

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 Ruth and David Askine in honor of All Saints' Day and in fond remembrance of our church members, former church members and church friends who have entered the Church Triumphant since All Saints' Day 2014. They include the following: Louis Jamison; Valeri Alexander, Gail Jamison, M.J. Jones, Ben Covington, Pam Wright, Sue Cravens, Jeff Hafke, Philip Pendleton; Violet Selm, Mary Douglas-Sterling, Alice Davidson, Betty Boles, Mozelle Baker Ferguson, Ed Mensman, Margot Eliason Baglen, and Henry Kreitz.

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; Jamie Jamison; Frances Jamison; Kelsey Hilson; Kirsten Hilson; Dean Pogue; Jim Tinney; Betty Abramchuk; Dr. Jack Walker; Shelly Childers; Christopher Finch; Sally Carr; Jimmy Gilchrest; Susan Robinson; Dianne Bunnell; Aaron-Nathaniel Arambula; Cassandra Guice; Pat Clark; Alfred Bustamante; John Paradysz; Cole Reed; Jack Bolte; Doris Reed; and Joe Wallace.

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: 10/25/15 10:30 am: 58

FPC Event Calendar

Today	Thanksgiving Feast	12:00 pm
	YGAC	12:00 pm
	Hand Bell Practice	12:15 pm
	Grief Support Group	1:00 pm
	Committee Meetings	6:45 pm
Monday, November 2	Bend & Be Fit	11:30 am
Tuesday, November 3	Prayer Shawl Ministry	2:00 pm
	Deacons' Meeting	6:00 pm
Wednesday, November 4	Baywood Crossing Service	10:00 am
	Intercessory Prayer Group	11:00 am
	Brown Bag Bible Study	12:00 pm
	Decluttering Group	6:00 pm
	Choir Practice	7:00 pm
Thursday, November 5	Men's Breakfast at Franks	7:00 am
	Bend & Be Fit	11:30 am
	Men's Bible Study (BR)	7:00 pm
Sunday, November 8 <i>Dedication Sunday</i>	Sunday School	9:00 am
	Worship	10:30 am
	YGAC	12:00 pm
	Hand Bell Practice	12:15 pm

FRIDGE NOTES 11-1-15 All Saints' Day

Welcome to First Presbyterian Church.

*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.*

Please join us after worship in the fellowship hall for today's turkey lunch.

The November Newsletter is available on the FPC website and in the narthex. Please read it for details of all the ministries going on here at First and beyond.

Youth Group Today! All 6th-12th graders are encouraged to stay for the all-church Thanksgiving meal then meet in The Oasis afterwards until 2 p.m. Hope to see you there!

The tri-fold display board for your committee/group needs to be removed today. Thank you for all your hard work.

The Grief Support Group will begin a series of five meetings, beginning today at 1:00 pm. This group will meet on the first Sunday of the month through March 6th. If you are interested in being a part of this group, please contact Nola Bray at nfbray@yahoo.com.

Committees meet tomorrow night at 6:45. We'll begin in the sanctuary for an opening prayers and announcements, then travel to other spaces for an hour or so of prayerful planning. All youth and adults are encouraged to be part of shaping the life of the church here at FPC.

The Noon Brown Bag Bible Study will resume this week. All are welcome.

"Clutter can't be organized. It must be removed." Do these words speak to you? If so, come to our monthly FPC Decluttering Group for support and ideas on ways to simplify your spaces. We meet on the first Wednesday of each month, from 6-7 in Room 11, so our gathering will be *this Wednesday, November 4*. Come for an hour of inspiration and fun. As always, friends and new faces are always welcome!

Next Sunday is Dedication Sunday. Please prayerfully consider what you can give to the church in 2016 and bring your pledge card next Sunday.

Brunch & Book Group, Saturday, November 14, from 10-12 noon. Come be fed in body and spirit as we continue a season of learning and community building through literature. We don't always agree with the lessons of any well-written book, but we always come away with new ways of looking at the world. The selection this month is Sue Monk Kidd's best selling *The Secret Life of Bees*. Come...and bring a friend!

Soul Stories 75th Edition, Parts 1 & 2 By popular request, there will be a Part 2 edition of this meaningful collection of memories. Stories were stirred up at our recent 75th celebration that haven't been recorded yet, so you are invited to sit down, think "I remember when...", put YOUR story on paper, and submit to Jo Ann Currie by November 15. Please remember, your story may be something that happened last week or 75 years ago. It's all part of our the FPC spiritual memoir. By the way, Part 1 is still available on the glass table in the narthex.

Sunday Morning Classes for all Ages You are invited to come grow in the faith each week at FPC. There is a safe place for you to ask questions, be challenged, find comfort and make friends as together we learn what it means to live as disciples of Jesus Christ. Class details are in the narthex as well as the October newsletter. Hope to see you next Sunday morning at 9:00.

Youth Meal Sponsors Thanks to all who have already helped to offset the cost of our weekly youth lunches. If anyone else is interested in giving a love offering of \$25 or more to provide a meal, please see Jim or Jo Ann Currie. Thank you for your kind and generous spirits!

Worshipping God With Open Eyes Thanks to all who have sent photos for our sanctuary screens, adding a powerful visual dimension to our Sunday worship. If you have an image with open space to allow for words, we'd love to add it to the rotation of photos. May we be open to the beauty of God's world here as well as when we walk out the doors.

**PRAISE & WORSHIP SERVICE
NOVEMBER 15TH @ 6PM**

**We will be celebrating The Lord's Supper
November 15th during the Worship Services.**

Called Congregational Meeting November 22

There will be a called congregation meeting on November 22nd following worship. The purpose of the meeting is to elect Deacons and Elders for the class of 2018. We will need 4 persons for each. We also need 2 additional persons to fulfill a shortage in the 2017 class of Deacons.