#### I Have Decided to Follow Jesus!

So, you're curious about us, eh? We want to know more about you too! We have some amazingly friendly people here who want to celebrate with you, find joy with you or hold you when you're hurting. There are only two ways to do that:

- 1. Provide us with some information so that a friendly First Presbyterian can reach out to you.
- 2. Come back! The more you return, the more you know!

*Now for the easy part! Once you're ready, send us this information* and someone will connect with you!



## Streaming

Today we are streaming our service on YouTube which you can access through our website and Facebook. This allows you the ability to respond directly to the service with thoughts, prayer requests and other feedback. Take a look at our bulletin and find ways you can be a part of our church family. Please engage with us the best you can with our society's current necessity of social distancing!

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## **Our Presence** Attendance:

Last Week 97

**Our Gifts** February 29, 2020 YTD financials: Income: Budgeted Actual \$55,646.24 \$64,766.00 **Expenses:** \$70,261.14 \$76,779.84

The above financial information comes from the Financial Committee and Session

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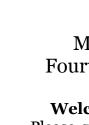
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Please grab a cup of coffee and something delicious from your own kitchen and join us via the web!

Please check in with us on Facebook or send us an email! It's so important that we stay connected through these challenging times. Reach out to each other. Check in with one another. Keep us in the loop so that we can be proactive in responding to those who need extra help. Do you need groceries? Meals? We have people willing and able to connect with you!

**Office Hours** Mon. - Fri. 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

# **Disciples Making Disciples**



# March 22, 2020

# 10:00 a.m.



March 22, 2020 Fourth Sunday in Lent

#### Welcome to First Pres!

#### **Vision Vital Signs**

# This Week at First

#### Sunday, March 22

8:30 a.m. Sufficient Grace Rehearsal 8:45 a.m. Sunday Small Groups 9:30 a.m. Chancel Choir Rehearsal 10:00 a.m. Worship

#### Wednesday, March 25

10:00 a.m. T.O.P.S. Meeting 6:00 p.m. Joyful Ringers Rehearsal 7:00 p.m. Chancel Choir Rehearsal

#### Thursday, March 26

5:30 p.m. Sufficient Grace Rehearsal

### Friday, March 27

6:30 a.m. Salvation Army Breakfast

#### **Pastors Pen**

In the email devotion to the Congregation, Pastor RJ reminds us that "everything is working according to God's plans. We are also reminded of this in the famous scripture Psalm 46:10 "Be still and know that I am God." Be at peace, God is moving, directing and working. Nothing escapes the eyes of the Lord." While you are at home worshipping online, we want you to know that God's Spirit still moves through you, through our church!

Even though we are worshipping differently, it doesn't make us less connected as the Body of Christ.



**GATHERING for WORSHIP** 

Marcie Samuelson

Prelude	Near the Cross	Marcie Samuelson
<b>Opportunities For Ministry</b>		Rev. RJ Leek
Call To Worship	Marcie	Samuelson & Bill Neale
God Leads Us Along		

**Prayer of Confession (Responsive)** 

You call us to be your voices in this world and we stay silent.

You call us to be your hands in this world and we keep them hidden.

You call us to be your feet in this world and we go our own way.

When we meet those who are doubting and say nothing, forgive us.

When we meet those who need your touch and do nothing, forgive us.

When we are called to take up your cross and carry nothing, forgive us.

### Breathe life into these bones

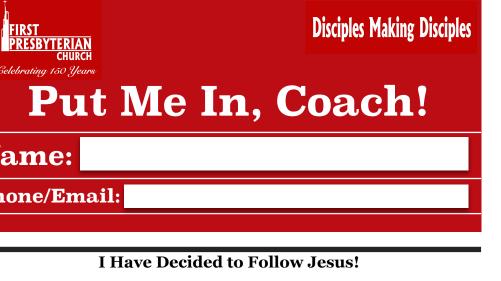
bring freedom to these lives that we might declare with heart and soul and voice that you are our Lord and our God. Amen

### **Assurance of Forgiveness (Unison)**

It is by grace through faith we are saved not by works so no one can boast. In Jesus Christ, by the grace of God our sins are forgiven. Amen

Song of Assurance	God Will Take Care of Y	<i>ou</i> Marcie Samuelson & Bill Neale
The Prayers of the People		Rev. RJ Leek
Pastor's Pray	er	
Our Lord's P	rayer	
Worship Through G	iving	
Offertory	Steal Away	Marcie Samuelson & Bill Neale
Doxology	C	Congregational Response
Prayer of Dedication		Rev. RJ Leek
The Scripture	Matthew 5:1-12	
The Word Proclaimed		Rev. RJ Leek
	Be Attitude	
ymn of Response	Blessed Assurance Hymn # 345	Congregation
The Benediction		Rev. RJ Leek
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Postlude	It is Well	Marcie Samuelson
	Sermon Notes	
	Notes	





we prayerfully considered the work of Your people and I know that there o **retirement** from Your work. I know You have called us al to serve in the growth of Your Kingdom. I feel a calling to help in:

Hospitality	Small Group Leadership		
Outreach/Events	Patio Pleasantries		
Greeting New Visitors	🛉 Visual Media		
Communications	Video/Photo		
Parking	worship Worship		
Finance	Singing		
🛉 Building & Grounds	🛉 Handbells		
Missions	🛉 Instrumental Music		
🛉 Evangelism	Discipleship		
I'm Available for Help:			
Daily	Weekly		
Once/Month	Twice/Month		
As Needed			
Please send us a message via email or Facebook to tell us where you want to serve			

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