

*The First Presbyterian Church of Dunedin
The Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
June 27, 2010
10:30 a.m.*

Enter the church in silence. Through silence speak to God and let God speak to you.

PREPARATION: *The following are the scriptures for this morning: Psalm 77:1-2,11-20 (Pew Bible pages 467-468), 2 Kings 2:1-2,6-14 (page 290) Elisha receives the mantle from Elijah. Galatians 5:1, 13-25 (page 948) For freedom Christ has set us free to become slaves to one another. Luke 9:51-62 (page 843) The nature of the commitment to following Christ.*

PRAYER FOR THE DAY: *Dear God, as we go along our life's way, help us to be aware of your presence with us. Open our eyes and our hearts that we might love you and serve you. Amen.*

THE GATHERING

WELCOME

PRELUDE

"Prelude on BUNESSAN"

Powell

INTROIT (Hymn #469)

"Morning Has Broken"

Bunessan

CHOIR: Morning has broken like the first morning,
Blackbird has spoken like the first bird.
Praise for the singing! Praise for the morning!
Praise for them, springing fresh from the Word!

*ALL: **Mine is the sunlight! Mine is the morning
Born of the one light Eden saw play!
Praise with elation, praise every morning,
God's re-creation of the new day!**

*OPENING SENTENCES

Psalm 77

LEADER: I will call to mind the deeds of the Lord;
I will remember your wonders of old.

PEOPLE: **We will meditate on all your work,
and muse on your mighty deeds.**

LEADER: Your way, O God, is holy. What god is so great as our God?

PEOPLE: **You are the God who works wonders;
you have displayed your might among the peoples.**

ALL: **Let us worship God!**

*HYMN #434

"Today We Are Called to Be Disciples"

Kingsfold

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

LEADER: If we claim that we have no sin,
we deceive ourselves and the truth is not in us.

PEOPLE: **But if we confess our sins, God is just,
and may be trusted to forgive our sins
and cleanse us from every kind of wrong.**

LEADER: Let us admit our sin before God.

ALL: **O God, in Jesus Christ you call us to follow, to walk in your ways and to
seek your truth. Jesus keeps calling; but we keep turning away, finding
excuses and giving our hearts to other gods. Still Jesus calls to us, in
spite of our sin. Help us to hear him. Release us from the entanglements
that prevent us from following him. Forgive our sins and draw us ever
closer. Amen.**

RESPONSE (Sing the Faith #2164)

"Sanctuary"

Sanctuary

CHOIR: Lord, prepare me to be a sanctuary, pure and holy, tried and true.
With thanksgiving, I'll be a living sanctuary for you.

ALL: **Lord, prepare me to be a sanctuary, pure and holy, tried and true.
With thanksgiving, I'll be a living sanctuary for you.**

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

LEADER: The mercy of the Lord is from everlasting to everlasting.
I declare to you, in the name of Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.

PEOPLE: **May the God of mercy, who forgives us all our sins, strengthen us in all
goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit, keep us in eternal life.**

*GLORIA PATRI (Hymnal #579) *"Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;
as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen."*

CHILDREN'S SERMON

Eric Houghton

(The children are invited to remain for worship.)

THE WORD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

EPISTLE READING

The Word of the Lord!
Thanks be to God!

Galatians 5:1, 13-25

ANTHEM

"The Best of Rooms"

Wood

GOSPEL READING

Luke 9:51-62

*The Gospel of the Lord!
Praise to You, O Christ!*

SERMON

“Tough Going”

Rev. Victoria ByRoade

THE RESPONSE

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE OF GOD

***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH**

We believe in God above us, Maker and Sustainer of all life, of sun and moon, of water and earth, of male and female. We believe in God beside us, Jesus Christ, the Word made Flesh, born of a woman’s womb, servant of the poor. He was tortured and nailed to a tree. A man of sorrows, he died, forsaken. He descended into the earth to the place of death. On the third day he rose from the tomb. He ascended into heaven to be everywhere present, and his kingdom will come on earth. We believe in God within us, the Holy Spirit of Pentecostal fire, life-giving breath of the church, Spirit of healing and forgiveness, source of resurrection and of life everlasting. Amen.

OFFERING OF OUR TITHES AND GIFTS

OFFERTORY

***DOXOLOGY (Hymnal #591) “Praise God, from whom all blessings flow. Praise Him all creatures here below. Praise Him above ye heavenly host. Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.”**

***PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

THE SENDING

***HYMN #525**

“Here I Am, Lord”

Schutte

***BENEDICTION**

***RESPONSE (Hymn #369)**

“I’m Gonna Live So God Can Use Me”

Spiritual

**ALL: I’m gonna live so (live so) God can use me anywhere, Lord, anytime!
I’m gonna live so (live so) God can use me anywhere, Lord, anytime!
I’m gonna work so (work so) God can use me anywhere, Lord, anytime!
I’m gonna work so (work so) God can use me anywhere, Lord, anytime!**

***CHARGE**

***POSTLUDE**

“Agincourt Hymn”

Deo Gracias

**The congregation stands. If standing is difficult for you, please feel free to remain seated.*

NEXT SUNDAY, July 4, 2010 will be the Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time and the Sacrament of the Lord’s Supper. The scripture readings will be: Psalm 30 or Psalm 66:1-9 (Pew Bible page 439 or 459-460), 2 Kings 5:1-14 (page 293) Elisha heals Naaman of leprosy. Galatians 6:(1-6),7-16 (pages 948-949) May we never boast of anything but the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ. Luke 10:1-11,16-20 (page 844) Jesus sends out the 70; they return with joy.

