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SUNDAY SCHOOL		
ATTENDANCE	8/31/2025	32
VIRTUAL ATTENDANCE	8/31/2025	126
OFFERING	8/31/2025	\$1,266

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FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH Pikeville

Service for the Lord's Day

13th Sunday
After Pentecost

September 7, 2025



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Greeting

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

Prelude

*Call to Worship

With endless creativity,
God forms and shapes our lives.
Each of us bears the image of our maker.
Each of us is made in love.

*Hymn *Morning Has Broken* #469

*Prayer of Confession

O God, you have given us a firm foundation in Jesus Christ, yet we have chosen to build on sinking sand. Forgive us for thinking we know best. Mend our broken values and create in us hearts that seek your purposes, so that what we build with our lives may give you glory. Amen.

*Assurance of Pardon

Rejoice at the good news of the Gospel: In Christ we are forgiven.
Alleluia! Amen.

*Gloria Patri

*Passing of the Peace

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

Prayer for Illumination

God, source of all light, by your Word you give light to the soul. Pour out on us the spirit of wisdom and understanding that our hearts and minds may be opened. Amen.



Congregation speaks bolded lines



Psalm

Psalm 13

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

Gospel

Luke 14:25-33

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

Sermon

Hymn *Have Thine Own Way, Lord* *insert

Affirmation of Faith- *The Apostles' Creed*

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 on 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.

Prayers of the People

Offertory

*Doxology

Hymn *Take My Life* #391

*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.



- We are collecting donations of non-perishable food items to have on hand at the Office to hand out to those in need. Examples of what is needed is: canned soups or vegetables, boxed food items, bottles of water and even toiletries.



- 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.



- On Wednesday, September 17th 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.



- Come out for a night of music for a good cause on Thursday, September 18th at 7 PM. Christian rock band Unchained will be playing in the sanctuary. The show is free, however, there will be an opportunity to donate to Helping Hands.



Mark your calendars for the upcoming church events!

- Sunday, September 14 at 10 AM, Adult Sunday School
- Sunday, September 14 at 11 AM, Sunday Worship
- Wednesday, September 17 at 6 PM, Bible Study

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

Shut-ins in our church family:

Carmella Lawson
Lynn Levy
Caroline Searson

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



Family of
Masten Childers

Pat Arnett

Mildred Ray

Family of
Anita Justice

John Baird

Brenda Roberts

Family of
Karen Rich

Charles Edmunds

Ira Rowe

Family of
Brandon Robinson

Sarah George

Kathy Shurtleff

Aldersgate Camp

Laura Hamilton

Bill Smith

The Convery Family

Donna Parlow

Savannah Ward

**Erin de Mederios
& baby**

Lisa Patrick

Jo Ann West

**Allie Justice
& baby**

Robert Pauley

June Zoellers

Bryce Potter

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.

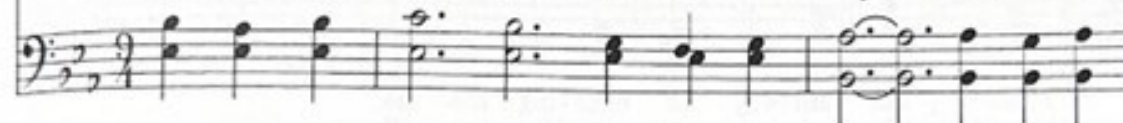
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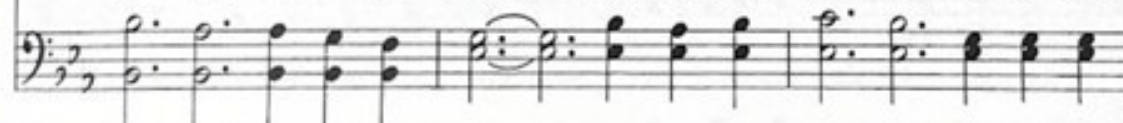
We are the clay, You are the potter. Isa. 64:8



1. Have Thine own way, Lord! Have Thine own way! Thou art the
2. Have Thine own way, Lord! Have Thine own way! Search me and
3. Have Thine own way, Lord! Have Thine own way! Wound-ed and
4. Have Thine own way, Lord! Have Thine own way! Hold o'er my



Pot - ter, I am the clay. Mold me and make me af - ter Thy
try me, Mas - ter, to - day! Whit - er than snow, Lord, wash me just
wea - ry, help me, I pray! Pow - er— all pow - er— sure - ly is
be - ing ab - so - lute sway! Fill with Thy Spir - it till all shall



will, While I am wait - ing, yield - ed and still.
now, As in Thy pres - ence hum - bly I bow.
Thine! Touch me and heal me, Sav - ior di - vine!
see Christ on - ly, al - ways, liv - ing in me! A - men.



TEXT: Adelaide A. Pollard
MUSIC: George C. Stebbins

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