

*The First Presbyterian Church of Dunedin
The Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
July 18, 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 52 (Pew Bible page 453), Amos 8:1-12 (page 748-749) Amos cries out against the unjust treatment of the poor and needy. Colossians 1:15-28 (pages 956-957) The Gospel of Christ proclaimed. Luke 10:38-42 (page 845) Jesus visits the home of Mary and Martha.*

PRAYER FOR THE DAY: *Almighty God, for all that you have done for us, we give thanks. Now, O Lord, make us to be the sort of people who in gratitude do something for you – loving others as you have loved us, risking in order to reach out to others, as you have reached out to us; serving the needs of others as you have served us in our need. Help us to be doers of your word and not hearers only, and so to be the church. Amen.*

THE GATHERING

WELCOME

PRELUDE

“Introduction and Variations on AURELIA”

Hatt

*INTROIT (Hymn #449)

“My Lord! What a Morning”

Spiritual

ALL: (Refrain) My Lord! What a morning. My Lord! What a morning,
Oh, my Lord! What a morning, When the stars begin to fall,
when the stars begin to fall.
You will hear the sinner cry To wake the nations underground,
Looking to my God’s right hand, When the stars begin to fall. (Refrain)
You will hear the Christian shout To wake the nations underground,
Looking to my God’s right hand When the stars begin to fall. (Refrain)

*OPENING SENTENCES

LEADER: Lord, who may dwell in your tabernacle?
Or who may abide upon your holy hill?

PEOPLE: Those who lead a blameless life and do what is right,
who speak the truth from their heart;

LEADER: who do not slander with their tongue;
and do no evil to their friends;
nor heap contempt upon their neighbors.

PEOPLE: Those who do these things will never be overthrown.

LEADER: Praise the Lord!

PEOPLE: The Lord’s name be praised!

*HYMN #443

“O Christ, the Great Foundation”

Aurelia

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

LEADER: This is the covenant I will make with the house of Israel, says the Lord;

PEOPLE: I will put my law within them, and I will write it upon their hearts;
and I will be their God, and they shall be my people.

LEADER: I will forgive their evil deeds, and I will remember their sin no more.
In penitence and faith, let us together confess our sins to God.

ALL: Dear God, we offer ourselves to you, aware that our sins are many.
Sometimes we go too fast. Sometimes we sit too still. We worry about the
wrong things and neglect what is important. We struggle to find the right
balance. Forgive us. Restore us. Help us to find the right measures of
worship and service, of self-care and self-giving, of faith and hope and love,
as we seek to follow the example of Jesus. Amen.

RESPONSE (Hymn #347)

“Forgive Our Sins as We Forgive”

Detroit

ALL: “Forgive our sins as we forgive,” You taught us Lord to pray.

But You alone can grant us grace to live the words we say.

Lord, cleanse the depths within our souls and bid resentment cease.

Then, bound to all in bonds of love, our lives will spread Your peace.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

LEADER: Remember that we are chosen by Christ, who reconciles us to God.

PEOPLE: For through him God was pleased to reconcile to himself all things, whether
on earth or in heaven, by making peace through the blood of his cross.

LEADER: Continue in the faith, remain stable and steadfast, and do not shift from the hope
promised by the gospel, which we have heard.

PEOPLE: In Jesus Christ we are forgiven. Thanks be to God! Amen.

*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

(At this time the children may remain for worship.)

THE WORD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

EPISTLE READING

The Word of the Lord!

Thanks be to God!

Colossians 1:15-28

ANTHEM "Alleluia" Perry

GOSPEL READING Luke 10:38-42

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

SERMON "Heart, Mind and Soul" Rev. Victoria ByRoade

THE RESPONSE

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE OF GOD

RECEPTION OF NEW MEMBERS (see insert)

OFFERING OF OUR TITHES AND GIFTS

OFFERTORY "Lento" Reissiger

***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 #386** "O For a World" Azmon

***BENEDICTION**

***RESPONSE (Hymn #510)** "Jesus, Thou Joy of Loving Hearts" Quebec

ALL: Jesus, Thou joy of loving hearts, Thou fount of life, Thou light of all,
 From the best bliss that earth imparts We turn, unfilled to heed Thy call.
 Our restless spirits yearn for Thee, Where'er our changeful lot is cast,
 Glad when Thy gracious smile we see, Blest when our faith can hold Thee fast.

