

SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

February 5, 2012

*Gather to Worship -- Scatter to Serve*

CHIMES

THE APOSTOLIC GREETING

Leader: The Lord be with you!

People: **And also with you!**

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

\*THE PEACE

Leader: The peace of Christ be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

\*THE SHARING OF THE PEACE

PRELUDE

"The Solid Rock"

W. Bradbury

ACOLYTES & BIBLE PRESENTATION

*As the acolytes light the candles, may we become aware of the presence of the One who is the Light of the World. As the Liturgist carries in the Bible, may we be reminded that we are truly people of the Word.*

CHORAL INTROIT

CALL TO WORSHIP (Psalm 96:1-7)

Leader: O sing unto the LORD a new song: sing unto the LORD, all the earth.

People: Sing unto the LORD, bless his name; show forth his salvation from day to day.

Leader: Declare his glory among the heathen, his wonders among all people.

People: For the LORD is great, and greatly to be praised: he is to be feared above all gods.

Leader: For all the gods of the nations are idols: but the LORD made the heavens.

People: Honor and majesty are before him: strength and beauty are in his sanctuary.

**All: Give unto the LORD, O ye kindreds of the people, give unto the LORD glory and strength.**

\*PROCESSIONAL HYMN

"Christ Is Made The Sure Foundation"

NO. 403

\*PRAYER OF PRAISE AND ADORATION

\*RESPONSE

"Jesus, Name Above All Names"

NO. 86

CALL TO CONFESSION (1 John 1:5-7)

"This then is the message which we have heard of him, and declare unto you, that God is light, and in him is no darkness at all. If we say that we have fellowship with him, and walk in darkness, we lie, and do not the truth: But if we walk in the light, as he is in the light, we have fellowship one with another, and the blood of Jesus Christ his Son cleanses us from all sin."

SILENT CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION, ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS  
& THE LORD'S PRAYER

CHORAL RESPONSE

CHORAL ANTHEM

"Create In Me A Clean Heart, O God" C. Mueller

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

*(The children will be dismissed to Extended Church following the Children's Message)*

SCRIPTURE

I Kings 17:1-16; Matthew 16:13-28

MESSAGE

THE GOSPEL OF THE KING

"The Confession"

\*HYMN

"I Have Decided To Follow Jesus"

NO. 602

OFFERING OUR GIFTS BACK TO GOD

OFFERTORY

"Shall We Gather By The River"

R. Lowery

*Please take this time to sign the Fellowship Pads and pass them to others.*

*Please also include your e-mail, if possible.*

\*DOXOLOGY

\*PRAYER OF DEDICATION AND THANKSGIVING

\*HYMN

"Living For Jesus"

NO. 605

\*BENEDICTION

\*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE

We have gathered and Your Spirit works within us.

We have gathered and we glorify Your name.

Send us now to share Your grace and Your mercy;

Blessing others in Your name,

Blessing others in Your name.

POSTLUDE

"Joyous Acclamation"

L. Smith

*As the candles are extinguished and the Bible is carried out, may the Light of Christ and the Word of Life be carried by all of us out into the world.*

*\*please stand, if possible*

PRAYER JOYS & CONCERNS

February 5, 2012

Family of Ron Sillin, Sr. (Ron Sillin's father - passed away Jan. 27, 2012)

Lora Hollingshead and baby, Owen (born, Jan. 9, 2012, 1 lb., 7oz)

Jean Swisher (broken arm Jan. 20)

Ella Brest (Arlington Care Center), Patricia Mahon (Chapel Grove Inn)

Louise Remington (Chapel Grove Inn)

Pastor Nominating Committee, Sunday School Department

Earthquake victims and families: Haiti (1/12/10), Japan (3/11/11), Turkey (10/24/11)

