### First Presbyterian Church

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TRADITIONAL WORSHIP: 8:30am / CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP: 11:00am
COFFEE FELLOWSHIP: 9:30am in Fellowship Hall / SUNDAY SCHOOL: 10:00

#### Sunday, November 22, 2015

8:30am

## **Christ the King Sunday / Stewardship Sunday**

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As the prelude plays, silently come into the Lord's presence.

Open your heart and give yourself up to Christ

who is here to meet you today.

"Be still and know that I am God." Psalm 46:10

PRELUDE Prelude on "Kremser" – Johnson

GREETING & ANNOUNCEMENTS / RINGING OF THE BELL (Please sign the Fellowship Pad and pass it to your neighbor)

MINUTE FOR MISSION

CALL TO WORSHIP Psalm 17

Leader: I call upon You, for You will answer me, O God;

Incline Your ear to me, hear my words.

People: Wondrously show Your steadfast love,

O Savior of those who seek refuge.

CHORAL INTROIT Chancel Choir

"From All That Dwell Below the Skies" - Young

\*HYMN "We Gather Together" No. 559

#### \*PRAYER OF ADORATION AND CONFESSION

God of refuge and strength, we praise You for protecting us and Your constant faithful provision. We rejoice that You have never ceased to be Lord over our lives, even in those times when we turned away from You. We praise You for Your everlasting love which remains a constant even when we stop being loveable. Forgive us for not trusting in Your provision, or Your protection. Lead us away from self-reliance toward a path of complete submission to Your will. Through Jesus our Savior we pray, Amen.

\*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

\*SHARING SIGNS OF PEACE: [Please share Christ's peace with one another with handshakes, hugs, kisses—however you feel led.]

\*HYMN "Spirit of the Living God"

Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me; Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me. Melt me, mold me, fill me, use me. Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me.

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE David Griffith

FIRST SCRIPTURE READING 2 Samuel 23:1-7 (OT p299)

SECOND SCRIPTURE READING

Revelation 1:4b-8 (NT p 245)

SERMON "Christ the King" Rev. Robert Bronkema

\*HYMN "Come, Ye Thankful People, Come" No. 551

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

WE BRING OUR GIFTS TO GOD

OFFERTORY "A Jubilant Song" – Pote Chancel Choir

\*DOXOLOGY

Praise God from whom all blessings flow, praise Him, all creatures here below. Praise Him above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

\*HYMN "Now Thank We All Our God" No. 555

\*BENEDICTION & RESPONSE "Let There Be Peace on Earth"

\*POSTLUDE "Now Thank We All Our God" – Bach, arr. Fox

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# 11:00am

| Greeting & Announcements                                                                   |
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| Minute for Mission                                                                         |
| *Praise & Worship All the Earth Will Sing Your Praises Blessed Be Your Name Mighty to Save |
| Prayer & Peace                                                                             |
| Children's Message: David Griffith                                                         |
| Scripture Readings 2 Samuel 23:1-7; Revelation 1:4b-8                                      |
| Sermon: "Christ the King"                                                                  |
| *Offering/Closing Song 10,000 Reasons (Bless the Lord)                                     |
| *Benediction                                                                               |
| Sermon Notes:                                                                              |
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NEXT WEEK Isaiah 9:2-7 Luke 1:26-38 "The Annunciation"