



First Presbyterian  
Church | Kerrville

August 14, 2022  
10th Sunday after Pentecost

Building a Community of Disciples

*Growing toward*

God-centered worship

Christ-centered service

Spirit-led lives

## GREETING AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

*Thank you for joining us in worship this morning. Please fill out the black Friendship Pad so that we might welcome you to our FPC community.*

## ENERGIZER

FPC Youth

The Lord be with you. **And also with you.**

## PRELUDE

Allemande in G

*J.S. Bach*

## †CALL TO WORSHIP

Excerpts from Psalm 105

O give thanks to the Lord; call on his name;  
make known his deeds among the peoples.

**Sing to him, sing praises to him; tell of all his wonderful works.**

Glory in his holy name; let the hearts of those who seek the Lord rejoice.

**Seek the Lord and his strength; seek his presence continually.**

Remember the wonderful works he has done,

**He is the Lord. Let us worship God!**

## †HYMN 12

Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise

## PRAYER OF CONFESSION

**Almighty God, we know that you are infinite, eternal, and unchangeable. We also know that your Scriptures teach us what we are to believe, and explain the duty you require of us. In our self-centeredness, we fail to take advantage of our access to the Bible, and do not align our will with yours. We know that any transgression of your law is sin; yet we think that we have a right to provide our own guidance and set our own direction. We know that Jesus, being God, became human, and suffered death on the cross so that we, though undeserving, might have eternal life. We frequently take our status as redeemed for granted and fail to appreciate all that you have done for us. Through your Spirit remind us to praise you, to study and follow your word, and to fully appreciate our status as redeemed. Amen**

## DECLARATION OF PARDON

## †RESPONSE

***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.***

Hymn 581

## †PASSING OF THE PEACE

The peace of Christ be with you. **And also with you.**

## CONVERSATION WITH CHILDREN (11:00)

Blessing of the Backpacks

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE LESSON                      1 Timothy 6:6-10, 17-19                      pg. 965 N.T.  
Word of God, Word of life. **Thanks be to God!**

SCRIPTURE LESSON                      Philippians 4:10-20, 4:4-7                      pg. 955 N.T.  
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SERMON                                      Contentment                                      Eldon Sheffer

†AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

**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.**

†HYMN 275                                      A Mighty Fortress is Our God

PASTORAL PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER

OFFERING & OFFERTORY                      Softly and Tenderly                                      arr. Hayes

†RESPONSE    Hymn 606

***Praise God from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise God all creatures here below.  
Praise God above ye heavenly host;  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.***

†PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

†HYMN 667                                      When Morning Gilds the Skies

†CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE                                      Praise to the Lord, The Almighty                                      arr. Vicki Tucker

*From service of worship to service in God's world.*



## Thank You for Serving Today

### WORSHIP LEADERS

Eldon Sheffer, Susan Montoya, Sam Begeman, Barbara Sheffer, Seth Lafler,  
Audrey Mitchell, Bill Swart

### USHERS

I-Susan Junkin

II-Paulette Graves, Donna Brewton, Steve and Betty Clyburn, Deda Garlitz,  
Harlan Helmers

### GUEST MUSICIAN

Rebeca Gonzalez De Anderson



## Families in Worship

Children of all ages are always welcome in worship. Special Children's Worship Bags are available in the narthex. Parents are encouraged to use the things found in the Worship Bags to help their children prepare for and participate in worship.

Many of our young children participate in worship until after the Conversation with Children. After the Conversation with Children, a member of our child care staff will meet the children in the narthex and take them to the appropriate room.

Childcare is available for infants through children who are in kindergarten in Room 504, in the Family Life Center. An usher can direct you to these rooms.

### Easy ways to give to the ministries of FPC

- Join the members who are using online giving to First Presbyterian. Sign up today at [www.fpckerrville.org](http://www.fpckerrville.org) and click on the giving tab.
- You can also "text to give" right from your phone. Simply text to **45777** and type in **KERRFPC**. Follow the prompts. It is secure and convenient.

