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Office Hours

The office is open from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m., Monday through Friday. Volunteers will staff our front desk from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Monday through Thursday and 9:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. on Friday.

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, August 23

Usher Team 4

- 8:30 a.m. Worship Service, Chapel
- 9:30 a.m. Good News Disciples, 105
- 9:30 a.m. A for Alabaster class, Conf. Rm.
- 9:30 a.m. Donuts and Discussion
- 10:30 a.m. Worship, Sanctuary/Online
- 3:00 p.m. NA Group in Willard Hall
- 4:00 p.m. Pause for FPC Prayer

Monday, August 24

- 4:00 p.m. Pause for FPC Prayer
- 4:00 p.m. KYC Rehearsal

Tuesday, August 25

- 10:00 a.m. Staff Meeting
- 2:00 p.m. Widows, Tea, and Fellowship
 Sue’s House
- 4:00 p.m. Pause for FPC Prayer
- 5:00 p.m. Personnel Meeting

Wednesday, August 26

- 7:00 a.m. Men’s Bible Study, Conf. Rm.
- 11:00 a.m. Strategic Planning Work Group
- 4:00 p.m. Pause for FPC Prayer
- 7:30 p.m. 12 Step in Willard Hall

Thursday, August 27

- 4:00 p.m. Pause for FPC Prayer

Friday, August 28

Pastor’s Day Off

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

Saturday, August 29

- 4:00 p.m. Pause for FPC Prayer

Sunday, August 30

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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 place it in the offering plate or hand it to a pastor. 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.
We’re so glad you are here!

In Our Prayers

Joys: All-church picnic, worshipping together, cooler weather, guest musicians sharing their talents

Concerns: Scott McKenzie, Melba Banion, Linda Mets, Scott Gosney, Jason Carmichael (son of Bob and Pam Carmichael), Kay Wischropp, those affected by natural disasters around the world

Sympathy: Prayers of sympathy for the family of Frank Galbraith, brother of Susie McKenzie. Frank passed away on August 16.

Blood Drive - Tuesday, September 1

Register for the Blood Drive; note the change from a Friday to a Tuesday. You can sign up on the Red Cross website (RedCross.org). Your donation helps save a life.

Church Picnic - Thank you!

Thank you to everyone who made the church picnic possible. And thank you for attending the picnic! It was a great time of fellowship, connection, and amazing food!

Grandparents Day

We want to kick off the fall season with lots of fun this year and play a game during our annual breakfast. We need YOUR help to do that! We need pictures of you along with pictures of your grandchildren or your grandparents' pictures (if you don't have grandchildren). Separate pictures please, so that we can put them in protective sleeves on the wall downstairs. Whoever can match the most children to grandparents gets a fun prize! If you would like to participate, please bring your pictures to the church office by August 31 and leave for Beth Johnston or Becky Foster. Please label the backs of the pictures so we can make the matches. If you have any questions, please reach out to one of us. We will make sure everyone gets their pictures back.

A is for Alabaster (9:30 Sundays in the Conference Room)

With so much travel happening in the summer, here's a Sunday morning class you can join anytime! Books are available at the front desk. Here's our schedule for the next two weeks:

August 30: S is for Shipwreck, T is for Troas, U is for Utterance, V is for Voice

September 6: W is for Walking on Water, X is in Oxen, Y is for Yeast, Z is for Zacchaeus

Kickoff Sunday - September 13

Help us kick off a new season of ministry with an All-Church Breakfast in Willard Hall, beginning at 9:00 a.m. We will also welcome our Chancel Choir back to worship after their summer break. Invite a friend to join you. All are welcome!

Guest Musician

Dr. Justin Moore is currently the principal at Royal Valley Elementary School. This fall he will begin his eighth year in that role. Justin's musical background consists of studying in the vocal studio of Dr. Bradley Vogel at Tabor College. He has performed in Handel's *Messiah*, various musicals in lead and supporting roles, and worship team. Justin sang with the Topeka Festival Singers and First Presbyterian Choir for multiple years. He currently resides in Topeka with his wife and two boys and baby girl.

