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FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF KINGWOOD

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FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF KINGWOOD

A FAMILY OF FAITH. A HOME FOR YOU.

WELCOME!

We're glad you've chosen to worship with us. We like to say here at First that "we're a family of faith with a place for you." We hope you sense God's presence with you as we worship. If you're new to our church, take a moment after worship to introduce yourself to one of the pastors. Each week, at the end of worship, we invite worshippers to become members of Christ's church in this place. A brochure in each pew explains how that happens. Once again then, welcome! We're glad you're here. Now let's worship God with all our heart and mind and soul and strength.

PREPARING TO HEAR GOD'S WORD

Prelude *Kumbaya (8:25)* arr. P. Keveren
Nell Matthews, piano
God of My Life (11:05) arr. R.E. Schram
Junior Choir
Lynn Boninsegna, director

(Please remember to silence your cell phone during the Prelude.)

Welcome & Announcements

Call to Worship

L: I was glad when they said unto me.
P: Let us go to the house of the Lord.

***Hymn #25** *Praise the Lord! His Glories Show* LLANFAIR

Prayer of Confession

Holy and merciful God; we come before you and make our confession. You bid us come; for you know our sins, and desire to forgive us. With the sacrifice made by your Son, wash away our sins. With the strength of your Spirit, enable us to truly repent. With the power that comes from your presence at work in us, help us walk in your ways and bring glory to your name. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

L: This the good news which we have heard, in which we stand, and by which we are saved.

P: Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners. Thanks be to God!

*Gloria Patri

*Passing the Peace

L: The peace of the Lord be with all of you.
P: And also with you.

FPC-Kingwood Staff w/phone extensions			
Senior Pastor	Dr. Jim Davis (105)	Associate Pastor	Rev. Tom Edwards (104)
Parish Associate	Dr. Bryan Kile (103)	Commissioned Lay Pastor	Dr. Mark Smith
Dir. of Music/Principal Conductor	Dr. Todd Miller (111)	Dir. of Administration	Donna Hanson (130)
Dir. of Adult & Lay Ministries	Mary Lee Irwin (112)	Dir. of Children & Family Ministry	Angela Howard (129)
Dir. of Children's First School	Cindy Johnson	Dir. of Communications	Mike Doyle (107)
Dir. of Discipleship	Chad Erb (113)	Dir. of Evangelism & Assimilation	Sandra Smith (133)
Dir. of Senior Ministry	Ann Kruse (110)	Co-Dir. of Student Ministry	Angela Alanowski (125)
Co-Dir. of Student Ministry	Matt Davis (125)	Discipleship & Membership	Monica Cvejanovich (102)
Finance Associate	Paula Trigg (114)	Music Associate	Sandy Van Cleve (111)
Pastoral Associate	Cheryl McGeough (106)	Payables & Properties Associate	Lisa Cummins (109)

THE SESSION & COMMITTEES

Gailor Justice, Clerk of Session

Jack H. Morrison, Associate Clerk

Class of 2011

Doug Arrick, D-Students
*Lelia Beckelman, Missions
*Gary Chapman, Missions
*James Demases, Finance
David Hemphill, D-Adult
*John Johnston, Worship
*Cindy Little, Church Life
Ann Owen, Personnel
*Onnie Sherrer, Church Life
*Cindy Trammell, D-Adult

Class of 2012

*Chip Benton, Personnel
*Dot Chapman, Evangelism
*Mary Gilbert, Finance
*Judy Hinckfoot, D-Students
*Harvey Louderback, B&G
Tom Mattox, B&G
*Greg Olson, Evangelism
*Joe Ramirez, Worship
*Sue Sterrett, D-Children
*Lori Tatum, D-Students

Class of 2013

Andrew Boyd, D-Children
Susan Curling, Mission
JQ Delap, Mission
Glenda English, Worship
Gina Fumoso, Evangelism
Elaine Morrison, Church Life
Sam Mowrey, B&G
Chris Wallace, D-Students
Dick Watts, Personnel

*Designates Chair/Co-Chair

DEACONS & SHEPHERD GROUPS

Russ Nipe, Moderator ■ Mary Ann Brauer, Secretary

Class of 2011

Judith Anderson, SG 23
Mike Browne, SG 12
Ann Burns, SG21
Helen Doyle, SG 14
Judy Duncan, SG 24
Roger Eddy, SG 2
Mabryn Fleener, SG 18
Mike Watson, SG 3
Kalen Webb, SG 19

