

**A SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY  
APRIL 24, 2022**

OPENING SONG PRAISE TEAM  
WELCOME & GREETINGS  
SONGS OF PRAISE PRAISE TEAM  
“ALIVE AND BREATHING”  
“EVERLASTING GOD”  
“HERE I AM TO WORSHIP”

**Prayer of Confession (Responsive)**

Almighty and merciful Father, You have called us to be Your people and have made us one body. Yet we have not lived like we are one body.

*Heavenly Father, We so want to be right in Your eyes. Yet Your Holy Word makes it clear to us that our righteousness does not come from us, or from any attempts to keep the Law. In fact, we find great relief when we learn that we do not have to perform for You to earn Your love. All You require for us is to place our faith in Your precious Son, our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. Nevertheless, we do get distracted at times, and find ourselves attempting to secure Your love by our own efforts. Have mercy upon us Lord. Forgive us, O God, when we lapse back into our worldly mindset of performance. Forgive us for when we lose sight of the simple goal of loving Christ with all of our hearts. Whatever gains we might experience in our lives, like Paul, may we consider them as loss when compared to the surpassing value of knowing Jesus Christ as our Lord. We pray this in His holy name. Amen.*

**Assurance of Pardon (Responsive)**

If your faith is in Jesus Christ, and you have confessed from your heart, then I can assure you, based on the sure promise of the Word, that your sins are forgiven, and you are freed to love and serve!

*In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven. Alleluia! Amen!*

**JOYS & CONCERNS:**

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.*

Giving of Our Tithes and Offerings

Scripture Reading: Matthew 11:2-6

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Message: “WHO IS THE REAL JESUS ”

Closing Song: “Way Maker”

PRAISE TEAM: Fred Chilese, Vocals, Guitar, Praise Team Leader;  
Ed & Judy Taylor, Guitar/Vocals; Jack North, Beatbox;  
TECH TEAM: Dennis Gatke, Deb Berner, Guy DeChellis  
GREETER: Ginny Randall

**This Week: April 24 ~**

Liturgist: Susie Wirsing  
Usher: Marsha North  
Refreshments: 4th Sunday Volunteers, Edna Palmer, Arleen Younkman, and Deb Berner

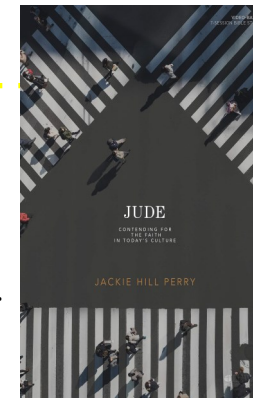
**Next Week: May 1 ~ COMMUNION SUNDAY!!**

Liturgist: Gail Evans  
Usher: Marsha North  
Communion Prep: Deborah Pinnell & Marsha North  
Communion Svrs: Carol Arnett, Verne Crissman, Harriet Haggett,  
Sharon Reinhardt, Wendy Quine  
Home Communion: Susie Wirsing  
Refreshments: Session

We'll be starting a new Bible Study on,

“Jude: Contending for the Faith  
in Today's Culture.

This study will begin May 15th, 2022 at 11:15 a.m.  
and will be a seven week study.



“While often overlooked, the Book of Jude remains as relevant today as the time it was written...”

In the *Jude: Contending for the Faith in Today's Culture* video Bible Study, author Jackie Hill Perry dives into the themes in the book of Jude of being called, loved, and kept. In this seven-session study, you'll learn how to anchor yourself in God's Word despite worldly false narratives and point others to Jesus.

A sign-up sheet is in Fellowship Hall on the “Sign-Up table”.

**ACTIVITIES AT FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

**Sunday, April 24:**

9:30 am In-Person Worship Service & Virtual Church  
11:00 am Fellowship & Refreshments in Fellowship Hall  
11:15 am The Revelation Study in the Gathering Room  
**Meeting ID: 834 6165 8539**

**Monday, April 25:**

**Tuesday, April 26:**

8:00 am Men of Faith Breakfast at Denny's...  
*Join Us! It's better when you're there!!*  
10:00 am Nifty Needlers  
10:00 am Knitting Class  
3:00 pm Special Session Mtg.  
4:00 pm Session Mtg.

