

Fellowship and Refreshments Following Worship, Every Sunday.

Message Notes for 9-13-26

**Friday, September 18: BBQ & Game Night**

4:00 pm BBQ and after, let the Games Commence!!

**Sunday, September 20:** *Happy Birthday Momma!!*

9:30 am Worship Service

Following Worship: Fellowship & Refreshments

9-6-2026

In Person Attendance: 30 Virtually: 40

Tithes & Offerings: Gen Fund: \$3,902 Deacons: \$51



First Presbyterian Church

Wickenburg, Arizona

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Growing New Lives in Jesus

## A Service for the Lord's day, September 13, 2026

GATHERING SONG: "HERE I AM TO WORSHIP"

PRAISE TEAM

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS:

PASTOR BARRY

Call To Worship: (Psalm 18:1-3, 46)

PASTOR

Leader:

I love You, O LORD my strength. The LORD is my Rock and my Fortress and my Deliverer, my God, my Rock, in whom I take refuge, my Shield, and the Horn of my Salvation, my Stronghold!

People:

*I call upon the LORD, who is worthy to be praised, and I am saved from my enemies! The LORD lives, and blessed be my Rock, and exalted be the God of my salvation!*

Leader:

Let's worship God!

SONGS OF PRAISE

PRAISE TEAM

"THE LORD'S PRAYER" (MAHER)

"TRUST AND OBEY" HYMNAL #571

"HOW GREAT IS OUR GOD"

**Prayer of Confession:** Beginning with Silent personal prayer.  
*O Lord our God, wholly just and ever gracious, we come before you to humbly confess our sins and acknowledge that we are deserving of judgment and at the same time remembering your covenant promises to draw us back to you and forgive us when we approach you with repentant hearts. So we ask you to forgive our sins both large and small, the seemingly trivial and the heartbreakingly huge; trusting not in our ability to do what's right in your eyes, but only in the grace you have made available to us in Jesus Christ our Savior and Lord. Amen.*

**Assurance of Pardon:**

**Hebrews 4:15** reminds us that "We do not have a high priest who is unable to sympathize with our weakness, but one who in every respect has been tempted as we are, yet without sin." It's because of this that we come before God's throne of grace knowing that we will receive mercy and find the grace to help in our time of need. Friends, believe the great Good News, we have been accepted in the Beloved and therefore have no need to fear, believing that in and through Jesus Christ we are forgiven!

People:

*Thanks Be To God, Alleluia! Amen!*

**Giving of Tithes and Offerings: Doxology~Dawn Gatke~FPC Ensemble**

(PLEASE PLACE YOUR PRAYER REQUEST CARDS IN THE OFFERING PLATE, ALONG WITH YOUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS)

**Confession of our Faith: Apostles Creed:**

DAWN

**Scripture Readings: Romans 14:1-12**

DAWN

**Message: "Fighters and Lovers"**

PASTOR

**Prayers and Intercessions:**

PASTOR

**The Lord's Prayer:**

PASTOR

**Benediction:**

PASTOR

**Reflection Song: "One Thing Remains"**

PRAISE TEAM

### ACTIVITIES AT FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

#### This Week: September 13, 2026:

Greeter: Ginny Randall

Liturgist: Dawn Gatke

**Refreshments: Vision Team ~ Thank you!**

#### Next Week: September 20, 2026:

Greeter: Ginny Randall

Liturgist: Debbie Wright

**Refreshments: Volunteers ~ Thank you!**

### During the Week: 9-13 thru 9-20:

#### Sunday, September 13:

9:30 am Worship Service

Following Worship: Fellowship & Refreshments

#### Monday, September 14:

3:00 pm Deacons Ministry Mtg.

#### Tuesday, September 15:

8:00 am Men of Faith Breakfast at Denny's

10:00 am Nifty Needlers

#### Wednesday, September 16:

1:00 pm Missions Ministry Mtg.

1:45 pm Fellowship Ministry Mtg.