

Service for the Lord's Day
May 10, 2026
Sixth Sunday of Easter
MOTHER'S DAY

Preparation

CHIMING OF THE HOUR

PRELUDE "Rejoice! Be Glad!" Todd Kendall

WELCOME, JOYS, AND CONCERNS Tom Setzler

MINUTE FOR MISSIONS Liz Ann Hill

CHORAL INTROIT "Jesus Stand Among Us" Anonymous
Jesus stand among us In Thy risen pow'r. Let this time of
worship be a hallowed hour.

† CALL TO WORSHIP

We gather not in our own strength, but in the name of the living God—
the One who is our help and our shield.

Our hope is in the Lord, who is faithful and true.

Jesus says, "If you love me, keep my commandments,"
and promises not to leave us orphaned.

We are not alone—God's Spirit abides with us.

The world may trust in what is made by human hands,
but we trust in the Lord who gives life and breath.

Our hearts rejoice in the God who is present among us.

Come, then, to love and to be loved, to follow and to be filled with the Spirit.

**We come to worship the living God,
who dwells with us and within us. Alleluia!**

† HYMN 242 "Day of Delight and Beauty Unbounded" (v.1-2)

† CALL TO CONFESSION

God does not reject our prayers. God does not withdraw love from us. Even
when we fail to love others and struggle to love ourselves, God's love is
steadfast. Let us lift our prayers to God.

† PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Holy One, We love you imperfectly:

We do not always keep your commandments.

We love each other imperfectly:

We hurt those you call us to love through our actions and our inaction.

We love ourselves imperfectly:

**We struggle to believe that we are truly your children, made in your
image. Forgive us.**

**By the power of your Spirit, make us more faithful
that we might live as Christ has shown us, reflecting your love and
grace. Amen.**

† ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Friends, Hear the Good News: Because Christ lives, we also live. Not because
of anything we have done, not because of our belief or faithfulness: we live
because Christ lives.

**This is the Christ who forgives us. This is the God who is in us. This is
the Spirit who is with us. Alleluia! Praise be to God!**

† ACT OF PRAISE 589 "Alleluia"

† PASSING OF THE PEACE

The peace of Christ be with you. **And also with you.**

As God's forgiven people, let us pass the peace to one another.

Proclamation

TIME FOR YOUNG DISCIPLES Nick Setzer

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

Living God, with joy we celebrate the presence of your risen Word. Enliven our
hearts by your Holy Spirit so that we may proclaim the good news of eternal
and abundant life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

NEW TESTAMENT LESSON Acts 17:22-31

VOLUNTARY "A Mother's Prayer" Juliet Calkins

GOSPEL LESSON John 14:15-21

MESSAGE "The Air We Breathe" Rev. Nick Setzer

† AFFIRMATION OF FAITH "Apostle's Creed" pg. 35

† HYMN 824 "There is a Place of Quiet Rest" (v.1-3) McAfee

Dedication

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY "O Divine Redeemer" Charles Gounod
Arr. Robert W. Thygerson

† DOXOLOGY 606 "Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"

† PRAYER OF DEDICATION

Great God, to you we give our thanks; your steadfast love endures forever.
With gratitude we bring our gifts to you. Bless us and our gifts, that our lives
and our resources may be a source of healing and hope,
of joy and justice in our world. Amen.

† HYMN 366 "Love Divine, All Loves Excelling" (v.1-4) Hyfrydol

† BENEDICTION

† CHORAL BENEDICTION Jesus, We Just Want to Thank You"
(Sung by all) William J. Gaither

Jesus we just want to tell You. Jesus, we just want to tell You. Jesus, we just
want to tell You. Thank you for eternal life.

† POSTLUDE "Christ the Lord Has Risen" Tom Birchwood

† Stand as you are able

CONFIRMATION SUNDAY IS NEXT SUNDAY, MAY 17TH

GRADUATION SUNDAY IS MAY 24TH
Join us for a graduate reception in the parlor at 10am.

SUMMER OF 2026 DATES FOR MONTREAT CONFERENCES ARE SET!

Youth Conference at Montreat July 11-18 (9th-12th)

Middle School Conference at Maryville College July 15th-19th (6th-8th)

Bethelwoods has day camps and overnight camps for Kindergarten through
High School. Check out the opportunities for your children this Summer.

Alice is preparing the 2026 Summer Activities Booklet. Please pass on
any ideas for trips, restaurants or events that might be of special
interest for children, youth, and adults. Be on the lookout for this
booklet and clear your schedule to participate in the Summer Fun!

