

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Schaller, Iowa
October 26, 2025

10:00 A. M.
Twentieth Sunday After Pentecost
Bev Logsdon

PRELUDE

Janice Ploeger, Organist

CANDLELIGHTING

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Elder

CALL TO WORSHIP:

L: By awesome deeds you answer us with deliverance, O God of our salvation;

C: you are the hope of all the ends of the earth and of the farthest seas.

L: By your strength you established the mountains;

C: you are girded with might.

L: You silence the roaring of the seas, the roaring of the waves, the tumult of the peoples.

C: Those who live at earth's farthest bounds are awed by your signs; you make the gateways of the morning and the evening shout for joy.

***HYMN "Just As I Am"**

#342

INVOCATION (Please be seated)

Bev

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (UNISON)

Elder

No words can express the depth of our need or reveal the extent of our sin. But you know us completely, O God. When deeds of iniquity overwhelm us, you forgive our transgressions. You rescue us from evil and clothe us with love. Humbly, we thank you; for no words can express our gratitude for the gift of your salvation. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Bev

***GLORIA PATRI #623**

CHILDRENS TIME

Bev

SCRIPTURE LESSON

New Testament: 2 Timothy 4:6-8, 16-18

Elder

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

New Testament: Luke 18:9-14

Bev

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

HYMN "He Leadeth Me"

#461

SERMON "How Do We Pray?"

Bev

***APOSTLE'S CREED**

SHARING OF JOYS AND CONCERNS

Prayers of Intercession

The Lord's Prayer

Congregational Response #421 (Verse 1)

PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY

***DOXOLOGY #625**

***PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

***HYMN "How Great Thou Art"**

#4

***BENEDICTION**

***BENEDICTION SONG "Freely, Freely" (V. 1)**

#447

***POSTLUDE**

(*Those who are able please stand.)



CHALLENGE FUND

We received another anonymous \$10,000 matching gift challenge to the Church. For every dollar you contribute, the donor will match it up to a maximum amount of

\$10,000. So please make your contributions between now and December 29th, 2025. If you wish to mail a check, you can use the following address: First Presbyterian Church, P.O. Box 69, Schaller, IA 51053, or you can drop the check off at the State Bank of Schaller. PLEASE mark your checks "Challenge Fund" on the memo line.

The donor does wish to restrict the use of these funds solely for the benefit of the local church body and not be used for any purpose beyond the local church body of Schaller.

YTD \$1,850.00



MISSION PROJECT

The Schaller-Nemaha-Early Community Food Pantry, which our church supports, is collecting Hy Vee (Storm Lake only) grocery and gas receipts. You will find a bucket at the Library, the Presbyterian Church, and at the Methodist Church. This runs until the end of April. Our Food Pantry

will earn a percentage of the receipts and will be reimbursed with a check from Des Moines. This money may help cover costs to maintain our Food Pantry. Please drop all your Hy-Vee receipts in one of the buckets.



PULPIT SUPPLY FOR OCTOBER-NOVEMBER-DECEMBER

November 9 th	Bev Logsdon
November 16 th	Rev. Kristy May
November 23 rd	Bev Logsdon
November 30 th	Lue Baker
December 7 th	Jay Grogan
December 14 th	Rev. Dr. Cambria Kaltwasser
December 21 st	Rev. Ken Fells (Communion)
December 24 th	Jay Grogan (5:30 p.m. Christmas Program)
December 28 th	Lue Baker



BIRTHDAY GREETINGS!

Terri Rininger (Oct. 29th)

Clayton Jacobson (Nov. 5th)

Jim Kestel (Nov. 6th) 16th

Janet Illum (Nov. 9th)

Cari Pyle (Nov. 12th)

Cody Pyle (Nov. 12th)

Adam Pyle (Nov. 16th)

ANNIVERSARY WISHES:

Ken & Judy Fells (Nov. 26th)

2025 PER CAPITA

2025 Per Capita amount is \$55.70. It is a very important way we can contribute to the operation and mission of the Presbyterian Church. Session encourages all members to contribute. Please mark your check "Per Capita".

ANNOUNCEMENTS

OCTOBER 2025

26 Sunday (Pulpit Supply: Bev Logsdon)

Newsletter Info due to Denise today!

9:00 a.m. Sunday School

10:00 a.m. Worship

NOVEMBER 2025

02 Sunday (Pulpit Supply: Bev Logsdon)

9:00 a.m. Sunday School

10:00 a.m. Worship



REMINDER: Daylight Savings Time Ends. Set your clocks back 1 hour before you go to bed on Saturday night.

NOVEMBER ELDER: Phil Diersen



NEW JOYS & CONCERNS

The Melvin Moore Family

CONTINUING JOYS AND CONCERNS:

Our Church
Our Session
Our School Kids
Our Teachers
Florene Cork
Shari O'Bannon
Doug O'Bannon
Deb Langner
Jeremy Plagman
Rod Plagman
Denny & LaRae Mauser
Dexter Meseck
Ken Fells Jr.
Our Military
First Responders

Thank you for keeping us informed about joys and concerns. Remember, hospitalized members and friends don't always get on the list at the hospital. We'd rather get several calls than none! If you would like to add someone to the prayer list please call Denise King (275-4516).

PRAYER FOR CHURCHES

October 26, 2025

United – Westside

November 2, 2025 Pray for the honorably retired pastors in the Presbytery of Prospect Hill (not currently serving churches) –

Rev. Peg Brinck, Rev. Marshall Brown, Rev. Bob Cook,
Rev. Ken Fells, Rev. Richard Francis, Rev. Kevin Freese,
Rev. Donald Johnson, Rev. Dale Lint, Rev. Marvin Miller,
Rev. William Moore, Rev. Dr. Thomas Murray, Rev. Duane Queen,
Rev. B.J. Ukena



WE NEED YOU!

SOLDIER CARE PACKAGES

Supplies for our military are being collected.
Place them in the paper bag in the entryway.
Deadline is Sunday, November 16th.

SUGGESTED ITEMS:

Drink Mix Packets Powdered

Beef Jerky

Protein Bars

Nuts

Dried Fruits

Hard Candy

Quality Socks

Lip Balm

Toothpaste

Travel Size Deodorants

Foot Powder

Hand Sanitizing Wipes

Baby Wipes

Crossword Puzzles

Decks of Cards

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