

Sharing the Life of the Church

LOVE IS THE KEY THAT CAN OPEN ANOTHER'S HEART. OUR GOAL IS TO LOVE ONE ANOTHER AS CHRIST HAS LOVED US. THEREFORE, BE ASSURED THAT YOU'RE LOVINGLY WELCOMED TO GOD'S HOUSE. LET US REJOICE TOGETHER NOW!

Coffee - Coffee is available in the Harris Room between worship services. If you can host a Coffee Hour, please sign up outside the Harris Room, or call Joyce Boso, 304-488-1205, for more details.

Bible Study - Pastor Annie continues her study of "THE BIBLE - Six Themes Everyone Should Know" by Barry Ensign-George. They will meet in the Harris Room **6 - 7 p.m.** on the following Wednesdays: **October 2, 16, 23, and 30.** Books are recommended, and are available for purchase at [Amazon.com](https://www.amazon.com).

Trunk-or-Treat - The Mission Committee will host their third community Trunk-or-Treat event on **Saturday, October 12, 3:00 - 4:30.** There is a signup sheet for volunteers in the foyer, and candy/treat donations may be left in the hallway.

Actors Guild Outing - **Today is the deadline** to reserve your tickets for a November performance of *Beauty and the Beast*, in which Jamie and Avalyn Meckley will perform. We will attend on either **Sunday, November 17, 2:30 p.m., or Sunday, November 24, 6:00 p.m.** (same day as our church Thanksgiving Dinner). Tickets are \$22 each. If you would like to join us, sign up in the foyer so we can purchase the correct number of tickets. Mark your preferred date/time and the number of tickets you will need.

Volunteer Recognition - If you would like to nominate a special volunteer for the quarter ending September 30, pick up a form from the foyer, fill it out and return it to the church no later than **October 6.**

Peace and Global Witness Offering, one of three annual PCUSA special offerings, will be received next Sunday, October 6. The Peace & Global Witness Offering affirms that the peace of God, which is central to the gospel, starts with us. It is used to sow seeds of peace by addressing systems of injustice in our own communities and around the world. Twenty-five percent of this offering will remain with our church.

Sympathy - We extend our deepest condolences, love and prayers to those who have recently lost loved ones:

- ✚ Amy Rogers and family, upon the death of Amy's great grandmother, Ina G. Furr Brookover
- ✚ Carol Sanders and family, upon the death of her husband Wayne, beloved long-time member of First Presbyterian, who will be greatly missed

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"Nature does not hurry, yet everything is accomplished."

—Lao Tzu

THIS WEEK AT FPC

Today, Sunday, September 29

- 8:30 a.m. Service of Morning Prayer - Chapel
- 10:00 a.m. Coffee Hour - Harris Room
- 10:30 a.m. Service for the Lord's Day - Sanctuary
- 7:00 p.m. Mission Committee - Harris Room

Monday, September 30

- 2:00 p.m. Henderson Hall Docents - Harris Room

Wednesday, October 2

- 6:00 p.m. Bible Study - Harris Room
- 6:00 p.m. Girl Scouts - Room 124

Thursday, October 3

- 6:00 p.m. Cub Scouts - Room 123
- 7:15 p.m. Troop 3 Boy Scouts - Scout House

Saturday, October 5

- 8:30 a.m. Facilities Management - Harris Room
- 9:15 a.m. Saturday Stewards
- 12:00 p.m. HA Meeting - Room 204

Sunday, October 6 *World Communion Sunday*

- 8:30 a.m. Service of Morning Prayer - Chapel
- 10:00 a.m. Coffee Hour - Harris Room
- 10:30 a.m. Service for the Lord's Day - Sanctuary



Prayer List – Please remember the following in your prayers:

Ken Stoller	Family of Wayne Sanders	Dan Sombeck
Doug Anderson	Family of Becky Holdren	Ed Ball
Tyler Mackey	Katelyn Hickman's Family	Kitty Brown
Angie Harkness	Susan C. Daugherty	Fred Jackson
Sophie Boothby	Mary Essenmacher	Shauna Hyde
Karen Vanoster	Juli & Darren Springer	Mary Withum
Butch Shepherd	Pat & Ann Patterson	Mikayla Roberts
Harriet Litteral	Derrick Sheppard	Susan Miller
Ruth Ann Huddle	Melanie Thompson	Peter Headlee
Marianne Mason	Cunningham Family	Brad Carter
Fleming Family	Homebound Members	Dan Ellis
	Troops – World Peace	