

ACTIVITIES/MEETINGS

Sunday, March 19
Third Sunday in Lent
7:45 a Praise Team Rehearsal
8:45 a Worship Service
9:45 a Fellowship and Refreshments
10:00 a Sunday School
10:30 a Choir Warm-up
10:45 a Officers' Prayer Time
11:00 a Worship Service
1:00 p Miracles Happen Business Meeting
1:45 p Travelers' Trip
2:00 p IPSM, David Crockett HS
5:00 p Local Missions Quarterly Meeting

Monday, March 20
9:00 a Kindergarten 101
10:30 a Good Samaritan Lunch
6:00 p Drama Team
7:00 p Miracles Happen
7:00 p Chamber Ringers
7:30 p Celebration Ringers

Tuesday, March 21
9:00 a Worship Planning Team
10:00 a Staff Meeting
5:00 p LXI Bible Study and Dinner
5:00 p Personnel Committee

Wednesday, March 22
12:00 p Mid-week Lenten Service
12:30 p Lenten Luncheon
5:00 p Instrumental Ensemble
5:45 p Dinner
6:30 p Adult Bible Studies
6:30 p 1st Street and Youth
7:30 p Chancel Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, March 23
9:00 a Sanctuary Reserved
12:00 p Men's Lunch and Bible Study
7:30 p Matt Palmer, Classical Guitar Concert

Friday, March 24
7:00 p Miracles Happen

Saturday, March 25
11:00 a Streetside Ministry
7:00 p Miracles Happen

Sunday, March 26
Fourth Sunday in Lent
7:45 a Praise Team Rehearsal
8:45 a Worship Service
9:45 a Fellowship and Refreshments
10:00 a Sunday School
10:30 a Choir Warm-up
10:45 a Officers' Prayer Time
11:00 a Worship Service
6:00 p IPSM Games and Devotions

THIS WEEK FOR CHILDREN TODAY

Children's Church - 8:45 AM
1st Street Kids - 10:00 AM
Children's Church - 11:00 AM
THIS WEDNESDAY
Wednesday Night
Activities - 6:30 PM

THE WEEK FOR OUR STUDENTS TODAY

Bible Study - 10:00 AM
IPSM David Crockett HS
2:00 PM
THIS WEDNESDAY
Wednesday Night
Activities - 6:30 PM

1TABLE WEDNESDAY NIGHT FELLOWSHIP HALL

Dinner - 5:45 PM
Bible study - 6:30

Call the church office
926-5108
for reservations



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PLEASE NOTE:

Announcements for the Sunday bulletins should be submitted to Janice by the end of the day on Tuesday. You may submit your announcements by phone or by sending an email to janice@fpcjc.org. Submissions that arrive following that deadline may be included on a space-available basis. Late submissions will be added to the message board in the Welcome Center.

OUR STAFF

Gary Arner
Director of Facilities
Abraham Bodkins
Contemporary and Youth Music
Brenda Brewer
Maintenance and Kitchen
Laura Champouillon
Organist
Janice Cunningham,
Ministry Assistant and Receptionist
Linda DeLong,
Kitchen Manager
Larry Dodd,
Director of Worship
Sherry Gaskins,
Church Business Administrator
Louis Imsande,
Senior Pastor
Jennifer Jacobs,
Director of Children's Ministries
Tim Jones,
Director of Student Ministries
Stacy Larsen,
Director of The River
Amy Sentell,
Director of the Preschool

OUR GLOBAL MISSIONS IN 2016

Prayer and Financial Support

Rodney and Kina DUTRO – Mexico
Paul & Samm POTEAT – Minneapolis
Katie TAYLOR – Mexico
Haiti Education Foundation:
Exec. Director Susan Turbeville
St. Innocents School, Bellevue Haiti: Students, Staff and Pere (Father) Jean Fruitho Michaud of Ascension Parish
Trinity Hope (Lebanon, TN) Haitian School
Feeding Program: John Hall and Keith Logan
Doug and Ruth BAUGHMAN – North Carolina,
Robert & Lynette – Central Asia
Lisa FORBES – ETSU
Zablon KURIA – Kenya
Brian & Connie SHEPSON – Idaho
Rev. Dr. Fred Foy & Dr. Cecily STRANG – Kenya
FLOR – Germany

