

## WELCOME VISITORS!

It is our hope that you will feel invited, welcomed, and loved as you worship with us! First Presbyterian Church is a family of faith committed to inviting and welcoming everyone into God's amazing love! For information, visit us on our website at: [fpcoh.org](http://fpcoh.org)

Facebook Live! – Join us for our daily labyrinth walk with Pastor Kennedy (Every weekday at varying times.)

### Each Sunday Morning:

9:00 a.m. – Prayer on the Patio in-person with Pastor Kennedy

10:15 a.m. – In-person & Live Streaming of Worship Service

### Each Wednesday Evening:

5:00 p.m. – Zoom meeting Bible Study and prayer time

Look for an email on Wednesdays with the zoom link.

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**Welcome to our Worship Service!  
We are so glad you are here!**

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## WELCOME & CALL TO REFLECTION

PRELUDE – Great Is Thy Faithfulness

Doug Wagner

## PRAYER OF TRANSFORMATION

HYMN – Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise

Hymn #263

Verses 1, 2 & 4

## PRAYER FOR FORGIVENESS

A TIME OF SILENCE

## ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

Because He Lives

Because He lives, I can face tomorrow; Because He lives all fear is gone,  
Because I know He holds the future,  
and life is worth the living just because He lives.

## THE NEWS OF THE COMMUNITY

PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

Kennedy M. McGowan

Making A Life to be Proud Of  
Determining the Direction of Your Story  
Decide Your Present, Determine Your Future

SCRIPTURE READING – Deuteronomy 30:11-20 (NRSV)

“Surely, this commandment that I am commanding you today is not too hard for you, nor is it too far away. It is not in heaven, that you should say, ‘Who will go up to heaven for us and get it for us so that we may hear it and observe it?’ Neither is it beyond the sea, that you should say, ‘Who will cross to the other side of the sea for us and get it for us so that we may hear it and observe it?’ No, the word is very near to you; it is in your mouth and in your heart for you to observe. “See, I have set before you today life and prosperity, death and adversity. If you obey the commandments of the Lord your God that I am commanding you today, by loving the Lord your God, walking in his ways, and observing his commandments, decrees, and ordinances, then you shall live and become numerous, and the Lord your God will bless you in the land that you are entering to possess. But if your heart turns away and you do not hear but are led astray to bow down to other gods and serve them, I declare to you today that you shall certainly perish; you shall not live long in the land that you are crossing the Jordan to enter and possess. I call heaven and earth to witness against you today that I have set

before you life and death, blessings and curses. Choose life so that you and your descendants may live, loving the Lord your God, obeying him, and holding fast to him, for that means life to you and length of days, so that you may live in the land that the Lord swore to give to your ancestors, to Abraham, to Isaac, and to Jacob.”

THE LORD’S PRAYER – Debtors version

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. 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.

Offering – Faithfulness

Joel Raney

Jemara Aviton, Soloist

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OFFERING OF PRAYER

Adapted from Michel Quoist, 1918-1997

Lord, we have time, we have plenty of time, all the time that you give us, the years of our lives, the days of our years, the hours of our days. They are all ours, ours to fill, quietly, calmly, ours to fill completely, up to the brim, to offer them to you, that of the water of our days you may make a rich wine such as you made once in Cana of Galilee. We are not asking you today, Lord, for time to do this and then that, but your grace to do conscientiously, in the time that you give us, what you want us to do. In Jesus’ name we pray. Amen

HYMN – Amazing Grace, How Sweet the Sound

Hymn #280

Verses 1 – 5

## CHARGE AND BLESSING

POSTLUDE – Amazing Grace

Christopher Pardini





## Upcoming Events

### Love and Pasta Friday at First Church

Feb 3, 2023 5:30 PM

Love is in the air! Join us for our next First Friday at First event hosted by Louise Hardenburg and Penny Johns. There will be Italian food, live violin music, and a movie for the kids.

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