



First Presbyterian Church

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**Palm Sunday
March 29, 2026 at 9:30 AM**



John August Swanson (1938-2021), *Entry into the City* (1990)

A congregation of the
Presbyterian Church (U.S.A)



Welcome to First Presbyterian Church of Davenport

Welcome to First Presbyterian Church of Davenport, a church where EVERYONE is welcome. On behalf of the entire First Pres family, we want you to know that we are so glad you're here. We are a proud congregation of the Presbyterian Church (USA), where We Choose WELCOME!

We welcome followers of Jesus who are solid in their faith, and we welcome questioning believers seeking deeper meaning in their life. We welcome those who come from different faith backgrounds, such as Methodists, Lutherans, and Catholics, and those with no faith background at all; for we are all one in Christ Jesus. No matter where you are on your journey of faith, you are welcome here!

We hope you experience the warmth and friendliness of our congregation. It is a place that long-term members have described as their spiritual home for generations. It is also a place where people newer to our community of faith have found a safe and sacred space for themselves and their families.

Nursery care is available during the worship service for children (birth through kindergarten). The nursery is staffed by trained and background-checked caregivers from 8:15 AM to 11:30 AM. The nursery is on the third floor of the Christian Education (CE) building. Ask a worship host if you need assistance locating this space.

Kirkwood Choir is offered during the service, after the Children's Message. Kirkwood Choir provides music for worship throughout the program year.

MusikGarten, a program for parents/caregivers and young children (birth through kindergarten), is provided after the service in room #310 of the CE building. MusikGarten is our unique program that allows participation in a fun, energetic environment while instilling a love and understanding of music in young children. Check today's bulletin for schedule.

Sunday School classes for children, youth, and adults are offered after the service. Children and youth Sunday school is located on the third floor of the CE building. High School youth are encouraged to be helpers in the elementary classes. Adult Sunday school is in Von Maur Hall. Please ask a worship host if you need assistance locating these spaces.



Our Session (church council) has adopted a bold vision of creating safe and sacred space for all. We aren't perfect at it, but we are joyfully beginning to live into this new vision. We are an open and affirming congregation, and a proud member of the Covenant Network of Presbyterians (covnetpres.org). The Session and members of First Pres extend a sincere welcome to persons of all races, nationalities, genders, and sexual orientations. This includes an open invitation to membership, the sacraments of baptism and communion, marriage, funerals, memorial services, and service as an officer of the church.



We are a Matthew 25 church in the PC(USA). Matthew 25 congregations identify themselves as working toward one or more of three goals: building congregational vitality, dismantling structural racism, and eradicating systemic poverty.

Land Acknowledgement: First Presbyterian Church gratefully acknowledges the Indigenous Peoples on whose ancestral homelands we gather, as well as the diverse and vibrant Indigenous communities who make Iowa and Illinois their home today. The communities we serve through our ministries occupy the traditional homelands of the people of the Kiiikaapoi, Myaamia, Očhéthi Šakówiŋ, Peoria, Sauk, and Meskwaki nations. We honor these and numerous Indigenous tribes who first made the banks of the Mississippi River a center for arts and commerce.

✠ Worshipers who are comfortably able are invited to stand in body or spirit.

Bold indicates congregational response

Palm Sunday Order of Worship

To help you get to know the people sitting in your pew/row,
Please complete the Friendship Pad and pass it to your neighbors.

*As we begin worship, please silence your cell phones.
Take a quiet moment to center yourself in the presence of God.
We invite you to meditate silently on art, music, and Scripture.*

Preparing for the Word

Prelude

All Glory, Laud, and Honor

Arr. Emma Lou Diemer
(1927-2024)

Welcome and Announcements

The Rev. Dr. Kristopher Schondelmeyer

Minute for Mission

Mission Weekend

Dan Breinich

Minute for Music

Musical Interlude

Alex Gilson

Introit

Shout! Shout! Hosanna!
The Kirkwood Choir

Charles McCartha

*Shout! Shout! Hosanna! Lift up your voice and sing.
Shout! Shout! Hosanna! Join us and greet the king!*

Jesus is coming (King Jesus!), riding on a donkey's colt,
like the prophecy of old. (*refrain*)

Wave palm branches (King Jesus!). Sing with joy as he goes a long;
praise him now with voices strong! (*refrain*)

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord! (*refrain*)
(Julie I. Myers)

Call to Worship

The Rev. Dr. Kristopher Schondelmeyer

One: Please rise, in body or in spirit, for the Call to Worship. Today, you are encouraged to lift your voice and shout with praise as you wave your palm branches high in celebration of Palm Sunday.

