

**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
**Winnebago, Illinois**  
**March 7, 2010**  
**10:30 a.m.**  
**PREPARING FOR THE WORD**

Prelude "Softly and Tenderly" W. L. Thompson

Introit

Welcome/Announcements

Minute for Missions Desirae Schneider

Call to Worship

\*Hymn "Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty" #138

Apostles Creed pg. 14

Prayer of Adoration and Confession  
 (concluding with The Lord's Prayer)

Assurance of Forgiveness

\*Gloria Patri #579

Choral Anthem "In the Spirit of the Lord"  
 Marti Lunn Lantz, David Lantz III

Sharing of the Joys and Concerns

Pastoral Prayer

\*Hymn "Blessed Assurance" #341

Receiving of the Holy Communion

Presentation of Gifts & Offerings

\*Doxology #592

\*Prayer of Dedication

**RECEIVING THE WORD**

Scripture Matthew 11:25 – 30 pg. 993

Message

Pastor Carroll Smith

**RESPONDING TO THE WORD**

\*Hymn "May the Lord, Mighty God" insert

Benediction

Choral Three-Fold Amen

Postlude "O For A Thousand Tongues to Sing" Carl Glasser

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Church 335-2051

Last week's attendance 113

Last week's offering \$4304.40

**SHARING THE WORD THROUGHOUT THE WORLD**

*Every member a minister...*

Pastor Rev. Steve Shullanberger

Music Director Kelly Beaman

Organist/Accompanist Scott Farrell

Flute soloist Betsy Gray

Ushers Chuck Rittmeyer, Skip Leden, Bob Samsel

Greeters Jim & Heidi Garner

Acolytes Renee Rittmeyer, Zoe Reuter

**Women's Bible Study** begins this Monday, March 8, from 7-8:30 p.m. and will meet in the fellowship hall. The schedule will be: March 8th, 15th, 22nd, off March 29th, then April 5th, 12th, and 19th. The topic has changed and this bible study will cover Spiritual Intimacy, studying pieces all over the bible. Remember to bring a friend.

**Rockford Operetta Party** will present "Sunsets and Edelweiss" this week, March 11 & 13 at 7:30pm at the church. For tickets, email rockfordoperetta@gmail.com.

**Per Capita** for 2010 is \$34.64 per member, per capita to date \$3308.91.

**Daily Bread** Spring edition is available on the table in the narthex.

**Pampered Chef Party/Fundraiser** Today at 2 p.m., in the Fellowship Hall, the youth will host a fundraiser for the mission trip to West Virginia. Contact Barb Whitney or a work camper to place an order.

**Pall bearers needed** 6 pall bearers are needed for Margaret Jueal's funeral on Monday morning at 8 a.m. Please see Pastor Steve if you are able to help.

**"May the Lord Mighty God"  
(tune/Edelweiss)**

**May the Lord Mighty God  
Bless and keep you forever.  
Give you peace, perfect peace;  
Strength in every endeavor.  
Lift up your eyes and behold His grace  
And His strength forever.  
May the Lord Mighty God  
Bless and keep you forever.**



*Flowers today are sponsored by:  
Vera Oleson in memory of Ray's birthday*

**The Church Website is** <http://www.thewfpc.org>. The prayer request email is: [prayer@thewfpc.org](mailto:prayer@thewfpc.org)

*All groups meet at the church unless otherwise specified.*

**Praise Band** will meet at 6:30 p.m. Monday.

**Choir** will meet on Wednesday at 7 p.m.

**Loose offerings** from today will go to the Deacons.

**Please** take the time to sign the attendance books and let us know of any special requests.

**Flowers/Bulletins** anyone wishing to sponsor flowers or bulletins may sign up on the sheets that are on the bulletin board. The cost for bulletins will be \$15 and flowers will be \$12.50 for one arrangement or \$25 for two arrangements.

**Quiet Activity bags** to occupy young children are hanging in the narthex, or see an usher for a children's Gospel Gram.

**Nursery care** available during the service for children 3 & under.

**New member classes** Classes for those wishing to become members of the church will be starting soon, please see Pastor Steve for more information, or leave contact information with the office.

**2010 Directories** are now available on the table in the narthex.

*Take a moment before leaving today and check your pew for any litter and help us keep our church looking beautiful, Thank you.*

**FELLOWSHIP** Please join us after the worship service for fellowship, hosted by the Choir.

**Please keep in prayer:** The Franklin family. Lois Schultz.  
The Schramm/Vietmeier family.