

First Presbyterian Church of Weaverville



“America! America! God shed his grace on thee,
And crown thy good with brotherhood
From sea to shining sea.”

***The First Presbyterian Church of Weaverville, North Carolina
exists to praise and magnify the name of God, bringing people
to Christ and uniting them with the Covenant Family,
developing them to Christ-like maturity and equipping
them for ministry to the Church and to the world.***

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The First Presbyterian Church of Weaverville

July 3, 2022



Prelude

Be Exalted, O God

based on

Psalm 57:9-11 ~ *I will praise You, O Lord, among the peoples;
I will sing to You among the nations.
For your mercy reaches unto the heavens,
And Your truth unto the clouds.
Be exalted, O God, above the heavens;
Let your glory be above all the earth.*

Psalm 97:9 ~ *For You, Lord, are most high above all the earth.*

Welcome

Call to Worship – Psalm 9:1-2, 7-10

LEADER: I will praise You, O Lord, with all my heart; I will tell of all Your wonders.

PEOPLE: I will be glad and rejoice in You; I will sing praise to Your name, O Most High.

LEADER: The Lord reigns forever; He has established His throne judgment. He will judge the world in righteousness; He will govern the peoples with justice.

PEOPLE: The Lord is a refuge for the oppressed, a stronghold in times of trouble.

ALL: Those who know Your name will trust in You, for You, O Lord, have never forsaken those who seek You.



Opening Hymns of Worship

He Is Exalted

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*He is exalted, the King is exalted on high; I will praise Him.
He is exalted, forever exalted, and I will praise His name!
He is the Lord; forever His truth shall reign.
Heaven and earth rejoice in His holy name.
He is exalted, the King is exalted on high.*

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*Holy God, we praise Thy name;
Lord of all, we bow before Thee;
All on earth Thy scepter claim;
All in heav'n above adore Thee.
Infinite Thy vast domain;
Everlasting is Thy reign.*

*Hark, the glad celestial hymn
Angel choirs above are raising;
Cherubim and seraphim
In unceasing chorus praising;
Fill the heav'ns with sweet accord:
Holy, holy, holy Lord.*

*Holy Father, holy Son,
Holy Spirit: Three we name Thee
While in essence only one;
Undivided God we claim Thee,
And adoring, bend the knee
While we sing our praise to Thee.*



Invocation

Statement of Faith – Westminster Larger Catechism Questions 41 and 42

Q41: Why was our mediator called Jesus?

A41: Our mediator was called Jesus, because He saves His people from their sins.

Q42: Why was our mediator called Christ?

A42: Our mediator was called Christ, because He was anointed with the Holy Ghost above measure; and so set apart, and fully furnished with all authority and ability, to execute the offices of Prophet, Priest, and King of His church, in the estate both of His humiliation and exaltation.



Confession of Sin

Almighty God, Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, Maker of all things and Righteous Judge of all men; we acknowledge with grief our many sins and our wickedness. We have sinned by thought, word and deed. We have done so against Your divine majesty, justly provoking Your anger and indignation against us. We earnestly repent as we heartedly grieve our many misdoings. Have mercy on us most merciful Father. For the sake of Your Son our Lord Jesus Christ, forgive us of all that is past and grant that we may hereafter serve and please You in newness of life to the glory of Your name. Through Jesus our Lord we pray, amen.

Assurance of Pardon – Isaiah 44:22

I have swept away your offenses like a cloud, your sins like the morning mist. Return to Me, for I have redeemed you. Sing for joy, O heavens, for the Lord has done this; shout aloud, O earth beneath. Burst into song, you mountains, you forests and all your trees, for the Lord has redeemed Jacob, He displays His glory in Israel.



