

Welcome to our church this morning. We are glad you are here. Please fill in our Friendship Book, which is located on the inside aisle of our pews. We hope to greet everyone today and to make our time together a source of inspiration and service.

We have childcare available during our service, for children five years and younger, located just beside the entrance to the sanctuary. We also have a special time for worship designed specifically for K-5 grade folk. They can go downstairs at the conclusion of our Congregational Singing in our order of service. If you would like to go with them for a few moments the first time or two you are encouraged to do so.

After each service, there is a time for fellowship in our fellowship hall located downstairs and around the corner from the sanctuary. We have some refreshments and encourage everyone to come and visit for a few minutes before heading home.

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Thank you for coming today and may the offering of our worship together be a blessing not only for this time but for the week ahead.

First Presbyterian Church of Wasilla is part of Presbyterian Church of the United States of America. We have been here in Wasilla for over 70 years and are excited about present and future ministries which lead us upward, inward and outward. We wish to recruit, renew and grow disciples for Jesus Christ. We hope everyone will grow:

Upward in worship,
Inward in fellowship and discipleship,
Outward in service and evangelism.

April 1, 2018

Easter Sunday

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> Pastor Rev. Henry H. Woodall Cell #354-5043

Worship Leaders Today

Preaching: Rev. Henry Woodall Music/Media Director: Garth Hangartner Organist/Pianist: Allayne Dinkel Pianist/Organist: Jan Krsnak

Service of Worship Easter Sunday, April 1, 2018

Prelude

Call to Worship Resurrection Creed
I Corinthians 15:1-7

Hymn

#248

"Christ is Risen! Shout Hosanna!"

Time with Children

Welcoming One Another

(Children may head downstairs for Kingdom Kids and will be brought up for communion)

Congregational Singing

"Cornerstone"
"10,000 Reasons"
"Lighthouse"

Prayers of the People

Lord's Prayer

Anthem

Chancel Choir

"In the Midnight Garden" arr.Martin "Alleluia! Christ Is Risen!" Warrenton

Scripture Reading

Matthew 28:1-11

Sermon

"Earthshaking Good News"

Offering

Offertory (Gary Satterfield & Allayne Dinkel)

"Christ Arose!"

Arr. Smith/Hustad

Doxology

Prayer of Dedication

Celebration of Communion

Hymn

"Jesus Christ Is Risen Today"

Go and Tell

Benediction

Choral Benediction

#543

#232

"God, Be the Love to Search and Keep Me"

Postlude

"The Trumpet Shall Sound"

Handel

FELLOWSHIP TIME - Everyone is encouraged to come downstairs to have some coffee and snacks immediately following the Service of Worship. The refreshments are good, but the best part is visiting with your fellow worshipers. If you are new, this is a wonderful time for us all to get to know one another better! (There won't be snacks today, however.)

Visit Our Revamped Website -

http://www.FirstPresWasilla.org
Check it out for sermon audio recordings, video of the complete worship service, bulletins, Henry's blog, and an online calendar & more!

<u>Fellowship Pads</u> - It is a pleasure having you with us this morning. We would love for you to sign the fellowship pad at the end of the pew. Thank you.

Would you like to pray? Are any of you sick (body, mind, or spirit)? "You should call on the elders of the church to come and pray over you, anointing you with oil in the name of the Lord." (James 5:14) A prayer team is available at the front of the sanctuary to pray for you personally and confidentially about any concern you may have.

<u>Prayer Chain</u> - If you have prayer joys or concerns please send an email to Laurie Kari at <u>laurie.kari6@gmail.com</u>.

Please be sure to secure your vehicles.

POSTSCRIPTS

Stewardship - March 25, 2018

Attendance: 110 Offering: \$4,688

Year to Date General Offering: \$59,879 Amt needed to meet the budget: \$63,720 Designated Offering: One Great Hour: \$250 MY House:\$200, Mat-Su Food Bank:\$50

"A checkbook is a theological document; it will tell you who and what you worship." Billy Graham

Table Talk (will resume next week)

After church, grab a snack and coffee, then join us in the Youth Room at the back of the Fellowship Hall. We'll discuss and examine the scriptures and sermon in depth and also have a chance to get better acquainted. We will wrap things up by noon.

