

# First Presbyterian Church

Service for the Lord's Day  
Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

January 20, 2019

10:00 a.m.

*In preparation for worship, please turn off all cell phones and electronic devices.*

## ASSEMBLE IN GOD'S NAME

Gathering Music

Concerns of the Church

Prelude "A Celebration Fanfare"

Best

Call to Worship

from Psalm 36

Your steadfast love, O Lord, reaches to the heavens.

***Your faithfulness extends to the clouds.***

Your righteousness is like the mighty mountains.

***You save humans and animals alike, O Lord.***

\* Hymn 477 "Thy Mercy and Thy Truth, O Lord"

*Ushers will collect prayer request cards from the center aisle.*

\* Call to Confession

\* Prayer of Confession

***O Lord our God,***

***you call us to work for a world***

***where all will be fed and have dignity,***

***but we find ourselves distracted by our own desires.***

***You call us to seek justice and peace,***

***but we are satisfied with injustice and discord.***

***You call us to bring liberty to the oppressed,***

***but we do not insist on freedom for all.***

***Forgive us, O Lord.***

***Turn us to your will by the power of your Spirit,***

***so that all may know your justice and peace;***

***through Jesus Christ, your Son, our Savior.***

\* Silent Confession

\* Assurance of Pardon

\* Passing of the Peace

\* Response 584

***Glory, glory, glory – glory be to God on high! (repeat)***

***And on earth peace to all people in whom God is well pleased. (repeat)***

Special Music

"Come, Let's Dance"

arr. Burkhardt

*Alleluia and Chapel Choirs*

## PROCLAIM GOD'S WORD

Prayer for Illumination

First Lesson: Isaiah 62:1-5 (OT, p. 692)

Psalter: Psalm 36:1-12 (OT, p. 510)

A Time with Children

Anthem

Second Lesson: Luke 4:1-13 (NT, p. 61)

Sermon: "The Preacher's Temptations"

Rev. Carter

*Winter sermon series: The Prophet Preacher*

## RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

\* Hymn 618 "O Love, How Deep, How Broad, How High"

\* Affirmation of Faith: Apostles' Creed (Hymnal, p. 35)

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

Offering

Offertory

"Reverie"

Rawsthorne

\* Doxology (607)

\* Prayer of Dedication

**GO IN GOD'S NAME**

- \* Hymn 331 "God of the Ages, Whose Almighty Hand"
- \* Charge and Benediction
- \* Congregational Amen (601)
- \* Postlude "Sortie" Wagner

*All are invited to remain seated to listen to the postlude.  
If you are leaving before it is finished, please do so quietly.*

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\* All who are able shall stand.

***The flowers** this morning have been given to the Glory of God and in loving memory of my parents, Franklin and Juanita Curtis Gelder by Margaret Reese.*

**PARTICIPANTS IN TODAY'S SERVICE**

Pastor	Rev. William G. Carter
Coordinator of Children and Youth	Jana Schillinger
Director of Music	Frank Jones
Organist	Kay Ten Eyck
Liturgist	Members of the Alleluia and Chapel Choirs
Ushers	Bill Farrell, Hadley Gilbert
Greeter	Nancy London



*We are a Stephen Ministry congregation.*

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**One does not  
live by bread  
alone.**

**Luke 4:4**