Prayer Support

Allison ALLRED – AZ State U., Intersivity CF
Frank & Nancy DIMMOCK - Louisville, KY
Wade & Sara PAQUETTE – NC, Wycliffe HQ
David & Heidi PITTS – Oregon
Valerie SCHNEIDER
Kathryn TAYLOR – U of SC Medical School
Greenville, Medical Missionary Preparation

ADULT CLASSES and BIBLE STUDY

Sunday, 10:00 AM

- Mosaic Class, Shepherd's Classroom (Upper Level)
- Discussion Class, Mary Wood Classroom (Upper Level)
- Wisdom Class, Hospitality Room (Upper Level)
- Sermon Discussion Class, DuBose Conference Room (Main Level)

Wednesday

- 5:45 PM - Fellowship Dinner - \$7, adults; children eat free
- 6:30 PM - Bible Studies

Thursday

- 12:00 PM - Men's Lunch & Bible Study, Fellowship Hall

Second Sunday of the Month, 10:00 AM

- New Membership Class, Library (Upper Level)

WORSHIP LEADERS

Rev. Louis Imsande, Senior Pastor
Mr. Larry Dodd, Director of Music
Mr. Tim Jones, Director of Student Ministries
Mrs. Laura Champouillon, Organist

WORSHIP SERVICES

Sunday, 8:45 AM, Worship Center Service
Sunday, 10:00 AM, Sunday School
Sunday, 11:00 AM, Sanctuary Service

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A Service of the Lord's Day
Third Sunday in Lent
11:00 AM Worship
March 19, 2017

PREPARATION

MUSICAL MEDITATION Bronwen Ashburn

WELCOMING OF GOD'S PEOPLE

PRELUDE Celebration Ringers
Tis So Sweet To Trust In Jesus Brenda Austin

CALL TO WORSHIP
One: The Lord is merciful and gracious,
All: Slow to anger and abounding in love.
One: Through the gift of the Holy Spirit
All: God's love is poured into our hearts. Let us worship God.

***PROCESSIONAL HYMN #409** ABBOT'S LEIGH
God Is Here

PRAYER OF CONFESSION
God of mercy, you sent Jesus Christ to seek and save the lost. We confess that we have strayed from you and turned aside from your way. We are misled by pride, for we see ourselves pure when we are stained and great when we are small. We have failed in love, neglected justice, and ignored your truth. Have mercy, O God, and forgive our sin. Return us to paths of righteousness through Jesus Christ, our Savior. Hear us now, as in silence, we offer our personal prayers of confession.

SILENT PERSONAL CONFESSION
Leader: In Jesus' name
All: Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON
***THE RESPONSE # 618** DEO GRACIAS
O Love, How Deep, How Broad, How High (Vs. 6)

ANTHEM Chancel Choir
The Lord's My Shepherd John Rutter

MESSAGE FOR CHILDREN

***UNITING OF GOD'S PEOPLE**

***SONG OF FELLOWSHIP #408**
There's a Sweet, Sweet Spirit

PROCLAMATION

OLD TESTAMENT READING Isaiah 40:10,11(Page 511)
Leader: This is the Word of the Lord
People: Thanks be to God.

SERMON Rev. Louis Imsande

GOOD SHEPHERD
I AM SERIES

JOHN 10:11-14 (PAGE 759)

***HYMN #802** ST. COLUMBA
The King of Love, My Shepherd Is

***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH** The Heidelberg Catechism
Leader: What is your only comfort, in life and in death?
All: My only comfort in life and in death is that I am not my own, but belong - body and soul, in life and in death - to my faithful Savior Jesus Christ. He has fully paid for all my sins with his precious blood, and has set me free from the tyranny of the devil. He also watches over me in such a way that not a hair can fall from my head without the will of my Father in heaven: in fact, all things must work together for my salvation. Because I belong to him, Christ, by his Holy Spirit, assures me of eternal life and makes me wholeheartedly willing and ready from now on to live for him.

