

SERVICE OF WORSHIP

SANCTUARY 8:30 A.M. // FEBRUARY 9, 2025



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GOD'S MISSION HAS A CHURCH // TIM MCCONNELL WEEK FIVE // "GOD FAITHFULLY SUSTAINS"

"These were all commended for their faith, yet none of them received what had been promised."

Hebrews 11:39

Find sermons from this series at firstprescos.org/watch

PRELUDE "Alleluia" - arr. Steve Peterman

INTROIT *"Lift High the Cross"* – arr. Richard Hillert

CALL TO WORSHIP

HYMN OF PRAISE No. 123 "Fairest Lord Jesus"

DECLARATION OF GOOD NEWS + PRAYER OF ADORATION

SONG OF ADORATION No. 92 "All Hail King Jesus!"

COMMUNITY PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Gracious God, we humbly come before You to acknowledge our doubt and confess our sin. We are so quick to forget the multitude of ways You have faithfully sustained Your people. We hear Your call to trust You, but we choose to rely on our own strength. Forgive us. Turn our hearts away from pride, fear and skepticism. Heal our selfish ways. Fill us with new hope in Your unending promises, we pray. Amen.

RESPONSE No. 68 "Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing"

APOSTLES' CREED

MINISTRY OF MUSIC *"With a Voice of Singing"* – Martin Shaw

SERMON

"God Faithfully Sustains" Hebrews 11:29-40, Tim McConnell

HYMN OF RESPONSE No. 544 "The Church's One Foundation"

INTRODUCTION + EXPLANATION OF OFFERING

OFFERING OUR GIFTS *"Thou Art Holy"* – arr. Craig Courtney

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE + THE LORD'S PRAYER

CLOSING HYMN No. 508 "Lead On, O King Eternal"

CHARGE + BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE *"Fanfare Postlude"* – William Pardus



NEW HERE? We know that going to a new church for the first time is exciting. We want to help make your first experience at First Pres a great one! We can't wait to meet you. Stop by the Welcome Center in the Plaza to ask questions or take next steps to get connected.

The Happenings February 9, 2025



Find all upcoming events online.

FIRSTPRESCOS.ORG/ CALENDAR

READ AHEAD! Next week, Tim McConnell will preach on Hebrews 12:1-13.

BAPTISM TODAY: Davy Edward Tickel, born on October 19, 2024, will receive the sacrament of baptism during the 11 a.m. Worship Center service today. He is the beloved child of Zack and Holly Tickel.

FIRST PRES KIDS CHOIR: The First Pres Kids Choir for 1st-5th graders starts February 19, with rehearsals Wednesdays from 5-6 p.m. Performances include Palm Sunday (April 13) and a Christmas event, focusing on worship, music, and faith growth. Register at FIRSTPRESCOS.ORG/KIDSCHOIR

GATHER 25: We're excited that First Pres will host a Gather Group location, broadcasting the kickoff session on Friday, February 28 from 6 p.m. – 10 p.m. Join us to worship God and mobilize for His kingdom alongside believers from our church, city, and beyond. Learn more about this special event at **FIRST-PRESCOS.ORG/GATHER25** **GRIEF WORKSHOP**: Join our seven-week Grief Workshop starting February 24, from 6:30-8:30 p.m. Find support, healing, and peace as we navigate the challenges of losing a loved one together. Registration available at **FIRSTPRESCOS.ORG/GRIEFWORKSHOP**

FIRE RELIEF FUND: Support those affected by the Los Angeles fires through our Fire Relief Fund. Simply select "Fire Relief" on our Give Now page to make a donation. Visit FIRSTPRESCOS.ORG/GIVENOW

MEMBERSHIP CLASS: Join us for our three week Membership class on Wednesdays, February 12, 19, and 26, from 6:15-7:45 p.m. in Room 205. Registration available at FIRSTPRESCOS.ORG/MEMBERSHIP

MARRIEDS MINGLE: Join us for Marrieds Mingle at Biaggi's on March 13 at 6 p.m. For \$80 per couple, enjoy a salad, entree, and fountain drink for each person. A cash bar will also be on site. Don't miss out on the fun! Visit FIRSTPRESCOS.ORG/MARRIED

NEED PRAYER?

- Find a pastor or Prayer Team member with a large red lanyard
- Fill out a Prayer Request card located in a pew pocket or in the back of the Worship Center
- Email prayer@firstprescos.org

NO MEMORIALS THIS WEEK

To see upcoming memorials, go to FIRSTPRESCOS.ORG/MEMORIALSERVICES

PRAY FOR THOSE IN THE HOSPITAL:

Mr. Bob Boettner Penrose Main

Mrs. Constance Pawlik Penrose Main

Mrs. Gladeen Ragland St. Francis

Mr. Phil Perry Memorial North

IN MEMORIAM:

Mr. Wayne Johnson 1/30/2025

Mrs. Patty Winter 1/31/2025

FLOWER FUND GIFTS IN MEMORY OF:

Wayne Gutschick by Adam Gutschick



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