

Join us for our 5th Sunday Hymn Sing and Ice Cream Social

Announcements

Welcome. We extend a warm welcome to all who worship with us today. Please feel free to pick up a blue informational folder outside the entrances to the sanctuary to learn more about our church. Also, please fill out a visitor card in the pew racks and place in the offering plate so we can have a record of your visit.

A Word About Our Worship Service. Hymn of Praise: The redeemed of God give praise to the Redeemer for the redemption accomplished for us! We joyfully celebrate the goodness of God and the life of the church.

Sunday Nights @ First. Join us tonight at 6 PM for a time of fellowship and encouragement as we sing together as well as enjoy ice cream and toppings. Bring someone with you!

Christmas in July! Now is a good time to stock up on supplies for Operation Christmas Child shoe boxes. Crayons, pencils, sharpeners, scissors, erasers, rulers, glue sticks, underwear, socks, tees, etc. Avoid large items like notebooks. Questions, call Joyce Payne 222-1133.

Men's Lunch. Plan to join us at Southbound Sandwich Works on Monday, August 1 at noon. Our discussion will be chapter 7 of Masculine Mandate.

Thursday evening Men's Gathering will meet to discuss chapter 4 of Masculine Mandate on Thursday, August 8 at 7 PM at Panera Bread.

Women's Ministry - Book Study. Women's book study will meet Tuesday, August 9, at 6:30 PM at Janice Richardson's home. We will share a pot luck meal and finish our book, *Extravagant Grace*.

Our annual Ladies Tea (for all ages) will be Saturday, August 13 at 2 PM in the Fellowship Hall. Invite someone and bring a favorite tea cup to drink from.

Mid-Year Contribution Statements. For your convenience the contribution statements are outside the sanctuary (front entrance) today.

First Presbyterial Women's Retreat. The fifth First Presbyterial Women's Ministries Retreat will be held this fall at Bonclarken on November 4-5. The theme for the retreat is God's Marvelous Grace. Barbara Duguid who has written the book *Extravagant Grace*, will share her story of God's amazing grace. The purpose of this retreat is to grow in our understanding of God's Word and to have fellowship with our sisters across the Presbytery. The annual meeting for the Presbyterial is part of the retreat this year and is to be held after lunch on Saturday. Details regarding the retreat are posted on the bulletin board in the hallway. We hope you will consider joining us again for a time of Bible study, renewal and fellowship.

The Lord's Supper. The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will next be served on Sunday, August 7 during worship. Please prepare your hearts and minds for this important way in which the Lord graciously feeds his saints.

Ministry Information

Nursery: Today: _____
Next Week: Macon Baird and _____
Counter: Today: Stephen Robinson
Next Week: _____

Deacon on Duty: Today: Stephen Robinson
Next Week: Glenn Owens

Last Week's Tithes and Offerings:

General Fund:	\$2,667.13
Memorial (Arnold McKinnon)	\$195.00

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But we are not of those who shrink back and are destroyed,
but of those who have faith and preserve their souls.
Hebrews 10:39

**The Lord's Day
July 31, 2016**

