

FELLOWSHIP PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
SUNDAY, MAY 10, 2026 ~ 11:00 AM WORSHIP

As we gather today, remember the centrality of worship for the people of God in Christ. We were created to worship God and redeemed to worship Him in Christ. Even our witness and discipleship are aimed at gathering still more to worship our Lord and God. There will come a day when witness and discipleship will cease but not worship. So, lift your eyes to your Lord and Savior in a foretaste of that which we will rejoice to offer up to Him eternally!

Welcome and Announcements *Pastor Marty Martin*

Introit *O God beyond All Praising*

Call to Worship *Revelation 5:11-14*

Then I looked, and I heard the voice of many angels around the throne and the living creatures and the elders; and the number of them was myriads of myriads, and thousands of thousands, saying with a loud voice, "Worthy is the Lamb that was slain to receive power and riches and wisdom and might and honor and glory and blessing."

And every created thing which is in heaven and on the earth and under the earth and on the sea, and all things in them, I heard saying, "To Him who sits on the throne, and to the Lamb, be blessing and honor and glory and dominion forever and ever."

And the four living creatures kept saying, "Amen." And the elders fell down and worshiped.

§ **Hymn** *O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing* No. 164

§ **Prayer of Adoration and Invocation** *Mr. Greg Horsky*

Old Testament Reading *Exodus 18:13-27*

It came about the next day that Moses sat to judge the people, and the people stood about Moses from the morning until the evening. Now when Moses' father-in-law saw all that he was doing for the people, he said, "What is this thing that you are doing for the people? Why do you alone sit as judge and all the people stand about you from morning until evening?" Moses said to his father-in-law, "Because the people come to me to inquire of God. When they have a dispute, it comes to me, and I judge between a man and his neighbor and make known the statutes of God and His laws."

Moses' father-in-law said to him, "The thing that you are doing is not good. You will surely wear out, both yourself and these people who are with you, for the task is too heavy for you; you cannot do it alone. Now listen to me: I will give you counsel, and God be with you. You be the people's representative before God, and you bring the disputes to God, then teach them the statutes and the laws, and make known to them the way in which they are to walk and the work they are to do. Furthermore, you shall select out of all the people able men who fear God, men of truth, those who hate dishonest gain; and you shall place these over them as leaders of thousands, of hundreds, of fifties and of tens. Let them judge the people at all times; and let it be that every major dispute they will bring to you, but every minor dispute they themselves will judge. So it will be easier for you, and they will bear the burden with you. If you do this thing and God so commands you, then you will be able to endure, and all these people also will go to their place in peace."

So Moses listened to his father-in-law and did all that he had said. Moses chose able men out of all Israel and made them heads over the people, leaders of thousands, of hundreds, of fifties and of tens. They judged the people at all times; the difficult dispute they would bring to Moses, but every minor dispute they themselves would judge. Then Moses bade his father-in-law farewell, and he went his way into his own land.

§ **Hymn** *All for Jesus!* No. 565

Worship through Tithes and Offerings

Offertory *If You Love Me*

My peace I give you, My peace I leave with you, and I will comfort you in times of trouble. And if you love Me, keep My commands.

Though I may leave you, I will return for you, I'll go prepare for you a place beside Me. And if you love Me, keep My commands.

Because I live, you too, shall live. I bring you peace that the world cannot give.

Prayer of Petition and Supplication *Pastor Martin*

§ **Psalm** *The Lord's My Shepherd, I'll Not Want* No. 85

Scripture Reading *I Peter 5:1-5* Pew Bible page 1214

¹Therefore, I exhort the elders among you, as your fellow elder and witness of the sufferings of Christ, and a partaker also of the glory that is to be revealed, ²shepherd the flock of God among you, exercising oversight not under compulsion, but voluntarily, according to the will of God; and not for sordid gain, but with eagerness; ³nor yet as lording it over those allotted to your charge, but proving to be examples to the flock. ⁴And when the Chief Shepherd appears, you will receive the unfading crown of glory. ⁵You younger men, likewise, be subject to your elders; and all of you, clothe yourselves with humility toward one another, for GOD IS OPPOSED TO THE PROUD, BUT GIVES GRACE TO THE HUMBLE.

Proclamation of God's Word *Pastor Martin*

Shepherds God's Sheep Can Follow

§ **Hymn** *The Church's One Foundation* No. 347
stanzas 1, 2, 5, & 6

§ **Benediction**

§ **Corporate "Amen"**

§ *The congregation will please stand.*
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6:00 PM WORSHIP

