

*Welcome To Worship*



*Sunday February 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2025*



**PRELUDE MUSIC**  
**WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS**  
**MINUTE FOR MISSION**  
**INVITATION TO REST**

**CALL TO WORSHIP: (Responsive)**

Come, listen to the One  
**who speaks and summons the earth,**  
**from the rising of the sun to its setting.**

Come, see the One  
**who shines forth in the perfection of beauty.**

Come, give thanks and a sacrifice of praise to the Christ who makes us one.  
**Hallelujah! Let us worship God!**

**GATHERING HYMN**

**#401**

**Gather Us In (vs 1&3)**

**KYRIE**

**#627**

**I Love You Lord**

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*our confession is also our act of love for the God who already covers us in grace.)*

*I Love You Lord*

*To Worship You*

*And I Lift My Voice*

*Oh My Soul, Rejoice...*

**CONFESSION of Need ( Unison)**

Holy God, we confess that we still struggle to understand how to trust You fully.  
We don't know how to let go of our hope in temporary things and human promises,  
even as we find ourselves defeated and lost when things fall apart again.

You have given us a love more fully  
than anything we could experience in this world  
but we still hesitate to seek it with our whole selves.

Hanging onto our own means of assurance and security.  
Forgive us.  
Show us how to recognize and follow your call.  
That we may truly trust in You and not be afraid.

May we see you as clearly  
as the disciples did at your transfiguration;  
May we rise up and not be afraid.

**In the name of Jesus,  
who loves us and offers us forgiveness, we pray. Amen.**

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*Take Joy My King      In What You Hear  
    May it be a Sweet, Sweet Song      In Your Ear.*

*SILENCE for confession and resting In God's grace.*

**DECLARATION OF GRACE (responsive)**

You are God's Beloved; with you, God is well pleased.  
You are renewed and restored. You are forgiven and loved.  
You are a new creation in Christ, everything old has passed away;  
see, everything is becoming new.  
Go and share the good news of God's love.  
HALLELUJAH and Amen!.

**RESPONSE HYMN**

**#693**

**Though I May Speak**

**SHARING OF THE PEACE**

The peace of Christ be with you! **And also with you!**

Let us share a sign of God's peace with one another.

**SPECIAL MUSIC**

**"It is Well With My Soul" – Lynn and Sandy**

**PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION (Unison)**

**Holy Spirit, help us hear your voice beyond our inability to hear and understand your word beyond any speaker’s ability to explain. Through your word, speak to our hearts even if our heads are not ready to listen.**

**Amen.**

**SCRIPTURE** READING 1..... Jeremiah 1:4-10  
READING 2.....1 Corinthians 13:1-13  
READING 3..... Luke 4:21-30

*Leader: The word of the Lord. People: **Thanks be to God!***

**SERMON.....Rev. Gregory Isaacson**

**SILENCE FOR CONTEMPLATION**

**CONTEMPLATION HYMN: #530 One Bread, One Body**

**PRAYERS & GIFTS OF THE PEOPLE**

Lord in your Mercy. **Hear our Prayer.**

**THE LORD’S PRAYER (forgive us our “sins”)**

**Communion:**

- Invitation
- Prayer of Thanksgiving
- Words of Institution
- Communion of the People
- Prayer



**BLESSING AND CHARGE (Responsive)**

Beloved children of God receive the gift of the Holy Spirit, the grace of Jesus Christ, and the blessing of the Lord forever.

**Alleluia! Amen.**

**CLOSING HYMN**

**#837**

**What a Fellowship**

**DISMISSAL (Responsive)**

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord. **Thanks be to God. Amen.**

**POSTLUDE-**

*(please be seated and enjoy the hard work of our talented musicians)*



# A Warm Welcome to our Guests and Visitors!

*If you are interested in finding out more about the church community or are interested in becoming a member, please contact us at:*

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## Sunday- February 2nd

**10:45 am                      Worship**

**11:45 am                      Coffee Fellowship**

**Ushers & Greeters.....Wally Hoselton & Dale Charais**

**Organist..... George French**

**Music Director..... Sandy Perkins**

**Reader..... Lynne Mullins**

**Communion Server.....Gary Hoerner**

**Communion Preparer.....Deacon: Marlys Mjoen**

## Wednesday February 5<sup>th</sup>

**6:00pm – Bells**

## Thursday February 6th

**1:00pm- Book Study**

## Next Sunday- February 9th

**10:45 am                      Worship**

**11:45 am                      Coffee Fellowship**

**Ushers & Greeters.....Sandy Perkins & Paula Waters**

**Organist..... Hazel Mendez**

**Music Director..... Sandy Perkins**

**Reader..... Marsha Odom**

## Special Announcements!

*Our next newsletter will be going out the beginning of March, so if anyone would like to contribute anything for First Presbyterian for the months of March, April and May; please email or drop off at the office by **FEBRUARY 17<sup>th</sup> \****



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*Our annual meeting will be the 3<sup>rd</sup> week of March so for those of you who contribute reports, please submit them to the office*

**NO LATER THAN MARCH 1<sup>ST</sup>**

*You can drop it off or email me at [office@crookstonfirstpres.org](mailto:office@crookstonfirstpres.org)*

Celebrate the Young Child...

# Follow the Yellow Brick Road

at the Crookston Library!

**February 25 | 6:00 pm**  
**Crookston Library**

Dress up as your favorite Wizard of Oz character and join Dorothy on her adventure to the Emerald City!

Don't miss this enchanting family event full of creativity, games, and memories!

## Event Highlights:

- Pin the Heart on the Tinman
- Create Your Own Magic Wand
- Yellow Brick Bowling
- Make a Playdough Witch
- Oz Photo Booth – Take a Fun Selfie!
- Take Home a Free Book!



This event is sponsored by the C.A.L.L. Committee  
(Crookston Alliance for Literacy & Learning)