**Wednesday, April 27:**

*“The S'more Squad” leaves for the White Tanks TODAY!!*

**Thursday, April 28:**

**Friday, April 29:**

**Saturday, April 30:**

*“The S'more Squad” Back from White Tanks today.*

**Sunday, May 1: COMMUNION SUNDAY**

9:30 am In Person Worship Service & Virtual Church  
11:00 am Fellowship & Refreshments in Fellowship Hall  
11:15 am Q & A with Dr. Chris Smith on Revelation  
in the Gathering Room  
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**Sunday, April 17, 2022, Easter Sunday**

**In Person Attendance: 66 Virtual Church Attendance: 23  
Tithes & Offerings: Gen Fund: \$5483 Deacons: \$100**

**Upcoming Events In the life of our Church:**

**CLEAN UP DAY!!!**

*B.Y.O.B. (Bring Your Own Bucket...and rags!)*

It's Spring and the time has come to spruce up our church. A clean-up day has been scheduled for Saturday, May 14th from 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon. Windows need washing, inside and out, and the tops of the pews need a thorough cleaning. Ed Taylor will be compiling a list of additional chores. There will be something for everyone to do, and jobs are accomplished more quickly and easily when we work together.

Donuts and coffee will be provided for extra energy!

Come be a part of our cleaning crew.  
Remember,  
many hands make light work.





PLEASE PRAY FOR, VISIT, AND/OR PHONE:



**Assisted Living:**

Jeanine Brown, Joyce Shaw, Howard Kennedy,  
Wanda Schneider

**At Home:**

Ed Sobol, Dave Lane, Marie Baker, Judy & Ron Bjorhus, Sam & Carole Weinschenk, Leo & Denise Wisseman, Marilyn Austin, Mary Kyler, Jackie Chamberlain, Glori Beattie, Brownie, Gale Fiscus

**College Students:**

Jameson Haggett, Franklin Pierce Univ. N.H  
Scott Hershkowitz, ASU  
Sarah Lutch, Univ. of Hawaii/Hilo  
John Thomas, Yavapai College  
Ross Longshore, Yavapai College  
Lauren Brockett, Montana State Univ.



**Moved but Always In Our Hearts:**

Hank Brubaker, Karen Strack, Nancy Rae,  
Betty Ek



*We carry them always in our hearts*

**Missionaries:**

**Mexico:** Allyson Searway & Justin & Rosita Searway

**Taiwan:** Rod & Beth Williamson

**Indonesia:** Mike & Christy Brown

**Indonesia:** Sean & Angie McKelvey

**ECO Ministry ~ Alaska:** Joey Chang

**United World Mission:** Nancy Kilpatrick

**KAIROS Prison Ministry**

**JARS (Jungle Aviation/radio service)**

**Mongolia Campus Crusade for Christ:** Ebo & Nergui Enkhbold



IN OUR  
*Thoughts and Prayers*

## First Presbyterian Church

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Class of 2023: Carol Arnett, Cheryl Longshore, Arleen Younkman

**Prayer Card** – Please share your prayer concern by filling out a yellow card from the pew rack and give it to the pastor before the Pastoral Prayer.

**Friendship Pad** - Please sign the Friendship Pad in your pew and pass it to your neighbor. At the end of the row, pass the pad back to the inside aisle.

