

First Presbyterian Church

902 S Walnut St, Mt. Pleasant, IA 52641



Share God's Love

“The motto of the First Presbyterian Church is to Share God’s Love, Shine God’s Light, and Get Shaped as God’s People”

Sermon: “What’s Next”



Rev. Trey Hegar

Sunday, May 17, 2026

Church Staff

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Worship Icons

The icons below are provided throughout the Order of Worship to encourage participation of all ages and abilities.



Speaking



Music



Listen



Pray



Scripture Reading



Offering



Holy Communion

Bold text is read or sung by the congregation

*Asterisk invites all who are able to stand

White is a liturgical color that symbolizes days and seasons of joy and resurrection i.e. Communion, Easter, Funerals, Baptisms, and Christmas Eve. White represents purity or holiness.

The Prelude calls us to quiet our hearts and minds in preparation for worship. We invite you to keep silence as you open yourself to the Spirit.

Order of Worship

We believe children learn to worship by being in worship. There is a children’s corner with activities in the back of the Sanctuary. If needed, there is a nursery with attendants (end of long hall) available during the service.

GATHERING MUSIC

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

- One more opportunity for a small group conversation -
 - this time on Zoom!
- One more week for the Congregational Survey
 - either on paper or online
- VBS registration is open
- Next Sunday, May 24, Pentecost Sunday, Wear Red, Celebrate Seniors!

PRELUDE:



SCRIPTURE:

John 17:1-11

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1 After Jesus had spoken these words, he looked up to heaven and said, “Father, the hour has come; glorify your Son so that the Son may glorify you, **2** since you have given him authority over all people, to give eternal life to all whom you have given him. **3** And this is eternal life, that they may know you, the only true God, and Jesus Christ, whom you have sent. **4** I glorified you on earth by finishing the work that you gave me to do. **5** So now, Father, glorify me in your own presence with the glory that I had in your presence before the world existed. **6** “I have made your name known to those whom you gave me from the world. They were yours, and you gave them to me, and they have kept your word. **7** Now they know that everything you have given me is from you, **8** for the words that you gave to me I have given to them, and they have received them and know in truth that I came from you, and they have believed that you sent me. **9** I am asking on their behalf; I am not asking on behalf of the world but on behalf of those whom you gave me, because they are yours. **10** All mine are yours, and yours are mine, and I have been glorified in them. **11** And now I am no longer in the world, but they are in the world, and I am coming to you. Holy Father, protect them in your name that you have given me, so that they may be one, as we are one.

One: The Words of the Lord.



All: Thanks Be to God.

SERMON:

“What’s Next?”

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PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE & THE LORD’S PRAYER

Our Father/Mother/Creator who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.



CLOSING HYMN: “Longing for Light, We Wait in Darkness” v. 4, 5

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CHARGE & BENEDICTION

Worship Helpers

Morning Building Assistant: **Mike Vincent** Ushers: **Curt & Ginnie Swarm**

Financial Secretary: **Ginnie Swarm** Treasurer: **Marvin Bricker**

Financial Clerk: **Mike Vincent**

Week of Sunday, May 17, 2026

SUN: 9:45 AM **Worship in Fellowship Hall; Forest Walk Consulting Session**
Brunch to Follow

6:30 PM **Scouts** - Fellowship Hall

MON-THU: 10:30 AM **Meals on Wheels** (bag pickup/drop off) - Parking Lot

MON: 1 PM **Scribblers** - Gathering Space

TUE: 9 AM - 12 PM **Symphony Mailing** - Fellowship Hall

PEO Set Up - Fellowship Hall

WED: 10:30 AM **Inclusive Bible Study** - Gathering Space

5-8 PM **PEO Chapter A** - Fellowship Hall

THU: 6 PM **DAR** - Fellowship Hall

FRI: 9-11:30 AM **Office Open (Mariah out until June 2)**

Prayer Concerns

- **Lois Roth's brother, Mark Veldhuizen, sister-in-law, Kim Veldhuizen, sister-in-law, Penny Veldhuizen**
- **Jack Becker's brother, Jerry Becker**
- **Tara Beauchamp's dad, Doug Cowan**
- **Leo Clark's stepdad, Raymond Aynes**
- **Karilyn Bale's granddaughter, Karilyn**
- **Erica Redgate's mother, Audrey Redgate, uncles, Dave Richardt and Gordon**
- **Rose Mary Wise's niece, Nancy Hill**
- **Terry Wasson, Dee Bengel, Sandy Memler, Scott Redgate**
- **Marilyn Vincent's friend, Sandy Crandell**
- **Kerry Murray, Griffin Manfredi**
- **Carol Chesnutt's mother, Carolyn Thorsen**
- **Chaiden Miller**
- **Barb Parker, nephew Chad, step-sister, Leslye**
- **Matt Lawler's brother, Ken**
- **Liz & Terry Wasson's niece, Terrill**
- **Susan Farnsworth's mother Joyce, brother, Jeff Stanley**
- **National Guard Troops - 224th Engineer Battalion**
- **Our shut-ins & those in care centers**
- **Israel & Palestine; Ukraine; Minneapolis & the United States**