

SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

January 11, 2026 – 11:00 am

* Those that are able and comfortable standing please stand.

Prelude: Blessed Assurance (Keveren)

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship (On Screen)

Prayer of Preparation, Praise and Adoration

***Hymn #175: O Lord, Our Lord (All Verses)**

Prayer of Confession (On Screen)

Sharing of Joys and Concerns

Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

Children's Message

***Hymn #633/634: Open Our Eyes, Lord/More Love to Thee (All Verses)**

Scripture Reading: Isaiah 42: 1-4

Scripture Reading: Matthew 3: 1-6; 13-17

Message Title: ...Crying in the Wilderness

***Hymn #566: I Am Resolved (Verses 1, 2, 3)**

***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: Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus (Greer)**

~This Week at First Presbyterian Church~

SUNDAY, January 11

9:15 a.m. – Adult Bible Study
10:15 a.m. – Coffee Fellowship
11:00 a.m. – Worship Service

SUNDAY, January 18

9:15 a.m. – Adult Bible Study
10:15 a.m. – Coffee Fellowship
11:00 a.m. – Worship Service
Choir practice after Worship

This Sunday, 1/11

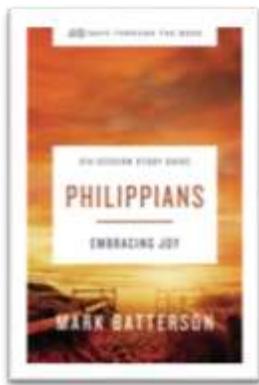
Liturgist: Carol Floyd; **Sound Room:** Becky Mahon;
Coffee Fellowship: Jo Deweese and Sandy Noland

Next Sunday, 1/18

Liturgist: Gaye Gibson; **Sound Room:** Becky Mahon;
Coffee Fellowship: OPEN



Please mark your calendars for our annual congregational meeting and potluck luncheon on **Sunday, February 1, 2026**.



Sunday Morning Adult Bible Study

In *40 Days Through the Book: Philippians* video Bible study, bestselling author and pastor Mark Batterson guides you through Paul's letters to the believer in Philippi and what it means for you today. In six-sessions, Batterson encourages you to find joy through life's ups and downs because all things are possible through Christ.

Join us in person or over Zoom. Stay after for a time of Coffee Fellowship in the Fellowship Hall!



Reminder: If there is a level 2 snow emergency declared in Licking County all church activities will be cancelled.



PIE (Partners in Education) Event

Saturday, January 31, 2026, Covenant Presbyterian Church in Columbus
Registration at 9:00 am, ending by 2:30 p.m.

Keynote Speaker: DeEtte Decker
Vision Integration & Constituent Service Manager, Interim Unified Agency PC(USA)
Sign up forms are in the sanctuary. Join us!



The FPC Choir will be practicing next Sunday, January 18th, after Worship and singing on January 25th in the service. Please see Ed with any questions.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



...Crying in the Wilderness

By: Liz Tietz, CRE
January 11, 2026
11:00a.m.
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Chris Rainey, Worship Elder
Tara Lewellen, Music Coordinator