

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 Virgil and Lou Cammack in honor of Virgil's birthday on August 7.

Flowers...If you would like to donate flowers for the Sunday Worship Services, please sign your name on the 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: Brenda McCaleb; Sue Miller; Jane Christopher; Jackie and Granville Sydnor; Richard Baswell; Norma Shepherd; Sybil Matthews; Linley Brown; Jamie Jamison, and Carol McCaleb.

Loss of Loved One: Mel Hutchinson and 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.

Attendance: 07/30/17 - 118

FPC Event Calendar

Today	Sunday school - Adult	9:00 a m
	Worship	10:30 a m
	First Sunday Lunch - Potluck	after worship
Monday, August 7	Committee Meetings	6:45 p m
Tuesday, August 8	Pilates	10:45 a m
	Prayer Shawl	2:00 p m
	PW Kickoff Potluck (Day & Night Circle)	6:00 p m
	Yoga	6:00 pm & 7:00 pm
Wednesday, August 9	GP Board Meeting	10:30 a m
	Intercessory Prayer	11:00 a m
	NO Brown Bag and Bible	12:00 p m
Thursday, August 10	Men's Breakfast at Franks	7:00 a m
	Pilates	10:45 a m
	Yoga - <i>Sitting/Standing/Free</i>	6:00 p m
	Spanish Bible Study	6:30 p m
	Men's Bible Study	7:00 p m
	Yoga	7:00 p m
Sunday, August 13	Sunday School - Adult	9:00 a m
	Worship - Mark Corder	10:30 a m
	Handbells (resume)	12:00 p m

FRIDGE NOTES August 6, 2017 ~ Ninth Sunday after Pentecost

***“I love to tell the story; ‘twill be my theme in glory
to tell the old, old story of Jesus and his love.”***

Glory to God Hymnal, #462

Yoga News - We are having such fun in the “Summer Sitting/Standing” yoga classes! They continue EACH THURSDAY through the end of August, from 6-7 pm for anyone who would prefer not to do floor poses. (Word has it that if there is interest, we will continue into the fall!) It’s never too late to join, so mark your calendars and plan to feel more flexible and fit each week. ***The regular full yoga Tuesday and Thursday classes continue to meet as usual...Tuesdays at 6 & 7 pm and Thursdays at 7 pm Come and bring a friend.***

Brown Bag Bible Study Will NOT meet Wednesday, August 9 or 16 while Jim and Jo Ann Currie are on a week of vacation from Wednesday to Wednesday. The study, led by Jim Currie, meets weekly in the fellowship hall at noon and will resume on Wednesday, August 23. All are welcome!

Summer Sunday School - Two classes continue though the summer at 9:00 am: 1) Pat Abrams’ class in the Bride’s Room with the new study, “Reading Biblical Literature.” 2) Mark Corder and David Kirkpatrick’s class in the library with “Presbyterian Questions and Answers.”

Men’s Bible Study meets every Thursday evening at 7:00 pm in the library.

The August Newsletter is available online at www.fpcpasadena.org and in the narthex. Stay informed about our church family life by reading “At First” each month. Thanks, Barbara Davis, for a beautiful job in editing this publication.

Sanctuary Prayer Stations Need some peace and quiet this season? Stop and walk through the interactive stations any Monday-Thursday from 10-4 for a time of rest and renewal and to offer prayers of gratitude, hope, healing and intercession.

Committee Night Resumes Tomorrow Night - After a July break, committees return tomorrow night, Monday, August 7, at 6:45 pm Come make a difference in the life of this community and beyond. Never been to a committee meeting? Do you wonder what committees even do? No problem! Your ideas and fresh perspective are appreciated as the Holy Spirit leads us into the coming season of faith and friendship. We will all gather in the sanctuary at 6:45 pm for a brief devotional then move to rooms for prayerful planning, closing around 8:15 pm

S’More Summer Fun for Everyone! On Friday, August 18, the Discipleship committee will host our fourth annual FPC end-of-summer-celebration. We will gather in our own church “backyard” near the playground to roast hot dogs, make s’mores, play croquet and other games, go on a night walk, star gaze or simply relax with friends in the shade and breeze of a summer night. No need to bring anything except a flashlight, a friend, a lawn chair and a spirit of play and rest. The committee will supply all food and drink.

The FPC Brunch & Book Group will meet on Saturday, August 19 from 10-12 noon to discuss the book “Saved” by Tony Bullimore. Find your copy of this exciting story of survival at sea and plan to join the group for a morning of lively conversation, insight and inspiration. New friends are ALWAYS welcome around the narthex tables.

Youth News...Save the Date for Our Annual Lock-in and Overnight Retreat! All rising 6th-12th graders are invited to begin a new year of growing faith and friendship on **Friday evening, August 25, through Saturday morning, August 26.** Watch for details to come in the mail, texts, emails, the youth bulletin board across from The Oasis (Room 12) and worship announcements. As always, friends and visitors are welcome. Questions? Talk to Jim or Jo Ann Currie.

Presbyterian Women, August 8, 6:00 pm - A combined meeting of PW Day and Night Circle begin their new year with a study of Hebrews entitled: Cloud of Witnesses; The Community of Christ in Hebrews. Bring your favorite salad, fruit or entrée for our Pot Luck. There will be an introductory meeting of the bible study led by JoAnn Currie. Please come and join in on the fun and fellowship in this community of faith!

The Board of Directors of Pasadena Interfaith Manor cordially invite you to join them for a night of fun and fellowship at Pasadena Little Theatre. The play, “On The Verge”, starts at 8pm on Thursday, August 24, 2017. Tickets are \$10 each and can be purchased from Lavinia Brown, Brian Davis, or Milo Wharry.

The next **KAIROS** weekend is August 17-20 and we need cookies, letters, etc...see the KAIROS table in the narthex!



We **thank you** for your continued support and ask that you bake cookies ahead of time and put them in the freezer or bring them to Janis Corder, 281-998-1376. **Our goal is 100 dozen cookies!**

For more information about the Kairos Closing at Jester III, August 20, 2018, 2:30 pm, contact Mark Corder or Jim Braswell.