PRAYER FOR PEACE – INDEPENDENCE In the United States when we celebrate the 4th of July, we generally think about all the freedoms that we have as citizens. The Revolution that followed the Declaration of Independence was a hard time for everybody, both settlers and those left behind in Ireland, Wales, England and France. The leaders of the original 13 colonies fought to protect rights of private property, privilege of public commerce, control of our own tax revenue. For many settlers who hoped to find freedom of religion, that too was a right to be defended. The war was awful, with many dead on each side, grieving for families separated and loved ones lost. The colonists’ army had no proper funding, no supplies organized, and poor local support; it’s amazing that the Yankees won the Revolution. Some disputes were in fact not settled until the next war fought in 1812, but finally, out of blood and determination, over false starts and in spite of many miss-steps, the young Nation was formed. As we celebrate the original vision of a government of the people, by the people and for the people, a governmental model unique in the world, we remember that it took effort and tremendous will to create and continues to take effort everyday to hold it together. *Dear Father in Heaven, please bless our country. Bless those who are here and those who want to live here. Bless those who want to model their governments after ours. Ours is not perfect and needs constant adjustment. Give us the skill and the endurance to keep our governments of, by and for our people healthy and productive for many years to come. Amen.*

IF YOU ARE LOOKING FOR A CHURCH HOME and are interested in joining First Presbyterian Church of Dunedin, please indicate your desire to Pastor ByRoade. We are a member congregation of the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.), headquartered in Louisville, Kentucky. Visit www.pcusa.org for news and opportunities at the national level.

WE WELCOME ALL WHO WORSHIP HERE TODAY – Coffee is available in Hager Hall following both services. Coloring pages for children to use during the worship hour are available from the ushers. Our nursery, for infants through age 3, is in the Christian Education Building, downstairs in Room 103. Large print bulletins and large print hymnals are available from the ushers. Hearing devices are also available. Please ask for one at the sound booth.

PARTICIPANTS IN WORSHIP

USHERS: Don Shaffer, Jamie Poppler, Candy Barnette, Ron Barnette

LITURGIST: Mary Beth Dauble

ACOLYTE: Jonathan Gibbs

SANCTUARY FLOWERS THIS WEEK ARE GIVEN TO THE GLORY OF GOD BY

George and Carol Moore in loving memory of their parents

TODAY'S OPPORTUNITIES

- 8:45 a.m. – Worship Café
- 9:30 a.m. – Sunday School/Fellowship
- 10:30 a.m. – Traditional Worship
- 11:30 a.m. – Coffee with Vicki

OPPORTUNITIES THIS WEEK

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| Monday (28 th) | 10:00 a.m. | Strong for Life |
| Wednesday (30 th) | 7:00 p.m. | Video Club |
| | 8:00 p.m. | Worship Café Rehearsal |
| Friday (2 nd) | 10:00 a.m. | Finance Committee |

ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE ROSE- on the organ today is in celebration of the June 21st birth of Olivia Mayes Lowery-Kynes, granddaughter of Allen and Deborah Kynes.

THANK YOU for your prayers. First Church's mission team to Belize is home safe and sound after a "HOT", successful and inspiring trip. We look forward to sharing pictures and stories with the congregation. Watch your bulletins and upcoming editions of the VOICE for details.

THE VIDEO CLUB will meet on June 20 at Pickles Plus (Harborview Center) at 6:00 p.m. for dinner. We will return to the church at approximately 7:00 p.m. to watch the conclusion of *Hatchi - A Dog's Tale*.

PRAYER REQUESTS - the names of people who have requested prayer are listed in italics the first week of their request and any time there are changes in their condition or place of recuperation. A complete listing of the people for whom we need to lift our prayers will also be provided for you in each edition of THE VOICE. (Please call the church office if you have a prayer concern.)

- *Manny Garcia at Mease Dunedin*
- Leonard Skinner at Dunedin Manor Care
- Linda Johnson, niece of Pat Duffy, undergoing treatment for breast cancer
- Claire Allen recuperating in Pittsburg, PA at the home of her sister, Dottie Ingram
- Daniel Hemme and Leah Arnold (Daniel's fiancé) as they prepare for mission work in Peru from June 24 through August 17 with Peace and Hope International.
- Leona Belote at Mease Assisted Living
- Phillip Belote at Mease Continuing Care
- Mary Kruel Greenlee, mother of Joanne Maddox, undergoing treatment for cancer
- Beth Hoffer, daughter of Joe and Donna Hoffer, undergoing treatment for cancer
- Nancy Klopp recuperating at home following surgery
- For improved health: Sue Brice, Barbara Sabo, Lillian McKibben, Paul Hoffer, Scott Miller, Betsy Perkins, Bill Vilsoet, Marge Vilsoet, Lois Krebs, Dotsie Dauble, Bob Harvie, Peg Harvie, Dee Faust, Dave Dauble, Eva Marcantel
- All our members who reside in skilled nursing homes
- The Missio Dei Community, a new church development in the Presbytery of Tampa Bay
- First Presbyterian Church in our desire to be responsible stewards of our talents and finance

First Church Financial Status on: June 23, 2010

<i>Operating Funds</i>	<i>Revenue</i>	<i>Expenses</i>	<i>Surplus (Deficit)</i>
Church	\$ 203,814	\$ 203,364	\$ 450
Pre-School	\$ 112,305	\$ 104,900	\$ 7,405
Totals:	\$ 316,119	\$ 308,264	\$ 7,855

The Giving Trend is seasonal but expenses are not

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