PRESBYTERIAN MEN

All men are invited for breakfast at 8:00am on the 2nd and 4th Saturdays of the month. Our next Men's Breakfast will be Saturday, April 14.

Wild and Wonderful Wednesdays

Every Wednesday we will be having food, fellowship and family time here at church.

5:00-5:30 Fellowship, coloring, games
5:30-6:15 Supper (no charge) just come
6:15-7:00 Bible Study for all ages K-2, 3-5, middle and high school, adult
7:00-8:00 Choir or craft/activity for middle

school folks through adults; just

come and have fun!

Sign-up on our website, Sunday, or send us an email so we can plan well.

Fair Trade Sales

Spring is on the way! Stock up now for summer camping and hiking with Fair Trade Fruit Bars, Candy Bars, and Mini Candy Bars. Stick them in your pocket or backpack for a quick energy boost. Olive Oil, Coffee, Tea, and Cocoa Mixes are also available for overnight camping or motor homing. If you need anything before the next sale date, just ask Cindy Satterfield to get you what you need. (357-3047) Next Sale Date: April 8.

Gaines and Steele Scholarship

The applications for the Gaines and Steele Scholarship are on the website. Please carefully read the qualifications and drop them off or postmark them by *April 8th*.

PW - Teacups & Bonnets

For our next PW meeting, we will be joining ladies from numerous churches for an Ecumenical Tea party! It's Saturday, April 14 at Good Shepherd Lutheran beginning at 2:00pm. All women are invited to come. Brings cookies/bars to share if you wish. Call Liz Potter (355-0315) or see the flyer on the bulletin board for more information.

Upward Inward Outward

A discipleship experience is taking place at Bingle Camp on Harding Lake for middle and high school students. We will travel to Bingle Camp on Sunday, May 27 in the afternoon and return home on Saturday, June 2 in the afternoon. Cost is \$150 and scholarships are available. We will work, study, play, worship and have some grand adventures and fellowship. Your friends are welcome to come, but youth and parents need to meet with Henry before getting registered. Visit https://binglecamp.org to register, get information, packing lists, and more. Phone number 907-479-0562.

Flowers for You!

At the back of the sanctuary are fresh flowers. Please take one if you like, or take one and give it to another person, or take several! If you see a new face in the congregation, please welcome them and give them a flower. If there are still flowers in the vase after the service, consider taking them to someone who is home sick or might need a pick me up who couldn't attend today. There is a sign-up sheet beside the vase if you would like to sign-up for a Sunday and bring them.

Women's Bible Study Tuesdays

In the Upper Room from 10:30-noon, all women are welcome to join our current Horizons Bible Study, "Cloud of Witnesses."

Welcoming the New Babies!

Our church wants to acknowledge the new little lives that have graced our church family: Braydon and Victoria Perrupato's baby girl Lily, and Nathan and Caroline Leonard's baby girl Elizabeth. Everyone who would like is invited to contribute a card, a note, or handy tips for managing all the new demands, and especially written prayers! The Presbyterian Women will collect the cards and notes and present them in a basket during the Service of Worship on April 29, followed by cake and fellowship downstairs. If you have a question, please call Cindy Satterfield (357-3047) or Liz Potter (355-0315).

Birthdays

April 3	Colleen Cottle
April 4	Taylor Bushey
April 5	Michael Foster
April 6	Robert Doyle

Anniversaries

None this week.

Activities for the Week

Easter Sunday, April 1

7:00am Sunrise Service

8:00-9:30 Breakfast

10:00am Worship Service

Monday, April 2 Tuesday, April 3

10:30am Women's Bible Study

7:00pm Trustees

Wednesday, April 4

5:00pm WWW

7:00pm Choir

8:00pm FISH

Thursday, April 5

Friday, April 6

Saturday, April 7

Sunday, April 8

10:00am Worship Service

11:15am Table Talk 11:30am Session