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About First United Presbyterian Church

Church Staff

To Our Visitors

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Welcome! We are happy to have you worshipping with us today.

✦ Sunday Worship - 10:00 AM
(Children join the worship service for the first 15 minutes to hear the Children's Sermon)

✦ Sunday School - 10:15 AM
K through 12th Grade - all meet in lower level classrooms

✦ The nursery is available for your use during the worship service.

✦ An asterisk (*) preceding a service element indicates the congregation should stand.

✦ **Bold** indicates congregation participation.

✦ If you need the Pastor after hours, call Church Office to make appointment, or ask Nicole for Pastor Mark's cell phone number.

Pastor's Office Hours: **Office Hours:**

9:15 AM to 12:00 PM 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM
(Monday-Friday) (Monday-Thursday)

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Hearing Assistance devices are available. If you would like to use a receiver, please ask an Usher for assistance.

Please Silence all electronics prior to worship service.



The Purpose of the First United Presbyterian Church is to:
Invite people to know and glorify God
Grow together as followers of Christ
Serve others through the power of the Holy Spirit



IN OUR THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS

We ask that you remember these people in your prayers throughout the coming week.

Rev. Dennis Boogerd, Crisanne Riordan,
Jamison Strange, Annette Mailes, Dolores Leuvoy,
Carolyn Trumble, Terry Mason, Scott Wallace, Nellie Harrington,
Aaron Corbiere, Carolyn Shaw, Della Porter, Gina Gough,
Jon Burgess, Kimberly (Swick) Jewell,
Jeffrey Burgess, Donna LaPlaunt, Sandy Shaw,
Patricia Farnhill, Geraldine Carnahan, Lillian Donelson,
Dave & Leslie Henderson, Tara Jean Brody,
and all missionaries, and members of the U.S. Armed Forces.

Please keep us up to date on your prayer request.

If you would to add individuals to the prayer list or your prayers have been answered and you would like to be removed from the list, please contact the office



WELCOME TO ALL VISITORS TO THE FIRST UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH!

We pray you'll be nourished in faith as you hear God's message for you. Jesus welcomed everyone; that is our aim, too. Whether you're here for the first time or the thousandth, we count ourselves blessed by your presence. Persons interested in more information about First United Presbyterian Church, or in joining this congregation, are invited to fill out a 'Welcome' card found in the pews, or call the church office.

Please be sure to sign our Guest Book near the entrance to the Sanctuary. Thank you for worshiping with us today.

DEACON PRAYER CHAIN Please remember the Deacon Prayer Chain, if you, or someone you know, are in need of prayers. Contact Jeanne Shibley at (906) 630-1707.

FOOD PANTRY The Meijer Simply Give Campaign is running now thru June 29th. Help us keep our Food Pantry open by purchasing a \$10 Simply Give food card at Meijer that they will match. Double match day is June 15

CIRCLE 3 will be meeting on Thursday, June 13th for our end of the year party which Dr Pat Newhouse has so graciously offered to host at her home on Sugar Island. All ladies are welcome! Not only will we enjoy good fellowship but also a tour through Pat's Fairy Garden. The details are as follows: Ferry leaves at 10:45 a.m. so be in the parking lot by 10:30 a.m. so we can car pool. This will be a pot-luck luncheon, so please bring a dish to pass and a pair of sunglasses as we're going to pray for a beautiful, sunny day! Any questions please call Cheryl at 906-632-7300.

RIDES TO CHURCH If anyone needs a ride to church, please contact the church office before Friday of each week and the Deacons will arrange a pick up time.

WBS MISSION PROJECT For the months of June we are requesting both Food, and Non-Food items for our church's Food Pantry. The attendance at the food pantry remains high, and the Deacons will continue with the distributions on the 2nd and 4th Tuesdays throughout the summer. Monetary donations are also welcomed, with food pantry envelopes in the Pew pockets. WBS will resume in the Fall with our varied missions. If you know of any group, agency ect. That could benefit from the missions, please let us know. Thank you so much for your support over the months. The Women's Wednesday morning Bible study group will not be meeting for the summer months but will resume in September. Our Monthly Mission Project is ongoing though as we continue to collect items for our church's food pantry. Wishing everyone a fun and relaxing summer!

