



First
Presbyterian
CHURCH SALINA

June 14, 2026



Christ Teaching the Disciples

Hans Schäufelein, 1517

*for those who wish to stand
Bold print indicates congregational participation

Today's Liturgy written by Rae Watson for Presbyterian Outlook, 2026

GATHERING AROUND GOD'S WORD

PRELUDE

WELCOME

Phil Price

*please sign the act of friendship pad

BREATH PRAYER

Inhale: "God, awaken my soul to beauty."

Exhale: "I resist the tyranny of despair."

CALL TO WORSHIP (based on Psalm 116)

One: The Lord hears us when we cry out.

All: Praise the Lord!

One: The Lord showers us with blessings.

All: Praise the Lord!

One: Let us lift up the name of Lord for all to hear!

All: Praise the Lord!

One: Let us sing of God's endless grace and compassion!

All: Let us worship God!

*OPENING HYMN

My Soul Cries Out With a Joyful Shout

#100 vs. 1 & 2

CALL TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Loving God, we come with heavy hearts. We have not lived as you have called us to live. We give up too easily. We ignore our neighbor's cries for help and are silent in the face of injustice. We lose hope. We fail to see your blessings among us and are blind to the glimpses of the kingdom all around us. We are weak. Have mercy upon us. Shower us with your grace that we might be enlivened for service and for love. Lord, hear our prayer.

TIME FOR SILENT PRAYER AND REFLECTION

WORDS OF FORGIVENESS

One: Friends, God loves you. God wants to be in relationship with you. God allows nothing to come between you and God. Believe this and know that you are forgiven and freed to love and serve.

All: Alleluia! Amen.

*RESPONSE TO FORGIVENESS

Glory to God

***Glory to God, glory to God,
glory in the highest!
Glory to God, Glory to God,
alleluia, alleluia!***

WELCOME THE CHILDREN

Heidi Paquin

***This, this is where children belong.
Welcomed as part of the worshiping throng.
Water, God's Word, bread and cup, prayer, and song:
This is where children belong.***

PROCLAIMING GOD'S WORD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE READING

Psalm 100

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One: The grass withers, the flower fades; but the word of our God will stand for ever.

All: Thanks be to God.

ANTHEM

Canticle of Creation

Burrows

SCRIPTURE READING

Matthew 9:35-10:8

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One: This is God's word to us.

All: Thanks be to God.

SERMON

For Those Who Need Good News

Tim Maguffee

RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH (from A Brief Statement of Faith)

All: We trust in God the Holy Spirit, everywhere the giver and renewer of life. In a broken and fearful world the Spirit gives us courage to pray without ceasing, to witness among all peoples to Christ as Lord and Savior, to unmask idolatries in Church and culture, to hear the voices of people long silenced, and to work with others for justice, freedom, and peace. With believers in every time and place, we rejoice that nothing in life or in death can separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit. Amen.

*HYMN OF AFFIRMATION

In Christ There Is No East or West

#318

RECOGNIZING

Laura Sykora

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

GIVING OF OUR GIFTS

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CALL TO OFFERING

OFFERTORY MUSIC

How Firm A Foundation

Larson

*DOXOLOGY

#609

*OFFERTORY PRAYER

SENT OUT TO BEAR GOD'S WORD IN THE WORLD

*SENDING HYMN

O for a World

#372

*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

TODAY'S VOLUNTEERS:

Worship Assistant: *Phil Price*

Hospitality Host: *Amy Cole*

Ushers: *The Payne Family*

Weekly Glance

MONDAY, June 15: 5:15pm – Session

TUESDAY, June 16: 4:00pm – Deacons

WEDNESDAY, June 17: Salina Grace meal prep & serve

SUNDAY, June 21: 10:00am – Worship, Sanctuary

Looking Forward



Fill the
FREEZER

Tuesday
June 23
5:00 - 7:00PM
Kitchen



Listening Groups, June 27 - 29

We want your insights, your frustrations and your dreams to be heard.

