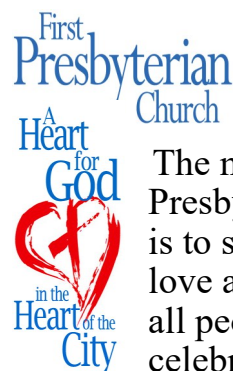


Order of Worship		
Prelude		
Announcements		
*Opening Hymn #35	<i>Praise Ye the Lord, the Almighty</i>	
Prayer of the Day Almighty and eternal God, You have placed all things under the authority of Your Son. Though we do not yet see everything as it will one day be, by faith we see Jesus, crowned with glory and honor. Forgive us when our vision of Christ is too small, when the troubles before us appear greater than the Lord above us, and when we forget that the One who reigns is the same One who humbled Himself and tasted death for us. As Your Word is proclaimed today, lift our eyes again to Jesus. Give us a clearer vision of His supremacy, a deeper understanding of His saving work, and a faith strong enough to trust Him even when we cannot yet see all things subjected to Him. Fix our hearts upon Jesus and strengthen us to follow Him faithfully. In the name of the one who reigns supreme, our Lord Jesus the Christ, we pray. Amen.		
Gloria Patri #614	<i>Great Are You, Lord</i>	
*Passing of the Peace		
Anthem	<i>Blessed Lord Jesus, Come</i> Chancel Choir	Krishna Das, adapted by C.W.
Prayer for Illumination		
Sermon	“Hebrews Part 1 - The Supremacy of Jesus” Heb 2:5-9 Rev. Lorenzo R. Small, Sr.	
*Hymn of Discipleship #438	<i>Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me</i>	
Offering	<i>Glory Hallelujah</i> Choir and Congregation	K. Das/C.W.

Cake in the Parlor to celebrate
September Birthdays, following
worship.

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The mission of First Presbyterian Church is to share God's love and grace with all people and celebrate the truth of Jesus Christ.

We approach this purpose with a commitment to "unity in essentials, liberty in non-essentials, and love in all things."

We fulfill this purpose by Serving Christ through SERVICE to others.

Connecting people to God through OUTREACH.

Nourishing people in the Spirit through WORSHIP, FELLOWSHIP and DISCIPLESHIP.

We express this purpose through our Core Values:

- † GLORIOUS WORSHIP
- † SPIRIT EMPOWERED PRAYER
- † LIFE ROOTED IN SCRIPTURE
- † GRACIOUS WITNESS
- † COMPASSIONATE SERVICE
- † ABUNDANT LIFE THROUGH COMMUNITY
- † EVERY PERSON'S DIGNITY AFFIRMED

SCAN THE QR CODE BELOW TO CONNECT WITH US!



Remember in Prayer: Katie Graham, Shirlee Burlingame, Carrie & Jim Hoglen, Paula McPhee, Richard Medaugh, Georgann Parker, Ed Scheinfeldt, Annettie Tribbett, Leroy Miller, Marie Davy.

In Military; James Burns, Steve Mackinder, and Samantha Rainwater.

Flowers are given by Kathy Baker in honor of family and friends.

This week at First Presbyterian Church:

Mon., 9/28	9A	Men's Coffee & Fellowship
	2P	Property Meeting
	7P	Men's Romans Bible Study
Tues., 9/29	8:30A	Prayer in the Chapel
	9A & 1:30P	Pickleball
	9:30A	Carillon Mailing
Wed., 9/30	10A	Chair Yoga
	12P	Bible Study in the Parlor
	7P	Bible Study in the Parlor
Thurs., 10/1	9A	Pickleball
	5:30P	Bell Choir
	6P	ZUMBA in the Gym
Fri., 10/2	6:30P	Chancel Choir
	<i>Office Closed</i>	
	9A	Women's Fall Gathering
Sat., 10/3	10A	WORSHIP
Sun., 10/4	3:15P	<i>The Chosen</i> Viewing in the Youth Center

DEACONS - With the holidays coming before we know it, please consider a donation to the Deacon Fund to cover the cost of Thanksgiving, Christmas and Easter baskets.

Women's Fall Gathering

"God's Light Shines Through Many Colors"



Saturday, October 3 at 9 a.m.
First Presbyterian Church of Battle Creek
Sanctuary and Parlor

Program:
Martin Ashley, Speaker
History of the Church Windows
Prayer & Meditation
Fellowship & Light Luncheon

Reservations: Kiran Bilanow 269.968.3296
Terry Wesner 269.986.1849

The Connections Team invites you to bring a friend & join in watching The Chosen!

