



Sunday March 6, 2022

First Presbyterian Church

101 6th Ave. NW

Kasson, MN



Easter Memorial Garden

The Worship Committee is presenting the opportunity for the congregation to purchase plants for the Easter Memorial Garden. The choices of plants are **Easter lilies, mums, and begonias**. Unfortunately, azaleas are not available again this year.

Houston's Greenhouse is asking for final orders to be received by Sunday, March 27th. If you would like a plant, please sign up on the bulletin board near the kitchen in the fellowship hall at the church. Specify the type of plant you would like and deposit cash in the envelopes provided there.

Easter lilies: \$12.50

Mums: \$14.00

Begonias: \$13.00

Those who purchase plants for the garden may take them home following the Easter Sunday service. A list of memorials will appear in the bulletin. Thank you for helping to beautify the sanctuary.

First Presbyterian Church Kasson, Mn.

March 6, 2022 Rev. Amanda Boss
Quinita Kase, organist 10:00 a.m.

We Approach God

Gathering Music:

Announcements:

Prelude:

*Call to Worship

Ann Driver, Liturgist

L: God is our refuge and strength

P: A present help in trouble.

L: Therefore, we will not fear

P: Though the earth should change

L: Though the mountains shake in the heart of the sea.

P: Though the waters roar and foam,

L: Though the mountains tremble with tumult,

P: God's love endures forever.

* Hymn No. 165 “The Glory of These Forty Days” verses 1,2, and 4

*Prayer of Confession

Have mercy on me, O God, according to your loving-kindness. In your great compassion, blot out my offenses. Wash me through and through from my wickedness and cleanse me from my sins. For I know my transgressions, and my sin is ever before me. Against you only have I sinned and done what is evil in your sight. Purge me from my sin, and I shall be pure. Wash me, and I shall be clean indeed. Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me. Amen.

*Assurance of Grace

The saying is true and worthy of full acceptance that Christ died to save sinners. Brothers and sisters, believe the promise of the Gospel: In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.

* Gloria Patri Hymn No. 581 “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, amen.”

We are Inspired by God

* Hymn No. 2233 “Where Children Belong”

*This, this is where children belong, welcomed as part of the worshiping throng.
Water, God's Word, bread and cup, prayer, and song: This is where children belong.*

Children's Time

Prayer of Illumination

Scripture Reading Luke 4:1-13

L: Jesus, full of the Holy Spirit, returned from the Jordan and was led by the Spirit in the wilderness,

P: Where for forty days he was tempted by the devil. He ate nothing at all during those days, and when they were over, he was famished.

L: The devil said to him, "If you are the Son of God, command this stone to become a loaf of bread."

P: Jesus answered him, "It is written, 'One does not live by bread alone.'"

L: Then the devil led him up and showed him in an instant all the kingdoms of the world.

P: And the devil said to him, "To you I will give their glory and all this authority; for it has been given over to me, and I give it to anyone I please.

L: If you, then, will worship me, it will all be yours."

P: Jesus answered him, "It is written, 'Worship the Lord your God, and serve only him.'"

L: Then the devil took him to Jerusalem, and placed him on the pinnacle of the temple, saying to him, "If you are the Son of God, throw yourself down from here,

P: For it is written, 'He will command his angels concerning you, to protect you,'

L: And 'On their hands they will bear you up, so that you will not dash your foot against a stone.'"

P: Jesus answered him, "It is said, 'Do not put the Lord your God to the test.'"

L: When the devil had finished every test, he departed from him until an opportune time.

Scripture Reading:	Exodus 16:4-12	Pg. 78 OT
	Matthew 6:7-15	Pg. 7 NT

Sermon:	Lent in Plain Sight: Bread	Rev. Amanda Boss
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***Hymn No. 509** *“All Who Hunger, Gather Gladly”*

We Respond to God

***Affirmation of Faith from the Apostles Creed (in Unison)**

**I Believe in God the Father Almighty,
Maker of heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ, His Only Son, our
Lord, Who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin
Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and bur-
ied. He descended into hell; the third day He rose again
from the dead. He ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right
hand of God the Father Almighty, from thence He shall come to
judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost, the holy
catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the
resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.**

COMMUNION

Invitation to the Lord’s Table

Great Thanksgiving

L: The Lord be with you.

P: And also with you.

L: Lift up your hearts!

P: We lift them up to the Lord.

L: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

P: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

The Lord’s Prayer

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name.

Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.

**Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts,
as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but
deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power
and the glory, forever. Amen.**

Breaking of the Bread

Communion of the People

Prayer After Communion

Call for Offering: *Loose offerings in the amount of \$20 or less go toward
supporting local and international church missions*

Offertory:

***Doxology No. 606**

***Prayer of Dedication (in Unison)**

**Holy God, we present our offerings as did our ancestors of old, giv-
ing the first fruits of our labors. May they bring blessing to those
with whom we travel the wilderness journey — to the widow, the
orphan, the outsider, whom your Son calls us to love and to care
for. Amen.**

***Hymn No. 65** *“Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah”*

***Benediction**

***Dismissal Hymn 2241 (4th verse) The Spirit Sends Us Forth to Serve**
*“Then let us go to serve in peace, the gospel to proclaim. God’s Spirit
has empowered us; we go in Jesus’ name.”*

***Postlude:**

WELCOME VISITORS. Thank you for coming to worship with us.
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Bulletin Announcements:

*Please contact Pastor Amanda if you need pastoral care, extra prayers or a visit. Her
cell phone number is 507-218-2267 and her email is
presbypastor@kmtel.com.

Tuesday March 8th at 7pm- **Second Week of Lent: Bread**

We explore how bread has been used throughout the Bible from the manna from heaven
to the bread that is Christ’s body.

* Choir Practice Wednesday, March 9th at 6:30 PM

* There will be a fundraiser for Grady Lundgren on April 2. For information see the
church bulletin board or the March Newsletter.

Treasurer’s Report:

Receipts January 2022	\$	9,501.50
Expenses January 2022	\$	8,889.99
Balance January 2022	\$	611.51
Needed weekly	\$	2,381.04
Needed monthly	\$	10,317.85

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