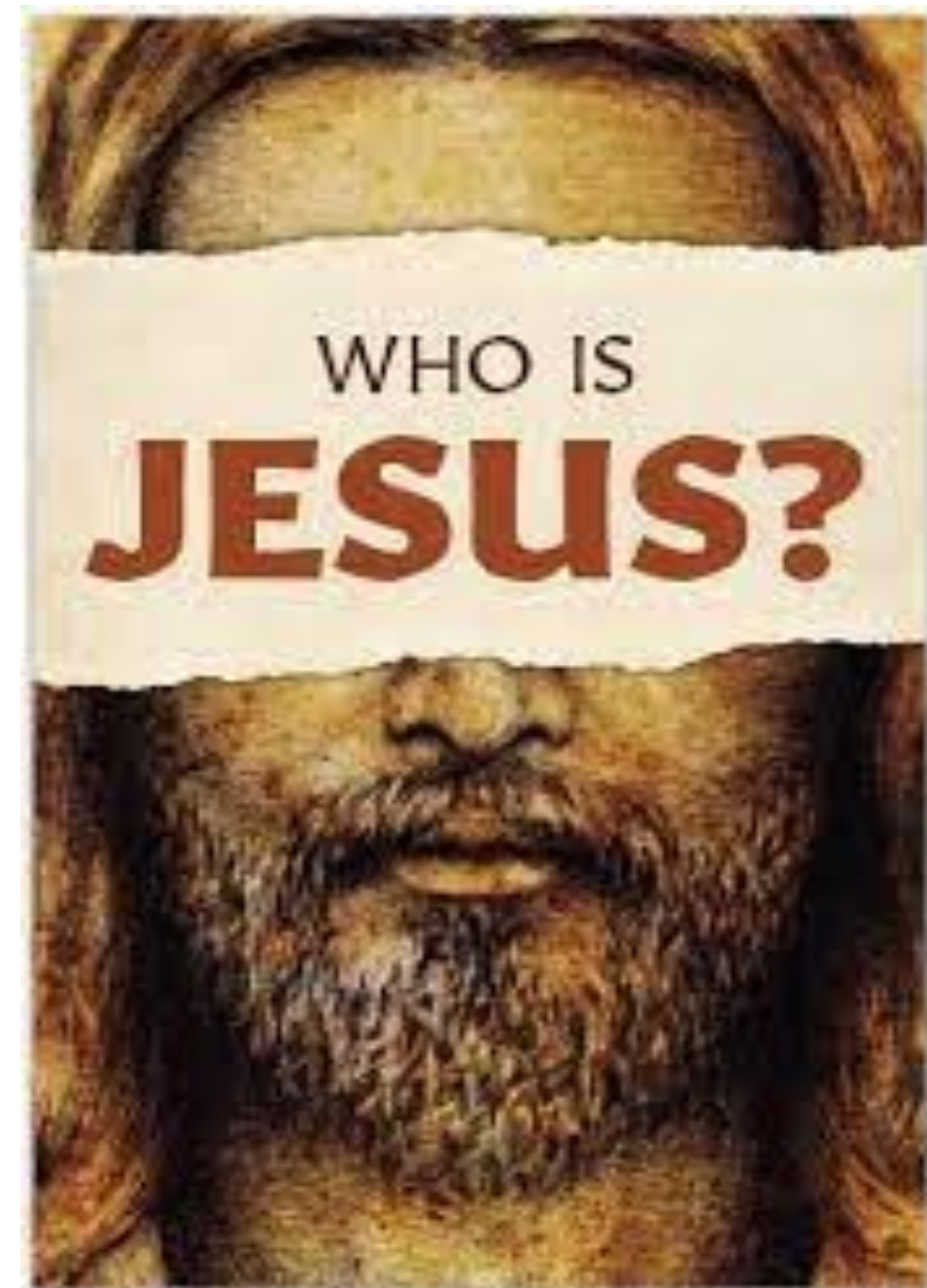
*If this is your first time, please give your local address.*

*If you attend regularly, your name will be fine.*

Hearing aid devices are located at the sound booth.

Ask an usher for assistance.

**Note:** Back support cushions are provided for your use in the pews by the Nifty Needlers.



First Presbyterian Church

Wickenburg, Arizona

April 24, 2022

9:30 a.m.