

# First Presbyterian Church IN VICTOR

WHOEVER YOU ARE.  
HOWEVER YOU HAVE COME.  
YOU ARE WELCOME HERE.



**First Presbyterian Church**  
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**Pastor Nick Dorland**  
**Organist Ayn Patrowicz**

## Church Calendar

### Sunday, May 29

10:00 am          Worship  
11:15 am          Fellowship Hour  
7:30 pm            A.A. & Al Anon Meetings

### Monday, May 30

Memorial Day

### Tuesday, May 31

10:00 am          Free Panera

### Thursday, June 2

6:30 pm            Book Study "None Like Him"

### Friday, June 3

7:00 pm            A.A. Meeting

Announcements and calendar of events  
can also be found in our weekly eNews!

### PER CAPITA 2022

Per capita for 2022 is **\$35.58 per member**. Per capita is a fixed annual expense of our church to support the work of our Presbytery, Synod and General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church USA. If possible, we ask you to please make a contribution to support these important works. Member support for this cost is greatly appreciated any time in 2022.

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*Thank you to these members who are  
helping with worship today-*

**AV:** Bill Martz

**Liturgist:** Larry Teel

**Greeters & Fellowship Hour:**

Tammy Engle & Tom Lichti



**Order of Worship**  
**7th Sunday of Easter**

**May 29th, 2022, 10am**

**\*Please stand if you are able.**

**Prelude** "Purple Mountain Majesties" arr. by Kevin Olsen

**Welcome & Announcements**

**\*Call to Worship**

This is the day the Lord has made.

**Let us rejoice and be glad in it.**

Again today we come together to worship— the God of creation, of salvation, of time and eternity; the God of all peoples, of all nations, of all conditions of people everywhere.

**Praise the Lord. All that is within me, Praise God's holy name.**

Praise the Lord and remember all the kindnesses given to us: in forgiving our sins; in curing our diseases; in saving us from destruction; in surrounding us with love.

**The Lord is full of mercy and compassion. The Lord is slow to anger and willing to give us gifts of love. Praise the Lord!**

**Oh, all that is within me, praise the Lord.**

**\*Opening Hymn #357** "O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee"

**Unison Prayer of Confession**

**Generous God, you send us the Spirit of courage, but we have been afraid. You send us the Spirit of truth, but we cling to our illusions. You send us the Spirit of healing, but we cannot let go of our hurts. Holy Spirit of forgiveness, come to us again: shake our hearts, set our souls on fire with your love, send us out into the world rejoicing in your power. We hold out to you all our particular burdens of guilt and sin, and we ask for your help to live the way of your justice and love. Amen.**

**Assurance of Pardon**

God the Creator brings you new life, forgives and redeems you. Take hold of this forgiveness and live your life in the Spirit of Jesus. **Amen.**

**\*Gloria Patri #579**

"Glory Be to the Father"

**Moment for All Ages**

**Unison Prayer for Illumination**

**Lord God, help us turn our hearts to you and hear what you will speak, for you speak peace to your people through Christ, our Lord. Amen.**

**Scripture**

**Philippians 2:1-13**

**Imitating Christ's Humility**

If, then, there is any comfort in Christ, any consolation from love, any partnership in the Spirit, any tender affection and sympathy, 2 make my joy complete: be of the same mind, having the same love, being in full accord and of one mind. 3 Do nothing from selfish ambition or empty conceit, but in humility regard others as better than yourselves. 4 Let each of you look not to your own interests but to the interests of others. 5 Let the same mind be in you that was in Christ Jesus,

6 who, though he existed in the form of God, did not regard equality with God as something to be grasped, 7 but emptied himself, taking the form of a slave, assuming human likeness.

And being found in appearance as a human,

8 he humbled himself and became obedient to the point of death—even death on a cross.

9 Therefore God exalted him even more highly and gave him the name that is above every other name,

10 so that at the name given to Jesus every knee should bend, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, 11 and every tongue should confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

**Shining as Lights in the World**

12 Therefore, my beloved, just as you have always obeyed me, not only in my presence but much more now in my absence, work on your own salvation with fear and trembling, 13 for it is God who is at work in you, enabling you both to will and to work for his good pleasure.

