



REFORMING SERVICE

11:15 am

Song // *You are the Reason*

Welcome and Announcements

Singing // *O Come To The Altar*

*Nothing But The Blood*

Prayer

Time with Young Christians

Scripture // *Matthew 5:1-2 (pg 785 in Pew Bible)*

Sermon // *Making the Kingdom Bigger*

Invitation to the Table

Joys and Concerns

Prayer and The Lord's Prayer

Sharing of the Bread and the Cup

Special Music - Do It again

*Kari Bruinsma, Serena Lynch,*

*Eric Hansen, Rachelle Gewecke*

Prayer

Song // *10,000 Reasons*

Pledges and Gifts

Blessing

Song // *Benediction*

*"The Peace of Christ be with you...*

**and also with you."**

WELCOME

we're glad you're here.

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REFORMED SERVICE

8:50 am

ANNOUNCEMENTS

WELCOME

PRELUDE // *Arla Stover*

*"Amazing Grace" // Meir*

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Call upon the name of the Lord

**People: We will lift our praise to God**

Leader: Come before him with songs of praise

**People: We will proclaim God's goodness**

Leader: Worship the Lord with all your strength

**People: We will give thanks to the Holy One**

+ HYMN 457

*"I Greet Thee Who My Sure Redeemer Art"*

+ OPENING PRAYER // *Rick Reinking*

**God of all times and places, be with us now in this place as we gather to worship. Help us set aside our distractions and bring our whole focus to these moments of reflection and prayer. Lead our hearts to stronger faith, deeper joy, and more authentic love for you and others. Help us accept the grace to forgive ourselves and others, and the hope to face our struggles with courage and peace. Share the truth of your Word with us, that we might be changed by it and better able to serve Christ together. In the power of his holy name we pray. Amen**

GLORIA PATRI 579

CHILDREN'S TIME // *Doug Stueven*

HYMN 554  
"Let All Things Now Living"

SCRIPTURE READING // *Psalm 15*  
436 in the Pew Bibles

ANTHEM // *FPC Chancel Choir*  
"Trust and Obey"

SCRIPTURE READING // *Matthew 5:1-12*  
785 in the Pew Bibles

SERMON // *Clint Loveall*  
Making the Kingdom Bigger

+ AFFIRMATION OF FAITH // *Apostle's Creed*

**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 the saints; the  
forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body;  
and the life everlasting. Amen.**

INVITATION TO THE LORD'S TABLE

JOYS AND CONCERNS

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

Leader: The Lord be with you

**People: And also with you**

Leader: Lift up your hearts

**People: We lift them up to the Lord**

Leader: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**People: It is right to give God our thanks  
and praise...**

SHARING OF THE BREAD AND THE CUP

OFFERING

Offertory // *Bober* "Love Lifted Me"

+ Doxology 592

+ Prayer of Dedication

+ HYMN 361

"How Firm a Foundation"

+ BENECTION // *Back cover of Hymnal*

"Go Now In Peace"

POSTLUDE // *Smith*

"Heroic Theme"

+ Those who are able are invited to stand.

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Thank you to everyone who participated with  
our worship services today.

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# GET CONNECTED!

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
Prayer Reformed Coffee Sunday School Confirmation Adult Ed Reforming Super-Bowl Party	PW Sewing - 9am	WIC - 8:30am  Women's Bible Study - 1:30pm	Memory Care Mtg - 10am  Recharge - 5:30pm Bells - 7pm HS - 7:15pm Choir - 8pm	Men's Bible Study - 9am ACT II - 11:53am		

## Congregational Life Event

Congregational Life would like to invite you to a unique fellowship opportunity! The Throwing Post (axe throwing) in Arnolds Park is willing to host us for a private event February 23 at 2-4pm. Cost is \$25 per person (which is about half of their normal rate). We need to have a minimum of 20 participants signed up to reserve the facility. Please sign up in the office or contact Tony Jennings [tonyjill.jennings@gmail.com](mailto:tonyjill.jennings@gmail.com) ASAP. The Throwing Post is located behind Smokin' Jakes in the former Clara's Clutter Closet location. You will have to park on Broadway and walk 1 block.

## Thank You

I want to thank everyone for all the care and concern during my recent illness. The prayers, cards, and calls meant so much. A special thank you for all those who brought meals. I really appreciate your thoughtfulness. Phyllis Walburg

## New Adult Ed. Class begins this morning

The Book of Job

Reflections on one of the strangest books in the Bible

Join us for a look at one of the most interesting and difficult books of the Old Testament. This will be an overview rather than a chapter by chapter study, but we will cover the basic outline of the book, the various discourses and "arguments" of the characters, and the themes Job presents. Bring a Bible and join us for a look at a fascinating part of our Scriptures.

## Super Bowl Party

All High School Youth are invited to join us at the church for food, games, and watching the Super-Bowl. Event begins at 5:30pm and friends are welcome. Hope to see you there.

## Valentines Dinner

All are invited to the annual Valentine's Dinner held at the First Presbyterian Church in Spirit Lake, IA on Saturday, February 8th at 5:30pm. The Valentine's Dinner is hosted by the youth and families of the First Presbyterian Church as an opportunity to enjoy excellent food and fellowship and to support the high school summer youth mission trip. Childcare is provided and tickets are \$15 per person or \$30 per couple. Tickets can be purchased in the church office at First Presbyterian Church in Spirit Lake or can be reserved at 712-336-1649 from now until the night of the event.

## NEW TO OUR PRAYER LIST



- Gloria Ditsworth, having surgery this week
- Bob Peterson, recovering from being hospitalized

For additional prayer concerns and announcements see our website [fpcspiritlake.org](http://fpcspiritlake.org)

# TEACHING NOTES

CLINT LOVEALL // Making the Kingdom Bigger

PASSAGE // Matthew 5:1-12

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