

February 2, 2020
9:00 a.m.

Order of Service

GATHERING

As followers of Jesus
we will love the Lord our God
with all our hearts,
with all our souls
and with all our minds.
And we will love our neighbors
as ourselves and serve them
in the name of Christ.
Matthew 22:37, 39

*Love God
Follow Jesus
Serve in Spirit*

PRELUDE

Four Psalm Preludes

– Robert Powell

- I. The Lord Is My Shepherd (Psalm 23)
 - II. Ascribe Unto The Lord, Ye Mighty (Psalm 29)
 - III. By the Waters of Babylon (Psalm 137)
- O Praise The Lord, All Ye Nations (Psalm 117)

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

*PASSING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

*CALL TO WORSHIP

– Steve Camp/Carman Licciardello

Revive Us, Oh Lord

Revive us, oh Lord; Revive us, oh Lord;
And cleanse us from our impurities, and make us holy,
Hear our cry, and revive us, oh Lord.

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*PRAYER OF ADORATION

*HYMN

Jesus Messiah

– Tomlin/Carson/Cash/Reeves

He became sin, who knew no sin,
That we might become His righteousness.
He humbled Himself and carried the cross,
Love so amazing, love so amazing.

Chorus: Jesus Messiah, Name above all names,
Blessed Redeemer, Emmanuel,
The Rescue for sinners, the Ransom from heaven,
Jesus Messiah, Lord of all.

His body the bread, His blood the wine,
Broken and poured out all for love.
The whole earth trembled, and the veil was torn,
Love so amazing, love so amazing.

If you are visiting with us, we welcome you and encourage you to sign the visitor card in the pew. Visitors are urged to leave their address, to receive a letter of welcome from the pastor and be placed on the newsletter email list, if desired.

***Please rise in body or spirit.**

Anthem Text:

Give thanks to the Lord.
Call on His name. Make known
to the nations what He has done.
Tell the glory of His name.
Give thanks to the Lord and re-
joice. This is the day the Lord has
made. Let all rejoice and be glad.
Come, rejoice and be glad.
This is the day, let all sing and re-
joice in His name. He remembers
His covenant forever.
His word shall endure with us for-
ever. He remembers His covenant
forever, for a thousand genera-
tions. His covenant, He will not
falter, for a thousand generations.
Come glorify His holy name.
All rejoice and sing His name.
Glorify with praises sing, and give
thanks to the Lord and rejoice and
sing. Let anthems ring,
your praises bring. Give thanks
to the Lord and rejoice!

Doxology

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.

All our hope is in You. All our hope is in You.
All the glory to You, God, the Light of the world. (Chorus)

Jesus Messiah, Lord of all, the Lord of all, the Lord of all.
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***PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

Lord God, you are giving and forgiving. We are grateful to be in relationship with you and, through your power working within us, become ever more like Christ our Lord. We humble ourselves before you this morning and ask your forgiveness and grace. Where we have caused injury or harm by our words and actions, we ask your pardon. Where we have lacked compassion and resorted to judgement, we ask your forgiveness. For failing to act, for deafening our ears to your voice, for blinding our eyes to the movement of your Spirit, give us grace, Lord God. Open our whole beings to your presence within and among us. Help us become agents of your healing presence on earth. Empower us to boldly proclaim the truth of your love for all the world made known in Jesus Christ our Lord, in whose name we pray; Amen.

***ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

***GLORIA PATRI**

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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.

PROCLAMATION

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

By your light, may we see light. Enlighten these words for us this morning, gracious God, that we might take them into the depths of our being and be changed through them. In Christ we pray; Amen.

SCRIPTURE

Micah 6:6-8

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Leader:

This is the Word of the Lord.

People:

Thanks be to God.

MOMENT WITH YOUNG DISCIPLES

Chris McKee

ANTHEM

Give Thanks to the Lord

– Dave and Jean Perry

GOSPEL READING

Luke 14:12-24

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SERMON

There Is Still Room!

Rev. Ann Conklin

RESPONDING

SERVICE OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

Invitation to the Lord's Table

Invitation to Prayer

Leader: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Leader: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them up to the Lord.

Leader: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: It is right to give thanks and praise.

Great Prayer of Thanksgiving

Lord's Prayer (Please offer the Lord's Prayer in the language of your choice.)

Communion Music

— Richard Purvis

Communion

The Lord's Supper, from An American Organ Mass

THE COMMENDATION OF BEFRIENDERS & ELDERS

Pastor: We send you, our Befrienders & Elders, to share communion with those who are unable to be with us today. May those who receive the sacrament from you be strengthened and encouraged; for age, distance, and illness cannot separate us from the love of God.

