

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 by the Worship Committee in loving memory of Daisey Lasley and in honor of Mother's Day.

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; Deanna Herreth; Sue Miller; Mary Knapik; Valeri Alexander; Carol Tompkins; Gail Jamison; Jamie Jamison; Frances Jamison; Kelsey Hilson; Dean Pogue; Patsy Dunbar; Jim Tinney; Pat Perrone; John Haltom; Martha Julian; Scott Reed; Melodie Benson; Mia Venable; Klaus Bichteler; Betty Abramchuk; Pearl Stockum; Elois Murray; Betty Pendleton; Val Stephens; and Louis McCaleb.

Loss of a loved one: the Stockum family

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 5/03/15: 113

FPC Event Calendar

Today	Handbell Rehearsal	12:15pm
Monday, May 11	Gathering Place Board Mtg. (LI)	1:30 pm
Tuesday, May 12	PW Joint Circle/Luncheon (FH)	10:00 am
	Bend & Be Fit	11:30 am
	Prayer Shawl Ministry	2:00 pm
	PW Night Circle Mtg. (FH)	7:00 pm
Wednesday, May 13	Baywood Crossing Service	10:00 am
	Intercessory Prayer Group	11:00 am
	Brown Bag Bible Study (FH)	12:00 pm
	75th Anniversary Mtg. (LI)	5:45 pm
	Choir Practice	7:00 pm
Thursday, May 14	Men's Breakfast at Franks	6:30 am
	Bend & Be Fit	11:30 am
	Men's Bible Study (BR)	7:00 pm
Saturday, May 16	Brunch & Book Group	10:00 am
Sunday, May 17	Sunday School	9:00 am
	Worship	10:30 am
	Hand Bell Practice	12:15 pm

FRIDGE NOTES 5-10-15 Sixth Sunday of Easter

*We welcome all to worship this morning.
May our time together calm our fears,
soothe our bruised souls,
and energize us for ministry
in and with God's beloved world.
Let faith abide. Let hope abide. Let love abide
here in this sanctuary, the community, the world,
and within our hearts.*

Bibles for 3rd-5th Graders Today in worship, FPC children grades 3rd-5th who have not received a Bible from the church, will be presented with one. We pray that the words, maps, pictures, and reflection questions will help the treasured stories of scripture come alive for our children, lighting their path on their journey of faith. May God bless our children and their families.

Youth Fundraiser Cards Available! Our cards with discounts to local restaurants and businesses are available for purchase today after worship in the narthex. The \$20 cards are good through June 1, 2016, and can be used as many as once a day for the next 13 months! All proceeds go to support youth ministry and mission. The custom-made cards also are a wonderful way to share information about our church. Buy one for yourself and one for a friend.

Presbyterian Women....Please plan to bring a dish and join us for our last meeting of the year on May 12th. Traditionally the AM circle meeting is a joint luncheon and birthday celebration. Officers for next year will be introduced and our Lifetime Member for this year will also be announced. Jim Currie will present our final lesson "A Call to Apostleship in the Twenty-first Century." Chere Wharry will present the lesson for the PM circle and Margaret Robison will be the hostess. Bring a friend and plan to attend on May 12.

Cutups will meet on May 20. We are decorating wine bottles for VBS so come and join us.

Brunch & Book Group All readers are invited to a delightful and insightful morning of friendship and lively discussion on Saturday, May 16, from 10-12 noon. The book is *All the Light We Cannot See*. See the first bulletin board near the narthex for more details about upcoming selections.

75TH ANNIVERSARY TIME LINE...Please take a card from the baskets in the Fellowship Hall, or on the 75th Anniversary table in the narthex. Write the date and a special event in your life that took place at our church. It could be a wedding, a baptism, membership date, youth mission trip, etc. Use the available sticky items to place the card on the proper decade on the Time Line in the Fellowship Hall. THANK YOU!

Soul Stories: 75 Years of Sowing Seeds of Hope Prayerfully consider recording your memories for this important spiritual history of FPC. Details and a sign up are on blue paper on the 75th Anniversary table in the narthex.

With Love and Grateful Hearts! The FPC youth, parents, grandparents and advisors want to thank ALL who helped with yesterday's garage sale. We don't have our numbers yet, but all proceeds will go toward mission projects here at home, mission trips, camps and conferences beginning this summer and stretching throughout the coming year. By sharing your time, talents and treasures, you have made a difference that will last a lifetime.

REMEMBER LOVED ONES BY DONATING FLOWERS FOR SUNDAY WORSHIP (In memory, honor, special occasions, etc.) 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 the flowers are for.** Please return the flower card to the church office with your payment of \$40.00. You may also turn in the flower card in the offering plate. Thanks for being part of this important ministry.

A Note from the 75th Anniversary Committee -
75th Anniversary Cookbook - Please submit recipes to natica.cooper@gmail.com or put them in Tica Cooper's box in the office. The deadline for submissions is June 15th.

FUN FACTS at First
Before our minister was born, his father, Thomas Currie preached a revival at FPC Pasadena. He had just been ordained in May 1942, so this was one of his early sermon series.

We will be celebrating The Lord's Supper May 17th during the Worship Service.