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REFORMING SERVICE

11:15 am

Song // *You Are My Vision*

Announcements

Singing // *Come As You Are*

Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus

Prayer

Time with Young Christians

Scripture // *Mark 15:6-15*

(on screen & pg 828 in pew Bibles)

Sermon // *The One Who Got Away*

Joys and Concerns

Song // *All Who Are Thirsty*

Pledges and Gifts

Prayer

Song // *Doxology*

Blessing

"The Peace of Christ be with you...

and also with you."

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WELCOME

we're glad you're here.

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REFORMED SERVICE

8:50 am

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE // *Eulyn Riemersma*

"What a Friend We Have in Jesus" // Converse

CALL TO WORSHIP

written by Rev. Daniel Commerford

Leader: Return to the Lord your God,

People: for God is gracious.

Leader: Confess to the Lord your God,

People: for God is merciful.

Leader: Repent to the Lord your God,

People: for God is slow to anger.

Leader: Praise the Lord your God,

People: for God abounds in steadfast love.

Leader: Worship the Lord your God.

All: Together, let us worship God!

+ HYMN 430

"Come Sing, O Church, in Joy!"

+ OPENING PRAYER

Lord, we come before you as a people in need of refreshing. Our souls are dry and our spirits are tired, and yet we still cling to our busy frantic days and wear ourselves out for no real reasons. Give us a moment to rest in your grace. Give us relief from chasing things that can never truly satisfy us. Give us a better path, and the freedom to step away from whatever doesn't give us life. Come to us in our tired wandering, and show us a way to peace. In Christ we ask. Amen.

+GLORIA PATRI 579

CHILDREN'S TIME // *Ellen Williams*

JOYS AND CONCERNS

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

HYMN 333

"Seek Ye First"

SCRIPTURE READING // *Psalm 130*

502 in the Pew Bibles

ANTHEM // *Chancel Choir*

"Above All"

SCRIPTURE READING // *Mark 15:6-15*

828 in the Pew Bibles

SERMON // *Clint Loveall*

The One Who Got Away

+ 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.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

MINUTE FOR MISSION // *Cassie Gabe - Lakeshore Center*

OFFERING

Offertory

"Channels Only" // *Landon*

+ Doxology 592

+ Prayer of Dedication

+ HYMN 376

"Love Divine, All Loves Excelling"

+ BENEDICTION // *Back cover of Hymnal*

"Go Now In Peace"

POSTLUDE

+ Those who are able are invited to stand.

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

{CONGRATULATIONS & BLESSINGS} to Steven & Leah Jensen as they present their daughter, Leona Pape Jensen, for baptism this morning.

GET CONNECTED!

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Prayer Reformed Coffee Sunday School Confirmation Reforming 5:00 Lenten Bible Study	6:00 Steward- ship Mtg	1:30 Women's Bible Study 7:00 Session Mtg	10 Memory Care 5:30 Recharge 7:00 Handbells 7:15 Youth Group 8:00 Choir	8:30 Ladies Coffee Break 9:00 Men's Bible Study 11:53 Act II		

LENT SOUP & STUDY

Everyone is invited to join us in this year's Lenten study, "Looking at Ourselves Through the Enneagram." Join us whenever you can or check our website (fpcspiritlake.org/enneagram/) for weekly resources including: video of every Sunday session, weekly handouts, and podcasts. Sunday sessions will begin with dinner at 5:00 and study from 5:30-6:30pm. There is no cost and childcare is provided if requested. A sign up for soup and desserts is available in the Narthex.

This Week:

Sunday Session
March 15 - Exploring Our Foundational
Brokenness

Podcast
March 19 - Dis/Integration

RECHARGE SPRING SEMESTER

Our spring semester of Recharge has begun. This Wednesday evening, multi-generational gathering starts at 5:30pm with a family style meal and is followed by educational classes & fellowship for both youth and adults at 6:10pm.

Adult Spring Semester Classes

Women's Bible Study - 1 Samuel "Spiritual Practices" - Clint & Michael
Love & Logic Course "A Clash of Kingdoms" - Vander Laan video

EASTER LILIES

This year we have decided to add to the cost of each lily and use the proceeds to benefit the Timber Bay Ministry. So while we celebrate the resurrection, we will also be ministering to people less fortunate. The lily alone will be \$11, but if you choose to give to Todd McQuown & the Timber Bay Ministry, it will be \$15. Please contact Megan in the church office by March 19th to place your order, and also let us know if this in memory of or honoring someone.

SPIRITUAL PRACTICES CLASS

Join Pastors, Michael and Clint, for a Wednesday evening class exploring spiritual practices and how we might grow through them. Topics will include things like: gratitude, simplicity, silence, prayer, joy, service, kindness, and generosity. We hope you might join us as we gather to discuss how we might integrate these spiritual themes more fully into our lives. The class will be held in the large classroom at the end of the hall in the education wing.

BABY SHOWER

Please join us for a come & go baby shower honoring Katie Luinstra on Saturday, March 21st from 2-4pm in the fellowship hall here at FPC. They are registered for their baby girl at BabyList.com // Search: Katie Luinstra.

CELEBRATION OF LIFE

There will be a Celebration of Life for Dick Morris on Saturday, March 21st at FPC. The visitation begins at 10am and the service will be following at 11am.

NEW TO OUR PRAYER LIST



- Josh Ullom, son of Pastor Dave Ullom at FPC in Estherville, diagnosed with lung cancer.
- Kathy Norris' mother, Vera, who fell and broke her nose
- Cole Brumley recovering from knee surgery.

For additional prayer concerns and announcements see our website fpcspiritlake.org

TEACHING NOTES

CLINT LOVEALL // The One Who Got Away
