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SUNDAY SCHOOL		
ATTENDANCE	10/26/2025	34
VIRTUAL ATTENDANCE	10/26/2025	85
OFFERING	10/26/2025	\$52,924

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FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH Pikeville

Service for the Lord's Day

21st Sunday
 after Pentecost

November 2, 2025



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Greeting

The Lord be with you. **And also with you.**

Prelude

*Call to Worship

Turn your hearts to God.

What shall we do when we are worried?

Place your trust in God's love and mercy.

What shall we do when our lives seem too crowded and busy?

Take time for the refreshing words of God's love for you.

Open our hearts, O Lord, and make us ready for your words to us. Amen.

*Hymn

Come Ye Thankful People Come

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*Prayer of Confession

Almighty God, we confess that we cannot see your image in each and every one of our neighbors. We misjudge one another, we underestimate ourselves, and we undervalue creation. Pardon us, Holy One, by your grace. Reveal to us your vision for the world that we may see all people through eyes of care and hearts of compassion. Amen.

*Assurance of Pardon

Now return to the Lord with joy and gladness. Sing a song of redemption! Let sorrow and sighing be no more.

In Jesus Christ we are forgiven.

*Gloria Patri

*Passing of the Peace

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

Prayer for Illumination

Faithful God, how blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness. Sanctify us by your Word and Spirit so that we may glorify you in the company of the faithful; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Congregation speaks bolded lines



Epistle

2 Thessalonians 1:1-4, 11-12

The Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

Gospel

Luke 19:1-10

The Gospel of the Lord. **Praise to you, Oh Christ.**

Sermon

Hymn

Old Rugged Cross

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Lord's Supper Great Prayer of Thanksgiving

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise...

Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is the One who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest...

Great is the mystery of faith:

Christ has died, Christ is risen, Christ will come again.

Affirmation of Faith- *The Apostles' Creed*

Prayers of the People

Offertory

*Doxology

Hymn

How Firm a Foundation

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*Charge & Blessing

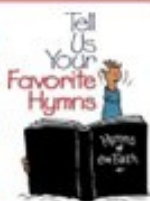
Postlude

* All who are able may stand.

Announcements

- At the sign-up sheet table there is a new form to be completed by all members of the church. We are currently working on curating our 2025 Church Directory. Please complete and place folded completed form in the offering plate.

- We need your hymn suggestions! Do you have a favorite hymn? Is there a song we haven't played in worship in a while you would like to hear? Have a song suggestion we haven't done before? If so, fill out one of the hymn suggestion cards and place it in the bowl on the table in the main hallway.



- With November here we are bringing back the Fill the Cart Food Drive.

Please remember, with the government shut down there are going to be a lot of families in our community that are receiving any of their SNAP/WIC benefits. These families are going to need as much help as possible. Please bring any donations to the church and fill the cart!



- If you are wanting a shirt and missed the deadline there are various sizes in the office. If you want one you can stop by the office during office hours and get yours.



- Any members, visitors, and key holders! If you are visiting/working in the church outside of service times, please be sure to let Pastor Scot or Sara know. If during office hours please come in building through the office door. THANK YOU!

- Online giving is available! Just scan the QR code below to give using your credit/debit card.



- Worship continues this afternoon! At 3 PM we will be meeting at Pikeville First Christian Church (located at 313 Chloe Rd, Pikeville, KY 41501) for the baptism of Harper Gray McGregor. Everyone is invited as we celebrate the sacrament of baptism! First Christian is kindly letting us borrow their baptistry for the afternoon.



- On Wednesday, November 5th we will continue our autumn Bible/book study. We will start with Jill Duffield's book, Appreciate These Things: Eight Ways of Cultivating Compassion. Duffield's book looks at the tensions and anger in the world and asks how can we preserve a sense of Christ like compassion into our daily lives. The book uses Paul's teaching in Philippians as a guide for us as we explore principles for cultivating faith centered kindness. If you would like a copy of the book please see Pastor Scot.



- On Wednesday, November 19th we will have our first Book Club meeting. We will read the short story Heaven is For Real by Todd Burpo with Lynn Vincent. This is a little boy's astounding story of his trip to Heaven and back.

If you would like a copy of the book please see Pastor Scot.



