

Welcome to First Presbyterian Church

Thank you for joining us in worship today. We are so glad that you are here!

Please take a minute to fill out the friendship pad in your pew and pass it along to others.

Our desire is to serve you and your family as you seek to grow in your faith.

Please speak to the pastor if you would like to become a member of this community of faith.

WORSHIP TODAY

Flowers today are given to the glory of God and presented by Edith Langdon in loving memory of Don & Danny Langdon and by Dan & Melba Slaven in celebration of Katie Slaven's 16th birthday.

Flowers....If you would like to donate flowers for the Sunday Worship Services, please sign your name on the flower chart calendar that is located by the bulletin boards in the hall. **It is very important that you complete the flower card** (which is located on the bulletin board next to the chart) **with details of what occasion** (in memory, honor, special occasions, etc.) the flowers are for. Please return the flower card to the church office with your payment of **\$50.00**. You may also turn in the flower card in the offering plate. Thanks for being part of this important ministry.

The Barnabas Cards are also located in the pews. They are used like thinking-of-you cards. Fill out the person's name on the front and place it in the offering plate. A volunteer will address it and mail it for you.

Remember in your thoughts and prayers:

Health concerns: Norma Shepherd; Jackie Sydnor; Brenda McCaleb; Sue Miller; Doris Reed; Nancy Heeth; Virgil Cammack; Patsy Dunbar; Jo Anne Reed; Jimmy Gilchrest; Theresa Wester; Jane Christopher; Darlene Sprague; Frank Wamble; Ray Poe; Faye Chapman; Jo Crisp; Paulette Potthoff; JoAnn Ruble; Juandine Fifield; Robert Corkran; Garland DeLoach; John; Deborah; Annette Taylor; Curtis Abrams; Nanci Engle; Marjorie Wells; and Cal Newnam.

WORSHIP HELPS

Jesus said, "Let the children come to me..." At First Presbyterian Church, we believe that children enrich worship within the full faith community. In them, Christ is present for us. We also believe that children learn best to worship by **worshipping!** Therefore, all adults and youth are encouraged to help our young children experience the rhythms and rituals of worship: finding and standing for hymns, being still when we pray, and learning responses. Following "Chancel Time with Children", children are invited to take a Children's Bulletin from Pastor Jim and a worship bag or notebook to draw them further into the remainder of worship. Younger children (under 5) may go to the nursery in Room 1, if desired.

Bibles and hearing enhancement devices are available at the back of the sanctuary.

Coffee is available before and after worship in the fellowship hall.

Worship Attendance: 11/13/16 105

**We will be celebrating The Lord's Supper
today during the Worship Services.**

FPC Event Calendar

Today	Handbells	12:15 pm
	Hanging of the Greens	3:00 pm
Monday, November 21	PW Decorating Fellowship Hall	10:00 am
Tuesday, November 22	Yoga	7:00 pm
Wednesday, November 23	Baywood Crossing	10:00 am
	Brown Bag Bible Study	12:00 pm
Thursday, November 24	<i>Office Closed</i>	
Saturday, November 26	Men's Breakfast at FPC	8:00 am
	Yoga in the backyard	10:00 am
Sunday, November 27	Sunday School	9:00 am
	Worship	10:30 am
	YGAC	12:00 pm
	<i>Good Tidings "Cast" Brief Rehearsal</i>	
Monday, November 28	Handbells	12:15 pm
	Session Meeting	6:45 pm

FRIDGE NOTES 11-20-16 Christ the King

Growing in Grace & Gratitude...

*Eat this bread, drink this cup...
Come to me and never be hungry.
Eat this bread, drink this cup,
Trust in me and you will not thirst.*



Hanging of the Greens TODAY, November 20, from 3-5 Come celebrate the season as we prepare our church building for Advent and Christmas. All children, youth and adults are invited to be part of this tradition. Light refreshments will be served in the fellowship hall.

Youth Group News There will be no regular YGAC (Youth Group After Church) today. We hope you and your family and friends will come back from 3-5 for the all-church “Hanging of the Greens.” Your energy, ladder climbing skills, and strong arms are needed!

Attention Ladies... Presbyterian Women (PW) will meet tomorrow at 10:00 am to decorate the fellowship hall. All are welcome.

Session will not meet on Monday, November 21st. The session will meet on Monday, November 28th at 6:45 pm.

Yoga News This week there will only be ONE Tuesday night yoga class. It will be at 7 p.m. There will be no yoga class on Thursday, Thanksgiving Day. ***However, back by popular request, we WILL meet next Saturday morning, November 26, at 10 for another outdoor yoga! Simply park in the back near the playground and join us for an hour of yoga in the peaceful setting of our church backyard and work off a little of that pumpkin pie as you grow more relaxed and flexible.*** As always, wear comfy clothes that move with you, bring a yoga mat, water bottle, an open spirit and a friend! (Saturday morning sessions are free, with the opportunity for an optional love offering.)

Youth Group After Church Next Sunday, November 27 Come to The Oasis next Sunday following worship. We will pick parts and costumes for the annual “Good Tidings” story of Jesus’ birth and run through the story once. Then we’ll eat lunch and play afterwards until 2 p.m. Come and bring a friend.

Calling All Shepherds and Angels! On Sunday, December 4, we will have our intergenerational nativity known as “Good Tidings” during worship. We can always use more shepherds and angels to fill out the cast. ***If you are interested in being part of this FPC tradition, come to The Oasis next Sunday, November 27, immediately after worship to choose your costumes and run through the story once.*** Youth will stay until 2 p.m.. Children and adults will leave as soon as practice is over. Come be part of the story of *Emmanuel..God with us*. If you cannot be at the November 27 brief rehearsal, please contact Jo Ann Currie.

Financial Peace University is just around the corner Interested in learning ways to bring financial freedom in the new year? Pick up a flyer in the narthex with details about the upcoming Dave Ramsey course, to be led by our own Bryan Avis beginning Sunday evening, January 8. Sign up today at the display under the cross wall in the narthex.

Narrative & Consolidated Budget Brochure Available Additional copies of this brochure highlighting and celebrating the mission and ministry of First Presbyterian Church are available on the Welcome Table in the narthex. All members and visitors are invited to pick up your copy today.

PASTOR’S DISCRETIONARY FUND

People need help in our broken world. Most are embarrassed about their need. Some of them we know. Others come to us as strangers. The Pastor’s Discretionary Fund allows the pastor to confidentially help those in need. Please consider marking your envelope “Pastor’s Discretionary Fund,” in order to be instruments of the Lord in a hurting world.