***CHARGE**

***POSTLUDE** from "Chaconne in d" Pachelbel

**The congregation stands. If standing is difficult for you, please feel free to remain seated. (-3-)*

NEXT SUNDAY, July 25, 2010 will be the Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time. *The scripture readings will be: Psalm 85 (Pew Bible page 473), Hosea 1:2-10 (page 730) The Lord commands Hosea to take a wife. Colossians 2:6-15 (page 957) Be not captive to human thought, but to the gospel of Christ. Luke 11:1-13 (page 845) Jesus teaches the disciples to pray.*

PRAYER FOR PEACE– Threats -There are many things in our lives that threaten us, that break into our hopes for peace and torture us with fear. One of the threats is our concern about identify theft, but also theft by a neighbor or a stranger; we are threatened also by the very idea that we could still be having to protect ourselves from spies, from terrorists, and from anarchy in all its forms. Another fear is the loss of friends or family who are sick or failing in health. We are afraid of the destruction of the Gulf of Mexico, our own special treasure, and the loss of the special environments that the Gulf brings to all of us on the Florida west coast. We fear the weather, whether extreme heat or terrible storms and hurricanes, weather that costs us in money as well as the loss of life. We fear loss of income, whether we are retired or working, because we none of us actually knows what tomorrow will bring. We fear the changes in the shape of our world, both politically and physically, and the effects those changes will have on our lives. Only in the face of great faith can we endure the stress of not knowing what will happen next, what challenge will confront us and how we will deal with it. *God in Heaven, please give us strength and courage to face tomorrow with hope and give us grace to accept whatever is in store for us. Help us find the strength and the patience to deal with the threats and the promises that face us so that we make the right decisions and that we are able to find your peace in our lives. 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 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: Doug Davis, Ginger Watson, David Wolters, Diana Carsey

LITURGIST: David Walthall

ACOLYTE: Jonathan Gibbs

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. – New Member Reception

OPPORTUNITIES THIS WEEK

Monday (19 th)	10:00 a.m.	Strong for Life
Tuesday (20 th)	7:00 p.m.	Session
Wednesday (21 st)	10:00 a.m.	Strong for Life
	6:00 pm	Video Club
	8:00 p.m.	Worship Café Rehearsal

ANNOUNCEMENTS

3 CENTS A MEAL will be received today. Thank you for sharing your abundance with others as Christ has challenged all of us to do. If each member at FPC gave 3 cents a meal for one year, their individual contribution would be \$32.85 – what a positive impact that would be for helping others! Make this part of your overall mission support.

REMINDER TO SERVING ELDERS This Tuesday, July 20th, beginning with pizza at 6:30 in Hager Hall, we will gather for a training session on things such as church governance, meeting manners, team playing, and the “care and feeding” of elders. It is an important meeting and one you don’t want to miss.

THE VIDEO CLUB will meet at 6:00 p.m. on July 21 at Sam’s Seafood Restaurant. We will return to church at approximately 7:00 to watch the second half of “African Queen”.

AT THE MEETING OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF OUR DENOMINATION in Minneapolis from July 3rd through July 10th, about 900 commissioners and advisory delegates worshiped and prayed, deliberated and discerned, took many actions and many decisions. Next week there will be a bulletin insert with reflections on that meeting. In addition we have ordered a more complete compilation of information which will be available soon at the Welcome Table. Also, you are invited to join us for a potluck dinner on August 11th and round table discussion about the issues.

FIGHT FOR A CURE NIGHT at Dunedin Stadium - On Saturday, August 21st, the Blue Jays will be playing the Threshers to raise money for the American Cancer Society. The game starts at 7 PM and all the Jays players will be wearing purple jerseys and hats. There will be a silent auction and contests throughout the night. General admission tickets are only \$6. Half of the ticket price, \$3, will be credited to our 2011 Relay for Life teams. Contact Debbie Blocher, 736-1708, for further information.

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.)

- *Friends and family of Robert Rakotoarison, father of Diamondra (Didie) Ramambason, who died in Madagascar on July 13th.*
- *Friends and family of Joey Ramirez, brother-in-law of Tina Webb who died in Key West on July 8th.*
- *Leonard Skinner in Mease Dunedin*
- *Marion Guthrie in Mease Dunedin.*
- *Tami Ehmig facing ankle surgery on Tuesday, July 20th.*
- Stephen Sharp at Comprehensive Healthcare, Clearwater
- Manny Garcia at Manor Care
- Phillip and Leona Belote at Mease Assisted Living
- Claire Allen recuperating in Pittsburgh, PA at the home of her sister, Dottie Ingram
- Daniel Hemme and Leah Arnold (Daniel’s fiancée) as they serve in Peru from June 24 through August 17 with Peace and Hope International.
- Mary Kruel Greenlee, mother of Joanne Maddox, undergoing treatment for cancer
- Beth Hoffer, daughter of Joe and Donna Hoffer, undergoing treatment for cancer
- For improved health: Lillian McKibben, 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: July 14, 2010

<i>Operating Funds</i>	<i>Revenue</i>	<i>Expenses</i>	<i>Surplus (Deficit)</i>
Church	\$ 220,318	\$ 218,099	\$ 2,219
Pre-School	\$ 117,805	\$ 113,606	\$ 4,199
Totals:	\$ 338,123	\$ 331,705	\$ 6,418

The Giving Trend is seasonal but expenses are not

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