

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH of BROKEN BOW, NEBRASKA
WORSHIP FOR THE LORD'S DAY

October 9, 2016

10:00 A.M.

21st Sunday after Pentecost, Proper 23

We extend an enthusiastic welcome to all who would worship here or join us in fellowship. We affirm that there can be no exclusion within the body of Christ. If you need assistance, please check with the ushers. If you have a prayer request, please fill out a request slip found in the pews and place it in the offering plate or send it to the church office. *If you would like to have a conversation about joining our church, please contact Pastor Gary Smith.*

* Please rise in body or spirit

Bold - Read in Unison

Preparation for Worship

Son of David, risen from the dead, let your word be loosed among us, that we may rightly understand your gospel truth and proclaim it to others for their salvation.

PRELUDE:

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS – Gary Smith

SHARING THE PEACE:

The Peace of Christ be with you. **And Also with You.** Let us share the peace of Christ with those among us

* **COLLECT/OPENING PRAYER** - Gary Smith

* **CALL TO WORSHIP:** - Responsive Liturgist

Give thanks to God, who is our peace.

We give thanks with all our hearts.

Praise the Lord, who makes us whole.

We praise the holy name of God.

Let us worship God.

* **HYMN #610** “O, for a Thousand Tongues to Sing”

***CALL TO CONFESSION** – Gary Smith

* **PRAYER OF CONFESSION** — Unison – Liturgist

Eternal Wisdom,

from generation to generation

you teach your people the way to live.

Through words that are ancient

you speak your living Word.

Speak to us now with all that we need

to honor you and walk in your way

with honesty and humbleness of heart.

Amen.

***DECLARATION OF FORGIVENESS** – Gary Smith

Thanks be to God.

***RESPONSE-** “Lord Have Mercy”

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SPECIAL MUSIC

Kids Kingdom Choir

CHILDREN'S TIME – Pastor Gary Smith

SPECIAL MUSIC

Youth Handbell Choir

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION – Unison- Liturgist

**Almighty God, give us ears to hear your story in these words of Scripture;
give us eyes to see your story in the faces of those that surround us;
and give us faith enough, that by your grace, we might serve you until the end
of our days. Amen.**

PREPARATION – Liturgist

Sacred writings, our instruction in salvation
through faith in Jesus Christ.

2 Timothy 3:16

First Reading

Psalm 66:1–12 Liturgist-

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The Word of the Lord... **Thanks be to God**

Second Reading

2 Timothy 2:8–15 –Gary Smith

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MESSAGE

Pastor Gary Smith

* HYMN #54 "Make a Joyful Noise to God"

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH –Unison

We believe that the church must witness against and strive against any form of injustice, so that justice may roll down like waters, and righteousness like an ever-flowing stream. We believe that the church as the possession of God must stand where the Lord stands, namely against injustice and with the wronged. We believe that in following Christ the church must witness against all the powerful and privileged who selfishly seek their own interest and thus control and harm others.

Adapted from the Confession of Belhar

*TITHES AND OFFERINGS

* DOXOLGY

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*HYMN #327 "From All that Dwell Below the Skies"

*CHARGE & BENEDICTION

*SUNG BENEDICTION "They'll Know We Are Christians by Our Love"

---(Everyone stand and join hands while singing) ---

We are one in the Spirit, we are one in the Lord,

We are one in the Spirit, we are one in the Lord,

And we pray that all unity may one day be restored:

And they'll know we are Christians by our love, by our love;

Yes, they'll know we are Christians by our love.

*POSTLUDE

A special **THANK YOU** to everyone that helped with worship.

Organist ~ Bill Reichert

Pianist ~ Jan Dobesh

Greeters/Ushers ~

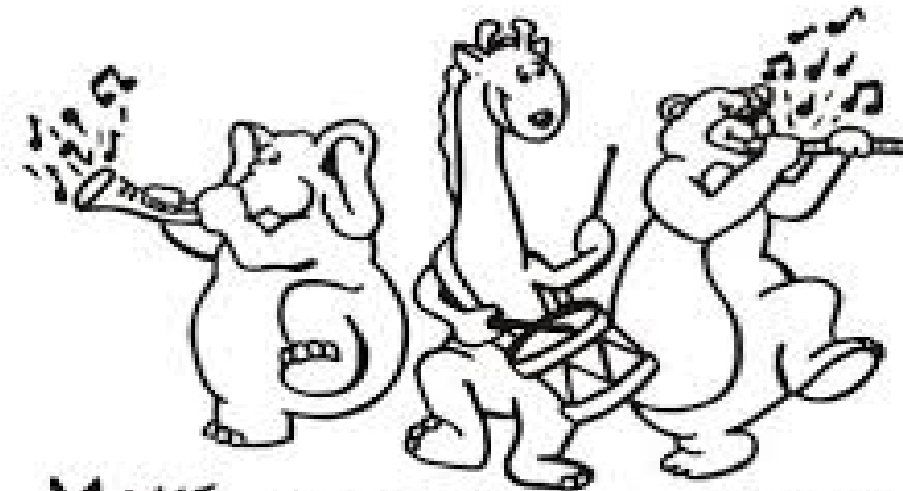
Liturgist ~

Song Leader ~ De Loehr

Pray For: Fred Roedger & Family, Gracie Black, Rich Maas, Paul Robison, Jeff

McMeen, Pauline Landreth, Vance Vohland, Darlene Olson, Kay Koozer, Logan Bell

Members in Military Service to our Country, hurricane victims in Florida



MAKE A JOYFUL NOISE
UNTO THE LORD!

First Presbyterian Church
Broken Bow, Nebraska
October 9, 2016

This Month In Our Church

Sunday 10/9 10:00 AM Worship
Quigley's to Perform with Hand Bells during service

Wednesday 10/12 3:30 Quigley's & J-Squad
6:30 PTFG

Saturday 10/15 9:00 – 11:30 AM Session Retreat

Sunday, 10/16 10:00 AM Worship, Congregational Meeting, Lunch

Wednesday 10/19 3:30 Quigley's & J-Squad
Deacons Meeting
Session Meeting

Thursday 10/20 Session Meeting

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