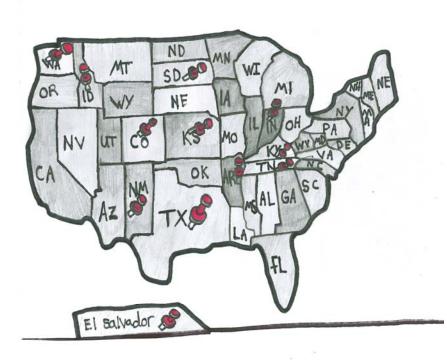
## First Presbyterian Church Wichita, Kansas





August 13, 2017 9:30 a.m.

August 13, 2017EPIC/Youth Sunday9:30 a.m.PreludePlaylistTorre RekoskeProcessionalBailey & Brandon BowlesWelcome and SharingGeri Doll

\*Call to Worship Jacob Ediger

Leader: Let us worship God as children...with wonder and awe.

All: Let us worship God as youth...with questions and eager hearts.

Leader: Let us worship God as adults...with gratitude and praise.

All: Let us worship God as elders...with wisdom and hope.

All: Let the Body of Christ sing praises to God,

from whom all blessings flow.

Energizer "Blind Man" Sam Gales, Torre Rekoske,

Khyah Van Es, Steve Bixler-Guitar

\*Prayer Invocation/Lord's Prayer

Meryt Ediger

Leader: Oh Lord, gathered in this sacred place together we are seekers of light,

seekers of faith.

All: Wherever two or three are gathered to worship,

the Holy Spirit is present.

Leader: Open our eyes to witness the love and joy that is waiting to be

revealed, this day, in this place.

All: Let us linger in this sanctuary and share in this worship. When we

leave today may our hearts be open to all of the wonders of your

beautiful world.

Leader: All this we pray, Oh Lord, in the name of our Savior, Jesus Christ,

who taught us to pray...Amen.

Call to Confession Khyah Van Es

**Prayer of Confession** 

Khyah Van Es

**Bob Hudson** 

Gracious Heavenly Father, early in human history our first parents listened to the voice of evil and sinned. Apart from your grace, we prove each day that we are guilty of rebellion too. We fail to thank You. We break your laws. We ignore our tasks. We are separated from You, our Creator, from our neighbor, and from all that You have made. But You did not turn your back on your creation but provided your Son to reconcile the world to You. Forgive us, Father. Help us to ignore the voices of temptation and to follow in the footsteps of Jesus in everything we do and say. Amen

Assurance of Pardon Khyah Van Es

\*Hymn Humble Thyself in the Sight of the Lord
Steve Bixler. Guitar

\*Passing of the Peace Sierra Coldwater

Leader: Since God has forgiven us in Christ, let us forgive one another.

The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.

People: And also with you.

(The children may come forward during the greeting.)

A Time with the Young Church Sierra Coldwater, Meryt Ediger, Alex Maddux

Scripture Reading #1 John 16:33 (NIV) Brandon Seek

Reflection "God's Love Endures and Overcomes"

Bronwen Burch

Skit "His Name is Bill" Zach Blessant, Chris & Sam Gales

Scripture Reading #2 Proverbs 3:23-24 Keaton Pedrino

Reflection "Taking Off to Idaho"

Torre Rekoske & Katie Young

The Bringing of the Tithes and Offerings Sailor Sulier

Slideshow Chris Gales

Offertory Music Sanctuary Randy Scruggs/John Thompson

Khyah Van Es, Soloist Steve Bixler, Guitar

\*Prayer of Dedication Sailor Sulier

\*Doxology No. 592

\*Hymn Beautiful Things Michael & Lisa Gungor

Steve Bixler, Guitar

\*Benediction and Passing of the Peace Harley Jones-Davis

\*Postlude Playlist Torre Rekoske

\*signifies congregation standing (for those able)

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