People: May you carry the prayers of all of us as you take this sacrament of Christ's presence to our brothers and sisters.

OFFERING

OFFERTORY

Fanfare

— Keith Chapman

*DOXOLOGY

(Tune: *Lasst uns erfreuen*)

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;

Praise God, all creatures here below: Alleluia! Alleluia!

Praise God, the source of all our gifts! Praise Jesus Christ,
whose power uplifts!

Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

SENDING

*HYMN

We Come As Guests Invited

#517

*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

*RESPONSE

#514, Vs. 1

Let us talents and tongues employ,
Reaching out with a shout of joy:
Bread is broken, the wine is poured,
Christ is spoken and seen and heard.
Jesus lives again, earth can breathe again,
pass the Word around: loaves abound!

Liturgist: Peter Eisenklam

Greeters: Jeanne Partida & Jan Montgomery

Ushers: Thank you to Robert Harding's team. Next week: Dennis Sitzler's team.

Special Music: This week's special music is being offered by the Sanctuary Choir. Next Sunday's special music will also include the Sanctuary Choir. The complete music schedule is available at fpc-mesa.org/worship-planning.

Praise Band: Erin Skarphol, vocals; Karen Rudin, rhythm guitar/vocals; Mark Ramsey, piano/vocals; Paul Soderquist, drums

Sound Booth: Bob Schulz

Activity bags for children are available at the back of the sanctuary. These are for use during worship.

Visitors are encouraged to visit the Information Kiosk by the main doors of the sanctuary to learn more about the church's programs.

Audio assistance is available for those who may be unable to adequately hear the service. Please see an usher for assistance.

Check the bulletin boards in the church office for information regarding events or opportunities in the life of the church and the community.

Bulletin Recycling. If you do not want to take your bulletin home, please take it to the recycling basket at the back of the sanctuary.

Prayer Chain: If you or a family member need special prayers, email prayer@fpcmesa.org or call the church office. If the prayer request is for a friend, you must first have *permission from that friend* to make the request public on the Prayer Chain.

If you are hospitalized or confined at home due to illness, call the church office at 480-964-8606 to let us know. Please note: If you are in the hospital, let us know what your room number is. In order to comply with new stricter government regulations to protect patients' privacy, hospitals refuse to provide any information, including room numbers.

Sanctuary Flowers are a way for you to recall a special person or event in your life. Flowers are available at a cost of \$50 or you may notify the church office of your desire to furnish your own flowers. You may take the flowers that Sunday or leave them for the Deacons to deliver. If you are interested in providing flowers, fill out the form found at the Kiosk or in the office. After completion, please return it to the office, along with a check and instructions.

Becoming a Member. People may become active members in one of three ways:

- ◆ Profession of Faith – those who have not been baptized and/or who have never been active members of a Christian church.
- ◆ Reaffirmation of Faith – those who have at one time been members of a Christian church and are currently inactive.
- ◆ Letter of Transfer – those who are currently active members of another Christian church.

Contact our pastor, Rev. Ann Conklin, at pastor@fpcmesa.org if you are interested in participating in our next New Members Orientation class, Sunday, February 9, — 12:30-2:30 p.m.

POSTLUDE

The God of Abraham Praise

– Gordon Young

Activities for the Week of February 2, 2020

Today, 2/2	9:00a.m. 10:15a.m. 11:00a.m.	Souper Bowl of Caring Worship, Sanctuary Christian Education HolyGrounds Service, Fellowship Hall
Monday, 2/3	7:00p.m.	Deacons, Library
Tuesday, 2/4	1:00p.m. 5:30p.m.	PW Coordinating Team, Library Theater Rehearsal, Choir Room
Wednesday, 2/5	7:30a.m. 8:30a.m. 10:00a.m. 5:00p.m. 6:00p.m. 6:00p.m. 7:00p.m.	Men's Fellowship, Fellowship Hall Dave's Crew Women's Bible Study, Parlor WRAP Adult Bible Study First Ringers Choir, Choir Room
Thursday, 2/6	6:00p.m. 6:00p.m. 6:00p.m. 6:30p.m.	One Voice Sensible Shoes Small Group, Parlor Dave Ramsey Course, Library Dei Gloriam, Bell Room
Saturday, 2/8	9:30a.m.	Theater Rehearsal, FH

Upcoming Events

February 10&11	Circles meet
February 16	Commissions & Session meet
February 17	President's Day — Office closed
February 23	Chili Cook-Off Annual Congregational Meeting
February 26	Ash Wednesday

Coffee time will follow the service.

The hosts today are Dennis & Darlene Sitzler.

Baked goods are provided by Carol Anderson & Anita Ramsey.

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