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.

WORSHIP TODAY

Flowers today are given to the glory of God and presented by Carrie Walker in memory of her mom, Kathrynn Walker's November 9th birthday

Sanctuary Flowers - If you would like to donate flowers for the Sunday Worship Services, please sign your name on the **2019 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; Imelda Carrillo; Louis McCaleb; Bobby Caldwell; Dannie Bryars; Roy Kreitz; Don Kreitz; Celia Scheer; Virginia Fitz; Drew Reed; Theresa Rogerson; Frances Jameson; and Jackee Baggott.

WORSHIP HELPS

Jesus said "Let the children come to me." 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 "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: 11/04/2018 - 115

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THIS WEEK AT FPC		
Today, Nov. 11	Sunday School	9:00 am
	Worship	10:30 am
	Congregational Meeting	11:45 am
	YGAC at Youth Rally	
	M&O Committee	12:00 pm
	Handbells	12:15 pm
Tuesday, Nov. 13	PW Day Circle	10:00am
	Pilates - Brides Room	10:15 am
	Prayer Shawl	2:00 pm
	Yoga/Chair - Narthex	6:00 pm
	Yoga/Floor - Narthex	7:00 pm
	PW Night Circle	7:00 pm
Wednesday, Nov. 14	,	10:00 am
	GP Board Meeting	10:30 am
	Intercessory Prayer	11:00 am
	Brown Bag & Bible	12:00 pm
	Choir Practice	7:00 pm
Thursday, Nov. 15	Men's Breakfast at Franks	7:00 am
	Young at Heart	10:00 am
	Pilates	10:15 am
	Yoga/Chair	6:00 pm
	Spanish Bible Study	6:00 pm
	Men's Bible Study	7:00 pm
	Yoga/Floor	7:00 pm
Saturday, Nov. 17	Men's Breakfast	8:00 am
Sunday, Nov. 18	Sunday School	9:00 am
	Worship-Communion	10:30 am
	YGAC	12:00 pm
	Handbells	12:15 pm
	Wedding Shower Kim Parks	12:30 pm

FRIDGE NOTES - November 11, 2018 - Twenty-fifth Sunday after Pentecost

"There is now a new creation through the grace of Jesus Christ, peace and reconciliation with the God of endless life."

Glory to God Hymnal, #774

We will be celebrating The Lord's Supper next Sunday, November 18, during Worship Service.

Rev. David Wells

David is a graduate of Texas Christian University in 1974; McCormick Theological Seminary, M.Div. 1978; Master of Sacred Theology from Christian Theological Seminary in 1982. He has served churches in Arkansas, Indiana, Texas. and worked as a Presbyterian and Disciples' of Christ Missionary in Thailand from 1982 until 1989. Since 1998, David is the Port Chaplain at the Port of Houston. He also provides pastoral care for a very small church with an elderly congregation. David married Eungriam (Miriam) Wells in January, 1984 and has two sons, Peter and Andrew. "Our family began in Thailand and we share two cultures and two languages in a wonderfully diverse world."

NO YGAC TODAY - The youth are at Pines Presbyterian today for the PYCC Youth Rally, returning at 3 pm.

The Mission and Outreach Committee is meeting **TODAY** following worship in the Library. Anyone is invited to come and join us in reaching out to our community through the love and support of our congregation.

Young at Heart

Retired? Bored? Join us for fun, fellowship, games and food this Thursday, November 15th at 10:00. Bring a potluck dish and remember....It's always more fun when YOU are here!

Pastor Search Update

At the October 15th Stated Session meeting, Elders voted to move forward and form a Designated Pastor Search Committee (DPNC). In the intervening time we will continue with Pulpit Supply. The next step in the search process will be to elect members to serve on the DPNC. Once the DPNC members are elected on November 11th, the search process could take several months. We ask for your prayers during this transition.

Yoga and/or Pilates - Cost \$5 - No experience needed! Yoga - Tuesday and Thursday evenings. 6 pm class - chair/ standing yoga. 7 pm class - full mat yoga. Pilates - Tuesdays and Thursdays at 10:15 am.

Spanish Bible Study - spread the word!

The Spanish Bible Study, led by Imelda Carrillo, meets Thursday at 6 pm in the Prayer Shawl Room. All are invited! Estudio Biblico en Español. Los Jueves a las 6:00 pm. Todos Estan Invitados. Mas Information Llame la Iglesia.

Presbyterian Women

PW Circle meet *this* Tuesday, November 13th, in the Fellowship Hall. Morning Circle at 10 am, and Night Circle at 7 pm. Please come and join us either time for an enjoyable, prayerful time with like minded ladies. Also, please bring your new and gently used coats today thru December 2nd for the Veterans Hospital Party to be held on December 4th.

Wreaths Across America - Houston. Today, November 11, is the last day to buy wreaths. Forms are in the narthex, where you can find out more about this beautiful tradition to honor our veterans. Please sign-up today!

Thank you from the Fall Craft Bazaar Committee!

Thank you for all the help given to make this event a success. Deacons bake sale earned \$713.45, BBQ \$1,034.00, Raffles \$385.00, and Booth Sales \$1,700!

Pasadena Interfaith Manor "IT'S A WONDERFUL LIFE" at Pasadena Little Theatre

The Board of Directors of PIM invite you to Pasadena Little Theatre's Presentation of "It's a Wonderful Life" on Friday, December 14, 2018, 8 pm, \$10 each. *Tickets: Lavinia Brown, Brian Davis, Milo Wharry*

SEAFARERS CHRISTMAS CAROLING on the SHIP CHANNEL

Look for sign-up sheets and details in the narthex. This year there are two Saturday dates available: Dec.1, or Dec. 8. Boats are quickly filling up! For more information contact Jim Keith.

PCM needs your help for Thanksgiving and Christmas baskets

Please give \$10.00 to Pasadena Community Ministry to help fill a basket for Thanksgiving and Christmas for those less fortunate in Pasadena and Deer Park. Checks can be made payable to PCM. Ruth Askine will deliver the money to PCM, and we thank you very much!

Another need is for more volunteers in the food pantry on Tuesday mornings and Thursday afternoons. The location is at Faith Presbyterian Church, at 2301 South Houston Road and Queens Road, across the street from Nelda Sullivan Middle School. For more information see Tom Hoffman, Dee Lowery, or Ruth Askine.

Called Congregational Meeting Update

The Called Congregational Meeting is **TODAY** after worship to elect four Elders, and four Deacons for the Class of 2021; and seven members for the Designated Pastor Nominating Committee (DPNC).

- Newsletter Articles for the December/January Newsletter are due, November 20. The Dec/Jan newsletter is our final newsletter of the year. Send all announcements, articles, or columns to Barbara at office@fpcpasadena.org by November 20. Thanks for making our newsletter interesting, informative, inspiring, and current!
- The Community Thanksgiving Worship Service is Sunday, November 18, 6 pm, at Salvation Army Church, located at 2732 Cherrybrook Lane. They have asked people to bring a canned food item for Pasadena Community Ministries and they will also take up an offering for PCM during the service.