

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Miller, South Dakota

October 18, 2020

Pastor: Brian Jones

Organist: Janice Palmer

PRELUDE

CALL TO WORSHIP:

One: Lord, you have welcomed us, saying, "I know you by name, and you have found favor with me."

ALL: Lord, you have promised us, "My Presence will go with you, and I will give you rest."

One: Lord, you have blessed us, saying, "I will cause all my goodness to pass in front of you."

ALL: Lord, you have humbled us, saying, "I will proclaim my holy name in your presence."

One: Lord, show us your glory!

ALL: Lord, we worship you.

MORNING PRAYER

***HYMN No. 8** "Bless, O My Soul, the Living God"

***PRAYER OF CONFESSION:** What a debt we owe to you, O God. You have given us all things in Christ and yet we withhold from you the honor and glory that are yours. Instead, we pay tribute to empire, plot to entrap the innocent, mock your truth with empty praise, and put your patience to the test. Forgive us, O God, and by your grace restore in us the image of your face; through Christ Jesus our Lord. Amen.

***DECLARATION OF PARDON**

***GLORIA PATRI** (see insert for words)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

RESPONSIVE READING: Psalm 99 (p. 520 in pew Bible)

CHILDREN'S TIME

SPECIAL MUSIC

GOSPEL READING: Matthew 22:15-22 (p. 857 in pew Bible)

SERMON: "Wiggle Room

PASTORAL PRAYER AND LORD'S PRAYER

INVITATION TO OFFERING

***DOXOLOGY** (see insert for words)

***PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

***HYMN No. 91** "A Mighty Fortress Is Our God"

Sunday school students at dismissed to the basement during the hymn

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

***Please stand, if you are able**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

REMEMBER:

***Guests, we welcome you.** Please sign the guest book by the front door before you leave.

***Large print bulletins and hearing assistive devices are available.**

If you would like one, please pick one up as you come into the sanctuary.

***Let the Deacons or Brian know** if you or someone you know is hospitalized and in need of a visit or prayers.

***An usher will be available to help** people up and down the stairs or in and out of the elevator.

***Invitation:** Come for coffee and cookies Sunday mornings from 9:15 A.M. to 10:00 A.M.

OUR CHURCH

October 18—October 24

Sun., Oct. 18: Worship at 10:00 A.M

Happy Birthday: Harriet Kopplin

Mon., Oct. 19: Happy Birthday: Jayce Pugh

Tues., Oct. 20: Happy Birthday: Becky Nelson

Wed., Oct. 21: Happy Birthday: Kelsa Foreman

Bible Study Fellowship at 7:00 in the basement

Sat., Oct. 24: Happy Birthday: Jake Pugh and Kyler Foreman

Greeters: Elders

Ushers for August & September: Elders

Deacons for October: Ronalee Johnsen & Marilyn Dyer

Attendance for last week: 60

Sunday School Attendance for last week:

FYI: 1. Our Church would like to get e-mail addresses of our members. If you could e-mail me at my address of secretary@firstpresmiller.org, I can save your addresses or please get them to me in writing if e-mailing is not an option. Thank you. Patty

2. Please let the office know if I am missing any birthdays or anniversaries. Thank you!

3. October is Harvest Offering Month. Since COVID prevents us from having a festival this year—we will be taking donations for our local missions. There will be an offering plate to put your money in for those. These local missions are a very important ministry!

GLORIA PATRI

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost.
As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be,
world without end. Amen.

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.

Prayer list:

Zane Wulf, Steve Stewart, June VanZee, Saylr Moncur, Kelsey Hunter, Shaylee Anderberg, Jim Bevers, Jim Coyle, Stavan Starks, Marshall Dearing, Belva Evans, Peggy McInnis, Lauren Ketelhut, Arlene Matthews,

Household Prayer for Morning: Lord God, giver of light and darkness, from the rising of the sun to its setting you have called me by name; there is no God besides you. Go before me and guide me this day; bless and keep me forever. Amen.

Household Prayer for Evening: Lord God, giver of darkness and light, from the setting of the sun to its rising you have called me by name; there is no God besides you. Stay with me and guard me this night. Bless and keep me forever. Amen.