Call to Worship *Psalm 134:1-3*

§ **Psalm** *O Bless Our God with One Accord* No. 400

§ **Prayer of Adoration and Invocation** *Mr. Greg Horsky*

Old Testament Reading *Ezekiel 36:22-36*

"Therefore say to the house of Israel, 'Thus says the Lord GOD, "It is not for your sake, O house of Israel, that I am about to act, but for My holy name, which you have profaned among the nations where you went. I will vindicate the holiness of My great name which has been profaned among the nations, which you have profaned in their midst. Then the nations will know that I am the LORD," declares the Lord GOD, "when I prove Myself holy among you in their sight. For I will take you from the nations, gather you from all the lands and bring you into your own land. Then I will sprinkle clean water on you, and all will be clean; I will cleanse you from all your filthiness and from all your idols. Moreover, I will give you a new heart and put a new spirit within you; and I will remove the heart of stone from your flesh and give you a heart of flesh. I will put My Spirit within you and cause you to walk in My statutes, and you will be careful to observe My ordinances. You will live in the land that I gave to your forefathers; so you will be My people, and I will be your God. Moreover, I will save you from all your uncleanness; and I will call for the grain and multiply it, and I will not bring a famine on you. I will multiply the fruit of the tree and the produce of the field, so that you will not receive again the disgrace of famine among the nations. Then you will remember your evil ways and your deeds that were not good, and you will loathe yourselves in your own sight for your iniquities and your abominations. I am not doing this for your sake," declares the Lord GOD, "let it be known to you. Be ashamed and confounded for your ways, O house of Israel!"

'Thus says the Lord GOD, "On the day that I cleanse you from all your iniquities, I will cause the cities to be inhabited, and the waste places will be rebuilt. The desolate land will be cultivated instead of being a desolation in the sight of everyone who passes by. They will say, 'This desolate land has become like the garden of Eden; and the waste, desolate and ruined cities are fortified and inhabited.' Then the nations that are left round about you will know that I, the LORD, have rebuilt the ruined places and planted that which was desolate; I, the LORD, have spoken and will do it."

§ **Hymn** *Not What My Hands Have Done (stanzas 1, 2, & 5)* No. 461

Worship through Tithes and Offerings

Offertory *Hiding in Thee* Cathy Lawton, piano

Prayer of Confession, Petition, and Intercession *Mr. Horsky*

§ **Psalm** *Lord, Thou Hast Searched Me* No. 36

Scripture Reading *John 15:26-16:15* Pew Bible page 1080

²⁶"When the Helper comes, whom I will send to you from the Father, that is the Spirit of truth who proceeds from the Father, He will testify about Me, ²⁷and you will testify also, because you have been with Me from the beginning.

¹⁴These things I have spoken to you so that you may be kept from stumbling. ²They will make you outcasts from the synagogue, but an hour is coming for everyone who kills you to think that he is offering service to God. ³These things they will do because they have not known the Father or Me. ⁴But these things I have spoken to you, so that when their hour comes, you may remember that I told you of them. These things I did not say to you at the beginning, because I was with you.

⁵"But now I am going to Him who sent Me; and none of you asks Me, 'Where are You going?' ⁶But because I have said these things to you, sorrow has filled your heart. ⁷But I tell you the truth, it is to your advantage that I go away; for if I do not go away, the Helper will not come to you; but if I go, I will send Him to you. ⁸And He, when He comes, will convict the world concerning sin and righteousness and judgment; ⁹concerning sin, because they do not believe in Me; ¹⁰and concerning righteousness, because I go to the Father and you no longer see Me; ¹¹and concerning judgment, because the ruler of this world has been judged.

¹²"I have many more things to say to you, but you cannot bear them now. ¹³But when He, the Spirit of truth, comes, He will guide you into all the truth; for He will not speak on His own initiative, but whatever He hears, He will speak; and He will disclose to you what is to come. ¹⁴He will glorify Me, for He will take of Mine and will disclose it to you. ¹⁵All things that the Father has are Mine; therefore I said that He takes of Mine and will disclose it to you."

Proclamation of God's Word *Pastor Marty Martin*

The Promised Helper

§ **Hymn** *Come, O Come, Thou Quickening Spirit* No. 331

§ **Benediction**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

May 10, 2026—Nursery Schedule:

11:00 AM Infant Nursery: Tricia Lortz & Patty Wallwork; Alternate: Julie Worley
11:00 AM Toddler Nursery: Maria & Jeff Wayne, Jr.
6:00 PM Evening Nursery: Susan & Jeff Wayne, Sr.

May 17, 2026—Nursery Schedule:

11:00 AM Infant Nursery: Debbie Spnk & Robin Patane; Alternate: Paula Mackintosh
11:00 AM Toddler Nursery: Ryan Piller & Sandy Waugh
6:00 PM Evening Nursery: Carol Ethridge & Emily Mangum

Questions? Contact nursery@fellowshippres.org

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 Office hours: Monday—Thursday, 8:30 AM—12:30 PM
 Sunday Worship Services: 11:00 AM & 6:00 PM
 Prayer Requests: prayer@fellowshippres.org Announcements: announcements@fellowshippres.org

THE SESSION:

Teaching Elder: Pastor Martin H. Martin
 Ruling Elders: Craig Bouvier, Terry Richards,
 Tim Taylor, Jeff Wayne, Sr.
 Elder of the Month: Craig Bouvier

THE DIACONATE:

Deacons: Pat DeJong, Jared Farquhar, Dave Frengel,
 Brian Medlin, Kelly Peterson, Philip Triplett
 Deacon of the Week: Kelly Peterson

ASSISTANT PASTOR: Pastor Andrew Newman

COORDINATOR OF PASTORAL CARE: Pastor Peter Spink

DIRECTOR OF MUSIC MINISTRIES: Steve Lawton

CHURCH ADMINISTRATOR: Jeff Wayne, Sr.

