

First Presbyterian Church
76 Salem Avenue
Carbondale, PA 18407

January 1, 2022

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

10:30 AM

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Prelude
Lighting of the Candles
Welcome

* Hymn Stand Up, Stand Up For Jesus #618

*Call to Worship

L Praise God! With the angels and hosts, we praise!

P With the sun and moon, we praise!

L With the fire and hail, we praise!

P With the frost and the snow, we praise!

L With the mountains and valleys, we praise!

P With the skies and the seas, we praise! Praise God!

* Affirmation of Faith The Apostle's Creed

* The Gloria Patri

Confession and Intercession

Prayer of Confession (*Unison*)

Ever-present God, you became our Savior in all our distress. In all the ways we hurt, and all the ways we hurt others, in all the ways we feel neglected and all the ways we neglect others, in all the ways we cry out and all the ways we cause others to cry, you are with us, comforting us and holding us to account. In your love, redeem us once again. Lift us up and grant us your mercy, as you have throughout the generations.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Announcements

Personal Prayers, Pastoral Prayer, Lord's Prayer

Time with Our Young People and the Young at Heart

Service of the Word

First Lesson Isaiah 63:7-9 Carol Gentile

Second Lesson Psalm 149 Carol Gentile

This is the word of the Lord
Thanks be to God

* Hymn Great is Their Faithfulness insert

Special Music Choir

Presentation Luke Bert

Sermon Pastor Wayne Wolfe

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

Offertory

* Doxology Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow
Prayer of Dedication

* Hymn Be Thou My Vision insert

* Congregational Hymn Blest Be the Ties That Bind (verse one) #328

* 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. We request that a parent or guardian stay with their child/children while they are in the nursery.

Hostess: Mrs. Julie Edwards

Today, we welcome our guest, Luke Bert and his family.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

WEDNESDAY Choir Practice, 5:00 p.m.

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

FRIDAY Brass Ensemble, 6:00 p.m.

SUNDAY Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.

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

The office is open Monday through Friday, 8:00 to 4:30. If no one is available to answer the phone when you call, please leave a message, and someone will reach back out to you as soon as possible. Pastor Wayne's e-mail address is PASTORWAYNEWOLFE@AOL.COM Our e-mail address is fpccarbondale@echoes.net and Web address: firstprescarbondale.org

If you would like to take a poinsettia, please do so after the service today.

Please keep an eye out for a sign up sheet for our upcoming Pasta Dinner in February of 2023!

Book Donations accepted throughout the week for the library in the back of the church. Please stayed tuned for more information!

Have a very happy New Year!