

First Presbyterian Church
76 Salem Avenue
Carbondale, PA 18407

August 14, 2022,

Organist/Choir Director Wendy Mol
Robert Gentile, Audio/Visual

10:30 AM

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Prelude
Lighting of the Candles
Welcome

* Hymn To God be the Glory #52

*Call to Worship

L Behold the gathering of God's own:

P. Beside believers and among apostles, drawn together as disciples and doubters, we are shoulder to shoulder with shepherds and saint.

L Since we are surrounded by this great cloud of witnesses,

P. Let us run with perseverance the race before us,

L. Looking to Jesus, the pioneer and perfecter of our faith.

* Affirmation of Faith The Apostle's Creed

* The Gloria Patri

Confession and Intercession

Prayer of Confession (*Unison*)

Loving Creator, with a gardener's tender touch, you planted your people to bear good fruit, but we bear wild grapes. With a welder's fierce fire, you fashioned your people to glorify you, but we are riddled with impurities. In your generous mercy, O God, regard the vine you planted: save and restore us. Reform the vessel you crafted: cleanse and refine us.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Announcements

Personal Prayers, Pastoral Prayer

Time with Our Young People and the Young at Heart

Service of the Word

First Lesson First Thessalonians 1:1-10

Mrs. Bernadette Starzer

Second Lesson Luke 7:36-50

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This is the word of the Lord

Thanks be to God

* Hymn Count Your Blessings (vs 1 and 4)

#264

Special Music

Sermon

Lynnae White

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

Offertory

* Doxology Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow

Prayer of Dedication

* Hymn Thank You, Lord

#217

* Congregational Hymn Blessed Assurance (chorus only)

#51

* Postlude

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***If able please stand**

TODAYS SERVICE

NURSERY: A Nursery is available for parents and small children. It is a caring and nurturing room for children unable to sit through the adult service. If no adult is present, we request that a parent or guardian stay with their child/children while in the nursery.

The flowers this morning are given to the glory of God by the Board of Deacons.

Hostess: Mrs. Julie Edwards

Today, we welcome Mrs. Lynnae White to our pulpit.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

THURSDAY Pastor Wayne's Office Hours 5:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.
Bible Study 6:15 p.m. Also, on Zoom.

FRIDAY Brass Ensemble, 6:00 p.m.

SUNDAY Worship Service 10:30 a.m. Also, asynchronous on Facebook.

If no one is in the church office when you call (570-282-4611), please leave a message on the answering machine.

Pastor Wayne's e-mail address is PASTORWAYNEWOLFE@AOL.COM

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The Robert Lyman Memorial Church Picnic will be held on Sunday, August 21, 2022 at Merli Sarnoski Park. Please see sign-up sheet in the foyer.