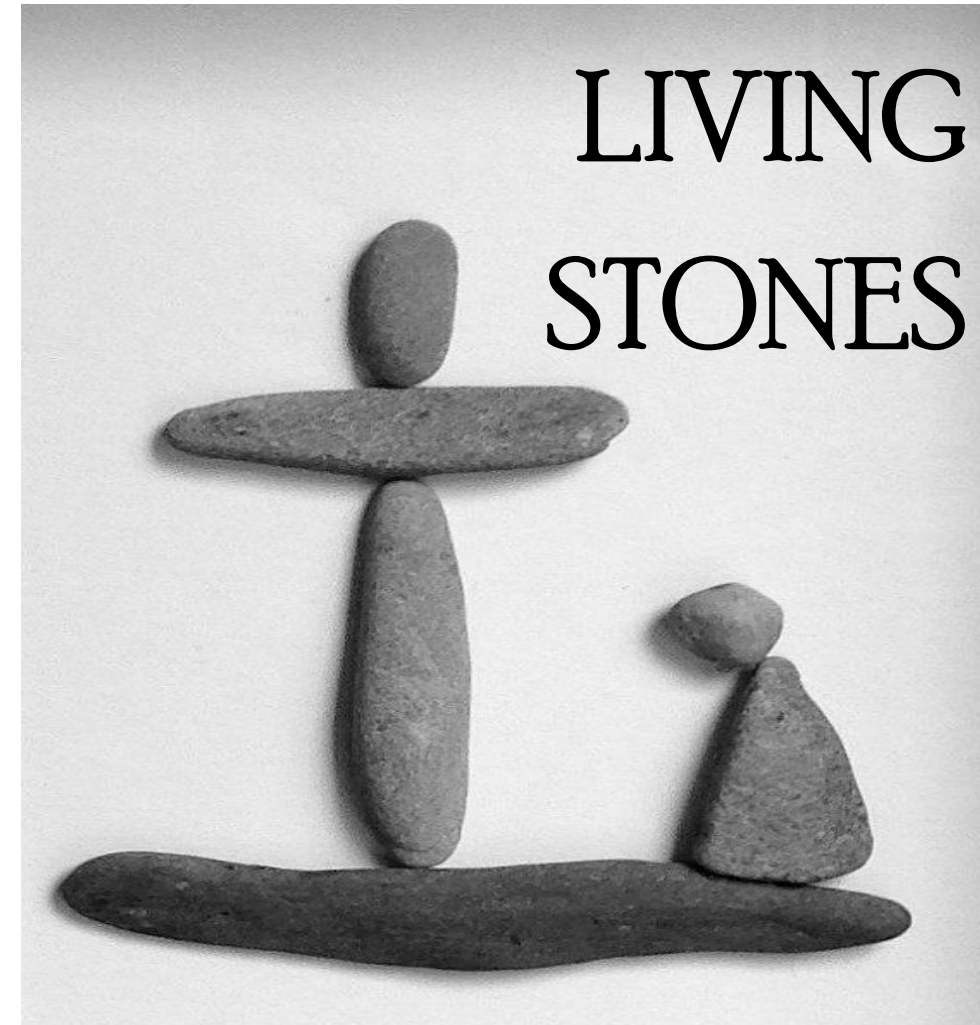
You may watch it live at 10:30am or later on the archived services.

Our service is also broadcast on WAIM 1230-AM radio at 11:00am each Sunday.

**Fourth Sunday after Pentecost**

**July 2, 2017**

**10:30am**



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# FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

JULY 2, 2017

10:30 A.M.

## Welcome!

First Presbyterian Church welcomes all in the name of Jesus Christ today. We are delighted you have chosen to join us. Whether you are a longtime FPC disciple or a new friend, please sign the fellowship pad in the pew.

*Please visit our website or call the church office for additional information about our faith family.*

*Please check with an usher if you would like large print hymns. After worship, please keep your bulletin or place in the recycle baskets at each entrance.  
THANK YOU!*

◆ When this symbol precedes an element of the service, please rise in body or spirit if you are able. Join in reading or singing those parts of the service printed in bold.

## WE PREPARE TO WORSHIP GOD

PRELUDE ***Where Were You When the World Stopped Turning/ God Bless America*** Jackson/Berlin

ANNOUNCEMENTS Billy Epps, Elder

## WE PRAISE GOD

CALL TO WORSHIP I Peter 5:10

The God of all grace,  
**Who calls you to his eternal glory in Christ,**  
Will restore, support, strengthen, and establish you.  
**To Him be the power and glory forever and ever.**

◆ HYMN 338 ***O Beautiful for Spacious Skies*** MATERNA

◆ LITANY FOR OUR NATION (response from Psalm 67:2)

Founder of all nations: bless and prosper our country among the family of all nations, and guide us in our service to all peoples.

**May Your way be known upon earth, Your saving power among all nations.**

We honor the generations of those who have served and sacrificed bravely for all our freedoms; we lift up those in harm's way today.

**May Your way be known upon earth, Your saving power among all nations.**

We remember Your generosity in giving us this good land as our heritage, and ask that You bless us with honest industry, sound learning, honorable living toward all.

**May Your way be known upon earth, Your saving power among all nations.**

We pray that You bestow on all government leaders wisdom; may they guide us in extending liberty and lifting one another.

**May Your way be known upon earth, Your saving power among all nations. AMEN.**

◆ GLORIA PATRI 581 GREATOREX

TIME WITH YOUNG DISCIPLES

*(Our young disciples, ages 5k and under, are dismissed for extended worship.)*

## WE HEAR GOD'S WORD

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

EXPRESSING THE FAITH ***Will You Come and Follow Me*** KELVINGROVE  
Summer Choir

EPISTLE READING ***John 21:15-19*** Pew Bible, p. 101

SCRIPTURE RESPONSE ***Will You Come and Follow Me*** KELVINGROVE  
Summer Choir

SERMON ***"If You Love Jesus"*** Dr. Dennis Tedder  
***When they had finished breakfast, Jesus said to Simon Peter, "Simon son of John, do you love me more than these?"***

◆ HYMN OF RESPONSE 327  
***From All That Dwell Below the Skies*** LASST UNS ERFREUEN

◆ AFFIRMATION OF FAITH ***The Apostles' Creed*** Hymnal p. 35

## WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY ***He Lifted Me*** arr. Smith

◆ DOXOLOGY OLD HUNDREDTH, Hymnal, pg. 606

◆ PRAYER OF DEDICATION AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

◆ HYMN 337 ***My Country, 'Tis of Thee*** AMERICA

◆ CHARGE AND BENEDICTION I Peter 4:10

◆ POSTLUDE ***Festive Postlude on "Materna"*** arr. Lowe

***As a courtesy to those worshipping with you today, please silence cell phones during our service. Please let our ushers know if you need directions to the nursery or to pick your child up from Extended Worship. A video broadcast of the service is available downstairs for those who may need to leave the sanctuary. The ushers can direct you to this room.***

The risen Christ at the same moment blesses and commissions. This is a remarkable grace, for we need not long to be loved but to be able to love others — not only to be served but also to serve. It's all bound up in the way of the crucified and risen Lord, the way of service. Francis of Assisi caught the Christ-spirit in his own way of joyful poverty and service:

*It is in giving that we receive,  
It is in pardoning that we are pardoned,*

*It is in dying that we are born to eternal life.*

(H. Stephen Shoemaker,  
[GodStories: New Narratives from Sacred Texts](#))

**The sanctuary flowers are given to the Glory of God and in honor of Lou Hart by Elaine Hart and family.**