

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Miller, South Dakota

October 11, 2020

Pastor: Brian Jones

Organist: Janice Palmer

PRELUDE

CALL TO WORSHIP:

One: The Lord is good!

ALL: God's steadfast love endures forever.

MORNING PRAYER

***HYMN No. 7** "Of the Father's Love Begotten"

***PRAYER OF CONFESSION:** Holy God, you are the Lord our God, who brought us out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of slavery. And yet our trust in you is fragile, easily crushed by our bent toward indifference—the dismissal of your faithfulness as a result of our forgetfulness. Our trust is fragile, easily broken by the slightest pause—an answer to prayer not instantly given, a request for peace not immediately felt. Our trust is fragile, easily displaced by gods of our own making—the god of self-sufficiency, chased at any cost, the god of illusion, pursued in any form. Lord, have mercy on us, through Christ, our Lord. Amen.

***DECLARATION OF PARDON**

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

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

RESPONSIVE READING: Psalm 23 (p. 476 in pew Bible)

CHILDREN'S TIME

EPISTLE READING: Philippians 4:1-9 (p. 1024 in pew Bible)

SERMON: "What Do We Remember?"

PASTORAL PRAYER

ADMISSION OF NEW MEMBER

Evan Wieseler

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Shelby Marie Wieseler

Leo Myron, son of Evan and Shelby Wieseler

INVITATION TO OFFERING

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

***PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

***HYMN** (see insert) "Seek Ye First" Verse 1, 2, 1

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 11—October 17

Sun., Oct. 11: Worship at 10:00 A.M

Happy Birthday: Dick Palmer & Shelly Wieseler

Mon., Oct. 12: Happy Birthday: Ronalee Johnsen

Wed., Oct. 14 : Session Meeting

Thurs., Oct. : Happy Birthday: Doyle Foreman

Greeters: Elders

Ushers for August & September: Elders

Deacons for October: Ronalee Johnsen & Marilyn Dyer

Attendance for last week: 47

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!

4. A reminder that there will be no Sunday School or activities for the next week.

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 Wulff, Steve Stewart, June VanZee, Saylr Moncur, Kelsey Hunter, Shaylee Anderberg, Jim Bievers, Jim Coyle, Stavan Starks, Marshall Dearing, Belva Evans, Peggy McInnis, President Trump, Arlene Matthews, the family and friends of Kim Roth and Phil Crackel.

Household Prayer for Morning: Holy God, you are light, and in you there is no darkness at all. Shift my focus today from whatever is false to that which is true; from whatever is vulgar to that which is honorable; from whatever is corrupt to that which is just; from whatever is inauthentic to that which is pure; from whatever is detestable to that which is pleasing; from whatever is insignificant to that which is commendable; so that I may live in the light. Through Christ Jesus I pray. Amen.