Daniel Osborn (thyroid cancer; cousin of Wes & Laura Osborn), Chad Jervis, Gary Merrian (heart and diabetes problems; neighbor of Nancy & Johnson), Gerald Helmick (in hospital for colon problems and shingles; nephew of Nancy & Jim Johnson), Donald Rodeniser (health issues; brother of Jim Rodeniser), Patrick Stasel (stroke; friend of Georgia & Bob Porter & Joe & Marilyn Johnston); Beverly Wells (bone cancer; friend of Greg Angeletti), Jennifer Bryan (breast cancer; daughter of Joe & Marilyn Johnston), Richard Bostick (Leukemia; friend of Tom Fish), Donna Mitchell (cancer; friend of Kim Dershem), Robert Renner (recurrent lung cancer; Tamara Hegele's stepfather), Diane Turner (cancer; friend of Tina Angeletti), Ila Connors (abdominal pain; friend of Louise Whitis), Bill Dawson (recovery from shingles), Marcy Brown (brain tumor/aneurism) & Gary Brown (cancer; friends of Jim and Nancy Johnson), Terri Jo Boyer (tumor), Maralynn Watson (breast cancer, niece of Deb Blamer), Diane Johns (breast cancer; sister of Randy Hinkle), Dan Bunn (cancer), Jim Whisler (car accident; friend of Del Robinson and John & Carol Denison), Jody Morrison (stroke; cousin of Mike Morrison), Pam Long (breast cancer; friend of Mike Morrison), "Mel" (health issues and depression; friend of Georgia Porter), Krista Molina (Lou Gehrig's Disease; friend of Lois Spangler), Phillip Williams (treatment of brain tumor; cousin of Julie Ashcraft), "Mike" (friend of Nancy Molnar), Bob Reynard (Greg Angeletti & Dan Gargus), Doug Ogilbee (brain cancer; friend of Betty Dershem), Dave Hamilton (leukemia; friend of Mick & Sue Kieby), Rilla Parker (Myasthenia Gravis - Jane Brady's daughter), All the Servicemen and -women of our country

**Please contact Wendy Riebel (345-1480) with updates to keep our Prayer Concerns current.**

NEWARK, OHIO

Habitat for Humanity, Heartbeats, Licking County Jail Ministry  
LC Food Pantry Network, LC Coalition of Care, The Salvation Army, The Gideons

OHIO

Buckhorn Child Welfare Agency, Meigs County Ministry

INTERNATIONAL

Operation Christmas Child; World Vision; Mabel Bahler-International Friendships, Inc.; John & Gwen Haspels (Africa); Paul and Christy Knudson & Family (Bolivia); Rick & Laura Leatherwood (Liberia); Mike & Nancy Mahon & Family (Peru); David & Joy Miller (Boston International Student Ministries; Leroy Peters (New Tribes Radio Ministry); The Navigators; Bevan & Laura Stein & Family (International Messengers - Slovakia); Children of Montana de Luz

*"The Lord is near. Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God and the peace of God, which transcends all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus"—Philippians 4:5-7*

*Welcome to all Our Friends and Visitors Today!*

THIS WEEK AT FIRST PRESBYTERIAN

Mon., Feb. 6..... 7:00p..... PNC Meeting  
 ..... 7-9:00p..... Women's Bible Study  
 Tues., Feb. 7..... 8:30a. - 12:00p..... CFE Home School Group  
 ..... 9:00a. - 12:00p..... Women's Quilting  
 ..... 6:30p..... Session  
 Wed., Feb. 8..... 3:00p. - 6:00p..... Chapel open to the community  
 ..... 7:00p..... Chancel Choir Rehearsal  
 Thurs., Feb. 9..... 6:30p..... Property Committee  
 Sat., Feb. 11..... 1:00p..... PNC Focus Group  
 Next Sunday - After worship: PNC Focus Groups/Lunch; and at 5:00p.m.

CHAPEL PRAYER SERVICE - Sundays, 8:30 to 9 a.m.

ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS - 9:15-10:15a.m. Rick Warren's *40 Days In The Word*. Simple ways to read and study the Bible. Leaders: Peggy Lieb and Karen Birtcher. Please join us in the Journey Room at 9:15 a.m. Workbooks are available for \$10.00 if able.

ANNUAL MEETING - Today after worship service to elect officers and receive reports following a congregational dinner in the fellowship hall.

PASTOR NOMINATING COMMITTEE - Scheduled Focus Groups: Wed, Feb 1 - 7:00 p.m. (after the "Family of Faith" Potluck Supper), Sun, Feb 12 - following worship (light lunch provided for participants), Sun, Feb 12 - 5:00 p.m. (2 groups - one for youth, one for adults), Sun., Feb 19 - following worship (light lunch provided for participants) - See insert.

FIFTY-FIVE PLUS - Luncheon at The Chop House (N. Park Place, downtown Newark) Wednesday, February 8, 11a.m. - 1:30 p.m. Both husbands and wives are welcome. Cost: \$7 - \$10 each. More information: contact Mary Ellen Galbraith (366-3711).

ART SALE - Sun., Feb. 12 (during coffee hour and after worship until 1:30pm) by Judy Doyle to benefit the First Pres. (church receives 50% of sales), and Mon., Feb. 13 (10am to 12pm). This is a great opportunity to bring new people to church and come to the sale. The sale will be held in the hallway up the stairs from fellowship hall. Some art is already hanging there.

