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Your contributions make our ministries possible. You may place them in one of the white offering containers as you enter or exit, give online through our website, or text the word "fpctopeka" to 77977. We have also begun "passing the plate" again during our worship.



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New Office Hours

The office will be open from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m., Monday through Friday. Staff will use the "quiet hours" in the afternoon to accomplish important tasks. Please note: the church building will still be open, and our friendly volunteers will still be at the front desk ready to greet and assist you from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. on those days—it is only the office area that will be off-limits in the afternoons.

All-Church Prayer

Lord, like the light breaking through our windows, break through our resistance to change, show us the new things you want to do through First Presbyterian Church, and empower us to embrace new opportunities. Amen.



All are welcome!

THIS WEEK AT FPC

Sunday, March 24

Palm SundayUsher Team 1Nursery and Childcare Open8:30 a.m.Worship Service, Chapel9:30 a.m.Children's Sunday School9:30 a.m.Donuts and Discussion, Library10:30 a.m.Worship, Sanctuary/Online3:00 p.m.NA Group in Willard Hall4:00 p.m.Pause for FPC Prayer

Monday, March 25

4:00 p.m. Pause for FPC Prayer4:45 p.m. Kansas Youth Chorale7:00 p.m. Festival Singers Rehearsal

Tuesday, March 26

10:00 a.m. Staff Meeting3:00 p.m. Widows, Tea, and Fellowship4:00 p.m. Pause for FPC Prayer

Wednesday, March 27

7:00 a.m. Men's Bible Study, Conf. Rm.4:00 p.m. Pause for FPC Prayer7:30 p.m. 12-Step Group in Willard Hall

Thursday, March 28

| 4:00 p.m. | Pause for FPC Prayer |
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| 6:30 p.m. | Choir Rehearsal |
| Usher Team | 2 |
| 7:00 p.m. | Maundy Thursday, Sanctuary/ |
| | Online |
| 8:00 p.m. | NA Group in Willard Hall |
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Friday, March 29 Pastors' Day Off 4:00 p.m. Pause for FPC Prayer Usher Team 3

7:00 p.m. Good Friday Service (Trinity Presbyterian - 4746 SW 21st St)

Saturday, March 30

4:00 p.m. Pause for FPC Prayer

Sunday, March 31 Easter Sunday

Usher Team 4 Usher Team 5 Nursery and Childcare Open 8:30 a.m. Worship Service, Sanctuary 9:30 a.m. Children's Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Donuts and Discussion, Library 10:30 a.m. Worship, Sanctuary/Online 3:00 p.m. NA Group in Willard Hall 4:00 p.m. Pause for FPC Prayer

Welcome to FPC!

Wherever you are on your journey of faith, you are welcome here! Please fill out a Connection Card (in pew backs) and drop it in an offering box. We also have a small visitor bag for you. If you're not given one by an usher, please select a blue gift bag at any of the entrances into the sanctuary.

In Our Prayers

Joys: A great Easter Egg Hunt in collaboration with downtown churches, arrival of spring, 3rd Sunday Lunch - Taco Bar hosted by Youth Group

Concerns: Rosemary Menninger, Jean McElroy, the staff and leadership of AELC & TDC, Shawn Stogsdill (brother of Sandra Nichols), Latisea (attends services), Mandi Adams (daughter of Mark and Deanna Heilmann), Bruce Perney

Blessing Box Needs

Please consider donating **water**, pork and beans, canned meats, peanut butter, ready-toeat macaroni and cheese, instant oatmeal, Rice-a-Roni, canned soups, granola bars, snack crackers, and hygiene items. Help us care for those in need in our own neighborhood. Thank you!

Church Directory

We are moving closer to the launch of the church app. The app will include a directory with a list of church members with their names, addresses, phones, and emails. If you <u>**DO NOT**</u> want some contact information listed, please email tbroxterman@fpctopeka.org or call the church office by March 31.

New Class - Give, Save, Spend

First Presbyterian will be hosting a 10-week class on biblical finance. The class will meet Sunday mornings April 7 to June 9 from 9:15 to 10:15 a.m. **The class is limited to 12 people.** To sign up, please email <u>stmitchell6713@gmail.com</u> or sign up on the sheet in Disciples Hall. Don't miss the opportunity to grow closer to God through your own finances!

- Learn how to practically apply biblical principles on money management to your daily life.
- Develop strategies and principles that lead to financial freedom.
- Learn to trust God with your finances and recognize the spiritual aspects of money management.

AND MORE

Hosts Needed for Sunday Fellowship Table

Fellowship after worship services is a great chance to connect with one another. Volunteers are needed to help with the fellowship table. Please see the sign-up sheet in Disciples Hall to claim your spot. It's easy, and your treats can be store-bought or homemade. Please contact Jeff Gustin at (785) 550-7582 if you have questions.

Maundy Thursday

Join us for Maundy Thursday service at 7 p.m. on March 28. If you can't attend in person, you can watch live on our Facebook, YouTube, and website.

Good Friday Service

First Presbyterian, Westminster, and Trinity Presbyterian Churches will be combining for a Good Friday service on Friday, March 29, at 7 p.m. at Trinity Presbyterian Church (4746 SW 21st St). We hope to see you there as we celebrate Good Friday with our Presbyterian friends right here in Topeka.

Easter Sunday Service

Join us Easter Sunday for worship. We will be having two services, at 8:30 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. Both services will be held in the Sanctuary. If you can't attend in person, you can see the 10:30 service live streamed on our Facebook, YouTube, and website. We hope to see you there as we celebrate the resurrection of Jesus Christ.

FoodShare Distribution - Wednesday, April 10

Our next distribution will be at 5:00 p.m. on Wednesday, April 10. Volunteers are needed when the food is delivered, and we invite you to help us out. To volunteer contact the church office at (785) 233-9601. We are also collecting grocery bags to put food in for distribution. There is a donation box in the church office.

Silver Wings Dinner - Tuesday, April 16

The fellowship team will be hosting a Silver Wings dinner on Tuesday for anyone 80 years old and older. Dinner will be at 6:00 p.m. with a happy hour at 5:30 p.m.