SUNDAYS
20, 27 SEP
04 OCT

DOORS OPEN 3:15P
First Pres Youth Center



TODAY - Rain or Shine!

CROP Hunger Walk at Leila Arboretum, 2:30 registration (open to all). 3:00 start of walk. Donations are welcomed and encouraged -

cash or checks made out to CWS/CROP Walk. Your prayers today will surround walkers from 7 local churches and the monies raised that will help those in food distress.

PRAYER CARDS - Don't Forget a Prayer Card with the weekly Bible Reading Plan on the tables as you exit the sanctuary!



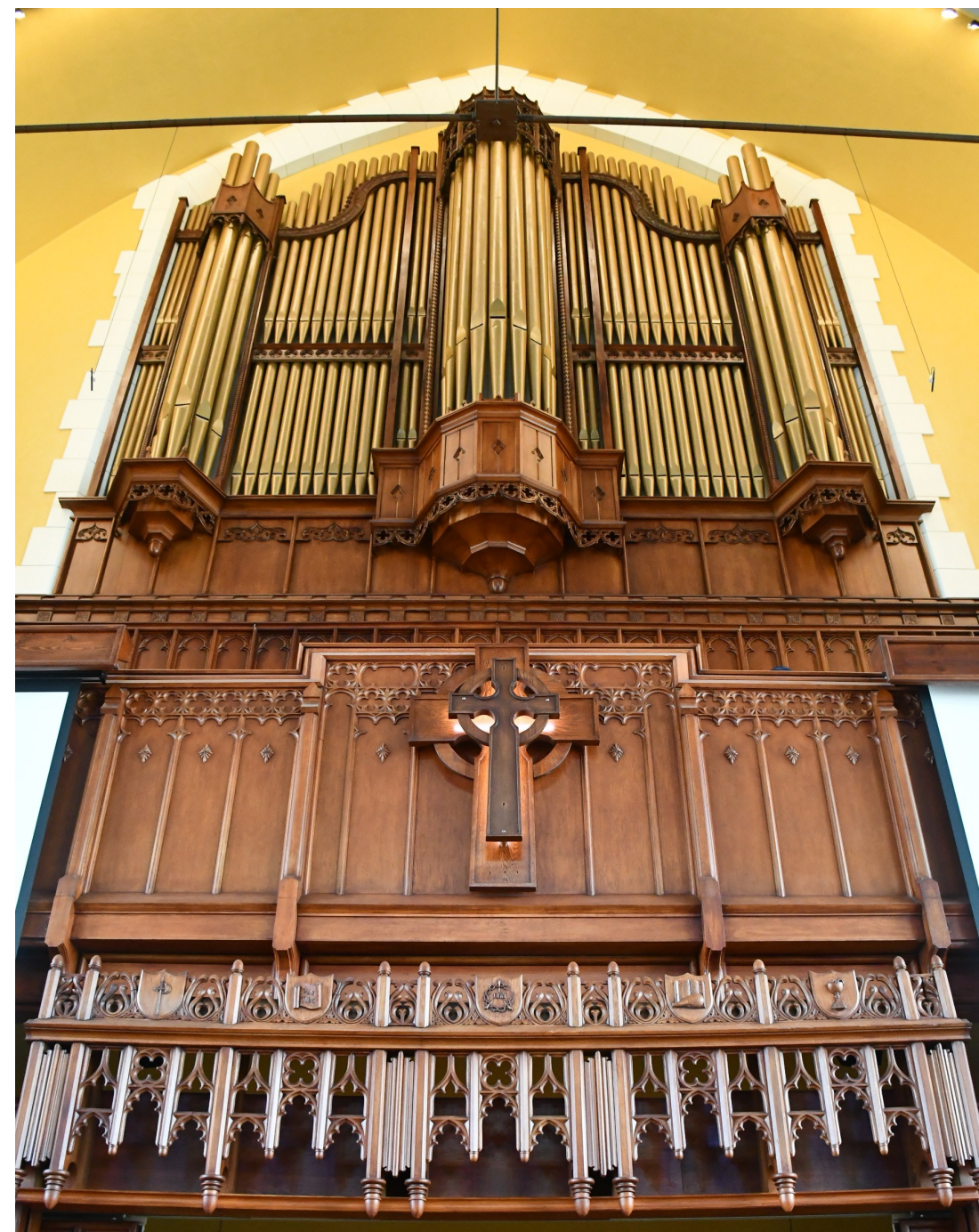
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