

## 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 Lavinia and Sarah Brown in loving memory of Larry Brown and Muriel Simpson.

**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; Gail Jamison; Jamie Jamison; Frances Jamison; Kelsey Hilson; Dean Pogue; Patsy Dunbar; Jim Tinney; John Haltom; Betty Abramchuk; Elois Murray; Betty Pendleton; Dr. Jack Walker; Susan Robinson; Dave Askine; Mary Kay Johnson; Sandie Wilson; Pierce Daris; and Louis McCaleb.

## 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 6/28/15: 62**

*Presbyterian Disaster Assistance (PDA) has set up an account for receiving contributions to assist in the Texas Floods. Go to this website - <https://pda.pcusa.org/page/active-accounts/> and the link will be: DR000191-U.S. Flooding*

## FPC Event Calendar

Today	First Sunday Lunch	11:30 pm
	POP	12:00 pm
Tuesday, July 7	Grief Recovery Group	1:00 pm
	Bend & Be Fit	11:30 am
	Prayer Shawl Ministry	2:00 pm
	Deacon's Mtg.	6:00 pm
Wednesday, July 8	Intercessory Prayer Group	11:00 am
	75th Anniversary Committee Mtg.	5:45 pm
	Choir Practice	7:00 pm
Thursday, July 2	Men's Breakfast at Franks	7:00 am
	Bend & Be Fit	11:30 am
	Men's Bible Study (BR)	7:00 pm
Sunday, July 12	Worship	10:30 am
	Hand Bells	12:15 pm
	Town Hall Mtg. (FH)	12:00 pm

**FRIDGE NOTES 7-5-15 Sixth Sunday after Pentecost**

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*We pray that our eyes may be opened to see the wonder of the world around us...  
to connect with, commit to, and celebrate God's gifts.*

***Our Ghost Ranch travelers are leading worship this morning.*** We hope the words, images, music and movement that we will share will offer a glimpse of our life-changing experience at this spirit-filled PCUSA conference center in the high desert of northern New Mexico. We are grateful to all who made this journey possible and thank God for safe travel. May God continue to bless us as the gifts of the week unfold in the coming days, months and years.

***First Sunday Lunch...***Join us today after worship for good food and fellowship.

***Popsicles on the Playground (POP)*** returns TODAY, following the pot luck lunch. People of all ages are invited to a cross-generational time of water play for the kids and old-fashioned visiting in the shade of the trees on the playground. We'll provide drinks, sunscreen, and adirondack chairs from The Oasis. Come enjoy one another's company as we celebrate the slower pace of the season.

***Grief Recovery Group Meets today, July 5th at 1:00 pm in the Bride's Room.***

***Today is the deadline to submit your recipes for 75th Anniversary Cookbook...Place your submission in the recipe box on the anniversary table in the narthex or email them to [natica.cooper@gmail.com](mailto:natica.cooper@gmail.com).***

**The office will be closed Monday, July 6th in observance of Independence Day.**

***Soul Stories: 75 Years of Sowing Seeds of Hope*** The deadline for submitting your memories of FPC has been extended to August 9! Please see details on the new table in the narthex or check out the June/July 2015 FPC newsletter and website. Your stories are an important part of the spiritual history of our church. Thank you for sharing!

**We will be celebrating  
The Lord's Supper  
July 19th during the  
Worship Service.**

**FUN FACTS at First**

The US flag in our sanctuary was given by Harry & Lee Early. The flag was presented to them after their son, Pasadena Police Officer Les Early, was killed in the line of duty, 1993.

**"Fun Facts at First"**

If you would like to submit "Fun Facts at 1st", please send them to: Melba Slaven  
[ddsmls@aol.com](mailto:ddsmls@aol.com)  
731-941-3666

***75th Anniversary***

***75th Anniversary Shirts...***Everyone is encouraged to wear your 75th anniversary shirts on the first Sunday of each month this summer: **July 5, and August 2.**

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***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!**

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