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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, April 21

Usher Team 3

Nursery and Childcare Open

Third Sunday Lunch - Chicken Dinner

- 8:30 a.m. Worship Service, Chapel
- 9:15 a.m. Give, Save, Spend - Conf. Rm.
- 9:30 a.m. Children's Sunday School
- 9:30 a.m. Donuts and Discussion, Library
- 10:30 a.m. Worship, Sanctuary/Online
- 12:00 p.m. Youth Group
- 3:00 p.m. NA Group in Willard Hall
- 4:00 p.m. Pause for FPC Prayer

Monday, April 22

- 4:00 p.m. Pause for FPC Prayer
- 4:45 p.m. Kansas Youth Chorale
- 5:30 p.m. Festival Singers Board Meeting
- 7:00 p.m. Festival Singers Rehearsal

Tuesday, April 23

- 10:00 a.m. Staff Meeting
- 2:00 p.m. Widows, Tea, and Fellowship
- 4:00 p.m. Pause for FPC Prayer

Wednesday, April 24

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

Thursday, April 25

- 4:00 p.m. Pause for FPC Prayer
- 6:30 p.m. Choir Rehearsal
- 8:00 p.m. NA Group in Willard Hall

Friday, April 26

Pastors' Day Off

- 11:00 a.m. Harvesters FoodShare
- 4:00 p.m. Pause for FPC Prayer

Saturday, April 27

- 9:00 a.m. Faith & Flour
- 1:00 p.m. Faith & Flour
- 4:00 p.m. Pause for FPC Prayer

Sunday, April 28

Sandra on Vacation

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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: Ashlee Gustin-Williams & Richard Williams on the birth of their daughter Nora Marie Williams (granddaughter of Jeff and Chris Gustin), Vicki & Dzanh Nguyen on the birth of their daughter Holly Elizabeth Nguyen (granddaughter of Jim and Jane Owen), April show-ers bringing spring flowers, flying high with the Silver Wings group, successful new officer training

Concerns: Lowman Hill Elementary School families, Linda Mets, Kay Wischropp, Lauren Lewis, Bethany Kellogg (niece of Richard and Julie Lady), Tammy & Rivers Loch, the staff and leadership of AELC & TDC, Latisea (attends services), Bruce Perney, Amanda Yoder

Blessing Box Needs

Please consider donating water, pork and beans, canned meats, **peanut butter**, ready-to-eat 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!

Hosts Needed for Sunday Fellowship Table

Fellowship after worship services is a great chance to connect with one another. Volun-teers are needed to help with the fellowship table. Please see the sign-up sheet in Disci-ples 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.

Job Opening

Are you looking for a meaningful part-time job (8-10 hours per week) in a friendly office environment? First Presbyterian Church is hiring an Administrative Assistant! The Admin-istrative Assistant helps with a variety of tasks that promote the smooth functioning of the office, with special responsibility for tasks related to the Finance Office. Please contact sohld@aol.com or snichols@fpctopeka.org for questions and more information.

Vacation Bible School

Please join us for this year's VBS Camp Firelight Summer Camp Adventure with God. Our VBS takes place here at the church on Sunday, June 9, through Wednesday, June 12. There are numerous opportunities to serve, lead, and, most of all, HAVE FUN at Camp Firelight. For further information, please contact Herman Jones at 785-233-9601 ext.106 or hjones@fpctopeka.org.

Third Sunday Lunch - Today

Join us for a chicken dinner after worship today: chicken (baked and fried), coleslaw, po-tato salad, rolls, and dessert. We hope to see everyone there to enjoy a great meal and a time of fellowship hosted by the deacons.

Tasty Tuesday

Scan the QR-Code or visit the sign-up table in Disciples Hall to see the entire Tasty Tues-day schedule.



FoodShare Distribution - Friday, April 26

Our next distribution will be at 11:00 a.m. on Friday, April 26. 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.

Faith & Flour - Saturday, April 27

Sign up today for Faith and Flour. This month we will be baking various flavors of pies. There will two groups, at 9 a.m. and at 1 p.m. Each group is limited to just 10 people! Sign up in Disciples Hall.

Blood Drive

The American Red Cross will be hosting a Blood Drive on Thursday, May 2, from 12:00 to 6:00 p.m. at First Presbyterian Church. To schedule your appointment please call Julie Lady at 785-845-2430 or visit RedCrossBlood.org and enter code FPCTOPEKA. Remember to bring your ID, drink plenty of water, and eat before your appointment.