

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Schaller, Iowa **10:00 A. M.**
August 2, 2026 **Tenth Sunday after Pentecost**
Rev. Ken Fells

PRELUDE Janice Ploeger, Organist

CANDLELIGHTING

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS Elder

CALL TO WORSHIP Elder

Stand firm in the word of the Lord.

Let us call on God, our help.

Continue in the truth of the gospel.

Let us pray and not lose heart. Let us worship God.

***HYMN** “We Have Come into His House” #588

INVOCATION (Please be seated)

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (UNISON) Elder

Righteous God, you have crowned Jesus Christ as Lord over all creation. We confess that we have not fully submitted our lives to his Lordship and have been slow to proclaim his kingdom to the world. We have given our allegiance to the powers and authorities of this world before Christ and have submitted ourselves to worldly injustices instead of being governed by his justice and love. In your mercy, forgive us, O God. Raise us up to acclaim Jesus as ruler of all, and help us to be his loyal ambassadors, proclaiming Jesus Christ as Lord through our every word and deed. Hear us now as we offer our personal, silent confessions.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON Pastor

Leader: May the God of mercy, who forgives all your sins, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. Amen.

***GLORIA PATRI** #623

SCRIPTURE LESSONS

Old Testament Lesson: Genesis 32:22-31 Elder

New Testament Lesson: Romans 9:1-5 Pastor

CHILDRENS TIME

HYMN “Fill My Cup, Lord” #398

SERMON “”

***APOSTLES’ CREED**

MINUTES FOR MISSION

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** “Here, O My Lord, I See Thee Face to Face” #325

COMMUNION (Insert)

*HYMN “Savior, Again to Thy Dear Name” #604

*BENEDICTION

*BENEDICTION SONG “Freely, Freely” (V. 1) #447

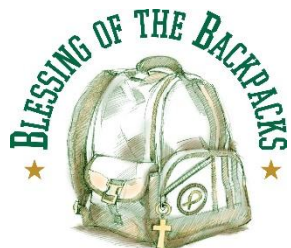
*EXTINGUISHING OF CANDLES

*POSTLUDE

.....(*Those who are able please stand.)

When mailing your church check donations or any other mail, **PLEASE** use the following address:
First Presbyterian Church, P. O. Box 156, Schaller, IA 51053.

AUGUST UPCOMING EVENT



Join us for the Blessing of the Backpacks on Sunday, August 16th during worship. ALL ages and levels of students, teachers, and families as a new school year begins. Be sure to bring your backpack!

MAILING ADDRESSES:

Randy Leask
Methodist Manor
1206 West 4th St.
Storm Lake, IA 50588

Deb Langner
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2026 PER CAPITA

2026 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".

PULPIT SUPPLY FOR AUGUST-SEPTEMBER-OCTOBER

August 9	Jay Grogan
August 16	Deb Loger (Blessings of Backpacks)
August 23	Norman Prather
August 30	Norman Prather
September 6	Norman Prather
September 13	Rev. Dr. Cambria Kaltwasser
September 20	Norman Prather
September 27	Deb Loger
October 4	Norman Prather
October 11	Norman Prather
October 18	Deb Loger
October 25	Deb Loger

ANNOUNCEMENTS

AUGUST 2026

- 02 Sunday (Pulpit Supply: Rev. Ken Fells)
10:00 a.m. Worship & Communion
- 03 Monday
9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. Healthy Feet Clinic
- 09 Sunday (Pulpit Supply: Jay Grogan)
10:00 a.m. Worship
- 17 Monday
7:00 p.m. Session Meeting



BIRTHDAY WISHES:

Stuart Claussen (Aug. 9th)
Rev. Ken Fells (Aug. 11th)
Shirley Claussen (Aug. 20th)
Kallie Pyle (Aug. 27th)

ANNIVERSARY WISHES:

Bruce & Jackie Mentzer (Aug. 3rd)
John & Brenna Franken (Aug. 13th)
Jim & Missy Kestel (Aug. 29th)

AUGUST ELDER: Melanie Pyle

NEW JOYS & CONCERNS:

Synod School

CONTINUING JOYS AND CONCERNS:

Our Congregation

Our Session

Tom Miller

Ray Hansen (Stomach Cancer had surgery)

(His dad is a dentist in Storm Lake &

his mom a nurse at Alta-Aurelia School)

Steven Groat (Needs a Kidney)

Dexter Meseck

Crystal Thompson

Jim Winkler (Cancer)

Randy Leask

Jeremy Plagman

Rev. Ken Fells

Patti Willer Snyder

Deb Langner

Malia Meyer

Florene Cork

Shari O'Bannon

Ken Fells Jr.

Our Military, First Responders, Iowa National Guard

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

August 2, 2026

First, Cleghorn

August 9th, 2026

Unity- Sac City

Rev. Missy Erikson

The Lord's Supper

The Invitation

Minister: Friends, this is the joyful feast of the people of God!

People: People will come from east and west and from north and south, and sit at the table in the Kingdom of God.

The Thanksgiving

Minister: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Minister: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them to the Lord.

Minister: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

The Sanctus

Holy, Holy, Holy Lord,

God of power and might,

Heaven and earth are full of your glory.

Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest.

Unison Prayer

O God, who called us from death to life; we give ourselves to you; and with the church through all ages, we thank you for your saving love in Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Lord's Prayer

Thanksgiving after the supper

God our help: we thank you for this supper shared in the spirit with your Son Jesus, who makes us new and strong. Who brings us life eternal. We thank you for giving us all good gifts in him, and pledge ourselves to serve you, even as in Christ you have served us. Amen.

