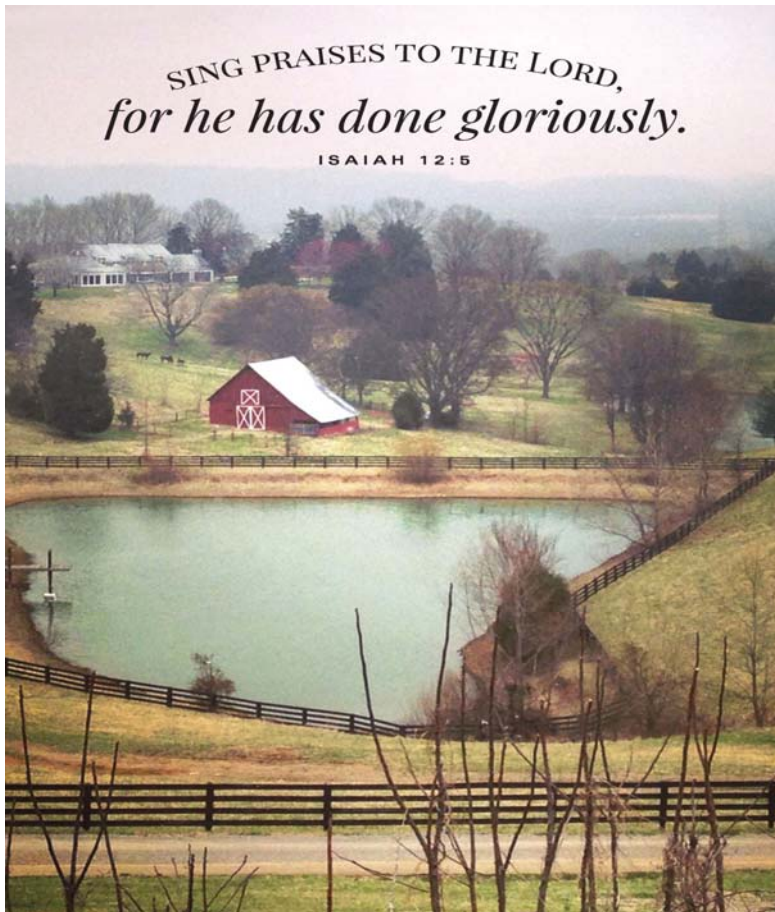


First Presbyterian Church Wichita, Kansas



September 25, 2016
10:45 a.m.

*The Peace

Leader: Let the peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be upon you.

People: And also with you.

(The children may come forward during the greeting.)

Time with the Children

First Reading

1st Timothy 6:6-19

Anthem

Libera Me, from Requiem
Terry McManis, Baritone

Gabriel Faure

*Deliver me, O Lord, from eternal death on that dreadful day,
When you come to judge the world.
I am made to tremble, and I fear. When the judgement comes,
Grant them eternal rest and let perpetual light shine upon them.*

Second Reading

Luke 16:19-31

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

Sermon

“Taking Hold of Life that is Real Life ”
The Rev. Dr. Brent O. Johnston

*Hymn

We Give Thee but Thine Own

No. 428

Pastoral Prayer & the Lord’s Prayer

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Call to Stewardship

Offertory

In Paradisum, from Requiem
Gretchen Bixler, Soprano

Gabriel Faure

*The angels lead you into paradise and martyrs receive you in your coming,
And may they guide you into the Holy city, Jerusalem.*

*A choir of angels welcome you. With Lazarus, who once was poor,
May you have eternal rest.*

*Doxology

No. 592

*Prayer of Thanksgiving

*Hymn

As Those of Old Their Firstfruits Brought

No. 414

*Charge and Benediction

Leader: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

*Choral Response

Recessing with the Candles of Presence

*Postlude

Chorale

Leon Boëllmann

*signifies congregation standing (for those able)

Sr. Men's Breakfast

David Dennis, Candidate for the 3rd District County Commission, will visit Sr. Men's Breakfast on Thursday, September 29, at 9:00 a.m. in the West Dining Room. Guests are invited to come and join the discussion. Plan to attend and invite a friend. For questions, please contact Kenneth Gabrielson, at 722-4159.

Partners in Mission

Each week the Presbytery of Southern Kansas lifts some of its churches for Prayer Focus. For the week of September 25, 2016, we are asked to remember in prayer:

1) First Presbyterian Church, Arkansas City, 3112 S. First Street, www.arkcitypres.org.

Please pray for them as they begin the process of searching for a new pastor.

2) Presbyterian Church, Garden City, 1719 Texas, Rev. Denise Pass, Pastor and Moderator of the Presbytery of Southern Kansas, www.pcgardencity.org.

Passport to Missions

This Sunday in *The Well*, we have our first 4th Sunday Mission Project. We invite everyone to stop by *The Well* between 9:15 a.m. and 12:00 p.m. to pack a backpack for a refugee child. Help us provide a warm welcome to the children coming to Wichita from Refugee camps and war zones this year!

Worship Leaders

Senior Pastor

Brent O. Johnston

Liturgist

Brian Howard

Director of Music

Steve Bixler

Organist

Mark Sweeney

Violin

Adrienne Dougherty

Trombone

Joe Clements

Trumpet

Dana Hamant