MARK YOUR CALENDARS & TELL YOUR FRIENDS!

SNOWBALL MOUNTAIN CHALLENGE IS OUR THEME FOR 2026 VACATION BIBLE
SCHOOL, JUNE 22-25. FIND YOUR STRENGTH IN GOD. "I CAN DO ALL THINGS
THROUGH HIM WHO STRENGTHENS ME" (PHILIPPIANS 4:13)

Registration is online @ fpcyorksc.org (VBS) or on blue paper registration
forms by the outside door and elevator.

Men's Meat'n is this Wednesday, May 13th at 6pm. We will meet at Nick's
house.

The Family Life Committee is once again selling First Presbyterian T-Shirts,
Polo Shirts and now HATS! Our first sale was a success, but many of you
missed it. This sale will run until May 31st. Fill out your order form online or
paper copies are available by the sanctuary door or outside door. Buy a shirt
or hat to wear on our church outings!

A SPECIAL WELCOME TO OUR GUESTS Thank you for joining us today. We're glad you're here and hope that you'll experience God's love as we worship together. If you would like to know more about us, please call our church office (684-2356) and ask to speak with our pastor. May God's peace be with you.

OUR PRAYER CONCERNS:

All caregivers, Justin Snipes (son of Melissa & Patrick Young & grandson of Micky & Joe Howe), Matt Bozarth (Friend of Leigh Dayton) that is suffering from a rare cancer), Wayne McCormick, Jr., Mark Good (Friend of Jody Templeton has cancer), Gloria Ludwig (Stacey Walden's grandmother), Leigh Dayton, Joe & Mickey Howe, Archie Buchanan, Jim Ballard (Brother in law of Ann Lee), Robert Clewis (Shelia Herron's son), Danny Allman (19 yr. old nephew of Mike Allman), Jackson (friend of the Waldens), Bill Herron (Leukemia), Donna Jo McKinney Ferrell and Jane McKinney Bolin (have cancer, they are nieces of Brenda Brandon), Chip Lee (father of Bethany James), Patti Whiteside (Joanna Setzler's step mom) recovering from broken hip, Jim Bolduc (Surgery), Lorraine Stewart, Mike Allman, Sr. (brain cancer), Linda Lee (sister in law of Eddie & Ann Lee injured in auto accident), Bruce Richardson & Julian Chinavare (friends of Jake Walden), Julie Setzer (Jane Ratliff's daughter) has bone cancer, Denise Zamora (Mya Clewis's aunt) has breast cancer & Ree Dillon (Back Surgery)

RETIREMENT/NURSING HOMES-HOMEBOUND

Bob Falls, Jane Spratt, Lorraine Stewart & Cathy Kemp


FLOWERS: The sanctuary flowers are given to the glory of God in memory of Pete Barnwell's birthday by Ann Barnwell and Leslie Hennigan.

LITTLE DISCIPLES 10 th Liz Ann Hill 17 th Maralee Hall	NURSERY Jenny Hill Angie Pratt
ACOLYTES 10 th Oscar Setzer/James Caveny 17 th Eliana Setzer/Kemp Hall	CROSS BEARER Tallon Zesiger Elizabeth Hiott

First Pres book club meets again on May 26th! Our current read is "Culpability" by Bruce Holsinger. All are welcome!

Liberty Church Golf Tournament to Benefit PATH @ Springlake Country Club
Saturday, May 16th shotgun start at 8am
\$100 per player, Captains Choice, Register as individual or up to 4 man team
Registration required and includes lunch & giveaways.

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Scan: the QR code above to download the ListenWiFi app
Connect: your phone to the Wi-Fi Network
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Open: the ListenWiFi app
Click: "Venue Scan" on the app and the audio will connect to your device
Listen: Make sure your phone is paired to your bluetooth headphones or hearing aid.