Hymn

Crown Him with Many Crowns

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*Crown Him with many crowns, The Lamb upon His throne.
Hark! how the heav'nly anthem drowns All music but its own!
Awake, my soul, my sing Of Him who died for thee,
And hail Him as thy matchless King Thro' all eternity.*

*Crown Him the Lord of love! Behold His hands and side-
Rich wounds, yet visible above, In beauty glorified.
All hail, Redeemer, hail! For Thou hast died for me:
Thy praise and glory shall not fail Thro' out eternity.*

*Crown Him the Lord of life! Who triumphed o'er the grave;
Who rose victorious in the strife For those He came to save.
His glories now we sing, Who died and rose on high,
Who died eternal life to bring And lives that death may die.*

*Crown Him the Lord of heav'n! One with the Father known,
One with the Spirit thro' Him giv'n From yonder glorious throne.
To Thee be endless praise, For Thou for us hast died.
Be Thou, O Lord, thro' endless days Adored and magnified!*



Congregational Prayer

Giving of God's Tithe and Our Offerings

Offertory



Reading of God's Word – Romans 14:10-12

Please stand for the reading of God's Word

You, then, why do you judge your brother? Or why do you look down on your brother? For we will all stand before God's judgment seat. It is written: "'As surely as I live,' says the Lord, every knee will bow before me; every tongue will confess to God.'" So then, each of us will give an account of himself to God.

“Giving an Account to God”



Hymn of Response

My Faith Has Found a Resting Place

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My faith has found a resting place- Not in device nor creed:
I trust the Ever-living One- His wounds for me shall plead.

*I need no other argument, I need no other plea;
It is enough that Jesus died, And that He died for me.*

Enough for me that Jesus saves- This ends my fear and doubt;
A sinful soul, I come to Him- He'll never cast me out.

*I need no other argument, I need no other plea;
It is enough that Jesus died, And that He died for me.*

My heart is leaning on the Word- The written Word of God:
Salvation by my Savior's name, Salvation thro' His blood.

*I need no other argument, I need no other plea;
It is enough that Jesus died, And that He died for me.*

My great Physician heals the sick- The lost He came to save;
For me His precious blood He shed- For me His life He gave.

*I need no other argument, I need no other plea;
It is enough that Jesus died, And that He died for me.*



Benediction – Ephesians 3:20-21

Now to Him who is able to do immeasurably more than all we ask or imagine, according to His power that is at work within us, to Him be glory in the church and in Christ Jesus throughout all generations, for ever and ever. Amen.

Postlude

CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

July 3, 2022

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Thank you to all those who sent me birthday cards and who came to help me celebrate 103 years with cake and goodies. I wish I could thank each of you personally. Love you dearly. *Margaret Dillard*

This year marks the 100th anniversary of the church here at FPCW. If you are interested in being on a committee of folks to plan a celebration please signup on the tear-off sheet and place it in the offertory plate.

Greeters: Circle Peace ~ Tena Cole & Carol McAbee
Elder ~ Steve Russell Deacon ~ Steve Morris

Al Harrell's Small Group meet Sunday evening's from 5:00-7:00 pm in the Church Office Conference Room. All are welcome to join.

The office will be closed Monday, July 4.

Men's Bible Study ~ Tuesday's at 10:30 am in the Conference Room – Join us as Bryan Tom teaches the *Parables of Jesus*.

Join us for Wednesday evening Prayer Meeting / Bible Study each Wednesday at 6:30 pm in the Conference Room.

Gifts of Grace will meet Thursday, July 7 at 1:00 pm in the Sunday school bottom floor area.

There will be a Combined Circle Meeting on Tuesday, July 12 at 5:30 pm in the Fellowship Hall. We will have a meal first, fellowship and split up into circle groups. The meal is a Taco Bar, catered from Moe's Southwest Grill, dessert and drink. Cost is \$10. Please sign up on the tear-off sheet. **Deadline to sign-up AND pay is Wednesday, July 6.**

ABCCM North ~ the following items are needed for ABCCM North's food pantry: **Canned tuna or chicken, pancake syrup, spaghetti sauce (no pasta) beef stew, soups.** Drop your bags off at the church office or in the church sanctuary foyer.

