



Welcome to First Pres! We are so glad you are here today. First Pres is an exciting faith community in which to live out your Christian discipleship. If you are a first time visitor to First Presbyterian Church, please take a moment to see one of the greeters on your way out for a special visitor gift. They will also be glad to answer any questions you might have.



We celebrate your participation in worship today. Please take a moment to register your attendance using the QR code here.

Interested in Joining First Pres? If you are considering church membership, please speak with a minister following worship. You may also call the church office at 817.335.1231 to speak with Chris Bartley (Monday through Thursday, 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.).

Children of all ages are a welcome blessing in worship! Children are invited to worship with their families. Parents, ask an usher for a worship bag full of activities to keep children engaged. Members, having children in worship is a gift and sign that our congregation is growing. Please welcome children and offer parents a smile of encouragement.

Stephen Ministry cares for people in crisis or transition. For more information, contact the Rev. Ashley Drake Mertz in the church office, 817.335.1231 ext. 264.

Large print bulletins and personal sound systems are available from an usher.

Our in-person and online congregations share worship together. This service may be livestreamed or recorded. Your image (photos and video) may appear on our Facebook page, YouTube channel, and our website. Questions about this policy? Please email communications@fpcf.org.

The flowers in the Chancel are given in loving memory of George and Mary Morgan Sullivan from their family.



Offerings can be given by using the envelopes provided in the worship spaces and placing your gift in the offering plate, or by using the QR code here to give online.



First Pres is a congregation of the Presbyterian Church (USA). Learn more about our denomination by visiting www.pcusa.org.



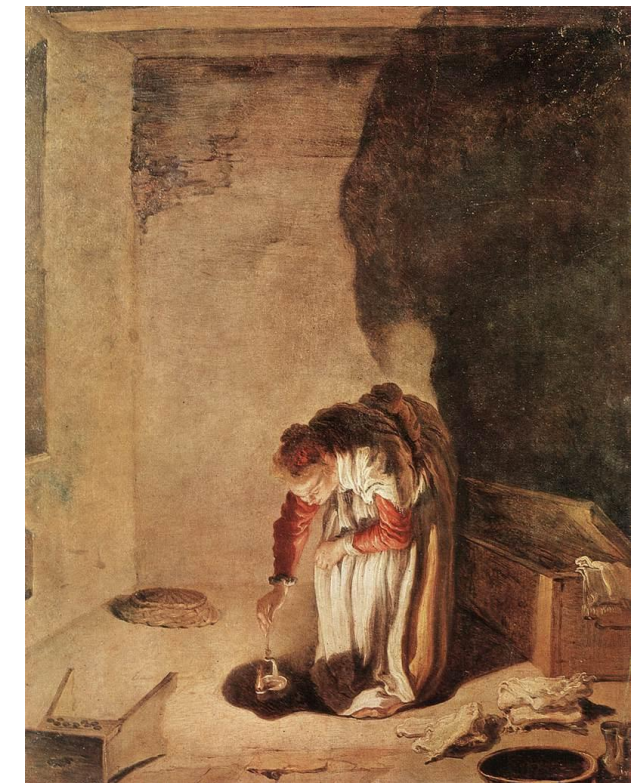
Staff & Worship Participants

Pastor/Head of Staff	The Rev. Dr. Brian Coulter
Senior Associate Pastor	The Rev. Dr. Michael Waschevski
Associate Pastor	The Rev. Dr. Robyn Michalove
Associate Pastor for Youth	The Rev. Dr. Josh Stewart
Parish Associate for Pastoral Care	The Rev. Ashley Drake Mertz
Director of Music/Organist	Dr. Ahreum Han Congdon
Music Associates	Rebecca Sawyer, Laura Collins
Associate Organist & Choral Assistant	Brent McCartney
Director of Children's Ministry	Ann Nielsen
Engagement Coordinator	Eric Varnon
Senior Director of Engagement & Programs	Chris Bartley
Parish Visitor	Matt McGraw
Digital Content Producer	Felix Oyola
Liturgist	Carol Adcock

Ministers: The Entire Congregation
Partner Congregation in Fort Worth: Mount Moriah Missionary Baptist Church
Partner Congregations in Cuba: Buen Pastor, Resurrection,
and Cidra Presbyterian Churches

5TH SUNDAY
AFTER PENTECOST
 Sunday, June 28, 2026 | 11 a.m.

