# **Announcements**

**Bible Study:** Tuesday at 10 AM or Wednesday at 5:30 PM. Class lasts a little under an hour.

**Deacon's Auction**: We are collecting items (**until 4/28**) for the annual Deacon's Auction on **May 3, 2024 at 6:00pm** to benefit college scholarships. If you have any items that you would like to donate, please reach out to Kimberly Allan, Sheryl Bruyn, or Denise Simpson.

**Updated Contact Information:** Please contact the Church Office to update your contact information.

**New Members**: Anyone wishing to claim First Presbyterian Church as their Church home in membership, please contact the pastor.

<u>Paul.lent@1stpresbyterian.church</u> or call the Church office.

**New Members Tea:** If you are interested in claiming First Presbyterian as your church home, or simply want to find out more about what membership in the Presbyterian Church means, we will be having a **New Member's tea, on <u>May 19th</u> at 4 PM in the Church Parlor.** 

# **Birthdays**

04/29 Connor Reid Hansen 05/02 Caryn Lockard & Brittany Holohan

### **Anniversaries**

05/05 Eric & Sandy Jungck

### This Week at Church

4/28 - Youth Group - 5:30pm

4/29 - Spanish Class - 1:15pm

4/30 - Bible Study - 10:00am

5/01 - Fellowship - 12:00pm

- Bible Study - 5:30pm

- Deacon's Mtg - 5:30pm

5/02 - Chair Yoga - 11:30am

- Handbell Choir - 4:00pm



(For online giving, use this QR code to access online payment.)

### **CHURCH ADMINISTRATION**

Rev. Paul D. Lent - Pastor

<u>paul.lent@1stpresbyterian.church</u>

Amanda Jones - Music Director

Midge Fowler - Handbell Director

Terry Stubelek - CE Director

Pro Aamir - Sexton

Beth Westerhoff - Bookkeeper

Kristin White - Youth Director

Charlie Roe - Church Administrator

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# First Presbyterian Church





# The Oldest Presbyterian Church in the USA

## Our Vision

Our vision at First Presbyterian Church is to be a Cornerstone of Faith in Jesus and a Family of Love and Service, Reaching out to our Community and the World.

# Fifth Sunday of Easter - April 28, 2024

\*Rise in body or in spirit

**PRELUDE** There Is Sunshine In My Soul Today. by John Sweney, organ solo

THE CALL TO WORSHIP

\*HYMN #111 When Morning Gilds the Skies

**WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS** 

**OPENING PRAYER** Worship Assistant

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (in unison):

God of all hope and joy, we confess that we continue to live in fear. You make us branches of your vine, but we fail to abide in you. You extend your promise to all, yet we seek to cut off and exclude. Forgive us, God of grace. Sanctify us in your perfect love, the love that casts out all fear, so that we may truly love one another; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

SILENT PRAYER OF CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

PASSING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

### PROCLAIMING THE WORD

OLD TESTAMENT READING Psalm 22: 25-31 Worship Assistant
NEW TESTAMENT READING 1 John 4: 7-21 Rev. Paul D. Lent

Leader: The Word of the Lord **People: Thanks Be To God** 

SERMON "Branding and Brand Loyalty" Rev. Paul D. Lent

\*HYMN OF RESPONSE: #257 What Wonderous Love is This

### **THE OFFERING**

OFFERTORY:

Give Me Jesus

by, Gene Roberson, organ solo

\*DOXOLOGY (inside back cover of hymnal)

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

THE LORD'S PRAYER (INSIDE COVER OF HYMNAL)

\*CLOSING HYMN # 358 Love Divine, All Loves Excelling

**BENEDICTION** 

**POSTLUDE: Postlude on "Lyons" (How Wonderful and Great)** by Mark Andersen, organ solo

# **Prayer Requests**

Sandra Luss, Coral Dunn Norris, John Donahue, Emily Corwith Pavelek, Brock Digger McMahon, Timberly Dunn, Jeff Rishel, Susan Davis, Don Johnson, Nancy Maloney, Hope Tocci - Shields, Philip Tocci, Peter Bruyn, Kayla Kearney, Robin Thiele, Cheryl Guilloz, Rowland Egerton-Warburton, Burke H. Dunne, Dorothy & Gilbert Tennant, Michael DiBella.

# Marge Finke | Prayer Chain Coordinator | (973)-670-2712

The prayer chain is specifically for immediate prayer needs or prayers that require discretion. These names do not automatically get added to the prayer request list.

## Participating in today's worship:

Worship Assistant - Kristen & Sloan Edson Ushers - Aaron Halsey & Bill Sickles Greeters - The Edson Family

Please join us after the worship in the parlor for coffee and light refreshments.