

Monumental VBS June 13-17 from 9am till noon. ONE WEEK AWAY AND WE HAVE A CRITICAL VOLUNTEER SHORTAGE!!! We need 6 adult crew leaders! One Assistant Bible Leader and 1 Assistant Games Leader.

Mandatory Volunteer Lunch and Meeting in JTH at 12:10

Sunday School

9:45 am for Adults in Jim Thomas Hall
 9:45 am Children in the Compass
 Nursery available beginning at 8:15

BrewHaHa! In JTH Please join us for coffee, donuts, and fellowship at 9:30.

Time with Young Disciples Part 2 Kindergarten -5th grade are invited to join Ms. Davis in the Compass after TWYD.

Connections Class is beginning a new study by Adam Hamilton - *Christianity and World Religions - Questions We Ask About Other Faiths*. Join us at 9:45 in JTH.

HELP! We are ready to begin live streaming our worship service! But we need **YOU!** We need 4-5 volunteers for 1 Sunday a month to help with the livestream on Sunday morning. Please contact the Church office if you would be willing to serve in this important area. 904-261-3837

► **Join us in praying for...**

Our Church Family

- Family of Richard Wilking
- Mike Castner
- Family of Pat Ermold
- Ben & Lilly Isaac
- John Bousfield
- Gary Marmentello
- Sherril Gilbert-Stewart
- Bobby Mayne
- Gloria & Nelson Hamilton
- Mim Walker
- Erika Zimmerman
- Kathryn Jackson
- Nan Jansson
- Jane & Dave Turney
- Judy & Ken Loper
- Cheryl Ann Brown
- Bonnie Sovereign
- Vivian & George Geiger
- Eunice Kurtz
- Matt Showalter
- Nick Clark
- Kathy & Bill Maurer
- Nathan Bowers
- Marlene Spayde

Congregational Meeting Next Sunday, June 12 at 10:00am in JTH. Please make every effort to attend this important meeting as we take the next step towards calling a new Pastor/Head of Staff!

SOS (Summer Of Sharing) Next Sunday - Bring Toilet Paper! This is your mission opportunity for the summer! Let's see how much we can give to impact the lives of those in need. If you forgot to bring socks today - we'll take them next week also.

Youth at Montreat for High School students is July 10-16. Contact Roger Martin to sign up.

Youth Mission Trip in Pennsylvania June 29-July 7. Contact Tom Wilke for more information. twilke4700@gmail.com

Vases Needed Please bring unwanted vases to the church office or Jim Thomas Hall so we may reuse them to share our flowers and the love of Christ to members in need of care and concern.

Sign Up for eBlast! If you're not receiving the weekly eBlast let us know. Call the office or shoot me an email at bairasanfp@gmail.com It really is a "Blast!"

Ushers are needed to serve at both services. If you would be willing to help in this vital area occasionally, please let the Church Office know.

Friends of the Church

- Jose Saucedo & Family
- Mary Catherine Buyck
- Martin Mosko
- Alxe Noden
- Leo Wortham & Family
- Kendra Johnson
- Curtis G.
- Paul Guillian
- Caroline Warner
- Mark Fields

A warm welcome to:

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

June 5th, 2022 | Pentecost Sunday

Welcome!

We are delighted to have you in worship today as we share together the grace of Our Lord Jesus Christ. The ushers and pastors are here to help you. During the first hymn, ushers will walk the aisles to collect prayer requests that will be included in today's Pastoral Prayer. Prayer Request Cards are found in the pew rack. Please feel free to ask any questions you have.

TODAY'S MESSAGE

"Just Showing Up"

Dr. Karl Kling

JOIN US THIS WEEK @ FIRST PRESBYTERIAN

Sunday, June 5 Pentecost	Monday, June 6	Tuesday, June 7
Communion Sunday 8:30 am Worship in person 9:00 am Virtual Worship 9:30 am BrewHaHa! Fellowship 9:45 am Sunday School 11:00 am Worship in person	1:00 pm PW Coordinating Team (Alday) 6:30 pm Ministry Chairs Mtg. (Zoom)	3:00 pm Local Outreach (Zoom) 4:30 pm Global Outreach (Zoom)
Wednesday, June 8	Thursday, June 9	Friday, June 10
10:00 am Staff Meeting (Alday) 6:00 pm PNC 6:15 pm Youth (Anchor) 6:30 pm Choir Practice	9:00 am POPs Playtime in Compass 10:30 am Elizabeth Circle (Compass Conf. Rm) 5:00 pm Youth at Hope House 5:30 pm Deacon's Meeting (JTH)	

