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SUNDAY SCHOOL		
ATTENDANCE	8/2/2026	--
VIRTUAL ATTENDANCE	8/2/2026	30
OFFERING	8/2/2026	\$1,881

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FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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Service for the Lord's Day

11th Sunday after Pentecost

August 9, 2026

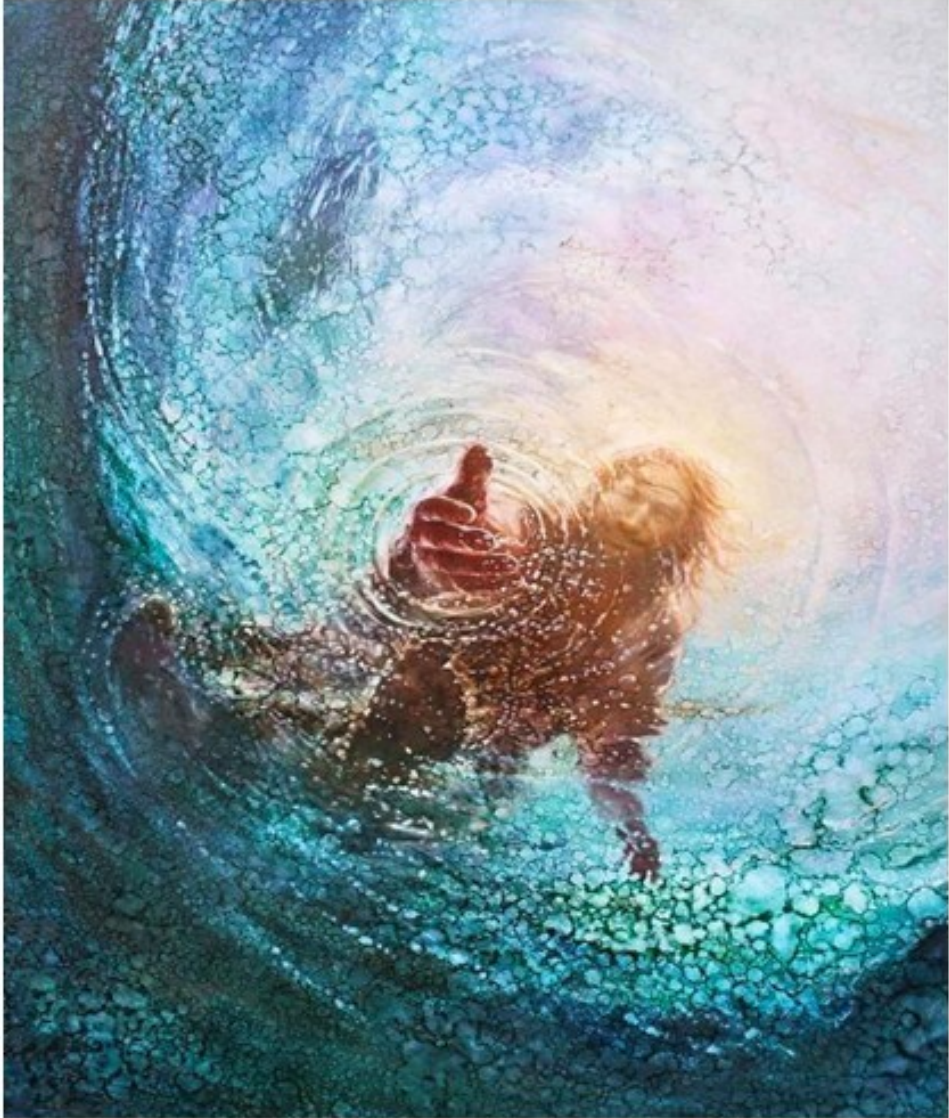


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Prelude

Greeting

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

*Call to Worship

Upon Mount Horeb, Elijah heard the voice of God, not in the wind, or the earthquake, or the fire, but in the sound of sheer silence.
Holy God, quiet our minds and our hearts, rid us of distraction, so we can hear you and know you among us.

*Hymn *How Firm a Foundation* #361

*Prayer of Confession

God our refuge, you hear our cries for mercy. You know our exhaustion, our cynicism, our sense of defeat. You lift the lowly and offer hope to the hopeless. But we are quick to lose perspective and exaggerate critique. We confess the ways we are tempted to give up on the path of righteousness. We pray for your forgiveness. Amen.

*Assurance of Pardon

Do not fear, for I have redeemed you; I have called you by name, you are mine. **In the name of Jesus Christ, we are forgiven. Amen.**

*Gloria Patri

*Passing of the Peace

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

Prayer for Illumination

Holy, Holy, Holy One, guide us by the Spirit of truth to hear the Word of life you speak, and to give all glory, honor, and praise to your threefold name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.



Psalm

Psalms 77:18-19
Holy wisdom, holy word. **Thanks be to God.**

Gospel

Matthew 14:22-33
Thy Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

Sermon

The God Who walks Upon Chaos—Elder Mike Brown

Hymn

I Want Jesus to Walk with Me #363

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/Lord's Prayer

Offertory

*Doxology

Hymn

My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less #379

*Charge & Blessing

Postlude

Announcements



- 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!

- For anyone interested in participating in a Bell Choir, practice will be held every Monday at 6:00PM in the music room. Please contact Les Ronning if you are interested.



- 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 still 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.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED:

Volunteering for ministry can be a fulfilling way to serve your church and grow spiritually. We are in need of someone to take over Morning Fellowship on Sundays in between Sunday School and Worship times. Responsibilities include purchasing refreshment items, setting up and clean up.

This has been a ministry that we as a church have enjoyed for the last few years. If we are wanting to continue this we will need someone willing to step up and take on this responsibility. If you are interested, please, contact Sara in the office.



GUEST PREACHER

We extend a warm welcome today to Elder Mike Brown and wife Jennifer. Elder Mike joins us in worship this morning and will be preaching the Sermon.



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



Prayer Concerns

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

Long term needs in our church family:

Pat Arnett
Jayne Baird
Dewey & Kathy Bishop
Brenda Blackburn
Diana Damron
Willis Estep
Linda Ford
Hannah Hopkins
Nathaniel Levy

John McGregor
Guy Moyer
Meg Sidle
Judi Patton
Chip Salyers
Miranda Stacy
Jesse Stewart
Fred Syck
David Zoellers

* means was recently requested extra prayers

Family of
Kenny Ray Belcher

The Anderson Family

Nicole Oney

Family of
Bill Carrico

Phyllis Ann Hollaran

Ethan Owen

Family of
Levi Coleman

Antonia Holland

Noel Ovens

Family of
David Deskins

Chuck Huffman

Allison Stewart

Family of
Forrest Jones

Stephanie &
Jarrod Hunt

Shawn Webb

Family of
Farinda Wood

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.



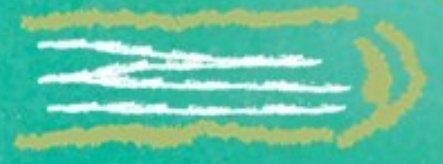


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