CHURCH INTERN: Greg Horsky

ACCOMPANISTS:

Piano, Beverly Brouwer and Cathy Lawton; Organ, Sheryl Farquhar

MISSIONARIES & BENEVOLENCE MINISTRIES:

Rev. & Mrs. Albert Kona—Albania Rev & Mrs. Alonzo Ramirez—Peru Rev. & Mrs. Todd Crusey—London Rev. & Mrs. John Blevins—NW Knoxville Greenville Theological Seminary Greer Community Ministries Miracle Hill Ministries	Rev. & Mrs. Mark Kuo—Taiwan Rev. & Mrs. Vinicius Pimentel—Brazil Rev. & Mrs. Mikael Romer—Finland Gospel Reformation Network Covenant College Calvary Home for Children Samaritan's Purse/Operation Christmas Child
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April 2026 General Fund Summary*

Date:	General Fund Giving:	General Fund Expenses:	General Fund Net Total:
Apr 2026	\$49,023.25	\$51,895.97	(\$2,872.72)

Building Fund Total as of 7/01/2025: \$765,628.76
Building Fund Total as of 3/31/2026: \$836,317.26

*For a full Financial Report, please contact the church office or speak to an Officer.

***Pew Cards:** If you are new to Fellowship, please help us get to know you by filling out a pew card and dropping it in the offering plate. ~Thank you!*

As the Lord continues to add to our numbers, please work with the Deacons and others to help everyone find a seat; and be sure to greet newcomers after the service!

Wednesday Night Supper & Service:

5:30 PM: Catered Supper—\$3.50/ adult (ages 11 & up); \$2.50/child (ages 10 & under); \$15 max/family; sign-up is required.

*Please indicate on a pew card the number of adults & children attending this week's supper; the menu is BBQ sandwiches, slaw, chips, and dessert. Food is served until 6:10 pm.

6:00 pm: Doctrine and Discussion (youth), meets in the sanctuary
6:30 pm: Devotional & Prayer Time (adults); Catechism (children)

The Session of Fellowship Presbyterian Church will receive nominations for the office of Deacon and Elder **May 17—31**. After a period of training (**Wednesdays, August 12—September 23, 7:30—9 pm**) and examination by the Session, candidates will be presented back to the congregation **on October 4**, with elections on **November 8**, and Ordination/ Installation Service on **November 22**. Those elected will serve a **4-year term from 2027–2031**.

Point of Clarification: The term of service for the following officers (currently serving) will end January 2027. These men are eligible to service another term **but will need to be nominated and stand for election.**

Elder: Terry Richards; **Deacon:** Jared Farquhar, Kelly Peterson, Philip Triplett

Please prayerfully consider who the Lord would have to serve in these offices.
Nomination forms will be available in the narthex on Sunday, May 17, following worship.

Adult Sunday School, 10:00 am, Fellowship Hall: Ligonier series, "A Time for Confidence"

Youth Teaching: Sunday School, "Road Trip through Revelation," 10:00 am; Wednesdays, "Doctrine and Discussion," 6:00 pm.

Women's Summer Studies (sign-up deadline is today; sign-ups available in the narthex or online):

- "Covenantal Baptism" by Jason Helopoulos, led by Becky Taylor, meeting Tuesdays, 7 pm at the church.
- "The Secret of Contentment" by William Barclay, led by Cindy Worley, meeting Wednesday (June 10, 24; July 1, 15, 29) 2 pm, at the Worley home.
- "Everyday Faithfulness" by Glenna Marshall, led by Sheryl Farquhar, Sandy Waugh, and Debbie Spink, meeting Thursdays, 10 am, at the church.

Men's Bible Study (starting Ephesians!), Monday, May 18, 7:00 pm, at the church.

Prayer Meeting, Thursday, May 21, 6:30 pm: This prayer meeting, held at the home of Marty and Celanie Martin, is for the sole purpose of praying for the unsaved. If you have questions or are unable to attend but would like us to include a particular family member or friend, please contact Sheri Bouvier.

VBS/ Genesis 1: Space Mission, launches Monday, June 15—19, 9:00 am, for children grades K4—6th completed! Thank you for registering your "astronauts" so quickly! We now have a waitlist for all grades. Rejoice with us for this great response and pray for our staff as we prepare for "lift-off." Watch for announcements of other ways that you can help! **~VBS/ Genesis 1: Space Mission Sunday Night Kickoff—June 14, 5:00 pm!**

Save the Date! Men's Fall Retreat at Bonclarken: Thursday—Saturday, October 22—24.

Ladies, please join us for a Bridal Shower honoring Ashley Skoog on Saturday, June 6, 3:00 pm, at the church. Ashley is registered at Target.



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May 10, 2026

Our purpose is to glorify the Triune God by reconciling the lost to Him through faith in Jesus Christ and equipping the saints to serve Him in every area of life.

2 Corinthians 5:18-19; Matthew 28:19-20