**Sermon**

“Consider Others Better”

**Hymn of Response #358**

“Help Us Accept Each Other”

**Offering**

**\*Doxology**

**\*Unison Prayer of Dedication**

Gracious God, we give our best, lest in gaining the world we lose life itself. As a covenant people, we seek to witness to your will and way. Help us to know more clearly what you would have us do with the wealth entrusted to our care. As we contribute to the needs of your people, we present ourselves as living sacrifices. Through Christ, our Lord. **Amen.**

**Prayers of the People and The Lord's Prayer**

No matter where we are, where we are going, or what we are doing, we know that we find our help in you, our Lord. You are the creator and sustainer of all that has been made and will be made. And yet, the immensity of creation does not distract you from caring personally for every person in it.

We know that is true of your care for us too! You do not daydream or become weary in that care. We thank you that you not only watch over us with diligence but that you will guide us so that we will not fall— so that we won't even stumble.

Whether we are awake or asleep, you are there, sheltering and protecting us from all that would hurt us. We know that you watch over all our living— you have in the past, and we know you are now. Your promise holds for the future and for eternity, and we praise and thank you for that.

**\*Closing Song #343**

“Called as Partners in Christ's Service”

**\*Benediction**

The love of God the Father, the faithful creator, the peace of Christ, the wounded healer, the joy of the challenging Spirit, the hope of the Three in One surround and encourage you today, tomorrow, and forever. **Amen!**

**Postlude**

“Taps” arr. by Melody Bober



## Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing 356

Robert Robinson, c. 1758

1. Come, Thou Fount of every blessing,  
Tune my heart to sing Thy grace;  
Streams of mercy, never ceasing,  
Call for songs of loudest praise.  
Teach me some melodious sonnet,  
Sung by flaming tongues above;  
Praise the mount! I'm fixed upon it,  
Mount of God's unchanging love!
2. Here I raise my Ebenezer,  
Hither by Thy help I'm come;  
And I hope, by Thy good pleasure,  
Safely to arrive at home.

TUNE: NETTLETON, opposite.

Jesus sought me when a stranger,  
Wandering from the fold of God;  
He, to rescue me from danger,  
Interposed His precious blood.

3. O to grace how great a debtor  
Daily I'm constrained to be!  
Let that grace now, like a fetter,  
Bind my wandering heart to Thee:  
Prone to wander, Lord, I feel it,  
Prone to leave the God I love;  
Here's my heart, O take and seal it,  
Seal it for Thy courts above.

## O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee 357

Washington Gladden, 1879

MARYTON LM

Henry Percy Smith, 1874

The musical score is written in G major (one sharp) and 4/4 time. It consists of two systems of staves. The first system has a treble clef on the left and a bass clef on the right. The second system also has a treble clef on the left and a bass clef on the right. The lyrics are printed below the notes.

1. O Mas - ter, let me walk with Thee In low - ly  
2. Help me the slow of heart to move By some clear,  
3. Teach me Thy pa - tience; still with Thee In clos - er,  
4. In hope that sends a shin - ing ray Far down the

paths of ser - vice free; Tell me Thy se - cret;  
win - ning word of love; Teach me the way - ward  
dear - er com - pa - ny, In work that keeps faith  
fu - ture's broad - ening way; In peace that on - ly

help me bear The strain of toil, the fret of care.  
feet to stay, And guide them in the home - ward way.  
sweet and strong, In trust that tri - umphs o - ver wrong.  
Thou canst give, With Thee, O Mas - ter, let me live.

## 358 Help Us Accept Each Other

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Fred Kaan, 1975

Doreen Potter, 1975

1. Help us ac - cept each oth - er As Christ ac - cept - ed us;  
 2. Teach us, O Lord, Your les - sons, As in our dai - ly life  
 3. Let Your ac - cep - tance change us, So that we may be moved  
 4. Lord, for to - day's en - coun - ters With all who are in need,

Teach us as sis - ter, broth - er, Each per - son to em - brace.  
 We strug - gle to be hu - man And search for hope and faith.  
 In liv - ing sit - u - a - tions To do the truth in love;  
 Who hun - ger for ac - cep - tance, For righ - teous - ness and bread,

Be pres - ent, Lord, a - mong us And bring us to be - lieve  
 Teach us to care for peo - ple, For all, not just for some,  
 To prac - tice Your ac - cep - tance Un - til we know by heart  
 We need new eyes for see - ing, New hands for hold - ing on: