

October 20, 2019
9:00 a.m.

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*

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.**

Order of Service GATHERING

PRELUDE

— Christopher Tambling

Chorale-Prelude and Variations

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

*PASSING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

*CALL TO WORSHIP *Your Grace is Enough*

— Matt Maher

Great is Your faithfulness, O God.
You wrestle with the sinner's restless heart.
You lead us by still waters into mercy,
And nothing can keep us apart.

Chorus: Remember Your people. Remember Your children.
Remember Your promise, O God. Your grace is enough.
Your grace is enough. Your grace is enough for me.

Great is Your love and justice, God of Jacob.
You use the weak to lead the strong.
You lead us in the song of Your salvation,
and all Your people sing along. (Chorus)

Your grace is enough. Heaven reaches out to us.
Your grace is enough for me.

God I sing Your grace is enough. I'm covered in Your love.
Your grace is enough for me for me, for me.

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*PRAYER OF ADORATION

*HYMN

Take My Life

— Scott Underwood

Holiness, holiness is what I long for.
Holiness is what I need.
Holiness, holiness is what You want from me.

Anthem Text:

Elijah Rock, shout, shout.
Elijah Rock, comin' up Lord.
Satan's a liar and a conjur, too.
If you don't mind out, he'll conjur
you. If I could I surely would just
stand on the rock where Moses
stood. We're gonna shout, shout
about Elijah Rock, comin' up,
Elijah Rock, comin' up, Lord.

Faithfulness, faithfulness is what I long for.

Faithfulness is what I need.

Faithfulness, faithfulness is what You want from me.

Chorus: So, take my heart and form it.

Take my mind, transform it.

Take my will, conform it to Yours, to Yours, oh, Lord.

Righteousness, righteousness is what I long for.

Righteousness is what I need.

Righteousness, righteousness is what You want from me. (Chorus)

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*PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Loving and living Lord, you are God of all creation, sovereign over all the earth. You have given us life and breath and sustain us daily. And yet we fret about all manner of things. We do not always trust in your goodness and your grace in our lives. Too often we do not extend that same grace to others. Forgive us, gracious God. Pour out your mercy upon us and turn us back towards you. Fill us with a desire to serve you and your people. Fill us with a desire to share the blessings you have showered upon us. Fill us with humility and gentleness, with gratitude and generosity. We want to be like you Lord; help us to submit our will and our very lives to you. Create in us a clean heart and an honorable spirit. This we pray in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord; Amen.

*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

*GLORIA PATRI

#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.

PROCLAMATION

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

By your Holy Spirit, illumine these words for us that they might become your living Word to us. May we meet Christ in the hearing of the Scripture. Amen.

SCRIPTURE

1 Timothy 6:6-19

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Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

MOMENT WITH YOUNG DISCIPLES

Chris McKee

ANTHEM

— Traditional Spiritual, arr. Jester Hairston

Elijah Rock

SERMON

Sermon Series: What Disciples Believe Do
Sermon: Disciples Practice Generosity

Rev. Ann Conklin

RESPONDING

***HYMN OF AFFIRMATION**

We All Are One in Mission

#435

***APOSTLES' CREED**

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth,

And in Jesus Christ his only son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

PASTORAL PRAYER and LORD'S PRAYER**OFFERING**

Will and Tanya Snitzer share their experience at the Youth Triennium.

***DOXOLOGY**

(Tune: We Give Thee But Thine Own)

May we Thy bounties thus as stewards true receive,
And gladly, as Thou blessest us, to Thee our firstfruits give.

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

SENDING

***HYMN**

Fight the Good Fight

#307

CHARGE AND BENEDICTION**RESPONSE**

#369, Vs. 1

I'm gonna live so God can use me anywhere, Lord, anytime!
I'm gonna live so God can use me anywhere, Lord, anytime!

POSTLUDE

Built on the Rock

– arr. Gordon Young

Liturgist: Peter Eisenklam

Greeter: Carol Anderson

Ushers: Thank you to Dennis Sitzler's team. Next week: Don Wilson's team.

Special Music: This week's special music is being offered by the Sanctuary Choir. Next Sunday's special music will include the Pure Praise Singers and One Voice. The complete music schedule is available at fpcmesa.org/worship-planning.

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

Sound Booth: Peter Conklin

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.

PRAYER CONCERNS

The Post Family on Alma's death, October 16, 2019

Remember the TLC's of the church family

Lynne Logan

2211 E. Granite Circle

Mesa, AZ 85204

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.

Coffee time will follow the service.
The hosts today are Deb Rosen,
Dale Gibson, Marie-Claire Cordray
& Susan Durand.

Baked goods are provided by
Marilyn Uithoven & Ginny Mallia.

Activities for the Week of October 20, 2019

Today, 10/20	9:00a.m. 10:15a.m. 11:00a.m. 12:15p.m. 1:15p.m.	Worship, Sanctuary Christian Education HolyGrounds Service, Fellowship Hall Commissions Session, Library
Wednesday, 10/23	8:30a.m. 5:00p.m. 6:00p.m. 6:00p.m. 7:00p.m.	Dave's Crew WRAP Adult Bible Study, Library First Ringers, Bell Room Choir, Choir Room
Thursday, 10/24	6:00p.m. 6:30p.m.	One Voice Dei Gloriam, Bell Room
Friday, 10/25	7:00p.m.	Scouts, Youth Room

Upcoming Events

October 27	Dedication Sunday Monthly Food Drive Youth — Laser Tag
November 1	Office closed
November 2	Mark's 25th anniversary dinner & concert
November 3	One 10:00 service — premiere of <i>One Faith, One Hope, One Love</i>
November 24	Monthly Food Drive PW Bake Sale Carols by Candlelight
November 28	Thanksgiving
November 29	Office closed

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