Contact Mary Stone at the church office with any questions.

## First Presbyterian Church

### Staff and Worship Leaders

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#### **Pastors:**

Rev. Dr. Jack Haberer, Interim Pastor  
Rev. Susan Montoya, Parish Associate  
Eldon Sheffer, Commissioned Ruling Elder

#### **Support Staff:**

Mary Stone, Business Administrator  
Alicia Martin, Asst. Administrator  
Wes Lane, Media Specialist

#### **Ministry Staff:**

Dr. Sabrina Adrian, Organist  
Seth Lafler, Choir Director  
Shannon Tuschak, Care Coordinator  
Audrey Mitchell, Dir. of Children's Ministry  
Emily McAllister, Co-Dir. of Youth Ministries  
Alysse O'Brien, Children's Music Director  
Scott Russell, Children's Corner Director  
Ann Reynolds, YES Center Director  
Ministers — All Our Congregation



## Bulletin Notes

Large print bulletins are available from an usher.

†Please rise as able in body and spirit.

**Bold** type indicates unison response.

To view past worship services please visit  
(<http://fpckerville.org/worship/video-archive>).



Please take time to silence your cell phones so we may all be fully present in this time and space.



## Let Us Pray

...for our troops, especially for those serving in war-torn countries, and for refugees all over the world.



## Worship Notes

The flowers today are given to the glory of God and in honor and thanks for the congregation of First Presbyterian Church by HD and Martha Maxwell.

***In life and in death we belong to God***

**Judy Cardin**

*October 24, 1937 ~ August 5, 2022*

*Judy has been a member since 1984.*

***In life and in death we belong to God***

**Margie Cole**

*August 16, 1922~ August 6, 2022*

*Margie has been a member since 1997.*

## Welcome, Visitors!

For more information about our church and its missions, visit our website at [www.fpckerville.org](http://www.fpckerville.org). If you would like to be contacted by phone or email, please submit a contact request form on our website, or call the church office. You may also fill out the Connect Card located in the pew pocket, or the Friendship Pad (located at the end of each pew). Please place the Connect Card in the offering tray or give it to an usher.

**Prayer or Praise Request?** Prayer request cards can be found in the pews, or you may complete your request on our website at [www.fpckerville.org](http://www.fpckerville.org) and it will head right to our prayer team, which meets on Wednesdays at 9 a.m.

## Calendar Highlights at First Presbyterian

For a full listing of church events, log on to [www.fpckerville.org](http://www.fpckerville.org) and click on "Calendar".

### Sunday, August 14

- 8:30 Worship—Sanctuary
- 9:30 Youth Taco Time—Rita's Famous Tacos
- 9:45 Children's Sunday School—Rooms 209, 210, 211
- 9:45 Adult Sunday School—Room 208
- 11:00 Worship—Sanctuary & Live Streamed  
Blessing of the Backpacks during the 11:00 am service

### Monday, August 15

- 2:00 Congregational Care Meeting—Pastor's Office
- 5:30 Budget & Finance Committee—Room 205

### Tuesday, August 16

- 7:00 Men's Bible Study—Room 207
- 10:00 CCP Chapel with Audrey—Schreiner Chapel
- 11:00 Memorial Service for Margie Cole in the Sanctuary with a reception to follow in Ryan Hall.
- 5:00 Worship & Music Committee—Room 208

### Wednesday, August 17

- 9:00 Prayer Group—Zoom
- 10:30 Staff Meeting—Congregational Care Office
- 11:30 Men's Luncheon—El Jimador

### Thursday, August 18

- 5:30 Children's Ministry Team—Room 210

### Friday, August 19

- 10:00 Grief Support Group—Manse (MSS)

### Saturday, August 20

- 9:00 Pop Up Market—Family Life Center Parking Lot
- 12:00 HOPES Kitchen—Family Life Center

### Sunday, August 21

- 8:30 Worship—Sanctuary
- 9:45 Adult Sunday School—Room 208
- 11:00 Worship—Sanctuary & Live Streamed



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