P A R A B L E S REVEAL + DISRUPT



Domenico Fetti (1589-1623). *Parable of the Lost Drachma*, from Art in the Christian Tradition, a project of the Vanderbilt Divinity Library, Nashville, TN.

Gathering in God's Name

Prelude *American Pastorale* John S. Dixon

Use the prelude to make the transition from getting here to being here.
Open yourself to the Spirit of God moving in our midst.

Welcome, Greeting and Announcements Robyn Michalove

Please pass the Ritual of Friendship down your row and back
to the side aisle during worship in order to greet one another by name.

*Call to Worship Carol Adcock

How manifold are your works, O Lord!
****In wisdom you have made them all; the earth is full of your creatures.**
You send forth your spirit, and they are created;
and so you renew the face of the earth.
I will sing to the Lord as long as I live;
I will praise my God while I have my being

*Hymn *Praise Ye the Lord, the Almighty* 35

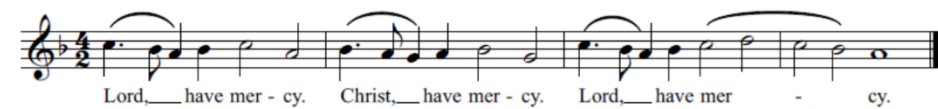
*Call to Confession

*Prayer of Confession

Holy God, we confess that we have grown complacent in our response to you. You set before us a rich feast of blessing, but we are drawn to lesser things that cannot satisfy. You call us to attend to urgent needs in the world, but we indulge our own desires. Our ways are not your ways; our thoughts do not ascend to your thoughts.

Forgive us when we fall short of your claim upon our lives. Disturb our complacency and quicken our desire for a more fruitful life. Be patient, we pray, as we amend who we are in the hope of becoming who you intend us to be. We ask this in the name of our Savior, your Son, Jesus Christ. Amen.

Kyrie *Lord, Have Mercy* 579



* The congregation may stand. ** Words in bold are read in unison.

*Assurance of Pardon

God's mercy overflows as a healing spring to cleanse us of our sin; therefore, know that you are forgiven and receive new life in Christ.

Thanks be to God!
May the peace of Christ be with you.
And also with you.

*The Peace

Please share the peace with those around you by saying,
"The peace of Christ be with you," and responding, "And also with you."

*Gloria Patri *Glory Be to the Father* 581

Encountering God's Word

Prayer for Illumination

First Lesson (page 508, Old Testament) Psalm 34.11-18

Children's Moment Ann Nielsen

Jesus Loves Me! 188

**Jesus loves me! This I know, for the Bible tells me so.
Little ones to him belong. They are weak, but he is strong.**

**Yes, Jesus loves me! Yes, Jesus loves me!
Yes, Jesus loves me! The Bible tells me so.**

TEXT: Stanza 1, Anna Bartlett Warner, 1859; stanza 2, David Rutherford McGuire, 1971.

Anthem *Since I Have Been Redeemed* Gordon Schuster

Second Lesson (page 78, New Testament) Luke 15.8-10

Sermon "the lost coin" Brian Coulter

Responding to God's Word

*Hymn *The King of Love My Shepherd Is* 802
(v. 1, 2, 3, & 6)

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer Josh Stewart

**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; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.**

Offering of God's Tithes and Our Offerings

Offertory *Zion's Walls* Aaron Copland
Chancel Choir

*Come fathers and mothers, come sisters and brothers,
come join us in singing the praises of Zion.
O fathers, don't you feel determined to meet within the walls of Zion.
We'll shout and go round the walls of Zion.*

*Doxology *Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow* 606

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
praise God all creatures here below;
praise God above ye heavenly host;
praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

*Prayer of Dedication

Going in God's Name

*Hymn *Rejoice, Ye Pure in Heart* 804

*Benediction

*Sung Amen 601

Postlude *Hornpipe in D* John S. Dixon