

FEED MY  
STARVING  
CHILDREN



## Families of the Church!

Join us **Saturday, January 19**  
as we head up to the Cities to  
pack food for Feed My Starving  
Children.

Our slot is from **4:30 - 6:30 p.m.**

Help us turn hunger into hope as we pack hundreds of meals for kids in need.

## Presbyterian 101

Ever wondered why Presbyterians do things the way they do?  
Are yo interested in learning how to be more connected to our  
church? Please join us in January for this 3 week class on all  
things Presbyterian.

Sundays starting January 20th 2019 at 9:15 a.m.



## Six Themes in Matthew Everyone Should Know

Women of the church!

Please join us Tuesdays at 6 p.m. beginning  
January 15th for a Bible study on Matthew with  
Pastor Heidi.

Sunday, February 24th 2019 at 4:00 p.m.  
First Presbyterian Church Red Wing

THE  
Woodbury  
CHORUS & ORCHESTRA



Do not fear, for I have redeemed  
you; I have called you by name,  
you are mine.

Isaiah 43:1



First Presbyterian Church Red Wing

503 West Sixth Street - Red Wing, MN  
Sunday, January 13th 2019

# The Congregation's Mission

"First Presbyterian Church of Red Wing is a congregation that seeks to grow in the love of Jesus Christ and to share that love with the community and the world."

## GATHERING

### WORDS OF INSPIRATION

When the song of the angels is stilled, when the star in the sky is gone, when the kings and princes are home, when the shepherds are back with their flocks, the work of Christmas begins: to find the lost, to heal the broken, to feed the hungry, to release the prisoner, to rebuild the nations, to bring peace among the people, to make music in the heart.

-Howard Thurman

**ORGAN PRELUDE** "In Christ There Is No East or West" setting by C. Young  
"Voluntary V" by John Stanley  
"Cold December Flies Away" by Anthony Glamanco

### RINGING OF THE CHURCH BELL

### WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

### INTROIT

### CALL TO WORSHIP

One: As we gather to worship you this day,

**Many: we prepare a way for you.**

One: As we answer your call to repent,

**Many: we seek to make a straight path for you.**

One: Loving God, as we come before you this day,

**Many: may we know ourselves to be your children,  
with whom you may be well pleased.**

### \*HYMN OF PRAISE

Hymn #163 "Wild and Lone the Prophet's Voice"

## PARTICIPANTS

In Ministry  
Choir Director  
Pianist  
Organist  
Pastor  
Pastor  
Liturgist

The Congregation  
Peter Dulak  
Lynn Dulak  
JoAnne McNamara  
The Rev. Heidi Bolt  
The Rev. Greg Bolt  
Barbara Yara

GREETER:

Jane Ward & Thaddeus Bolt

USHER:

N/A

FELLOWSHIP

Board of Deacons – January Birthday's

FLOWER

JoAnne McNamara's Birthday

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

Today, 1/13,	9:15 a.m.	Christian Education
	10:30 a.m.	Worship
	11:30 a.m.	Fellowship
	6:00 p.m.	Confirmation
Mon, 1/14,	10:00 a.m.	Coffee at Mandy's Cafe
Tues, 1/15,	6:00 p.m.	Women's Bible Study
	6:55 p.m.	JuBELLation Ringers
Wed, 1/16,	6:30 a.m.	Men's Book Study
	6:30 p.m.	Session
Thurs, 1/17,	7:30 a.m.	Women's Book Study
Sat, 1/19,	4:30 p.m.	Feed My Starving Children



# Additional Announcements

**FOOD SHELF** - December 51 items, 50 pounds of food and 3 ½ pounds of dog food. 38 boxes of pasta, 2 packages of oatmeal, 10 misc. items (pasta sauce, jar of gravy, etc.), 1 bag of dog food.

**KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION KICK OFF EVENT** - Tuesday, January 29, 2019 5:30 – 7:00 PM at Sunnyside Elementary School. Join us to Register for Kindergarten for Fall! Learn about Kindergarten! Enjoy a free meal with your family! Childcare will be provided. In case of bad weather (if school is cancelled), the event will be held at the same time on January 31.

**CONTACT INFORMATION** - We have been trying to get an updated contact list in the church office as we have many address changes, email changes, and phone number changes. Please take the time to fill out your Contact Information on the slip in each pew and place it in the offering plate. Thank you

## \*PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Forgive us our timidity, God. When you draw us to streams of faith and yet we draw back from drinking for fear of facing the truth, forgive us. When you call us to rivers of renewal and yet we will not bathe for fear of commitment, forgive us. When you shower us with a flood of blessings, yet we shield ourselves from them for fear we need to change, forgive us. Forgive us our timidity, God. Encourage us to face our flaws and failings and find faith overflowing.

## \*SILENT PRAYER

## \*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

One: Beloved family in Christ, God has heard our plea for forgiveness and offers us mercy in abundant supply. Our sins have been forgiven!

Many: Alleluia! Amen.

## \*PASSING OF THE PEACE

One: The Peace of Christ be with you.

Many: And also with you...

(Please greet your neighbors with a handshake, a hug, or another sign of peace saying, "The peace of Christ be with you.")

## \*PRAYER RESPONSE

Hymn #552

Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,  
heaven and earth are full of your glory.

Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest, hosanna in the highest.

## THE WORD

### A TIME FOR YOUNG DISCIPLES

#### FIRST LESSON

Psalm 2: 7-8

One: The Word of the Lord.

Many: Thanks be to God!

#### HANDBELL CHOIR

"Breathe On Me, Breath of God" arr. S. Eithun

#### SECOND LESSON

Matthew 3:1-17

#### SERMON

Rev. Greg Bolt



Jan 13  
During  
Worship

Election of Officers

Jan 20  
During  
Worship

Installation of Officers

Jan 27  
During  
Worship

Annual Meeting  
(Congregational Meeting)

Save the Date

## RESPONDING

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### \*HYMN OF HOPE

Hymn #688 "Spirit of God, Descend upon My Heart"

### \*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

(The Nicene Creed)

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen. We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father; through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven, was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary and became truly human. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end. We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

### PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

#### Petitions

#### Pastoral Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

Hymnal p. 11

Response

Hymn #553

Christ has died; Christ is risen; Christ will come again.

Christ has died; Christ is risen; Christ will come again.

### WORSHIP THROUGH TITHES AND OFFERINGS

#### Offertory

"Come, Holy Spirit, Heavenly Dove" by J. B. Dykes

#### \*Doxology

Hymn #606

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;

Praise Christ, all people here below;

Praise Holy Spirit Evermore;

Praise triune God, whom we adore. Amen.

### \*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

One: Listening to the voice of one calling in the wilderness, standing by the side of the river, are we prepared to take the plunge?

Many: **May we commit ourselves, Lord God, once again looking ahead to this week: to find ways to serve, to find ways to give, to find ways to use our abilities in bringing about change for justice and peace, to find ways to use these offerings in bringing about your Kingdom. Amen.**

## SENDING

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### \*HYMN OF TRUST

Hymn #279 "Come, Holy Spirit, Heavenly Dove"

### CONGREGATIONAL MEETING FOR THE ELECTION OF OFFICERS

### \*CHARGE AND BLESSING

### \*BENEDICTION RESPONSE

Hymn #554

Amen, Amen, Amen

### \*POSTLUDE

"Postlude on "Ose Shalom" by C. Harmon

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