

The Order of Worship
July 12, 2009

Minister: Rev. James Adams
Lay Leader: Dr. Gary D. Brown
Music Director: Rebecca Haywood

Organist/Pianist: Debbie Mink
Nursery: Phyllis Shepherd
Secretary: Vickie Ellis

Giving of our Tithes and Offerings

Offertory

Debbie Mink

* Doxology Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow

* Benediction and Sending Forth

* Final Song Lord, Dismiss Us With Thy Blessing

Bold Print indicates a congregational response * Indicates to stand, if able

Gathering Before God

Prelude Debbie Mink
*Call to Worship Projected
* Hymn *Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing* No. 400
* Opening Prayer
* Song of Praise *Lord, I Lift Your Name on High* Projected
Rick Founds, ©1980 Maranatha Music, CCLI #1844506)
* A Time for Personal Greetings

Hearing God's Word

A Time for Our Children & Dismissal to Children's Church
Song of Preparation *Thy Word is a Lamp Unto My Feet*
1st Scripture Lesson Philippians 2:1-11 Kathleen Smith
Gospel Lesson Luke 22:14-27
Special Music *He Leadeth Me* Peyton Dixon
Sermon "The Me-First Mindset" Rev. Adams

Responding to God

* Hymn *"Tis Sweet to Trust in Jesus* No. 462 (vss. 1, 2, 4)
* Affirmation of Faith No. 889
Pastoral Prayer
The Lord's Prayer Peyton Dixon

THIS WEEK AT FIRST CHURCH

Today:

5:30 Beth Moore Bible Study
6:00 Generation Change for Young Adults
7:00 U.M.W.

Monday, July 13

6:00 Reading the Bible

Wednesday, July 15

10:00 District Vision Team

Thursday, July 16

10:00 Sewing Circle
6:30 Girl Scout Leaders
7:00 Youth

Nursery Volunteer for Today, July 12 – Kristin Garrett
Nursery Volunteer for Sunday, July 19 – Susan Hamilton
Children's Church for Today, July 12 – Brad and Jenny Burchett
Children's Church for Sunday, July 19 – Amy Burchett
Acolytes for Today, July 12 – Tate & Owen Greene
Acolytes for Sunday, July 19 – Reece Hamilton, Owen Greene
Ushers for July – David Allen, Josh Turner, Neil Turner, Tom Smith
Greeters for Sunday, July 12 – Tom & Robin Smith
Greeters for Sunday, July 19 – The Garrett Family

Record of our Faithfulness: Sun., July 5 Morning Worship-93, Sunday School-31 General Fund-\$4151.00, Building -FLC-\$240.00, Total Giving- \$5316.00; Needed weekly- \$5260. Year to Date: Givings-\$141,256.06; Budget- \$141,495.80

The flowers this morning are in honor of Roberta Davidson on her birthday, July 18th, from her family, Happy Birthday Roberta!

We welcome Peyton Dixon as guest soloist today. Peyton is performing at Jenny Wiley Theatre this summer. We are blessed to have him worship with us, and to bring God's word through song.

“Command them to do good, to be rich in good deeds, and to be generous and willing to share.” 1 Timothy 6:18

Last year, your generosity as a church resulted in many school children beginning the school year with backpacks and basic school supplies. The Backpack Ministry program will begin again in July with the expectation of helping hundreds of school children attending Allen Elem., Prestonsburg Elem., Adams Middle School, and Prestonsburg High School. The list below will help as you pray and receive God's guidance for this ministry. Also pray for the approval of the grant that has been written for this program.

Supplies needed : scissors, glue sticks, crayons (8 colors, 24 colors), pencils, colored pencils, highlighters, ink pens, pencil cap erasers, large pink erasers, zip pouch for pencils & crayons, primary ruled paper, 1” notebook paper, straight edge spiral notebooks, one subject spiral notebook, loose leaf paper, folders, rulers, hand held pencil sharpener, index cards, posterboard, clear plastic sheets, construction paper

Labeled boxes will be stationed throughout the church to store your gifts until they are delivered to area Resource Centers in August. God bless you as you serve our Lord and Savior by serving those around you.