

## 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.*

### WORSHIP TODAY

**The Flowers** today are given to the glory of God from the Worship Committee and in honor of all mothers.

**Sanctuary Flowers...Spaces Available!** If you would like to donate flowers for the Sunday Worship Services, please sign your name on the **2018 Flower Chart Calendar** and complete the flower card, located by the bulletin boards in the hall. Please return the flower card to the church office or offering plate with your payment of **\$50.00**. Thanks for being part of this important ministry.

**The Barnabas Cards** are 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:** Jackie & Granville Sydnor; Margaret Plunkett (Jim Currie's sister); Darlene Sprague; Dale Martin; Norma Dickey; Jamie Jamison; Nola Bray; Pam Elliot (Joyce DeLoach's daughter); Imelda Carrillo; Casey Jones; Louis McCaleb; Don Kreitz; and Wade Calvert.

### WORSHIP HELPS

**Jesus said "Let the children come to me."** Here at FPC we take those words to heart and believe that children learn the faith best by worshipping surrounded by an extended church family! We also acknowledge that children often learn and listen best when their hands are busy. Families with young children are invited to sit in the pews on the organ side of the sanctuary (if desired) to allow the children to do quiet activities using the tables and pillows in our new "pray ground". As always, our nursery (Room 1) is open for children 4 and younger following "Chancel Time with Children", should parents/grandparents choose that option.

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

**Coffee available before and after worship in the Fellowship Hall.**

**Attendance: 05/06/2018 - 123**

### THIS WEEK AT FPC

<b>Today, May 13</b>	Worship	10:30 am
	Handbells	12:15 pm
<b>Tuesday, May 15</b>	Pilates	10:15 am
	Prayer Shawl	2:00 pm
	Yoga chair/standing	6:00 pm
	Yoga floor/mat	7:00 pm
<b>Wednesday, May 16</b>	Baywood Crossing	10:00 am
	Intercessory Prayer	11:00 am
	Brown Bag & Bible	12:00 pm
	Choir Practice	7:00 pm
	<b>Thursday, May 17</b>	Men's Breakfast at Franks
Young at Heart		10:00 am
Pilates		10:15 am
Spanish Bible Study		6:30 pm
Yoga chair/standing		6:00 pm
ECP Graduation		6:30 pm
Yoga floor/mat		7:00 pm
Men's Bible Study		7:00 pm
<b>Saturday, May 19</b>	Brunch & Book Group	10:00 am
<b>Sunday, May 20</b>	<b>Pentecost Sunday</b>	
	Sunday School for ALL ages	9:00 am
	Worship - Communion	10:30 am
	<b>Church Picture - Wear Red!</b>	12:00 pm
	YGAC	12:00 pm

## FRIDGE NOTES - May 13, 2018 - Seventh Sunday of Easter

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***“Mothering God, you gave me birth in the bright morning of this world.  
Creator, source of every breath, you are my rain, my wind, my sun.”***

Glory to God Hymnal #7

**We will be celebrating The Lord’s Supper next Sunday, May 20, 2018, during the Worship Services.**

***Sanctuary Open for Prayer*** ■ Are you seeking a place of peace and quiet? Whenever the building is open, the sanctuary is also open for prayer. You may feel called to spend time with the interactive prayer stations at the back of the sanctuary or simply sit in silence in a pew, reading and reflecting on scripture, a hymn, or using one of the available prayer practice handouts. Come find your safe place to connect with God for a few minutes, an hour or an afternoon.

***Growing in Faith Each Sunday Morning at 9 a.m.*** ■ Next week will be the last regular Sunday School class of the spring, pausing for the Memorial Day holiday. Then each Sunday in June, we will gather from 9-10 in the fellowship hall for our 6th annual intergenerational ***“Mornings of Mission.”*** All children, youth and adults are invited to serve side-by-side for a choice of hands-on mission projects...making no-sew flannel blankets for infants, lunches for “Lord of the Streets” ministry, assembling “Presbyterian Disaster Assistance Health Kits”, baking cookies for Kairos prison ministry, making tug-toys and more for animals at the Pasadena shelter and more.

***Brown Bag Bible Study each Wednesday through May 30, from noon to 1 p.m. led by Pastor Jim Currie.*** You are invited to join the lively conversation over lunch in the fellowship hall.

***Yoga Classes, Tuesday and Thursday evenings*** ■ The 6 p.m. classes are “chair/standing” yoga, the 7 p.m. classes are full mat yoga, including floor poses. Come practice good stewardship of your health as together we grow in strength, flexibility, balance, and peace.

***Brunch & Book Group*** ■ Our monthly group will meet in the narthex this Saturday, May 19, to discuss the book *The Great Alone* by Kristin Hannah. Get your copy of the book now and plan to join the lively conversation as we are fed in body and spirit. All are welcome!

***Vacation Bible School 2018 “From Bethlehem to Beyond: Jesus Yesterday, Today & Tomorrow!”*** Our summer VBS for all ages is June 11-14 (Monday-Thursday) from 6-8:30, with set-up on Sunday afternoon, June 10. Please prayerfully consider being part of this important week, either serving as a shepherd or station leader, snack helper, table and set decorator, etc, or taking an adult track class with Pastor Jim Currie. Registration and sign ups for helpers are on the table under the cross wall.

***Teacher/Leader Appreciation Next Sunday, May 20*** ■ Next Sunday in worship, we will honor the men and women who have shared the love of God through our Sunday morning classes, mid-week Bible studies, youth ministry and more. We give thanks for these faithful followers of Christ and the love and commitment they have shown this year.

***One More YGAC (Youth Group After Church)!*** We just thought we were over for the spring! Next Sunday, May 20, all 6th-12th graders are invited to stay after church for an afternoon of Top Golf. We will eat lunch, play for an hour or so, then return to the church by 3 p.m.

***Pentecost Sunday is next Sunday...Wear Red!*** In the Christian tradition, Pentecost marks the end of the 50 Days of Easter. In Acts 2, we learn how the Spirit moved among the people who were gathered in Jerusalem that day, showing up as a great wind and tongues of fire! One way we celebrate this special day is by wearing red to symbolize that fire. We hope you will wear something red (or orange or yellow) next week and stay after worship to be part of our annual group photo that has become a Pentecost custom here at FPC.

***The Pentecost Offering*** is one of the four Special Offerings of the PCUSA and unites us in a church-wide effort to support young people in Christ and inspire them to share their faith, ideas, and unique gifts with the church and the world. Please give generously to this special offering.

***Calendar Access*** ■ The current church calendar is always available on the church website: [fpcpasadena.org](http://fpcpasadena.org), then click Calendar!