SWEETHEART DINNER - Saturday, February 18, 6-10p.m. Purchase tickets/reservations by February 14, 2012. Adults: \$35 per couple (children: free). Contact Barb Jobes, Barb Lucero, Linda Smith, or Michelle Allds. Make checks payable to First Presbyterian Church. This event sponsored by the Church Life Committee.

FAMILY MOVIE NIGHT OUTREACH - Friday, February 24 at 7:00p.m., in the fellowship hall. Your family and the families of VBS kids, Shoe Drive kids and First Pres are invited for refreshments and a family movie. Let's have some fun together as we reach out to those who may not yet know the love of God.

LITTLE DRESSES FOR AFRICA - A short information meeting will be held after worship service on Sunday, February 26, in the fellowship hall for anyone interested in making pillowcase dresses for little girls living in the remote villages of Africa. Please contact Kenita Keck or Deb Blamer if you have questions. Hope to see you there!

MEN'S FELLOWSHIP BREAKFAST - canceled for February. If any men are interested in starting up again in March, or a later month, please contact Lee Walker or Bob Blamer.

CHAPEL PRAYER MINISTRY - for prayer and meditation Wed. 3 - 6p.

"GOOD MORNING" BIBLE STUDY - resumes Thursday, March 1, 2012.

SCRIP PROGRAM - SHOPPING and GIFT CARDS - Order first and third Sundays each month. Cards ready for pick-up the Sunday after your purchase. First Pres. receives a contribution from the cards you buy.

Large print Hymnals or enlarged copies of today's hymns available from the ushers

WE EXTEND OUR APPRECIATION TODAY TO: Louise Whitis, Liturgist; Lydia Fish & Madison Mehok, Acolytes; Wendy Jobes, Children's Sermon; Lisa Fish & Gia Hegele, Children's Extended Church; Julie Ashcraft, Mike Ashcraft, Robin Balderston, Brian Lieb, Greeters; Tom Carson, Sound Room; Greg Angeletti, Custodian

Next Sunday (Feb 12): Carol Floyd, Liturgist; Erin Montgomery & Hannah Weekly, Acolytes; Barb Montgomery, Children's Sermon; Shannon Montgomery & Brian Lieb, Children's Extended Church; Michelle Allds, Kenita Keck, Don Lacy & Jim Rodeniser Greeters; Mike Ashcraft, Sound Room; \_\_\_\_\_, Custodian

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

65 NORTH THIRD STREET  
 NEWARK, OHIO

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 Mr. Robin Balderston, Interim Parish Associate

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SESSION

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Greg Angeletti  
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 Steve Smith

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Julie Ashcraft  
 Tom Carson  
 Mike Morrison  
 Barb Lucero

CLASS OF 2013

John Denison  
 Del Robinson  
 Kim Dershem  
 Tamara Hegele

Kim Dershem (Clerk of Session)

SESSION'S COMMITTEE STRUCTURE

Budget & Finance	Personnel
Christian Education, Family & Youth	Property
Church Life	Stewardship
Evangelism & Outreach	Worship and Music
Nominating	

DEACONS

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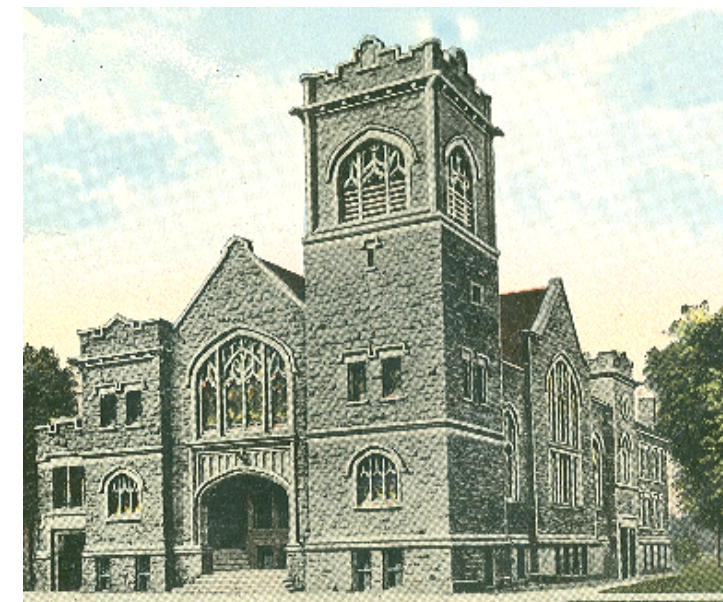
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*Our Mission*

*First Presbyterian Church of Newark, Ohio,  
 is a community of people who are being transformed by Jesus  
 Christ and are being used by Jesus to transform others toward  
 reconciliation and relationship with God.*

SERVICE OF WORSHIP: 10:45 A.M.

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