One: Rejoice greatly, O daughter of Zion!

All: Shout aloud, O daughter of Jerusalem!

One: Your king comes to you, humble and riding on a donkey.

All: Hosanna in the highest! Hosanna in the highest! Hosanna in the highest!

One: Blessed is the One who comes in the name of the Lord! Shout with me...

All: Hosanna! Hosanna! Hosanna! Hosanna! Hosanna!

♣ Passing of the Peace

One: May the peace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you!

All: And also with you!

(In a way that is comfortable for you, please share the Peace of Christ with those around you.)

♣ Processional Hymn

Hosanna, Loud Hosanna

ELLACOMBE

1. Ho - san - na, loud ho - san - na, the lit - tle chil - dren sang;
2. From Ol - i - vet they fol - lowed 'mid an ex - ult - ant crowd,
3. "Ho - san - na in the high - est!" That an - cient song we sing,
through pil - lared court and tem - ple the joy - ful an - them rang.
the vic - tor palm branch wav - ing, and chant - ing clear and loud;
for Christ is our Re - deem - er; the Lord of heaven, our King.
To Je - sus, who had blessed them, close fold - ed to his breast,
the Lord of earth and heav - en rode on in low - ly state,
O may we ev - er praise him with heart and life and voice,
the chil - dren sang their prais - es, the sim - plest and the best.
nor scorned that lit - tle chil - dren should on his bid - ding wait.
and in his bliss - ful pres - ence e - ter - nal - ly re - joice.

Call to Confession

Julie VanPelt, Liturgist

Please be seated.

We shout "Hosanna!" yet quickly turn away. Let us confess our sins and seek God's mercy.

Prayer of Confession

Humble Savior, we confess that we prefer power to humility. We want victory without sacrifice and resist your way of peace. Forgive us. Ride into our hearts, Lord Jesus, and teach us the way of love. Amen.

Assurance of Forgiveness

One: Hear the good news: In Christ, God comes not with condemnation, but with mercy and peace.

All: In Him we are forgiven. Amen.

Listening for the Word

Anthem

Ride On, Ride On in Majesty
The Sanctuary Choir

Jonathan Veenker

*Ride on, ride on in majesty!
Hark, all the tribes hosanna cry;
O Savior meek, your road pursue,
With palms and scattered garments strewn.*

*Ride on, ride on in majesty!
In lowly pomp ride on to die.
O Christ, your triumphs now begin
o'er captive death and conquered sing.*

*Bow your meek head to mortal pain,
then take, O Christ, thy power and reign!*
(Henry H. Millman, 1791-1868)

Children's Message

Prayer for Illumination

Lord Jesus, as we wave our palms and hear your Word, teach us the meaning of your way of love. Amen.

First Lesson

Zechariah 9:9-10

- ⁹ Rejoice greatly, O daughter Zion!
Shout aloud, O daughter Jerusalem!
See, your king comes to you;
triumphant and victorious is he,
humble and riding on a donkey,
on a colt, the foal of a donkey.
- ¹⁰ He will cut off the chariot from Ephraim
and the war horse from Jerusalem;
and the battle bow shall be cut off,
and he shall command peace to the nations;
his dominion shall be from sea to sea
and from the River to the ends of the earth.

One: This is the Word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

21 When they had come near Jerusalem and had reached Bethphage, at the Mount of Olives, Jesus sent two disciples, ² saying to them, "Go into the village ahead of you, and immediately you will find a donkey tied and a colt with her; untie them and bring them to me. ³ If anyone says anything to you, just say this, 'The Lord needs them.' And he will send them immediately." ⁴ This took place to fulfill what had been spoken through the prophet: ⁵ "Tell the daughter of Zion, Look, your king is coming to you, humble and mounted on a donkey, and on a colt, the foal of a donkey." ⁶ The disciples went and did as Jesus had directed them; ⁷ they brought the donkey and the colt and put their cloaks on them, and he sat on them. ⁸ A very large crowd spread their cloaks on the road, and others cut branches from the trees and spread them on the road. ⁹ The crowds that went ahead of him and that followed were shouting, "Hosanna to the Son of David! Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord! Hosanna in the highest heaven!" ¹⁰ When he entered Jerusalem, the whole city was in turmoil, asking, "Who is this?" ¹¹ The crowds were saying, "This is the prophet Jesus from Nazareth in Galilee."

