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**LORD'S DAY EVENING**  
**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
May 31, 2026 | 6:00 p.m.

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**THE HYMN SING (5:50 P.M.)**

**THE ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**THE CALL TO WORSHIP ..... Psalm 19:1-4 & 8-10**

**\*THE PSALM OF PRAISE ..... "The Heavens Above Declare" vs 1-5 (pg. 2)**

**\*THE INVOCATION**

**\*THE NEW TESTAMENT READING ..... Titus 3**

**THE PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING & ADORATION ..... TE Jim Richter**

**\*THE HYMN OF THANKSGIVING... "The Heavens Above Declare" vs 6-9 (pg. 3)**

**THE SCRIPTURE READING ..... Psalm 19**

**THE SERMON ..... Rev. Jim Richter**

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**\*THE HYMN OF RESPONSE NO. 122.... "God All Nature Sings Thy Glory"**

**THE BENEDICTION**

**\*THE RESPONSE ..... Psalm 72:18-19**

Now Blessed be the Lord Our God, the God of Israel.  
For He alone does wondrous works in glory that excel.  
And blessed be His glorious Name to all eternity.  
The whole Earth let His glory fill; amen, so let it be.

## Psalm 19B

1. <sup>1</sup>The heav'ns a - bove de - clare the glo - ry of our God;  
 2. <sup>3</sup>No lan - guage do they use, nor an - y spo - ken word;  
 3. God set a tent in heav'n, a dwell - ing for the sun,  
 4. <sup>6</sup>The sun goes forth in might from heav - en's far - thest end  
 5. <sup>7</sup>The per - fect law of God will make the soul re - vive;

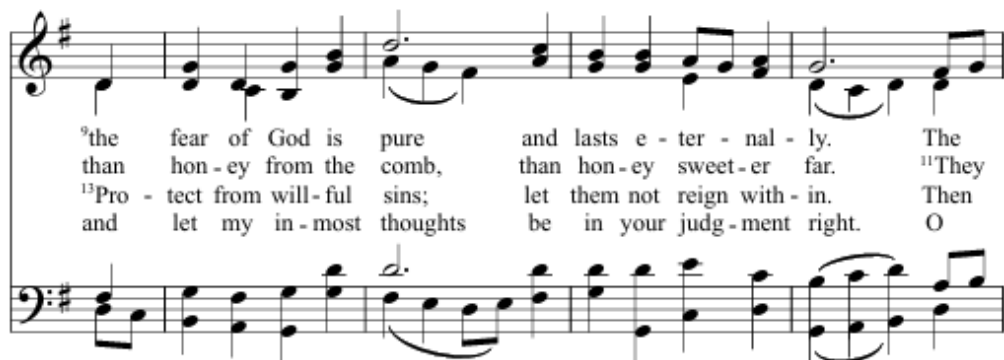
and what his hands have made the skies pro - claim a - broad. <sup>2</sup>For  
 they ut - ter not a sound and yet their voice is heard. <sup>4</sup>Thro' -  
 • <sup>5</sup>which, like a bride-groom, leaves his wed - ding tent at dawn, and  
 and runs its course a - bove un - til the day is spent. Its  
 his stat - utes, sure and true, will make the sim - ple wise. <sup>8</sup>The

day by day they pour out speech, and night by night their knowl - edge teach.  
 out the world their voice re - sounds, their words to earth's re - mot - est bounds.  
 • like a strong, he - ro - ic man, goes forth with joy his race to run.  
 path from end to end com - plete—there's noth - ing hid - den from its heat.  
 pre - cepts of the LORD are right and fill the heart with great de - light.

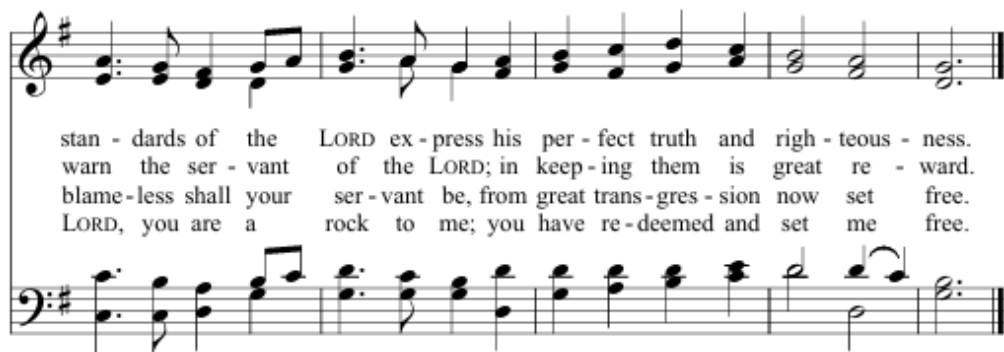
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6. God's ra - di - ant com - mands shed light on what we see;  
7. <sup>10</sup>Of far more worth than gold— than much pure gold—they are;  
8. <sup>12</sup>Who can dis - cern his faults? For - give my hid - den sin.  
9. <sup>14</sup>So let the words I speak be pleas - ing in your sight;



<sup>9</sup>the fear of God is pure and lasts e - ter - nal - ly. The  
than hon - ey from the comb, than hon - ey sweet - er far. <sup>11</sup>They  
<sup>13</sup>Pro - tect from will - ful sins; let them not reign with - in. Then  
and let my in - most thoughts be in your judg - ment right. O



stan - dards of the LORD ex - press his per - fect truth and righ - teous - ness.  
warn the ser - vant of the LORD; in keep - ing them is great re - ward.  
blame - less shall your ser - vant be, from great trans - gres - sion now set free.  
LORD, you are a rock to me; you have re - deemed and set me free.

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Leonard Cooper Blanton, 1951; alt.

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR MAY 31, 2026

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Announcements are due 5:00 p.m. on Wednesdays and must be emailed to [office@fpfo.org](mailto:office@fpfo.org).

- ❖ **The Lord's Supper** will be observed as part of morning worship next week.
- ❖ **The Session** has prayerfully decided to delay officer training until after the Lord provides our next pastor. This will ensure that the new pastor is able to take part in preparing and equipping future officers. Thank you for your continued prayers for our church and for the man God is calling to serve here.
- ❖ The next **men's prayer breakfast** is Saturday, June 6 at 9am at the church. Please sign up on the bulletin board. Suggested donation of \$3 to cover food.
- ❖ **Operation Christmas Child** collection for May is small toy trucks and cars, and small round nerf balls.