

**SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY  
February 16th, 2025 – 11:00 am**

\* Those that are able and comfortable standing please stand.

**Prelude: People Need the Lord**

**Apostolic Greeting:**

**Leader: The Lord be with you!**

**People: And also with you!**

**Welcome and Announcements**

**Prayer of Preparation, Praise and Adoration**

**Apostle's Creed (Front Cover of Hymnal)**

**\*Hymn #79 My Jesus, I Love Thee (All Verses)**

**Sharing of Joys and Concerns**

**Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer**

**Children's Message**

**\*Hymn #444 I Love to Tell the Story (Verses 1, 3, 4)**

**Scripture Reading: Psalm 95: 1-7**

**Scripture Reading: John 4:3b-30, 39-42**

**Message Title: A Woman Ambassador**

**\*Hymn #540: My Hope is in the Lord (Verses 1, 3, 4)**

**\*Prayer for Tithes, Talents and Offerings**

**\*Hymn #815: Doxology**

**Charge, Blessing and Sending with Peace**

**Leader: The peace of Christ be with you!**

**People: And also with you!**

**Postlude: I Will Call Upon the Lord**

**~This Week at 1st Presbyterian Church~**

**SUNDAY, February 16**

9:15 a.m. - Adult Bible Study

10:15 a.m. Children's Sunday School

10:15 - 10:45 a.m. - Coffee Fellowship

11:00 a.m. - Worship Service

**SUNDAY, February 23**

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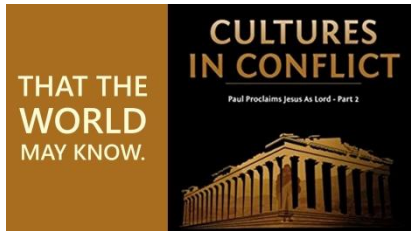
**This Sunday, ~2/16~ Liturgist** Gaye Gibson; **Sound Room:** Chris Bowles; **Coffee Fellowship:** Kim Dershem  
**Next Sunday, ~2/23~ Liturgist** Ed Jobes; **Sound Room:** Chris Bowles; **Coffee Fellowship:** Sandy Noland

***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.

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**Adult Bible Study:** How do you live in a culture where the worldview conflicts with Christianity? Learn from the Apostle Paul as he presents his beliefs to the most powerful court in Athens

and settles among the Greco-Romans of Corinth—cultures that valued wealth and class, worship of multiple gods, and decadent pleasures above all else.

In this volume of the That The World May Know series, take a tour through the land of the Bible and discover how to live in your present-day Athens or Corinth—a dechristianized Western world—in a way that keeps your faith strong and glorifies God. Join renowned teacher and historian Ray Vander Laan as he guides you through the land of the Bible. In each lesson, Vander Laan illuminates the historical, geographical, and cultural context of the sacred Scriptures. Filmed on location in the Middle East and elsewhere, the That the World May Know film series will transform your understanding of God and challenge you to be a true follower of Jesus.

Please join us on Sunday mornings in person or over Zoom!

### **Starting Strong Apartment Supplies:**

We are collecting cleaning, paper, hygiene, household, and laundry supplies to provide for foster youth transitioning into adult life. (See the entire list of suggested items in the sanctuary.) Place your donations in the laundry basket in the sanctuary. We are delivering supplies April 1st, but will continue collection through the year. If you are out shopping and find a great bargain, consider blessing foster youth in this way. *"And do not forget to do good and to share with others, for with such sacrifices God is pleased."* - Hebrews 13:16



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## **FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**



### **A Woman Ambassador**

**By: Pastor Reinita Thacker**

**February 16, 2025**

**11:00a.m.**

**65 N. Third St.**

**Newark, OH 43055**

**Chris Rainey, Worship Elder**

**Tara Lewellen, Music Coordinator**