Report Presentation

June 29, 5:30pm, Chapel



4th JULY
INDEPENDENCE DAY

FPC is Closed
July 3

**Assemble
Weekend
Food Bags**



July 5 After Worship



Planning for Our Future

We value the future of our church, and we are committed to building upon the solid foundation that has been laid. That's why we are developing a game plan together to ensure we continue to build a sustainable and strategic ministry that is going to have a deep impact. We have invited **Ministry Architects** to visit us June 27-29. (Learn more about them at www.ministryarchitects.com).

Ministry Architects will spend the majority of their time that weekend listening to us through focused listening groups. We hope to see participation in those groups from a broad spectrum of members—regular attenders, volunteers, leadership, youth and any other stakeholders.

- We want your insights, your frustrations and your dreams to be heard.

Sign-up sheets for a listening session at 5:00 – 6:15 on Saturday, June 27 and another at 8:30 – 9:45 on Sunday, June 28 are posted on an easel located in the narthex. Please take a few minutes to sign up or contact the church office to let us know you will be attending.

- If you are unable to attend an in-person listening session you can fill out the assessment absentee survey that will be available on the church website on the home page and the link will be available in the Weekly Word emails. These forms need to be completed by Thursday, June 25.

Listening Groups Schedule		
Date	Time	Listening Session Group
Sat, June-27	2:00 – 3:15	Session members & spouses
Sat, June-27	3:30 – 4:45	Deacons & spouses
Sat, June-27	5:00 – 6:15	Congregation
Sun, June 28	8:30 – 9:45	Congregation
Sun, June 28	11:15 – 12:45 Blair Hall	Families with children & youth ***Lunch & childcare provided***
Sun, June 28	1:00 – 2:15	Choir & spouses
Sun, June 28	2:30 – 3:45	Volunteers & spouses
Mon, June 29	9:30 – 10:30	Church Staff

After spending time in these listening groups, Ministry Architects will write a report, sharing with us what they've heard about the church's ministry—including assets, challenges, and how we compare to other churches around the country—and where it seems that God might be taking us next. **On Monday, June 29, the report will be presented to the congregation at 5:30 p.m. in the chapel.** It will lay out specific recommendations and a blueprint for how to move forward. You are welcome to attend that presentation.



For Your Information:

- FPC's Nursery, located on the second floor, is available for any child under the age of 6. We also have a playground in the parlor – a space for parents and younger children to be close to the sanctuary during worship.
- **Worship bags** for children of all ages are located in the lobby. When you are finished with the bag, please put it in the basket so that it can be replenished and straightened.
- Extra hymnals, including large print, and Bibles are available in the back of the sanctuary.
- The sanctuary is equipped with a Hearing Loop. Please switch your hearing aid to t-coil to use. *Please see your audiologist to activate your t-coil if you haven't done so yet.* Headsets are also available. **Please sit in center section of Sanctuary.**



Faith Formation Programs:

- **FBI-In-Training** is our Faith Formation program for children age 2 through Pre-K.
- **FBI** (Faithful Bible Investigators) is our Faith Formation program for children in grades K-5.
 - FBI & FBI-In-Training meet every Wednesday during the school year at 3:45 pm.
- **God Squad** is our 6th-8th grade Youth Bible Study that meets every other Wednesday during the school year from 6:30-7:45 pm in the Youth Room or a restaurant.
- **HeBrews** is our 9th-12th grade Youth Bible Study that meets every Thursday during the school year at 7:00 am at Mokas on Crawford. The name is derived from *Hebrews 10:25*.

CHURCH STAFF

Ministers: *Every Member of Congregation*
Pastor/ Head of Staff: *Rev. Phil Price*
Administrative Coordinator: *Nicole Olson*
Bookkeeper: *Kathleen Pierson*
Building & Grounds Coordinator: *Steve Fowler*
Week Day Custodian: *Dennis Augustine*
Sunday Custodian: *Kirsten Lilak*

Children's Ministry Director: *Heidi Paquin*
CE Assistant: *Meghan Hessman*
Nursery Caregivers: *Kirsten Lilak & Haley Lindenmuth*
Youth Volunteer Leaders: *Makenzi & Trey Cullins,*
Music Director: *Dr. Richard Koshgarian*
Musician: *Parker Freeland*
Worship A/V Tech: *Jesse Smith*

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