PRESENTATION

PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY Organist
When I Survey the Wondrous Cross arr. Dale Wood

*At the Presentation Doxology OLD HUNDREDTH
*Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen*

***PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE Sandy Arner

**Lord's Prayer* Congregation
Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

***HYMN # 187** BRADBURY
Savior, Like A Shepherd, Lead Us

***BENEDICTION**
Go Now in Peace

Go now in peace. Never be afraid.
God will go with you each hour of every day.
Go now in faith, steadfast, strong and true.
Know He will guide you in all you do.
Go now in love, and show you believe.
Reach out to others so all the world can see.
God will be there watching from above.
Go now in peace, in faith, and in love.
Amen, Amen, Amen.

Go Now in Peace
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Congregation
Don Besig

POSTLUDE Organist
Lift High the Cross arr. Larry Shackley

*Let those who are able stand.

Welcome visitors! We want to sincerely thank you for being with us today. Please join us again, because you are welcome here! And, take a moment to sign the attendance book provided in your pew so that we may have a record of your attendance. Thank you!

RECENT PRAYER REQUESTS

- David Champouillon
- Denise Haney, Glenn Hypes' friend
- Michael Johnson, Pat Fillers' great-grandson
- Emily Onks
- Gary Onks
- Betty Marcum, Barbara Moody's sister
- Susan, Barbara Moody's niece
- Brenda McCalmont
- Dick McCray
- Rev. Charles McChesney
- David Miller
- Ann Mooneyhan
- Derek Onks

ONGOING PRAYER REQUESTS

- Brad Altizer, friend of Martha Courtney
- Albert Bailey
- Betty Baker
- Leisa Bernardi
- Tiffany Boggs, Brents' daughter-in-law
- Pat Bond
- Neil Brewer, Brenda's husband
- Tom and Sandy Cox
- Kathy Dodd
- Velma Fritz
- Jeannette Halkowitz, friend of Garrisons
- Cathy Helsel
- Leslie Hicks, friend of Borthwicks
- Wendy Hill, Chick & Sandra Spears' daughter
- Fawn Holt
- Luvanne Hubbs
- T. Henry Jablonski
- Drew Jones, Fritz and Jane Jones' son
- Ellis Linder
- Mary Lukianoff
- Phyllis Manuel
- Lawrence Porterfield
- Jenny Reed
- Sam Repass
- Timmie Rowan
- Beulah Sells
- Anne Scholl
- Xzaiver Shaw, Mary Margaret Miller's grandson
- Josh Smith-Breeden, Garrisons' grandson
- Diane Sproviero
- Troy Sproviero
- Dorman and Betty Stout
- Barry Triplett, friend of Lockmillers
- Tracie Walker, Lockmillers' niece
- Lucille Whiteside, Phyllis Manuel's mother
- Don & Audrey Wirthlin, Janet Schneider's parents
- Brenda Wilson, former member
- Herbert Wodtke - Joann Miller's brother

Travelers' Trip
TRUCK STOP CHILI
David Crockett High School Pioneer Players
Comedy, Directed by Keri Anne Molloy
TODAY
Leave FPC 1:45 pm; return around 4:30 pm
\$5.00 Adults \$3.00 Students
For information, call Jean Brent: 610-8453

GOOD SAMARITAN LUNCH (Melting Pot)
Monday, March 20



March 22
Freedom From Fear
Wednesdays during Lent
12:00 PM
Fear of Death
Mark 5:35-43
Tim Jones

Easter Egg Hunt - Saturday, April 8
We need your eggs filled with candy!
Please bring your pre-stuffed Easter Eggs to the church office by **Sunday, March 26.**
We would also love your awesome individually wrapped candy donation!

RENEWAL WEEKEND

FPC - Fellowship Hall	6:30 PM	Dinner
Friday, April 21	7:30 PM	Joe Rightmyer
Holston Camp and Retreat Center	10:00 AM	Joe Rightmyer
Saturday, April 22	12:30 PM	Lunch
	1:30 PM	Joe Rightmyer
	3:00 PM	Outdoor Activities
FPC - Fellowship Hall	10:00 AM	Joe Rightmyer
Blended Worship, Sanctuary	11:00 AM	Joe Rightmyer
Sunday, April 23		

APRIL 21-23