

**First Presbyterian Church
Sunday, March 18, 2018**

Prelude Susan Tiffany

Welcome and Greetings

*Call to Worship (from Psalm 118) Stephanie VanMatre

L: The stone the builders rejected
has become the cornerstone;

**P: the Lord has done this,
and it is marvelous in our eyes.**

L: You are my God, and I will praise you;
you are my God, and I will exalt you.

**P: Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good;
his love endures forever.**

*Prayer

*Praise Songs Lamb of God 24 Feet
10,000 Reasons (Bless the Lord)

Offering Cindy Affolter & Susan Tiffany

*Doxology

*Hymn #131 All Glory, Laud and Honor
Children may come forward during the hymn.

Children's Sermon Pastor Scott Lingle

Anthem

Scripture Reading Matthew 27: 11-26

Sermon "Jesus Before Pilate" Pastor Scott Lingle

*Hymn #236 The Old Rugged Cross

*Benediction

Postlude Cindy Affolter

*** Indicates those who are able to stand.**

Helpers this week

Deacon: Hannah Byers

Sermonette: Pastor Scott Lingle

Coffee Time: Hannah Byers

Greeter: Austin & Emily Roe

Nursery: Christie & Caley Hartner

Helpers next week

Deacon: Hannah Byers

Sermonette: Brenda Heeren

Coffee Time: Angie Frigon

Greeter: Reneé Langvardt

Nursery: Celisa Reding & Simon Lee

This Week at First Presbyterian

Sunday (3/18)	9:00am 9:30am 10:15am 10:45am 11:45am 12pm No Youth Group	Coffeehouse Open Sunday School Choir Practice Worship Service Congregational Meeting Coffee Time
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Wednesday (3/21)	7:00pm No Meal or Activities/No Youth Group	24 Feet Practice
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Today's broadcast of "*Transforming Grace*,"
the radio ministry of the First Presbyterian Church,
has been sponsored by Mary Ann Fowles.

Youth Group Schedule
March 18 - No HS Youth Group
March 21 - No MS Youth Group
March 25 - HS Youth Group (5:30-7pm)

A Reminder from the Office

Please be reminded that if you make any purchases for First Presbyterian Church such as food or supplies for Wednesday evening meals or VBS, all receipts need to be turned into the FPC office. This includes purchases made through our various charge accounts around town.

Thank you for your help with this!

Welcome, Visitors!

New to First Presbyterian Church? We're so glad you worshipped with us today! Please help us connect with you by filling out a Connection Card and placing it in the offering plate.

Also, feel free to stop by our Welcome Table in the Library for a gift and information about upcoming events.

Drew Ordination and Congregational Meetings

Drew Reding is continuing to progress toward ordination. One requirement for his ordination is to have a call from a church. So, the plan is for both First Presbyterian and Idana Presbyterian to call him to be the Associate Pastor of Youth and Outreach. In order to issue those calls, congregational meetings need to be held. The first congregational meeting will be to form a Search Committee for the Associate Pastor position. The second congregational meeting will be to call Drew as the Associate Pastor. Below are the announcements for the congregational meetings.

The Session has called a Congregational Meeting for Sunday, March 18, 2018 directly following the worship service for the purpose of forming a Search Committee to find an Associate Pastor of Youth and Outreach. It will be recommended that the Session act as the Search Committee.

The Session has called a Congregational Meeting for Sunday, March 25, 2018 directly following the worship service for the purpose of calling an Associate Pastor of Youth and Outreach.

Wednesday Night Activities

There will be no Wednesday night meal or activities on March 21 or March 28 due to Spring Break and Easter. Please join us when we pick back up on Wednesday, April 4, 2018.

Thank You

Thanks to all our church family for your prayers, cards, calls, food, and concern during our illnesses. Forrest is currently taking his second round of radiation treatments. Miss you all!
Forrest and LaVonne Hartner

Youth Group Announcements

Can We "Egg" Your House? Would you like to add something fun to the way your family celebrates Easter? Let the Youth Group "egg" your house! Your children will wake up on Easter morning to a yard covered in plastic Easter eggs filled with candy! Eggs will be \$15 per dozen with all proceeds going towards the summer mission trips. Please sign up on the bulletin board.

Youth Service Project: On Tuesday, March 20, 2018 our Youth Group will be partnering with other youth groups from Clay Center to serve at the Salina Rescue Mission. Please keep our youth in prayer as we serve on this day.

Save the Date for VBS!

Where: Idana Presbyterian Church
When: Tuesday, May 29-Friday, June 1, 2018 9-11:30 AM
Who: Ages 3-entering 5th grade



First Presbyterian Church

Clay Center, Kansas



“Jesus Before Pilate” Sunday, March 18, 2018

9:00am Coffeehouse

9:30am Sunday School

10:45am Worship Service

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Church Staff

Scott Lingle - Pastor

Drew Reding - Youth Director

Amanda Doster - Secretary

April Lingle - Family Ministries



