

# First Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church

## Congregational Weekend

October 1, 2023

### WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

### PRAYER

### SONG

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*“All Creatures Of Our God and King”*

### WESTMINSTER LARGER CATECHISM

#### Q. 168. What is the Lord’s supper?

A. The Lord’s supper is a sacrament of the New Testament, wherein, by giving and receiving bread and wine according to the appointment of Jesus Christ, his death is shewed forth; and they that worthily communicate feed upon his body and blood, to their spiritual nourishment and growth in grace; have their union and communion with him confirmed; testify and renew their thankfulness, and engagement to God, and their mutual love and fellowship with each other, as members of the same mystical body.

### MORNING PRAYER

### SONG

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*“The Lord’s My Shepherd, I’ll Not Want”*

### SCRIPTURE READING

Philippians 3:7-11

<sup>7</sup>But whatever gain I had, I counted as loss for the sake of Christ. <sup>8</sup>Indeed, I count everything as loss because of the surpassing worth of knowing Christ Jesus my Lord. For his sake I have suffered the loss of all things and count them as rubbish, in order that I may gain Christ <sup>9</sup>and be found in him, not having a righteousness of my own that comes from the law, but that which comes through faith in Christ, the righteousness from God that depends on faith— <sup>10</sup>that I may know him and the power of his resurrection, and may share his sufferings, becoming like him in his death, <sup>11</sup>that by any means possible I may attain the resurrection from the dead.

**SERMON**

Rev. David Huffman

“The Surpassing Worth of Knowing Christ”

**HYMN**

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*“Behold the Lamb”* (verses 1-3)

**THE LORD’S SUPPER**

**Invitation and Fencing**

**Words of Institution**

**Prayer of Consecration**

**Distribution of Elements**

**Prayer of Thanksgiving**

**HYMN**

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*“Behold the Lamb”* (verse 4)

**\*FREE OFFER OF THE GOSPEL OF CHRIST**

**\*BENEDICTION**

**\*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE**

*May the peace of God our heav’nly Father, and the grace of Christ the risen Son,  
And the fellowship of God the Spirit keep our hearts and minds within His love,  
And to Him be praise for His glorious reign. From the depths of earth to the heights of heav’n  
We declare the name of the Lamb once slain, Christ Eternal, the King of Kings.*

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# ANNOUNCEMENTS

**WEDNESDAY FAMILY NIGHT** Dinner is served at 6PM followed by classes and prayer time for all ages. Please sign up by Sunday each week to give the cooks time to plan for expected numbers.

## **UPCOMING EVENTS**

October 4– Choir rehearsal

October 5– Jean Love Circle

October 10– Presbytery at Winnsboro ARP

October 11– Session

October 14– CWM Annual meeting– 1st. Presbyterian, Columbia

October 15– Diaconate

# FINANCIALS

<b>September 24, 2023</b>	
Morning Attendance	62/3
Evening Attendance	22/2
General Fund	\$5,342
Total GF contributions this month	\$14,094
Missions Fund	\$285

**AUTOMATIC CONTRIBUTION** It is a serious commitment to set up your tithe to be given every month, but we are called to give from our first fruits. Are you ready to take a step of faith? Would you like to make sure you support the financial needs of the church even when you can't be here in person? Visit our website at **[FirstARPLancaster.org/Giving](https://FirstARPLancaster.org/Giving)** to make a one time or repeating contribution. Contact the church office with any questions.

If you prefer to download the VancoMobile app, search for "First Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church" and use the invite code TPVK5P.

## All Creatures of Our God and King

*All you have made will praise you, O LORD: your saints will extol you. Ps. 145:10*

1. All crea - tures of our God and King, lift up your voice and  
 2. Thou rush - ing wind that art so strong, ye clouds that sail in  
 3. Thou flow - ing wa - ter, pure and clear, make mu - sic for thy  
 4. And all ye men of ten - der heart, for - giv - ing oth - ers,  
 5. Let all things their Cre - a - tor bless, and wor - ship him in

with us sing al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia! Thou burn - ing  
 heav'n a - long, O praise him, al - le - lu - ia! Thou ris - ing  
 • Lord to hear, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia! Thou fire so  
 take your part, O sing ye, al - le - lu - ia! Ye who long  
 hum - ble - ness, O praise him, al - le - lu - ia! Praise, praise the

sun with gold - en beam, thou sil - ver moon with soft - er gleam,  
 morn in praise re - joice, ye lights of eve - ning, find a voice,  
 • mas - ter - ful and bright, that giv - est man both warmth and light,  
 pain and sor - row bear, praise God and on him cast your care,  
 Fa - ther, praise the Son, and praise the Spir - it, three in one,

O praise him, O praise him, al - le - lu - ia,



Francis of Assisi, ca. 1225  
Tr. by William H. Draper, 1926

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LASST UNS ERFREUEN L.M.A.L.  
Geistliche Kirchengesänge, Cologne, 1623

## The Lord's My Shepherd, I'll Not Want

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*The LORD is my shepherd, I shall not be in want. Ps. 23:1*

