

Question of the day: What do you see as the most important thing Jesus said or did? How has God in Christ affected your life?

HYMN

“Just a Closer Walk with Thee”

Refrain:

**Just a closer walk with thee,
grant it, Jesus, is my plea,
daily walking close to thee:
let it be, dear Lord, let it be.**

**1 I am weak, but thou art strong;
Jesus, keep me from all wrong;
I'll be satisfied as long
as I walk, let me walk close to thee. (Refrain)**

**2 Through this world of toil and snares,
if I falter, Lord who cares?
Who with me my burden shares?
None but thee, dear Lord, none but thee. (Refrain)**

**3 When my feeble life is o'er,
time for me will be no more;
guide me gently, safely o'er
to thy shore, dear Lord, to thy shore. (Refrain)**

MORNING PRAYER AND LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven: hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come; Thy will be done; on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who have sinned against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil; for thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen

CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

RESPONSE

“Go with Us, Lord”

**Go with us, Lord, and guide the way
through this and every coming day,
that in your Spirit strong and true
our lives may be our gift to you.**

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POSTLUDE

“You Shall Go Out With Joy”

Goeffrey Andrews

Notes:

Worship Leaders: Mary Jo Cox and Jean Winther

The Prayers and Concern of the Congregation are extended to:
Sue Carey, Suzanne Hand, Vera Strauss (mother-in-law of Rick Theunissen), Lois Miller, Clarice Miller (mother of Andrew Miller), Demas family, Verna Russell, Dottie Theunissen, Rick Rodriguez (friend of Tim Fitzgerald), Joe Cavazos (Andrew Miller's brothers father-in-law), Mike Mitchell & JT Schmitt (Barb Lindley's son-in-laws), Charles Loubert, Jim Gilbert, Peter Russell, David Neyer, Lois Kerr, Sarah Gilbert, Joyce McNabb, Colleen Long, Lavona Osborne. Mission Co-Workers Michael and Rachel Ludwig, Cathy Chang, Juan Lopez, and Noah Lapp, Vowles Elementary, Sandusky Presbyterian, Sandusky, MI, Church of Christ in Thailand and the Food Pantry of Community Compassion Network.

Offering

If you are joining us for worship in-person and would like to give an offering, please place your offering in an offering plate. You can also give your pledge, per capita payment, or offering by mailing it to the church office: First Presbyterian Church, 1250 Watson Road, Mt. Pleasant, 48858. You can also give an offering by going to the church's website, www@fpcmp.org and hit the "Give Now" button or use the QR Code,



Phone calls to the church office are being transferred to Andrew Miller's cellphone.

At this time, the church will not be collecting plastic grocery bags or plastic containers. We apologize for any inconvenience.

Coupons

If you do not use the coupons from your Sunday newspaper, please bring them to the church office and we will share them with Community Compassion Network.

Time to RSVP

You may email Sallie (salliescheide@gmail.com) or use the sign up sheets at church

Friday, July 23 - Shrimp Boil at the Scheide's Home (20 Cedar Dr.)

5pm Fellowship with Dinner served at 6pm

Cost: \$14 Adult Shrimp

\$7 Children's Shrimp

\$7 Adult pulled pork sandwich

\$4 Children's pulled pork sandwich

It is also good to know if the shrimp eaters prefer **mild or spicy shrimp**

Please respond by Wednesday, July 21

FPC - LOONS FELLOWSHIP NIGHT: Loons vs. West Michigan Whitecaps

When: Saturday night, July 31, 2021, at 7:05 PM. Gates open at 6:05 PM

Where: Dow Diamond, in Midland, MI

Cost \$ 12.50 per ticket

Group Rate for a Loon's ball cap (optional): \$5.00

Turn checks in to the church office (Payable to FPC, Memo line : Loons Game)

The deadline for the ticket orders will be 5:00 PM on Friday, July 23rd. [Church members should call Allan Riggs directly at \(989\)-560-5604 on Friday, July 23rd with last minute requests for tickets.](#)