

First Presbyterian Church

Order of Worship

November 24, 2024

Prelude I	<i>Andante Maestoso in C Minor</i>	– Frank Bridge
Prelude II	<i>Blessed Be Your Name</i> HolyGrounds Praise Band & Congregation	– Beth & Matt Redman
Welcome & Announcements Pass the Peace		Dan Reeves
Call to Worship		Ian Harding
*Opening Hymn	<i>We Gather Together</i>	#336
Call to Confession		Ian Harding
Unison Prayer of Confession Silent Confession		
Assurance of Pardon		
*Doxology	– Stephen Schwartz/Matthias Claudius, transl. Jane Campbell <i>All Good Gifts, from Godspell</i>	
Prayer for Illumination		Ian Harding
Scripture — Psalm 138 (ESV)		
Anthem	<i>Canticle of Thanksgiving</i> Sanctuary Choir; Pianist Bea Towe; Organist Mark Ramsey	– Dale Wood
Time with Our Children		Anita Ramsey
Video Meditation on Thanksgiving		
Sermon	The Source of Thanksgiving	Rev. Christian Johnson
Scripture — Colossians 1:15-23 (ESV)		
*Hymn of Affirmation	<i>Thanksgiving Hymn Medley</i>	– Kevin McChesney
Minute for Ministry		
Call to Offering & Prayer of Dedication		Ian Harding
Offertory	<i>Hay River Anthem</i> Dei Gloriam Handbell Choir	– Kevin McChesney

Pastoral Prayer
The Lord's Prayer

Rev. Christian Johnson

*Closing Hymn

Glory to God Forever
HolyGrounds Praise Band & Congregation

– Steve Fee, Vicky Beeching

*Benediction

Rev. Christian Johnson

Postlude

Psalm XIX

– Benedetto Marcello

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

To see more details on these announcements, check your **Weekly Update**.

To subscribe to the **Weekly Update**, contact the church office at pubs@fpcmesa.org.

Christian Education at 11:20: Adults in Library; Children's in Jackson B

Poinsettias can be ordered for \$10 each. Forms in the Sanctuary & office; link in Weekly Update.

Silent Auction for Mission – bid until 12/1 during coffee time in Fellowship Hall.

We'll celebrate Mark's 30 years of service to FPC Mesa today during monthly potluck.

Hanging of the Greens – Monday, 11/25, 4:00 to 7:00 p.m. See Dan or Mark for info.

Angel Tree: Angels will be on tree 12/1. Wrapped presents returned by 12/22.

Caroling in the Neighborhood: 12/15. Practice in Sanctuary at 4:30; caroling at 5:00.

Celebrate Christmas Eve: 12/24 at 3:00 & 6:00 p.m. w/Choirs, Candlelight, Communion & Bells.

Prayer Requests must be sent to: Prayer@fpcmesa.org or call the church office.

See our complete **Church Calendar** at fpcmesa.org/calendar.

Wi-Fi: Sanctuary Guest, LetUsPray!

Our service is being livestreamed at <https://www.youtube.com/@fpcmesa7064/streams>.

Offerings can be made during worship, mailing to church office or using this QR code.



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