Class of 2012

Sarah Jensen, SG 1
Kasey McCall, SG 25
Doug McGrath, SG 5
H.B. Moreland, SG 20
Jane Quebedeaux SG 26
Rick Rickert, SG 9
Lexie Rose, SG 17
Ev Stephen, SG 16
Ester Zavala, SG 8

Class of 2013

Randy Curry, SG7
Meredith Delap, College
Mike Dunson, SG10
Nancy Goodell, SG13
Lloyd Higdon, SG6
Leigh Marcus-Kelley, SG15
Sue Plato, SG27
Sharon Rolnik, SG22
Bill Tapley, SG11
Jan Wislar, SG4

Sunday Attendance & Offering - Week of 2/20/2011	
8:25 a.m. Worship.....	184
9:45 a.m. Worship	159
11:05 a.m. Worship	225
Kids' Church	16
Worship Total.....	584
Sunday School	176
Adult Discipleship	326
Operating	\$31,664.50

SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

8:25 A.M. & 11:05 A.M. — TRADITIONAL WORSHIP SERVICE

Children's Sermon (11:05 a.m.)

Anthem *Sing Praise to God* arr. L. Pfautsch
Chancel Choir
John Gearhart, conductor

Sing praise to God who reigns above. The God of all creation, the God of power, the God of love, the God of our salvation. With healing balm my soul He fills and every faithless murmur stills, to God all praise and glory. What God's almighty power hath made, His gracious mercy keepeth. By morning glow or evening shade, his watchful eye never sleepeth. Within the kingdom of his might, Lo, all is just and all is right. The Lord is never far away, but through all grief distressing, an ever present help and stay, our peace and joy and blessing. As with a mother's tender hand He leads his own, his chosen band. Thus all my toilsome way along, I shall sing aloud Thy praises, that men may hear the grateful song my unwearied voice now raises. Be joyful in the Lord, O my heart, both soul and body bear your part. Amen.

Prayers of the People & The Lord's Prayer

LISTENING TO GOD'S WORD

Old Testament Lesson Genesis 17: 1-5 (Page 21)

Special Music *Rejoice the Lord is King* arr. T. Waldrop
Genesis Bells

Old Testament Lesson Genesis 17: 15-21 (Page 22)
L. This is the Word of the Lord
P. **Thanks be to God!**

Sermon "Presbyopia" Dr. Jim Davis
(Print or listen to each week's sermon by going to www.fpc-kingwood.org)

RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD

*The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

Offertory *Come, Christians, Join to Sing* arr. T. Waldrop
Genesis Bells

*Doxology

*Prayer of Dedication

Commissioning of Stephen Ministers (11:05 a.m.)
(For the names of our Stephen Ministers, please see the Weekly)

***Hymn #412** *Like a River Glorious* WYE VALLEY

***Choral Benediction** *The Lord Bless You and Keep You*
arr. Rutter
(If you'd like prayer for any reason, come to the Chapel after 11:05 a.m. worship. To join the church, please speak to one of the Pastors.)

Postlude *Improvisation* John Gearhart

Today's Music

Texas has a wonderful tradition of resident church music composers, and today two Texas composers will be heard in worship. Lloyd Pfautsch (1921-2003) is one of the giants of choral music, having served as a longtime professor at SMU he developed the graduate program in choral conducting. He helped edit hymnals while simultaneously earning high praise in the academic music community. His arrangement of the hymn "Sing Praise to God Who Reigns Above" (#29) is lively, varied, and treats the text with care. Tammy Waldrop is well-known in handbell circles, and has lived in the Kingwood area (off and on) for many years. A graduate of Baylor University, she has written over 350 pieces for handbells, and the two Genesis Bells' musical offerings today are hers.

**Those who are able, please stand.*

SERVICE PARTICIPANTS

Music Participants

Dr. Nell Matthews, Piano
John Gearhart III, Organ
Chancel Choir
Junior Choir
Genesis Bells

Lay Reader

8:25 a.m. — Boy Scouts
11:05 a.m. — Boy Scouts

Elder of the Week

Dot Chapman

Deacon of the Week

Sarah Jensen

Greeters

8:25 a.m. - Boy Scouts
11:05 a.m. - Boy Scouts

Ushers

8:25 a.m. — Boy Scouts
11:05 a.m. — Boy Scouts

Coffee Hosts

8:25 a.m. — Phyllis & Harvey Louderback
11:05 a.m. —

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