Psalm 23  
Francis Rous, William Mure, and others  
Scottish Psalter, 1650

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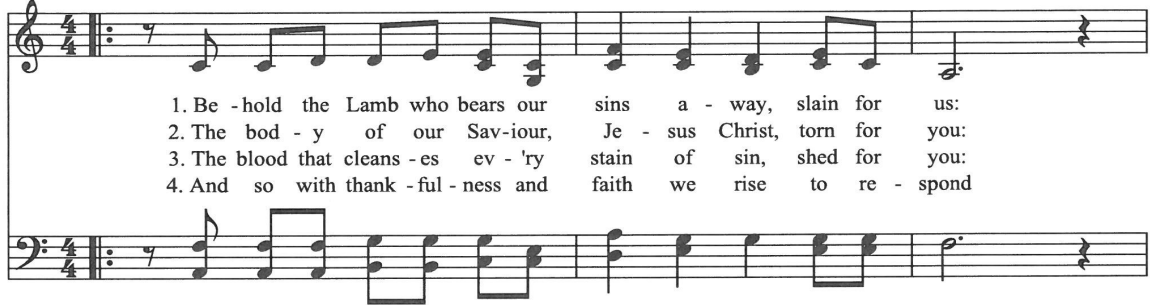
CRIMOND C.M.  
Jessie Seymour Irvine, 1871  
Arr. by T. C. L. Pritchard, 1929; alt.

# Behold The Lamb

Words and Music by  
Keith Getty, Kristyn Getty  
and Stuart Townend

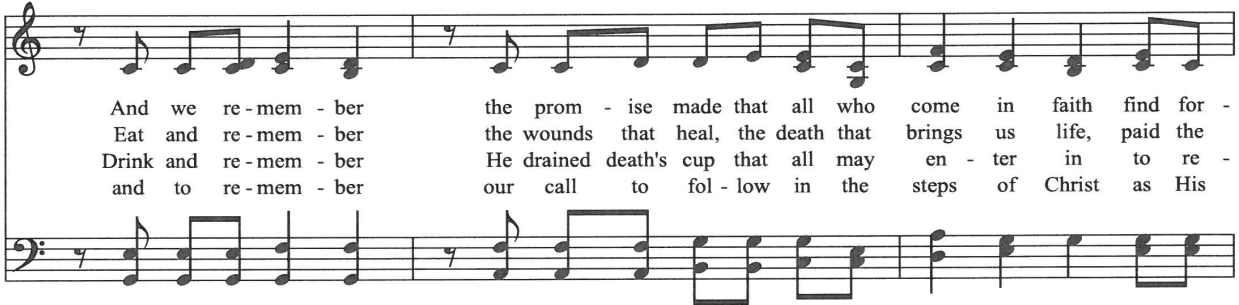
## VERSE

F<sup>2</sup>/A G/B C Dm<sup>7</sup> C/E G C/E F<sup>2</sup>



1. Be - hold the Lamb who bears our sins a - way, slain for us:  
2. The bod - y of our Sav-iour, Je - sus Christ, torn for you:  
3. The blood that cleans - es ev - 'ry stain of sin, shed for you:  
4. And so with thank - ful - ness and faith we rise to re - spond

C/G G<sup>7</sup>sus G<sup>7</sup> F<sup>2</sup>/A G/B C Dm<sup>7</sup> C/E G C/E



And we re - mem - ber the prom - ise made that all who come in faith find for -  
Eat and re - mem - ber the wounds that heal, the death that brings us life, paid the  
Drink and re - mem - ber He drained death's cup that all may en - ter in to re -  
and to re - mem - ber our call to fol - low in the steps of Christ as His

F<sup>2</sup> G<sup>7</sup>sus G<sup>7</sup> C C/E F<sup>2</sup> C<sup>2</sup>/E Fmaj<sup>7</sup> G<sup>2</sup> C/E



-give - ness at the cross. So, we share in this Bread of Life, and we  
price to make us one. So, we share in this Bread of Life, and we  
-ceive the life of God. So, we share in this Bread of Life, and we  
bod - y here on earth. As we share in His suf - fer - ing, we pro -

11 F<sup>2</sup> C<sup>2</sup>/E F<sup>2</sup> G C/E F<sup>2</sup> C<sup>2</sup>/E Fmaj<sup>7</sup> G<sup>7sus</sup>

drink of His sac - ri - fice, as a sign of our bonds of peace  
 drink of His sac - ri - fice, as a sign of our bonds of love  
 drink of His sac - ri - fice, as a sign of our bonds of grace  
 -claim: Christ will come a - gain! And we'll join in the feast of heav'n

15 F<sup>2</sup>/A Fmaj<sup>7</sup> G<sup>7</sup> C<sup>2</sup> C<sup>2</sup>/F

TURNAROUND / OUTRO

a-round the ta - ble of the King.  
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 a-round the ta - ble of the King.

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# Volunteers

## CHILDCARE

WORSHIP

SUNDAY SCHOOL

## October 1

Bonclarken

Bonclarken

Bonclarken

Bonclarken

## October 8

Susan Prete

Eliana Pokopac

Corinne Brackett

Stacy Pokopac

## OFFICERS

Elders

Captain

Co-Captain

## September

Butch Ghent

Sam Huey

Suzanne Lever

Sam Prete

## October

Frank Brackett

Richard Shields

Debby Hegler

## Staff

Secretary-Mrs. Stacy Pokopac

Pianist- Mrs. Carol Hinson

Evening Music- Rev. David Huffman

## Elders

2023 Frank Brackett

2024 Mike Cauthen

Ed Ogburn

2025 Butch Ghent-VM

Sam Huey-C

## Deacons

Debby Hegler- S

Suzanne Lever

Sam Prete- C

Daniel Bohler

Keith Jaillette- VC

Susan Cauthen

Richard Shields

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