

First Presbyterian Church Kasson, MN
Pastor Dan Yeazel

October 29, 2017

10:00 a.m.

We Approach God

Announcements

Prelude

Organ plays for a time of silent meditation.

Choral Introit "We have Gathered"

***Call to Worship**

L: We are invited to share in Christ's ministry of compassion.

P: We will widen our hearts so we might cradle the lost.

L: We are challenged to learn more about God each day.

P: We will open our minds so we might discern God's dreams for us.

L: We are summoned to let the Spirit be planted within us.

P: We will deepen our souls so we might grow in love.

*Hymn No. 272 God of the Sparrow

Prayer of Confession (in Unison)

As you know, God our healer, we stand on the edge of your promises and hopes, yet cannot seem to let ourselves cross over into the life you intend for us. We seek praise from our families, yet are unable to tell them how much we love them; we care more about our needs and desires, than for the struggles of our neighbors; we think more about the trash we read and see than focusing on the Spirit of wisdom.

Forgive us, Everlasting God. Renew our lives with your grace; restore our hopes with your vision of tomorrow; refresh our spirits with your joy which comes to us new in each moment in the gift of your Child, Jesus Christ, our Lord and Savior.

*Words of Assurance

*Gloria Patri - Hymn No. 579

Responsive Reading Psalm 1 (OT pg. 602)

We are Inspired by God

* Hymn No. 2233 Where Children Belong
This, this is where children belong, welcomed as part of the worshipping throng. Water, God's Word, bread and cup, prayer, and song: This is where children belong.

Children's Time

Anthem "O Master, Let me Walk with Thee"
Arr. Sheldon Curry

* Hymn No. 391 Take My Life
Scripture Thessalonians 2:1-8 (NT pg. 251)
Matthew 22:15-22 (NT pg. 30)

Sermon "Money, Money, Money"

We Respond to God

Choral Call to Prayer

The Pastoral Prayer and The Lord's Prayer

Congregational Amen No. 570

Call for Offering

Offertory

*Doxology No. 592

*Prayer of Dedication (in Unison)

As we think of our neighbors, may our souls be touched by their needs, and our hearts open our resources to offer gifts which will bring healing, peace, and grace to all. Amen.

*Hymn No. 368 I've Got Peace Like a River

*Benediction

*Dismissal Hymn No. 2241 (4th verse) *The Spirit Sends Us Forth to Serve*

"Then let us go to serve in peace, the gospel to proclaim. God's Spirit has empowered us; we go in Jesus' name."

*Postlude

WELCOME VISITORS. Thank you for coming to worship with us.
Please sign our guest book before you leave.

Sunday School and Communicants Class 9:00 am

Sunday Worship at 10:00 am

Fellowship at 11:00 am

Prayer Shawl Ministry Tuesday at 10:00 am

Choir Wednesdays at 7:00 pm

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The Worship committee will meet after worship today.

NAMI meets October 31st from 7:00-8:30 pm.

Afternoon Circle meets November 2nd at 2:00 pm.

Casting for Christmas Alive will be held at the Kasson United Methodist Church on Sunday, November 12th beginning at 1:00 pm. All who want to participate will receive a part (some parts are speaking and others are not) – no acting experience needed. We need Angels, shepherds, Mary's, Joseph's, Wisemen, Guards, Herod, Carolers and Narrators.

Please pick up your Newsletter in the Fellowship Hall.

Remember to turn your clock back one hour before going to bed Saturday night.



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