Service for the Lord's Day — *11:00 am*

The Gathering

Fanfare
Welcome & Announcements
Prelude

*Call to Worship
One: At all times we are called to bless God's name.
All: Our lips are drenched with praises, our hearts exult in God.
One: The proud will bend knees in worship, the humble will lift glad songs.
All: We are free from our fears, we have searched for God and been found.
One: Our faces glow with thanksgiving, our spirits overflow with grace.
All: God has wiped away our tears, God has fed us from the storehouses of hope.

*Opening Hymn "Though I May Speak" Hymn #693

Scripture 1 Timothy 2 Pew Bible, pg. 208
Call to Confession
*Prayer of Confession
We did not listen, when the Teacher spoke, God of sinners. Rich in pride and arrogance, our spirits have no need for a kingdom; taught to not let anyone see us cry, we refuse your comforting arms; seeing the greedy and self-indulgent have their way, we yearn to inherit their hardened hearts; noticing the hungry standing by the side of the road, we make sure we get more than our share of the world's resources; taking note of how the merciful are pushed aside, we develop calluses on our souls. Forgive us, Saint Maker, that we follow the wrong examples and listen to false teachings. It is the peacemakers who live into your hope; it is those whose hearts are shaped by yours, who are able to see you in the poor and broken; it is those who give themselves to serve others who are your saints, following the example of Jesus Christ, our Lord, our Savior, our Shepherd, guiding us to the wellsprings of life.

*Assurance of Pardon
…we are forgiven and made new. **We can taste the yeasty flavor of grace, we can drink the deep wine of hope, we can find our home in God's heart, receiving mercy and new life. Thanks be to God. Amen.**

*Hymn of Response "Sing Praise to God Who Reigns Above" Hymn #645, v. 1
"Sing praise to God who reigns above, the God of all creation, the God of power, the God of love, the God of our salvation. With healing balm my soul is filled, and every faithless murmur stilled: to God all praise and glory!"

*Greeting in Christ's Name

The Word

Time with Our Children
Prayer for Illumination
Scripture 1 Corinthians 14:26-40 Pew Bible, pg. 176

Sermon "Did You Say Something?" Rev. Dr. Holly Robertson

Response to Grace

*Affirmation of Faith, The Nicene Creed
We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.
We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father; through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven, was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary and became truly human. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.
We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

Call for the Offering
Offertory
*Doxology Hymn #582
**"Glory to God, whose goodness shines on me, and to the Son,
whose grace has pardoned me, and to the Spirit, whose love has set me free.
As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be. Amen."**

*Prayer of Dedication
*Hymn "One Bread, One Body" Hymn #530

The Sacrament of Holy Communion

Words of Institution
Great Prayer of Thanksgiving
…Holy, Holy, Holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory, hosanna in the highest. We lift our voices to you as we pray the prayer Your Son taught us saying…
Prayers of the people and the Lord's Prayer
…Our Father, Who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. Lead us not into temptation; but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

The Bread
The Cup
Prayer after Communion/Prayer for Others and Ourselves

We Remember the Saints, who today partake with God in Heaven.
Jim Beineke Betsy Evans David Jolley Sally Reusch Jane Reusch

The Sending

*Closing Hymn "For All the Saints" Hymn #326
*Benediction
*Benediction Response "When in Our Music God Is Glorified" #641, v. 5

**"Let every instrument be tuned for praise! Let all rejoice who have a voice to raise!
And may God give us faith to sing always: Alleluia! Alleluia!"**

Postlude
(Please remain seated and reflect upon the service)

WORSHIP NOTES
*All are invited to stand in body or spirit
Liturgist: Roger Neff
Acolyte: Vank Russman Family
All hymns from Glory to God unless otherwise noted

Attribution: Rev. Dr. Thom Schuman and Rev. Dr. Holly Robertson

Service of Worship

November 1st, 2026
All Saints' Sunday



First Presbyterian Church of Fort Thomas

Rev. Dr. Holly Robertson, Pastor
Mika Komuro, Pianist