First Presbyterian Church is a Stephen Ministry Congregation in the Presbyterian Church (USA)

Dr. Karl Kling, Interim Pastor & Head of Staff

Rev. Julie A. Higbee, Associate Pastor

Andy Shepard, Interim Dir. of Music Ministry **Doris Davis, Interim Dir. of Family Ministry**

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We Gather To Worship

PRELUDE: “The Comforter Has Come” William J. Kirkpatrick/arr. Victor Labenske Andy Shepard

WELCOME and ANNOUNCEMENTS Dr. Karl Kling

CALL TO WORSHIP:

LEADER: God’s grace lasts forever.

PEOPLE: His Word is a light for our path.

LEADER: The Lord blesses us with never-failing love.

PEOPLE: The Spirit gives us power to follow Jesus each day.

LEADER: Let us worship God!

▲ HYMN OF PRAISE: # 267 “Come Christians, Join to Sing”

TIME WITH YOUNG DISCIPLES: Doris Davis

PRAYER: God the Father bless us, God the Son help us, God the Spirit keep us, now and evermore, Amen.

CALL TO CONFESSION: Rev. Julie Higbee

Jesus came to give his life as a ransom for all. With confidence in God’s kindness, let us confess our sin to God.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION: (unison)

Our gracious God, temptation overtakes us too easily. We grumble about hardships instead of asking for your help. Our own comfort distracts us from the needs of others. Please forgive our selfishness. Renew us through the power of your Spirit. We pray this in Jesus’s name. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON: Dr. Kling

LEADER: Friends, hear the Good News! God is rich in mercy. When we were dead because of our sin, God made us alive in Christ. Now, in the name of Jesus Christ you are forgiven.

PEOPLE: Thanks be to God!

▲ HYMN OF GRATITUDE: # 408 “There’s A Sweet, Sweet Spirit”

We Listen To God’s Word

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION: Rev. Higbee

Our gracious God, the grass withers and flowers fade, but your word endures forever. Please speak to us through this reading of your Word, in Jesus name, Amen.

LESSON #1: Acts 2: 1-13

SPECIAL MUSIC:

LESSON #2: John 14: 15-17

Dr. Kling

LEADER : This is the Word of the Lord.

PEOPLE: Thanks be to GOD!

SERMON :

“Just Showing Up”

Dr. Kling

We Respond to God’s Grace

CONFESSION OF FAITH:

THE APOSTLES CREED

Rev. Higbee

SACRAMENT OF THE LORD’S SUPPER

Invitation to the Lord’s Table

Dr. Kling

The Communion Prayer

Words of Institution

Sharing the Bread and Cup

Prayer After Communion

INVITATION TO WORSHIP GOD WITH OUR OFFERING

Rev. Higbee

OFFERTORY: “Spirit of God, Descend Upon My Heart” FrederickC. Atkinson/arr. Victor Lebenske A. Shepard

Offertory Response:

606 “Doxology”

PRAYER FOR PNC:

Dr. Kling

Almighty God, giver of every good gift, look graciously on this church, and so guide the minds of the search team for our next Pastor & Head of Staff, that we may receive a faithful pastor, who will care for your people, and equip us to serve you joyfully, through Jesus Christ our Lord, Amen.

▲ HYMN OF SENDING: # 80 “You Shall Go Out With Joy” (Sing twice)

CHARGE AND BLESSING:

Dr. Kling

Wherever we go, God has sent us; Wherever we are, God has put us there; God has a purpose in our being there; There is something that God wants to do through us. Wherever we are!

LEADER: As God’s people we all say, **PEOPLE: Alleluia, Amen!**

POSTLUDE: “Spirit of God, Descend Upon My Heart” FrederickC. Atkinson/arr. Victor Lebenske A. Shepard

The flowers were given today by David Walker

In celebration of his church family