First Presbyterian Church Welcomes You!

Everyone

Today's Date: July 3, 2022

Name _____

Attendance: __1st time __2nd time __regular

I would like to join the church _____

Visitors

Name _____

Street _____

City/State/Zip _____

Telephone/Cell _____

E-mail _____

I would like to receive the weekly Prayer Band _____

Are you a member of a church? _____

Where _____

I came as a guest of _____

I would like more information about First Presbyterian Church of Weaverville.

Please call me

Please e-mail me

Please schedule a home visit

Prayer Requests

CD Ministry

CD's of First Presbyterian's Morning Worship Service are available upon request.

Date of Service: _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

Please complete this tear-off sheet
and place it in the offering box.

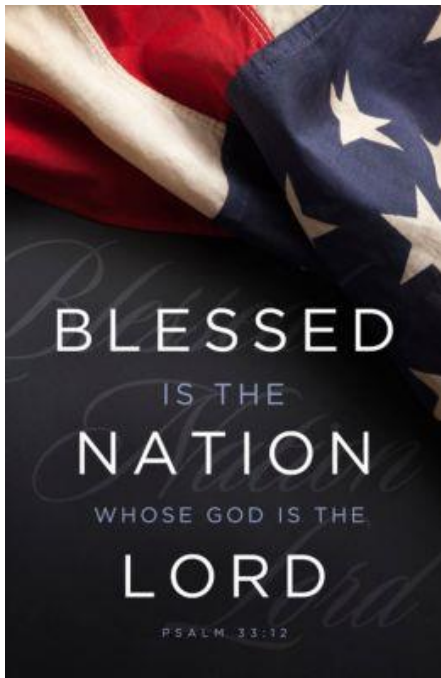
Combined Circle Meeting & Dinner

Tuesday, July 12

Name _____

100th Church Celebration

Name _____



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Church Directory

- Skip Gillikin - Pastor (280-7333)
- Flavien Pardigon - Assistant Pastor
- Elaine Brewer - Church Secretary
- Connie Buckner - Women's Ministry Coordinator
- Betty Dendy - Sunday School Director
- Buddy Fisher - Church Treasurer
- Steve Russell - Mission Ministry Team Chairman

Ministers - all members of this local body of Christ who desire to use their spiritual gifts to build up one another, take the Gospel to the world and glorify God in all they do.

The Session

- Class of 2022: Steve Russell and Alan Sonner
- Class of 2023: Shawn Cole
- Class of 2024: Steve Blevins

Board of Deacons

- Class of 2022: Kit Conrad
- Class of 2023: Buddy Fisher and Britt Webb
- Class of 2024: Jim Eldridge and Steve Morris

Our Missionaries (missionaries we financially support)

- Marc and Denise Atchley (TEAM) ----- Greece
- Alice Brawand (Wycliffe) -----Texas/Guatemala
- Mark and Annemarie Dye (UWM) ----- Kenya
- Merle and June Dye (SIM) ----- Southeast
- Miriam Gebb, RN (Reach Beyond) ----- Brazil/Ecuador
- Collin and Zury (MTW) ----- West Africa
- Glenn & Bonnie Lafitte (Reach Beyond) ---- Texas/Mexico Border
- F and I ----- Africa/Asia
- Debbie Richards (MTW) ----- Japan
- Mike and Eli Sabin (MTW) ----- Guam
- Rick and Yvonne Sawyer (Hope for Miami) ----- Miami
- Kenton and Adriana Wood (MTW) ----- Mexico

- Rob Herron ----- RUF Appalachian State
- Andrew Shank ----- RUF Western Carolina University
- New Direction Mustard Seed ----- Asheville
- ABCCM North Ministries ----- Weaverville

Remember our missionaries and our overall ministry in your prayer times.
The First Presbyterian Church of Weaverville, organized in 1921, is a congregation of the Presbyterian Church in America.