Prayer Concerns



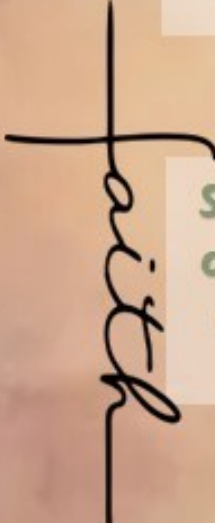
Long term needs in our church family:

Dewey & Kathy Bishop	Meg Sidle
Brenda Blackburn	John McGregor
Diana Damron	Judi Patton
Linda Ford*	Chip Salyers
Sandy Ford	Jesse Stewart
Hannah Hopkins	Fred Syck
Nathaniel Levy	David Zoellers*
Guy Moyer	

* means was recently requested extra prayers

Mission Partners:

Appalachian Pregnancy Care Center
Judi's Place
Thankful Hearts Food Pantry
Thursday's Child
United Helping Hands
WestCare Perry Cline Emergency Shelter
WJSO



Shut-ins in our church family:

Carmella Lawson
Lynn Levy

Family of
Beverly Mims

Joey Bauer

Kenny Letterman

Family of
Brenda Ratliff

Barb Biery

Lynn Levy

Family of
William "Bill" Ratliff

Daniel Blackburn

Robert Pauley

Charlie Compton

Harvey Phillips

Forsyth Family

Trevor Fleming

Kali Ratliff

Our Country

Brooke Ford

Jaxon Ray

Sara George

Howard Roberts

Howard Gray

Jared Rogers

Kay Johnson

Gary Thacker

Dusty Layne

Please give updates to Prayer Requests as we would love to see how God is working in those moments of need. All Prayer Requests will be taken off the Bulletin after 4 weeks unless requested for more prayer needs.

I AM THANKFUL FOR



HIS LOVE
Roman 8:38-39



HIS FORGIVENESS
Ephesians 1:7



HIS GRACE
Ephesians 2:8



HIS SALVATION
Hebrews 7:25



HIS PEACE
John 14:27



HIS REST
Matthew 11:28



HIS BLESSINGS
Ephesians 1:3



HIS STRENGTH
Psalms 28:7

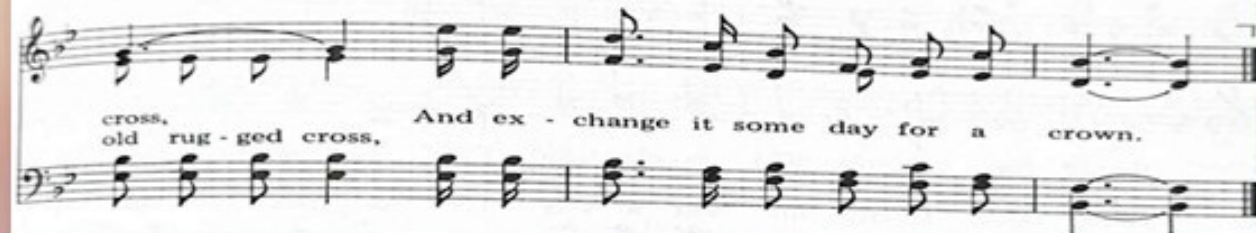
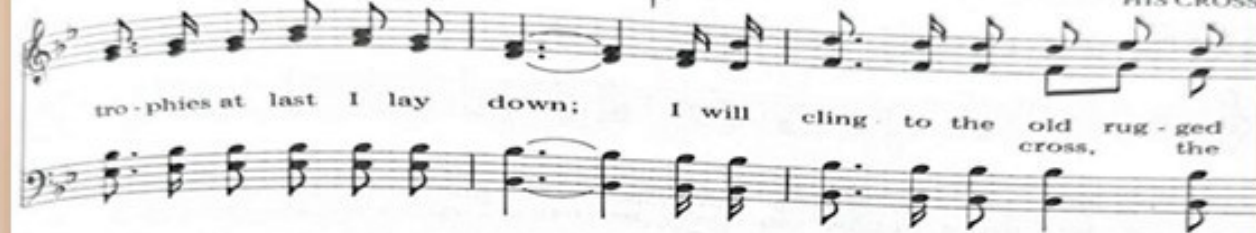
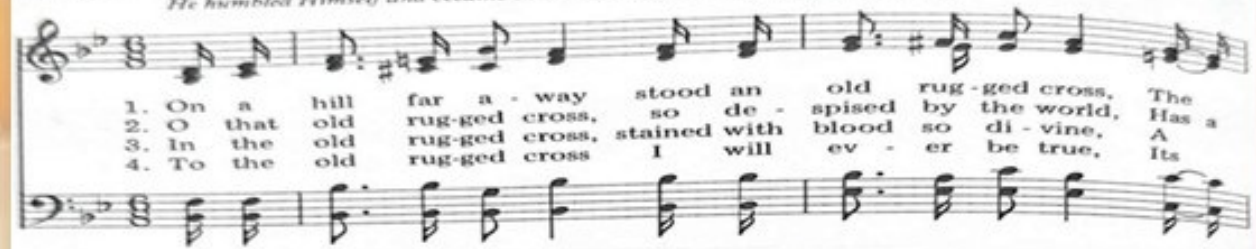


HIS VICTORY
Corinthians 15:57

JESUS OUR SAVIOR

186 The Old Rugged Cross

He humbled Himself and became obedient to death . . . on a cross! Phil. 2:8





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