LUNCHEON All women of our church are invited to a "Welcome Summer" Luncheon on June 18th from noon to 2 p.m. in our Social Hall. Brenda Ransom will speak about the "Helping Hands Group" and the service projects they do. For a take home project, Kathy Dowd will show us how to make crystal sun-catchers. PLEASE RSVP by June 12th to Margaret Eagle at 906 259-2028 or 906 399-1743; or email to eaglemp71@gmail.com. You may also call the church office at 906/632-7771.

FUPC MEETINGS / GROUPS: unless otherwise noted...

Session—3rd Monday at 5:30pm (WR)

Trustees—3rd Monday at 5:30pm (LB)

Deacons—2nd Sunday at 11:15am (WR)

Presbyterian Women— 3rd Tuesday at Noon (SH)

Circle 3—2nd Thursday at 9:30am (WR)

Textile Social Group—Every Thursday from 9:30am to 1:00pm (SH)

Women's Bible Study—Will Not be meeting until September, Have a great Summer!

Choir Practice—Every Sunday at 9:00am (MR)

Men's Bible Study—Every Friday at 9:00am (WR)

LB—Library MR—Music Room S—Sanctuary

SH—Social Hall WR—Westminster Room

SERVING US THIS WEEK

Greeters: Cheryl & Tom Thorenen

Ushers: Sara Jones, Mindy Fox, Laura Moening, Tom THoresen, & Heather Walsborn

SERVING US NEXT WEEK


Greeters: Margaret Eagle

Ushers: Ron Meister, David Bernier, Fred Michels, Roger Roe & Paul Sabourin

Last week's attendance: 59

Last week's offering: \$1,581

This Week's Calendar
June 2 – June 9, 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday
9:00a Coffee Hour (WR) 9:00a Choir Practice (MR) 10:00a Worship Service <p style="text-align: center;">Communion</p>	7:00p Boy Scout Troop #105 (SH)	
Wednesday	 <i>Presbyterian Church (USA)</i>	Thursday
		9:00a Textile Social (SH)
Friday	Saturday	Sunday
9:00a Men's Bible Study (WR)	7:00p A.A. (WR)	9:00a Coffee Hour (WR) 9:00a Choir Practice (MR) 10:00a Worship Service

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hasten to do what you ask. Time is short for we know not when you will call us to judgment. Help us to be mindful of how precious each moment is and be quick to fill them with deeds of discipleship in response to your will.

✦ ASSURANCE OF PARDON

As Paul reminds us, O God, you gave us Jesus Christ to show your righteousness, because in your divine forbearance you passed over sins previously committed. Now you have proven that you, yourself are righteous and you justify the one who has faith in Jesus. So, we can say with assurance, "In Jesus Christ we are forgiven!"

✦ GLORIA PATRI "Glory Be to the Father" #812

*Glory be to the Father,
and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost,
As it was in the beginning,
is now and ever shall be
world without end. Amen, Amen.*

✦ PASSING OF THE PEACE

The peace of God be with you.
And also with you.
Greet one another in Peace.

ANTHEM "We Gather at Your Table Lod" (Ehret)

CHILDREN'S SERMON

children are dismissed to the Classrooms for Sunday School

THE WORD OF GOD

1 Samual 3:1-10, 19-20 (pg. 229 OT) (Red Bible pg. 306 OT)
2 Corinthians 4:5 - 12 (pg.159 NT) (Red Bible pg. 220 NT)
Mark 2:23 - 3:6 (pg. 31 NT) (Red Bible pg. 44 NT)

SERMON "Take it Easy"

✦ HYMN "Let Us Break Bread Together " #460

THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S TABLE

INVITATION

COMMUNION

THE LORD'S PRAYER

✦ AFFIRMATION OF FAITH The Apostles' Creed

Let us say what we believe.

I believe in God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ his only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the virgin Mary; suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended to heaven and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

OUR RESPONSE TO GOD

THE CONCERNS OF THE CHURCH
CONGREGATIONAL LIFE
THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

OFFERTORY "Air on the G String" (Bach)
Flute: Jackie Tastor

✦ DOXOLOGY #815
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
Moment by moment your arms embrace us, O God, with the bountiful gifts of your grace and mercy. We are mindful each day of how you care for our needs. Be pleased with our worship of praise and thanksgiving and receive now our offerings we gratefully bring. May they be used to further the mission Christ brought to the nations and enhance his efforts to bring peace, love and justice on earth.

✦ HYMN "Peace Like a River " #750

✦ POSTLUDE "Postlude in C" (Otis)