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SALT

Standing Out in a Confusing World

SERVICE OF WORSHIP

SANCTUARY 8:30 A.M. // AUGUST 11, 2024



FIRST PRES
COLORADO SPRINGS

SERVICE OF WORSHIP

SALT // TIM MCCONNELL
WEEK TWO // “DISSOLVING HATRED”

“But I tell you that anyone who is angry with a brother or sister will be subject to judgment. Again, anyone who says to a brother or sister, ‘Raca,’ is answerable to the court. And anyone who says, ‘You fool!’ will be in danger of the fire of hell.”

Mathew 5:22

Find sermons from this series at firstprescos.org/watch

PRELUDE *“Grand Chœur”* – Dubois/Brockman

INTROIT *“Surely the Presence”* – Wolfe/Raney

CALL TO WORSHIP

HYMN OF PRAISE No. 136 *“Holy, Holy, Holy”*

DECLARATION OF GOOD NEWS + PRAYER OF ADORATION

WELCOME CHRIS OWENBY

SONG OF ADORATION *“Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus”*

COMMUNITY PRAYER OF CONFESSION

God of peace and Father of all mercy: we confess before You the evil of our hearts; we acknowledge that we are too inclined toward anger, jealousy, hatred, and revenge. We create divisions and discord. We have offended You. We have grieved You. May we, as Your children become peacemakers. Give us new hearts so that hatred may be dissolved by love. Give us transformed wills so that vengeance becomes acts of mercy. We ask this in the name of Jesus who is the Prince of Peace. Amen.

RESPONSE *“How Deep the Father’s Love for Us”*

MINISTRY OF MUSIC *“To Thee We Sing”* – Chris Owenby

SERMON

“Dissolving Hatred” Matthew 5:17-26 Tim McConnell

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

INTRODUCTION + EXPLANATION OF OFFERING

OFFERING OUR GIFTS *“How Great Thou Art”* – Nelson

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE + THE LORD’S PRAYER

CLOSING HYMN *“Love Divine, All Loves Excelling”*

CHARGE + BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE *“Postlude”* – Gary R. Smoke



NEW HERE? We know that going to a new church for the first time is exciting. We want to help make your first experience at First Pres a great one! We can't wait to meet you. Stop by the Welcome Center in the Plaza to ask questions or take next steps to get connected.

The
Happenings

August 11, 2024



Find all upcoming events online.

**FIRSTPRESCOS.ORG/
CALENDAR**

READ AHEAD! Next week, Tim McConnell will preach on Matthew 5:27-32.

TWO INFANT BAPTISMS: John Harvey Robison, born August 16, 2023, will be baptized during today's 8:30 a.m. service. John's parents are John & Paige Robison. Stiorra Kay Setzer, born April 30, 2024, will be baptized during today's 11 a.m. service. Stiorra's parents are Joshua & Madison Setzer.

GTW begins on Wednesday, August 28 and will run through November 6. Register at **FIRSTPRESCOS.ORG/GTW**

EPNC NOMINATIONS: Submit nominations for the EPNC by August 22. Ensure the nominee agrees and email their details to epcnominations@firstprescos.org.

INTERESTED IN WRITING? Join us as we Make Beauty through the written word on August 27 from 6-8 p.m in room 219. For more information, contact Darby Karchut at darbykarchut@gmail.com.

VISION SUNDAY is on September 8 and features two services in the Sanctuary only: join us at 8:30 and 10 a.m., followed by a church-wide BBQ at the Weber Street Center starting at 10:30 a.m. We look forward to seeing you there!

MEN'S ADVENTURE WEEKEND: Join us from August 16 to 18 at Bear Basin Ranch in Westcliffe, Colorado. Connect with other men in a rustic setting while centering our thoughts around God's activity. Registration and more info available at **FIRSTPRESCOS.ORG/MEN**

FAREWELL JENNIFER: Join us on Sunday, September 1 from 12-2 p.m. in the plaza as we celebrate Jennifer Holz and family.

GRIEF WORKSHOP: Join us for the Fall Grief Workshop from September 9 to October 21, 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. Register at **FIRSTPRESCOS.ORG/GRIEFWORKSHOP**

PREVENTING ALZHEIMER'S: Our next session takes place on Monday, August 19 at 4 p.m. Call Dr. Eads at 719-687-8752.

NEED PRAYER?

- Find a pastor or Prayer Team member with a large red lanyard
- Fill out a Prayer Request card located in a pew pocket or in the back of the Worship Center
- Email prayer@firstprescos.org

PRAY FOR THOSE IN THE HOSPITAL:

Mrs. Nancy Arisman

St. Francis Medical Center

Please contact the church if you or another member are hospitalized.

MEMORIALS THIS WEEK:

Mrs. Sue Fitch

Thursday, August 15 at 10:30 a.m.

To see upcoming memorials, go to FIRSTPRESCOS.ORG/MEMORIALSERVICES

IN MEMORIAM:

Mrs. Sue Fitch

7/31/2024

FLOWER FUND GIFTS IN MEMORY OF:

Roland Reid & Rex Adams

by the Gilbert family

Harold & Virginia Teats

by Gary & Vickie Sherwood, Merah, Erin & families

Paul Nesselroad

by Edwin Nesselroad, Paula Butcher & Nancy Burroughs



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