

Grace
Presbyterian
Church

January 21, 2007

8:45 a.m.

Opening praise/passing of the peace

Prayer

Announcements

Moment for mission

Children in the chancel

Our gifts to you

"days of elijah" by robin mark

Scripture: hosea 1:1-3, 3:1-3

Sermon: "my name is hosea"

Benediction

Closing songs

January 21, 2007

11:15 a m

Prelude: "praise to the lord, the almighty" johann walther

Hymn: #482 (blue) "praise ye the lord, the almighty"

Call to worship

Lector: o come, let us sing unto the lord;

People: let us rejoice in the god of our
Salvation.

Lector: let us come before his presence with
Thanksgiving;

**People: let us show our gratitude with
Songs of praise.**

Lector: for the lord is the great god; he is the great
King above all rulers.

**People: in his hand are all the corners of the
Earth; to him belong the cattle on a thousand Hills.**

Unison: come. Let us worship him.

Prayer of the day

Passing of the peace

Lector: the peace of our lord jesus christ be with you.

People: and also with you.

(the people greet fellow worshipers with the peace of christ)

Welcome

Moment for mission

wayne gillespie

Pastoral prayer

Lord's prayer [see p 12 of blue hymnbook]

Offertory:

Sentence

Offertory: christ be my leader

Christ be my leader by night as by day'
Safe through the darkness for he is the way.
Gladly i follow, my future his care,
Darkness is daylight when jesus is there.

Christ be my teacher in age as in youth,
Drifting or doubting, for he is the truth.
Grant me to trust him.shifting as sand
Doubt cannot daunt me.in jesus i stand.

Christ be my savior in calm as in strife;
Death cannot hold me, for he is the life.
Nor darkness nor doubting nor sin and its stain
Can touch my salvation.with jesus i reign."

Doxology #592 old one hundredth

Children in the chancel

Prayer of confession

O lord, we have not loved you as you have loved us. We
Have been like children who accept the love of their parents
Without knowing its cost. Forgive us, we pray, for every act
Of betrayal, every failure to be kind, every gratification of self, and our
blindness to the needs of others. Spirit of god, dwell within us adding
to us a kind of generosity that will enable us to enrich our community.
This we pray for christ's name and for his sake. Amen.

Declaration of pardon

Lector: praise the lord, o my soul and forget all his
Benefits.

**People: for he forgives all my sins and
Heals all my diseases:**

Lector: he redeems my life from the pit and crowns
Me with love and compassion.

**All: not to us, o lord, not to us, but to your
Name be the glory, because of your love and
Faithfulness.**

Apostles creed: [p 12 blue hymnal "traditional"]

Hymn: #404 (blue) "precious lord, take my hand"

Scripture: hosea 1:1-3, 3:1-3

Sermon: "my name is hosea"

Benediction

Hymn: (insert) "the love of god"

Postlude: "with trumpets & horns" ...g. F. Handel

The liturgist today for the second service is mrs. Sandra gillespie

Remember these members and friends of the church

Bonnie mclain	cancer
Betty stedham	lung cancer & chemo
Susan fox	upcoming shoulder surgery
Ted harris and family	death of ted's father
Charles mccalla	recovering from pneumonia
Martha wingard	abdominal concerns

Lifted up by our church family

Charlene daugherty	breast cancer	mother of michelle weiser
Michael daughery	health concerns	father of michelle weiser
Philip price	upcoming colonoscopy	mary price's grandson

The shepherds are calling: the congregational care committee has activated several shepherds to make regular contact with our members. Our message to everyone is "the church cares about you." if you receive a call, please know that everything you share with your shepherd is held in strict

confidence. Let your shepherd know when you need prayers, hospital visits, meals, etc. They want to be available to you. (please return call from your shepherd. They don't want to pester you- but just want to know your family is doing well.)

Sunday, January 21, 2007

8:45 am contemporary worship
10:00 am Sunday school
11:15 am traditional worship
2:30-4:00 pm Romans class
2:30 pm youth bowling
5:00 pm bell choir rehearsal

Tuesday, January 23, 2007

9:00 am- day trippers
6:30-9:00 pm BS #487 101a/act
7:00 pm-8:30 pm GS #194 - port.#1
7:30 pm GPC praise team-sanct.

Wednesday, January 24, 2007

6:00- 7:00 15 awana in sanct.
7:15-8:15 pm awana in portables 2,3 4
7:30-9:00 pm chancel choir rehearsal

Thursday, January 25, 2007

4:00-5:30 pm girl scouts—rm. 101
5:00 prayer mtg./pastor's office
6:30-7:30 pm daisy troop#714—101a
6:30 pm reunion gr gb/ session rm 6:45- 7:45 pm c. S. Lewis beans house

Saturday, January 27, 2007

9-1 pm kindermusik classes

Sunday, January 28, 2007

8:45 am contemporary worship
10:00 am Sunday school
11:15 am traditional worship
2:30-4:00 pm Romans class
5:00 pm bell choir rehearsal
6:00 pm pot luck
7:00 pm talent show

Calendar of events January 21-28, 2007

Worship attendance for January 14, 2007

8:45 55
11:15 75
Total 130

In service this week January 21, 2007

Oversight elders: opening —lee guenther; closing-ted upshaw
Hosts 8:45 a.m.-ronnie & nancy mitchison and david & sandy becker
Hosts 11:15 am -earle & mildred culverhouse, joan tinnen,
Ken hathaway

In service next week january 28, 2007

Oversight elders: opening- peggy rhodes; closing- joe bishop
Hosts 8:45 ronnie & nancy mitchison and david & sandy becker
Hosts 11:15 am -sarah & mark pfaffenroth, dosset foster and
Virginia martin

The session (our governing body)

Class of 2007	class of 2008	class of 2009
Paula bishop	john cameron	cathy bendall
Lee guenther	dossett foster, clerk of session	joe bishop
Lindsey james	john gordon	byron graves
Ted upshaw	charlotte eaheart hicks	john price
Andrew vawter, youth	jere lawson	peggy rhodes

Church staff

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Organist: jean jones—jjones@midsouth.rr.com
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Talent show to be held on January 28th: please sign up after Jan. 10th

Day tripper activity: the day trippers will visit the Mississippi River Museum and Aquarium Tuesday, January 23. Admission rates are \$5.00 for adults and \$4.00 for seniors 65 and older. We will depart from the church at 9:00 am. This first-class museum that details the history and economic impact of the river is located on the east bank of the Mississippi River in Tunica County. The professionally designed aquarium displays native aquatic life. The self-guided tour will take approximately 1 1/2 hours to see all the maps, interactive displays, artifacts, photos, videos, physical exhibits and written displays. The river is chronicled from its creation, to settlement by American Indians, visits by Hernando de Soto and early explorers, colonial settlements and its impact today. As a bonus, enjoy the beautiful view of the Mississippi River from the 3rd floor observation deck or the 2nd floor of the museum. Please make your reservations by calling Diane or Byron Graves at 386-6779 or via e-mail at bgraves6@bellsouth.net

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Youth study: Thursday, January 25th: C.S. Lewis study at the Beans House. Chapters 13-15 will be covered.

Next Sunday, January 28th: the youth will go to the movies in the afternoon and return in time for the talent show at 6:00pm. Check next week's bulletin for movie time.

Kitchen cleanup: please pick up any dishes that belong to you from the table in the hall.