



First Presbyterian Church

Arcadia, Florida

August 9, 2020

Rev. Winston Lawson

Organized August 28, 1898

***Please stand if able**

PRELUDE: *Selected*

Lew Cassels

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Elder Judie Neeley

CALL TO WORSHIP: *Psalm 34:1-3*

Elder Judie Neeley

I will bless the Lord at all times; his praise shall continually be in my mouth

My soul makes its boast in the Lord; let the humble hear and be glad.

Oh magnify the LORD with me, and let us exalt his name together.

PRAYER OF INVOCATION

Rev. Winston Lawson

***SONG OF PRAISE:** *What a Friend We Have in Jesus*

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***PRAYER OF CONFESSION:** *Unison*

Elder Judie Neeley

Truly God is good to the upright, to those who are pure in heart.

But as for me, my feet had almost stumbled; my steps had nearly slipped.

For I was envious of the arrogant; I saw the prosperity of the wicked. My flesh

And my heart may fail, but God is the strength of my heart and my portion forever.

AFFIRMATION: *Apostles' Creed*

Unison

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

***GLORIA PATRI – RESPONDING WITH PRAISE** *Glory Be to the Father*

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.

OLD TESTAMENT: *Job 23:1-9, 16-17*

Elder Judie Neeley

MUSIC: *Deep River* flute soloist by Ellie Sutphin

Lloyd Larson

NEW TESTAMENT *Philippians: 4:4-7*

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SERMON: *All of our Anxieties to the Mercy Seat*

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***HYMN:** *I Need the Every Hour*

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***DOXOLOGY AND PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

*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.*

***CHARGE AND BENEDICTION**

POSTLUDE: *Selected*

Lew Cassels

SERMON NOTES

CHURCH DIRECTORY

Clerk of Session
Director of Music
Organist
Treasurer
Sound Technicians
Office Manager

Elder Dave Bremer
Genie Martin
Lew Cassels/Charles Durr
Elder Edward Maassen
Elders Tyler Maassen & Skip West
Karen Cassels

Church Office Hours 9:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Monday thru Friday

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The Sanctuary has been cleaned and sanitized.

Hand sanitizer and masks are available. Masks are encouraged but optional. We want you to feel comfortable and at ease while you are worshipping with us.

What will the service look like? Music will be offered. As the congregation enters the narthex there will be a table with bulletins, masks, and hand sanitizer as well as a basket for the offering. Social distancing will be observed in the sanctuary with pews marked where the congregation can sit. Families may sit together.

We look forward to finally opening and worshipping together.

****We will have communion, but both the wine and wafer will be in an individual package. (First Sunday of the Month)**

Church Prayer List

FPC MEMBERS

Tom & Arlene Anderman, Wayne Gallant, and Lew Hall

FPC – FAMILY / FRIENDS

Cheryl Baldwin, Quinton Campbell, Robert Campbell (MaryAnn Treadwells' grandson), Victoria Cross, Pam and Rick Dodd, Carrie Evans (Judie Neeleys' daughter), Roger Evans, Jane Hayward, Deborah Hughes (Wayne Naumbergs' daughter), Lynn Kirkpatrick, Hanna Joy Lepianka (Rich & Jean Borsmanns' granddaughter), Keith Markey, Rusty & Robbie Mullins, Bobby O'Neal (Edith's friend), Holly Purvis, Ruth Ann Smith, Linda Summers, Sandy & Laurie Sykora, Sherry Turner, Connie Underwood, JoLynn Wright and Landon Yoder.

MILITARY PRAYER LIST

Curtis Clark, Julian Davis, Sean Davis, Curtis Johnson, Ryan Maassen, Brent Mayo, and Cole Overcash. If you have a military family member and would like to add them to our list, please call the church office at 494-4434

Our deepest sympathy goes out to the family of Christine Wolvert who passed away. Friend of Wayne & Marilyn Gallant.

OUR CHURCH AT WORK

Attendance Last Sunday: 27

Offering Last Sunday: \$ 4,414.01 Year to date: \$112,630.76

SESSION

2020: Dave Bremer, Johnny Maassen, Mac Martin, Mary Ann Treadwell

2021: Beth Liszak, Mitzie McGavic, Judie Neeley, Skip West

2022: Judy Kirkpatrick, Don Knoche, Jill Maassen, Bill Stander

ELDERS EMERITI

Margaret Way

David Holloman

CONGRATULATIONS

Lovina Grace Jiskoot arrived on August 4, 2020 at 10:53 A.M. weighing in at 7lbs. 5oz. And 18 3/4 inches.

She was welcomed by big brother Layfe; parents Bjorn and Nicole (Maassen) Jiskoot; grandparents Edward and Jill Maassen; uncle Tyler Maassen; Great uncles and aunts Johnny and Sue Maassen and David and Debi Maassen.