

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF PORT HURON



Fourth Sunday after Pentecost, July 6, 2025
A Service of Word & Table
Rev. Kathy Tessin

***indicates when to stand, as you are able**

PROCESSIONAL

Musician Price Smith

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Rev. Kathy Tessin

Welcome to all of you, whether it is your first time visiting with us or this is your spiritual home! Please take a moment to sign the Friendship Pad in your pew so that we can get to know you. **To all present, in-person or online, we believe God is glad you chose to worship this morning.**

PRELUDE

Musician Price

(During the Prelude, please quietly take time to prepare your heart and mind for God's presence in worship.)

***CALL TO WORSHIP** - (Responsively) from Psalm 66 (CEB)

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Leader: Everything on earth, shout with joy to God!

ALL: We sing God's glory. We sing God's praise!

Leader: We say to God: "Your works are amazing!"

ALL: Come and see what God has done, the amazing things God has done for all people.

Leader: God has listened;

ALL: God has heard our prayers.

Leader: Praise God:

ALL: who never holds back his love from each and every one of us.

***OPENING PRAYER**

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***OPENING HYMN**

"Lift Every Voice and Sing "

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CALL TO CONFESSION

Liturgist Judith McLean

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (In Unison) from Psalm 51 (CEB) Liturgist Judith
Have mercy on me, God, according to your faithful love.

Wipe away my wrongdoings according to your great compassion!

Wash me completely clean from my guilt; purify me from sin.

Because I know my wrongdoings, my sin is always right in front of me.

I've sinned against you – you alone God. I've committed evil in your
sight.... (moment of silent confession) Please join back in prayer ...

Create a clean heart for me, God; put a new, faithful spirit deep inside
me!

Please don't throw me out of your presence; please don't take your holy
spirit from me.

Return the joy of your salvation to me and sustain me with a willing spirit.

WORDS OF FORGIVENESS (Responsively)

Liturgist Judith

... we have been restored! **Thanks be to God!**

THE PASSING OF THE PEACE

Liturgist Judith

The peace of Christ be with you. **And also with you.**

***SUNG RESPONSE**

Amazing Grace, how sweet the sound; that saved a wretch like me.

I once was lost, but now I'm found; was blind, but now I see!

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Rev. Tessin

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Liturgist Judith

SCRIPTURE READING

First Reading

Galatians 6: 1-10 (NRSVue) [Pew Bible, NT pg. 191]

Liturgist Judith

Second Reading

Matthew 18: 21-35 (NRSVue) [Pew Bible, NT pg. 20]

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SERMON

“What Do I Owe You?”

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MOMENT OF SILENT REFLECTION ON THE WORD

INVITATION TO THE TABLE

THE PRAYER OF GREAT THANKSGIVING

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Now let's hear the story

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

SONG

“Let Us Break Bread Together”

DISTRIBUTION OF THE ELEMENTS

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION (Sung)

GIVING OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS
Offertory Music

Liturgist Judith
Musician Price

***DOXOLOGY**

Praise God from whom all blessings flow! Praise God, all creatures here below. Praise God above, you heavenly host. Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

***THANKSGIVING PRAYER**

Liturgist Judith

***CLOSING HYMN “Let There Be Peace on Earth”**

***SENDING AND BENEDICTION**

Rev. Tessin

POSTLUDE

Musician Price

Worship Liturgy/Prayers adapted from:

Feasting on the Word, Liturgies for Year C, Vol. 2, Worship Companion, editor Kimberly Bracken Long (Westminster John Knox Press: Louisville, KY, 2012)

Book of Common Worship, The Presbyterian Church (USA), (Westminster John Knox Press: Louisville, KY, 2018)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHURCH FRIENDSHIP: Please be sure to sign the Friendship Register, and provide your email so we can make you aware of other events happening in the church!

THANK YOU for sharing your gifts with us! Our liturgist for today is Judith McLean. The greeter is Gail MacBeth. The Tech Team Member running the sound and video is Paige Cronic. The July Birthday and Anniversary

celebration cake during Coffee Fellowship is provided by the Membership and Outreach Committee.

COFFEE FELLOWSHIP: We will still offer coffee, juice and space to catch up on your week after the 10:00 a.m. worship service this summer. It will be held downstairs in the Gathering Room, by the back Parking Lot entrance.

LARGE PRINT HYMNS AND BULLETINS: Large print hymnals and bulletins are available for use during the worship service. Please let an usher know if you would like one for the service.

SANCTUARY FLOWERS: There are available dates in July and August. Please sign up in the book located on the office counter.

PRINTED SERMONS: Previous sermons are printed and available on the table near the church office desk in the Gathering Room.

FACEBOOK: We would love it if you would like and/or share our events and posts on Facebook!

VBS VOLUNTEER FORM: The CE Committee is looking for volunteers for Vacation Bible Camp, August 5-7th. Please see the office counter sign up sheets to see where they need volunteers and to sign up! If you have any questions, please talk with Beth Shoffner.

CHURCH ALBUMS AND DIRECTORY: The church photo albums and directories are completed. If you would like a copy, they are \$12 each and are available at the church office. They are in a 3 ring binder. Please speak with Mark Schian if you have any questions or stop by the church office to get one!

UPCOMING EVENT INFORMATION

STITCH AND CHAT: The group will resume meeting on **July 9th at 10:00 a.m.**

WALK IN THE PARADE: Wear your FPC shirt and walk in the Rotary International Day Parade! Please meet at the float by **6:00 p.m. on Wednesday, July 9th**, it will be parked on Pine Grove Ave between Huron and Glenwood Avenue. Look for a large globe!

FAMILY NIGHT: On **Thursday, July 10th from 5:00-9:00 p.m.** FPC will have a table set up at Operation Transformation Family Night at the NE corner of the 10th Street Bridge. If you would like to help at the table to share about FPC with the community, join us!

**Families with children: Please be advised that our worship service, including the Children's Message, is streamed live online. If you would not like your child's face in view, please sit with your child in the Parlor where the service is played on the TV.*

SAVE THE DATES:

July 9: Rotary International Day Parade: 6:30 p.m.

July 10: Operation Transformation Family Night: 5:00-9:00 p.m.

July 26: Hosting ISO Harpist Laurel Federbush in Fellowship Hall 1:00 p.m.
(Tickets \$25)

August 5-7: Vacation Bible Camp 5:00-7:30 p.m.

WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS WEEK:

Mon./07/07:	Financial Counters	9:00 a.m.
	Christian Education Committee	4:15 p.m.
Tue./07-08:	Marketing	1:00 p.m.
Wed./07-09:	Stitch and Chat	10:00 a.m.
	Finance Committee	10:00 a.m.
	Rotary Parade	6:30 p.m.
Thurs./07-10:	OT Family Night	5:00 p.m.

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Nursery Attendant: Elizabeth Block
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**Our mission is KNOW the Love of God,
GROW in the Christian faith,
and GO share our faith in Jesus Christ.**