



First Presbyterian Church

Organized May 25, 1822

*With Christ as our Savior and Guide
We seek to know God's love and share it
With each other, our community, and the world.
We invite you to join us in this journey
of discipleship.*

Rev. Dr. Gregory L. Glover, Pastor

Twelfth Sunday after Pentecost

August 19, 2018

GATHERING AROUND THE WORD

PRELUDE "Royal Fireworks Music: Overture"
G.F. Handel

GATHERING OF THE PEOPLE AND GREETING

The LORD be with you.

And also with you.

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Give thanks to the Lord, for God is good.

God's steadfast love endures forever.

Wisdom has prepared a feast for us;

let us eat and drink of God's gifts.

Let us worship God.

*HYMN #15 "All Creatures of Our God and King"

THE PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Merciful God, we confess that we have not followed your way. You bestow the gift of wisdom, yet we continue in our foolishness. You provide the bread of life, yet we persist in the ways of death. Forgive us, God of grace. Help us to make better use of the lives

you have given us, giving glory to you in all things; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Now hear our silent, personal prayers of confession...

SILENT CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

*GLORIA PATRI, Hymn #581

PROCLAIMING THE WORD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

FIRST SCRIPTURE READING Genesis 3:8-19 (p. 2)

ANTHEM "For The Beauty of the Earth"
John Rutter

CHILDREN'S MOMENT
**Children ages 4-4th grade leave for Children's Worship

INTERLUDE

SECOND SCRIPTURE READING Ecclesiastes 2:17-26
(p. 537)

Holy wisdom, holy word.

Thanks be to God.

SERMON "Fruitless and Pointless Work"

RESPONDING TO THE WORD

*HYMN #250 "In the Bulb There is a Flower"

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH *Apostles' Creed (Hymnal pg. 35)*

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.

MINUTE FOR MISSION F.U.E.L.
Liz Van Otten and Brooksie Arrington

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS
(You may give online at <http://www.fpccarkville.org/giving>)

THE OFFERTORY "Royal Fireworks Music:
The Rejoicing"
G.F. Handel

*THE DOXOLOGY, Hymn #606

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

*HYMN #839 "Blessed Assurance, Jesus Is Mine!"

*CHARGE & BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE "Royal Fireworks Music: Finale"
G.F. Handel

WORSHIP NOTES

Tom Presler is today's liturgist.

Eric Salyer is today's audio-visual specialist.

Mark Ring is Director of Music/Organist.

Kenneth Williams, Accompanist.

*Please stand if you are able.

**Children's Worship is in the Chapel outside of the church office. Please note the change in grade level for Children's Worship.

THIS WEEK AT FPC

Sunday, August 19 RALLY DAY!

9:00am Youth and Adult Sunday School Classes

Meet is Fellowship Hall

5-7:30pm Youth & Parent Pool Party @ the Posey's

6:00pm Session

Monday, August 20

5:00pm Theology on Tap (O'Charley's on Riverside)

Tuesday, August 21

5:00pm Yoga

Wednesday, August 22

10:00am Bible Study group meets in the library

6:00pm Greek Class

6:30pm Senior Highs @ Chick Fil A

7:00pm Adult Choir

Thursday, August 23

8:30am Yoga

12:00noon Staff Meeting

LOOKING AHEAD:

August 25-27 Ministry Architects Vision Summit

August 26 First Regular Fall Sunday School Class

August 27 PW Dinner (see announcement)

September 2 Labor Day Weekend **NO SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS**

September 3 Labor Day **OFFICE CLOSED**

September 9 Picnic at the Hudson Farm (see announcement)

September 29 Women's Fall Retreat (TBA)

FUTURE EVENTS FOR YOUTH:

October 5-7 NaCoMe Fall Retreat

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN DINNER, MONDAY, AUGUST 27 at 6:00pm

We will once again be having a Game Night with Laura Black and Emily Vaughn! This year, we are going to decorate a little differently. We are asking all the attendees to bring basic school supplies to the meeting. We are going to use these to decorate the tables for our "Back to School" theme. After the meeting, the supplies will be collected and donated to the CMCSS Teacher Warehouse. This is a great way to help our local teachers offset the costs they endure every year when they purchase their own supplies! We hope to see you there! Sign-ups are in the bulletin (tear-off), on the PW bulletin board or through the church office.

ANNUAL CONGREGATIONAL POTLUCK PICNIC

will be held on **Sunday, Sept. 9, from 3-5 pm** at the Hudson Farm on Rosson Road. The picnic takes the place of the 2nd Sunday Lunch. The Fellowship Committee will grill hamburgers and hot dogs and provide potato chips, drinks, plates, cups, & eating utensils. You are asked to bring a large picnic-type dish that will serve 10-12 (i.e. baked beans, deviled eggs, potato salad, slaw, casseroles, fruit or veggie plates, brownies, pies, cookies, etc.). We will have hayrides and volleyball games. Bring quilts and/or lawn chairs to sit on plus old shoes/towels for creek-wading. You are invited to bring sports equipment such as Frisbees, badminton, kick balls, gloves & balls, etc. Maps to the farm are available in the vestibule and on the table outside the church office. Please join us for an old-fashioned dinner-on-the-grounds congregational picnic!

MEMBER/VISITOR INFORMATION CARD

Please complete and place in offering plate

10:00am Service

Name: _____

Address: _____

Email: _____

Telephone: _____

- Member(s) Visitor(s)
 Members please indicate if this is a change.
 I will attend PW Dinner I need child care

Are You Interested In (circle as many as you like):

Fellowship Sunday School Small Group Study

Meet with Pastor Baptism Membership Choir

Other: _____

Prayer Requests: _____

Are we choosing the most economical HVAC system?

The Variable Refrigerant Flow or VRF system that is proposed is much less expensive than boiler-chiller or geothermal water source heat pump systems; however, it is a bit more expensive than replacing the equipment with the same equipment. Some of the benefits of VRF system are relatively high efficiency, excellent zoning capabilities, a very good reliability record, & significantly reduced air noise levels when compared to the standard split DX systems currently installed. They also do not take up much ceiling space relative to other systems, so it is a good type of system for retrofits into existing building with minimal available ceiling space. This is the most cost-effective system available, to our knowledge, that provides individual room temperature control & lowest air noise.

