



Sunday March 26, 2023

**First Presbyterian Church
101 - 6th Ave. NW
Kasson, MN**

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First Presbyterian Church Kasson, MN

Rev. Amanda Boss
Brian Rohrs, Pianist

March 26, 2023

10:00 AM

We Approach God

Announcements

Prelude

*Call to Worship

L: We gather to worship God

P: God who makes bones dance

L: God who calls Lazarus from the grave.

P: God who forgives us and gives us hope.

*Hymn No. 837 *“What a Fellowship, What a Joy Divine”*

*Prayer of Confession

Out of the depths we cry to you, O Lord. Hear our voices and let your ears be attentive to the voice of our supplications. We come into your presence confessing our sins, aware we have behaved in ways that are contrary to your desire for our living. We come into your presence aware that too often we allow lifelessness to gain the upper hand. We come into your presence aware that we put our trust in our own abilities. Forgive us, O God. Infuse us with your life-giving spirit. Breathe into us and make us come alive. Amen.

*Assurance of Grace

Hope in the Lord!

With the Lord, there is steadfast love.

With God, there is great power to redeem.

Thanks be to God who redeems us from all our sins.

* **Gloria Patri Hymn No. 581** *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.*

We are Inspired by God

* Hymn No. 188 “Jesus Loves Me!”

Jesus loves me! This I know, for the Bible tells me so. Little ones to him belong. They are weak, but he is strong. Yes, Jesus loves me! Yes, Jesus loves me! Yes, Jesus loves me! The Bible tells me so.

Children’s Time

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture Reading Psalm 130

L: Out of the depths I cry to you, O Lord.

P: Lord, hear my voice! Let your ears be attentive to the voice of my supplications!

L: If you, O Lord, should mark iniquities, Lord, who could stand?

P: But there is forgiveness with you, so that you may be revered.

L: I wait for the Lord, my soul waits, and in his word, I hope.

P: My soul waits for the Lord more than those who watch for the morning, more than those who watch for the morning.

L: O Israel, hope in the Lord! For with the Lord there is steadfast love, and with him is great power to redeem.

P: It is he who will redeem Israel from all its iniquities.

Scripture Reading: Ezekiel 37:1-14 Pg. 987 OT
John 11:1-45

Sermon: Boot Camp for the Soul: Dead End Rev. Amanda Boss

*Hymn No. 403 *“Open Now Thy Gates of Beauty”*

We Respond to God

*Affirmation of Faith from the Apostles Creed (in Unison)

I Believe in God the Father Almighty,

Maker of heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ, His Only Son, our Lord, Who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried. He descended into hell; the third day He rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty, from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

The Pastoral Prayer and The Lord's Prayer
**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.**

Call for Offering
*Anything \$20 or less is counted for our loose offering and goes toward
 supporting local and international church mission.*

Offertory

***Doxology No. 606**

***Prayer of Dedication (in Unison)**
**Good and gracious God, may these gifts be one of the ways your
 life giving presence is experienced in our community. Use this
 money and use us to give hope to the hopeless, wholeness to the
 broken and fullness to the hungry. In Christ's name we pray.
 Amen.**

***Hymn No. 39** *"Great is Thy Faithfulness"*

*Benediction

***Dismissal No. Hymn 542** God Be with You Till We Meet Again
*"God be with you till we meet again; loving counsels guide, uphold you, with a
 shepherds care enfold you, God be with you till we meet again."*

*Postlude

Liturgy written by Sharon Core Presbyterian Outlook, 2023

WELCOME VISITORS. Thank you for coming to worship with us.

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**PLEASE CALL OR EMAIL THE CHURCH OFFICE IF YOU, A LOVED
 ONE, OR A MEMBER IS IN NEED OF PRAYERS.**

BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENT

**Bible Study March 29nd at
 10 AM in Fellowship Hall**

**Session Meeting on Tuesday,
 March 28th at 6 PM**

**Communion - Maundy
 Thursday, April 6th.- Soup
 Supper at 5:30 PM - Wor-
 ship & Communion at 6:30
 PM**

**Easter Service April 9th at 8
 AM - stay for breakfast and
 egg hunt following service.**

Treasurer's Report:		
Receipts February 2023	\$	5,586.15
Expenses February 2023	\$	9,442.74
Balance February 2023	\$	(3,856.59)
Needed weekly	\$	2,435.08
Needed monthly	\$	10,552.03