One: This is the Word of the Lord.

All: **Thanks be to God.**

Sermon

"Love on a Donkey"
The Rev. Dr. Kristopher Schondelmeyer

Responding to the Word

✦ Hymn

O Christ, the Great Foundation

AURELIA

1. O Christ, the great foundation On which Your people stand
 2. Baptized in one confession, One church in all the earth,
 3. Where tyrants' hold is tightened, Where strong devour the weak,
 4. This is the moment glorious When He who once was dead

To preach Your true salvation In every age and land:
 We bear our Lord's imposition, The sign of second birth:
 Where innocents are frightened, The righteous fear to speak,
 Shall lead His church victorious, Their champion and their head.

Pour out Your Holy Spirit To make us strong and pure,
 One holy people gathered In love beyond our own,
 There let Your church awaken At the powers of sin
 The Lord of all creation His heavenly kingdom brings,

To keep the faith unbroken As long as worlds endure.
 By grace we were invited, By grace we make You known.
 And, all their ramparts breaking, With You the victory win.
 The final consumption, The glory of all things.

Prayers of the People

Lord's Prayer

Our Creator who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kin-dom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kin-dom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

Offering Our Gifts and Lives to God



To share your pledge or offering, you may place it in the offering plate as it is passed down the aisle. If it is more convenient for you, please visit the church website at www.fpcdavenport.org, and click on "Donate Now," or you may donate directly from your smartphone by scanning the QR code with your phone's camera. You may also mail your pledge or offering to the church office.

Offertory

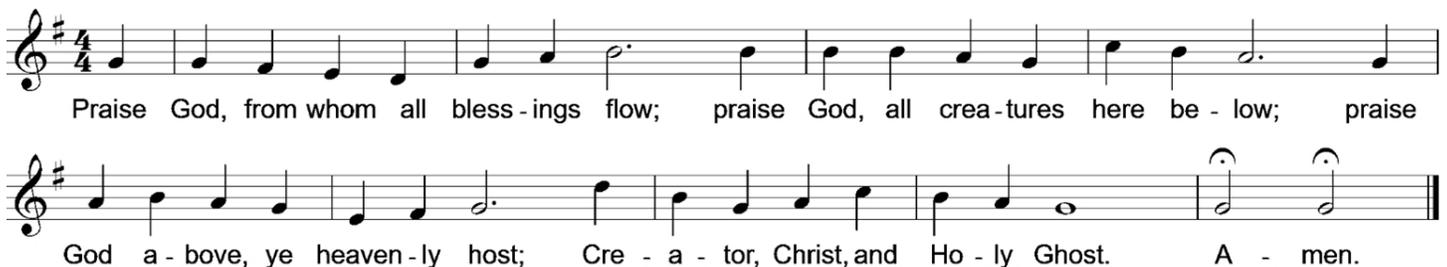
Hosanna, Loud Hosanna

Arr. J. Wayne Kerr
(b. 1958)

✠ Doxology

Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

OLD HUNDREDTH



Praise God, from whom all bless - ings flow; praise God, all crea - tures here be - low; praise
God a - bove, ye heaven - ly host; Cre - a - tor, Christ, and Ho - ly Ghost. A - men.

Prayer of Dedication

Sending Anthem Christ, We Do All Adore Thee (from *The Seven Last Words of Christ*) Theodore Dubois
The Sanctuary Choir (1837-1924)

Charge and Benediction

Postlude

Toccata

Georgi Mushel
(1909-1989)

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JOYS & CONCERNS

In Our Prayers: families and victims of gun violence; the people of Ukraine, Israel and Palestine, all who groan under oppression, for God's mercy and grace to touch Mary François on the death of her daughter-in-law and those in need of God's healing grace; Frances Keller, Judy Brumbaugh (mother of Julie VanPelt), Sandra and Dave Millage, Alan Haverkamp, Linda Bengfort, Jim Woods, Carol Phoenix, Julie Pedigo (sister of Carol Phoenix), and Wayne Hean.