CALENDAR FOR THIS WEEK

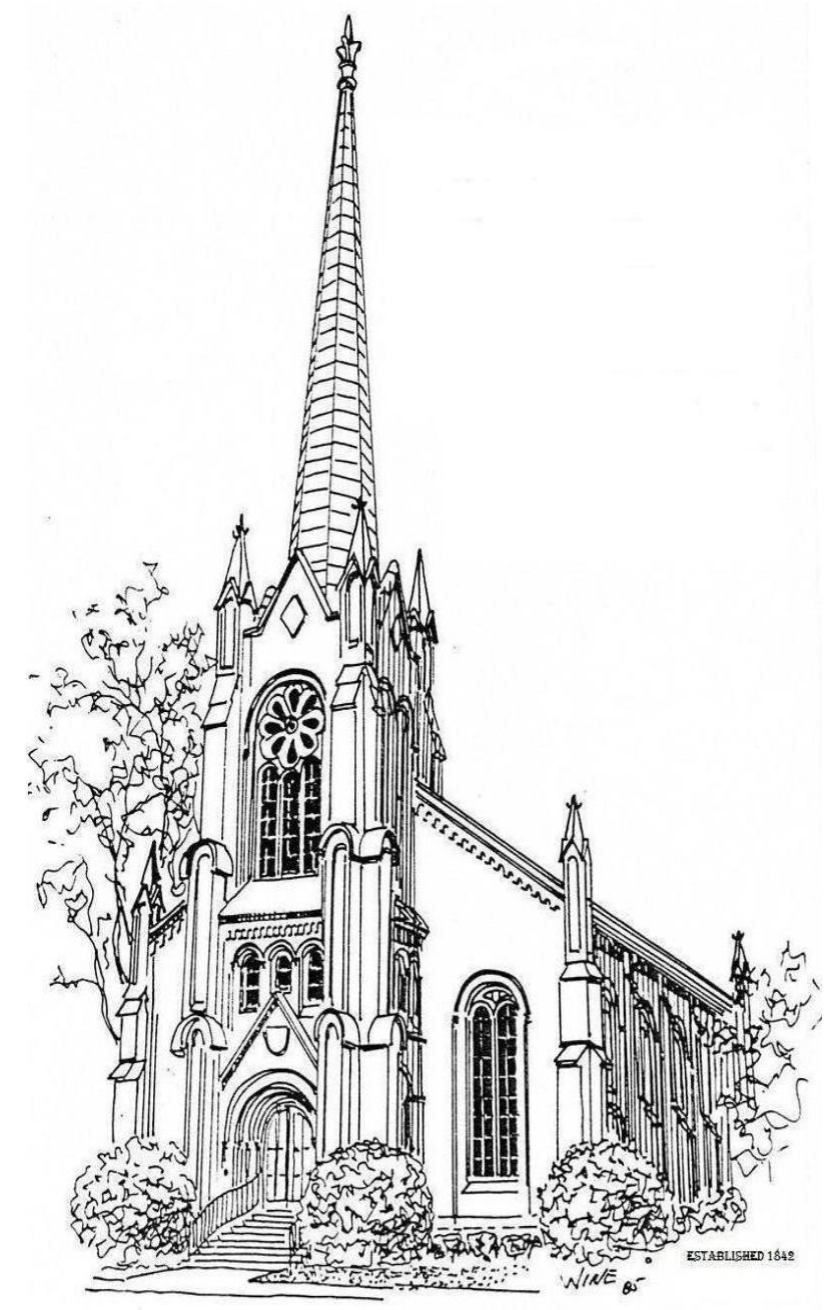
- Sun. 5-10 MOTHER'S DAY**
9:00am Finance Committee
10:00am Adult Sunday School
11:00am Worship
- Mon. 5-11 8:00pm AA**
- Tues. 5-12 4:00pm Theology 101**
- Wed. 5-13 10:00am Acts Study**
2:30pm KFC to Adventure Air
5:30pm Congregational Care
6:00pm Men's Meat'n
6:00pm Choir Rehearsal
6:00pm Grief Share
8:00pm AA
- Sun. 5-17 7:30am Session (Meet with Confirmands 10:00am)**
10:00am Adult Sunday School
11:00am Worship
2:30pm Presbytery at Oakland Avenue
6:00pm York Baccalaureate at YCHS

Session Members & Their Committees

Liz Ann Hill...Clerk & Personnel & IT	Rick Beard.....Property
Jenny Hill.....Asst. Clerk & Family Life	Pete Carroll....Property
Eddie Lee....Worship & Personnel	Donna Langford..Cong. Care & PW
Ronnie Bailes..Finance & Personnel	Sonya Kent....Congregational Care
Melissa Allman....Family Life & Personnel	Jamie Caveny..Family Life
Lynn Leake...Worship	Jay Leake.....Property
Christopher Black..Personnel & Finance	Shawn Jarrett...IT
Debbie Lowe...Congregational Care	Jake Walden...Mission/Evangelism
David Dickson..Mission/Evangelism	Neil McWhorter...Finance
Angie Pratt....Mission/Evangelism	Tom Setzler....Congregational Care

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