

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Winnebago, Illinois
November 16, 2008
10:30 a.m.
PREPARING FOR THE WORD

Prelude "Created to Worship"

Welcome, Announcements

*Songs of Praise "Forever" insert
"I Lift My Eyes Up" insert

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

Assurance of Forgiveness

RECEIVING THE WORD

Minute for Missions Chicks With Sticks

Scripture Colossians 3:17 pg. 1201
Corinthians 9:12 pg. 1181

Message "Thanks in Your Giving and Giving in Your Thanks"
Pastor Carroll Smith

RESPONDING TO THE WORD

Special Music Movement Performance "The Coloring Song"
Kasey Benson, Betsy Gray,
Amy Cross, and Lydia West

Sharing of Joys and Concerns

Pastoral Prayer

Presentation of Gifts and Offerings

Offertory "Surrender"
*Prayer of Dedication

*Songs of Praise "Give Me Jesus" insert

Benediction

Postlude

Church 335-2051
Attendance 11/09/08 126
Offering 11/09//08 \$2598.00

SHARING THE WORD THROUGHOUT THE WORLD

Ministers Everyone
Pastor Rev. Steve Shullanberger
Praise Team Director Michelle West
Ushers First Team Members
Greeters Brian and Stacy Weavel

“Forever”

Chris Tomlin

Give thanks to the Lord our God and King,
His love endures forever
For He is good, He is above all things, His love endures forever.
Sing praise, sing praise

With a mighty hand and outstretched arm,
His love endures forever
For the life that’s been reborn, His love endures forever
Sing praise, sing praise
Sing praise, sing praise

Chorus:
Forever God is faithful
Forever God is strong
Forever God is with us
Forever and ever

From the rising to the setting sun, His love endures forever
By the grace of God we will carry on, His love endures forever
Sing praise, sing praise
Sing praise, sing praise (Chorus 2 x)

“I Lift My Eyes Up”

Kutless

I lift my eyes up, unto the mountains
Where does my help come from?
My help comes from You, maker of heaven
Creator of the earth.

Oh how I need you, Lord
You are my only hope
You’re my only prayer

So I will wait for You
To come and rescue me
To come and give me life
(repeat song)

ANGEL CHRISTMAS ORNAMENTS

The Presbyterian Women’s Organization is taking orders for angel ornaments to put on the sanctuary tree. You may purchase these “in honor of” or “in memory of” a loved one.

ORDER BY: November 30.

Contact Ann Fuller for more information at 1-815-335-7402.

Ornaments are \$5.00 each.

Please make checks payable to : Presbyterian Women

I would like to purchase:

_____ Ornaments @ \$5.00 each.

_____ Amount enclosed



Given by: _____

In Honor of: _____

In Memory of: _____

“Give Me Jesus”

Arr. Alma Blackmon

Announcements

Verse 1:

In the morning when I rise
In the morning when I rise
In the morning when I rise
Give me Jesus

Chorus:

Give me Jesus
Give me Jesus
You may have all the rest,
Give me Jesus
Dark midnight was my cry
Dark midnight was my cry
Give me Jesus (chorus)

Verse 2:

Dark midnight was my cry
Dark midnight was my cry
Dark midnight was my cry
Give me Jesus (chorus)

Verse 3:

Just about the break of day
Just about the break of day
Just about the break of day
Give me Jesus (chorus)

Verse 4:

Oh, when I come to die
Oh, when I come to die
Oh, when I come to die
Give me Jesus (chorus)

Bulletins today are sponsored by :

*Betsy Menge in memory of
Clifford and Ethel Rood*

The Church Website <http://www.thewfpc.org>. The prayer request email is prayer@thewfpc.org

The Chancel Choir will meet on Wednesday at 7 p.m. this week.

The Praise Band will meet on Monday at 6:30 p.m. Anyone wishing to share their musical talent is welcome.

Children’s Choir will sing next week.

Naomi Circle will have their meeting in the Church Fellowship Hall on November 18th at 12:30. Carol Meyers and Corrine Gusloff are your hostesses. *Please note the change in location.*

Deacons will meet Tuesday at 6:30 p.m.

Session will meet this Thursday at 7:15 p.m.

First TEAM will meet Wednesday at 7 p.m.

Newsletter articles are due on November 19, please have them in on time. The newsletter ladies will be coming earlier than usual due to the holidays. *Thank for your cooperation.*

Please keep in prayer: Paula Price. Duane Fay.

PW Installation Service Gathering will be this Thursday at 7 p.m. Please join us for a business meeting and installation of our new officers.

Help wanted Is anyone interested in manning the nursery? The nursery is for children ages 4 and under. Someone (this could be more than one person) is needed on a weekly basis and will be paid for this service. Please contact Laurie Speers at 1-815-289-0052.



Deck the Halls of the church that is. We invite you to help decorate our church for the Christmas season on November 29, from 9 a.m. to noon.

Chicks with Sticks will meet at Ann Fuller's home Tuesday at 7 p.m. This is the last gathering before the holidays.

Please take the time to sign the red 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.

Family Bowling Nite will be 5 p.m. Saturday, November 22 at the Lakeside Lanes in Durand. Please let Pastor Steve know if you are going so he can reserve enough lanes.
Everyone is welcome.



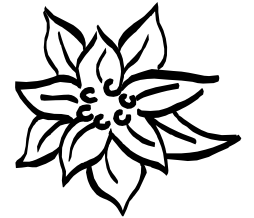
POINSETTIA SALE

The Church is taking orders for poinsettias to add beauty to our sanctuary during the Christmas season. There is a choice of white, pink or red. If you would like to purchase one, the cost is \$12.50. **Order by November 23**, return completed form and payment to Lisa Rittmeyer or place in the collection plate. Poinsettias may be taken home after the worship service on Christmas Eve. Note the date change for pick up.

_____ Poinsettias @ \$12.50 each

_____ Red _____ White _____ Pink

_____ Amount enclosed.



(Please make checks payable to: First Presbyterian Church)

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In Memory of: _____

In Honor of: _____