(Names will be listed in the list above for 30 days unless otherwise requested.)

Mission Partners: Humility Homes and Services; Churches United; Habitat for Humanity Quad Cities; and P.U.N.C.H.

Hospital Visits: The Pastors and Deacons make hospital visits when patients give permission.

In-Touch Information: For anyone who is homebound and would enjoy contact from one of First Presbyterian's In-Touch members, please contact the FPC Office at 563-326-1691 x200 or office@fpcdavenport.org.

The Prayer Chain: Connects those who need prayer with those who commit to a ministry of prayer. Contact Mary Ann Francois (563-355-5292).

Printed Prayer Requests: Require permission from the person(s) in need of prayer before prayers are printed in the bulletin. The best way to ensure a hospital visit or a prayer is to contact the church office directly (563-326-1691).

Prayer Shawls: Prayer shawls are available for you to give to those you know who are experiencing a challenge or joy. For your choosing, a variety of shawls are hanging on the coat rack near the main office.

WEEKLY CALENDAR

Visit the First Pres website to view the full calendar

www.fpcdavenport.org/calendar

Sunday, March 29

Nursery Open	8:15 AM - 11:30 AM	CE Building 3 rd Floor
Worship Service	9:30 AM	Sanctuary & Online
Kirkwood Choir	9:45 AM - 10:30 AM	CE Building 3 rd Floor
Sunday School	10:30 AM - 11:30 AM	Gym
Musikgarten	10:35 AM - 11:05 AM	CE Building 3 rd Floor
Fellowship Hour	10:35 AM - 11:30 AM	Fellowship Hall
Lenten Book Study - In Person	10:40 AM - 11:30 AM	Von Maur Hall
Chamber Chorale Rehearsal	11:30 AM - 12:30 PM	Choir Room
Tweens Explore Building	12:00 PM - 2:00 PM	FPC Building
PIM Dodgeball	2:00 PM - 4:00 PM	Gym
APNC Meeting	3:15 PM - 5:30 PM	Parlor
Quad City Youth Choir	3:30 PM - 5:00 PM	Choir Room
Youth Group	5:30 PM - 8:00 PM	CE Building 3 rd Floor
Justice Choir Rehearsal	5:30 PM - 7:00 PM	Choir Room
Scout Troop 7 Meeting	7:00 PM - 8:30 PM	Gym

Monday, March 30

Pickle Ball	9:00 AM - 11:00 AM	Gym
Staff Meeting	10:00 AM - 12:00 PM	Von Maur Hall
FPC Book Club	12:30 PM - 2:00 PM	Parlor

Tuesday, March 31

Caring Closet & Lunches	9:00 AM - 12:00 PM	CE Building 1 st Floor
Cub Scout Meeting	6:00 PM - 7:00 PM	Fellowship Hall

Wednesday, April 1

Pickle Ball	9:00 AM - 11:00 AM	Gym
Bible Basics 201	6:15 PM - 7:15 PM	Zoom

Thursday, April 2

Sermon Talks	9:00 AM - 10:00 AM	Von Maur Hall
Clean Team	10:00 PM - 12:00 PM	FPC Building
TOPS	5:00 PM - 7:00 PM	Von Maur Hall
Maundy Thursday Service	6:30 PM	Fellowship Hall
Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal	8:00 PM - 9:00 PM	Choir Room

Friday, April 3

Caring Closet	2:00 PM - 5:00 PM	CE Building 1 st Floor
Good Friday Orchestra Rehearsal	5:00 PM - 5:45 PM	Sanctuary
Good Friday Dress Rehearsal	5:45 PM - 7:00 PM	Sanctuary
Good Friday Tenebrae	7:30 PM - 8:30 PM	Sanctuary

Saturday, April 4

Caring Closet	9:00 AM - 12:00 PM	CE Building 1 st Floor
PUNCH Hot Dog Prep	9:00 AM - 10:30 AM	Kitchen
PUNCH Easter Egg Hunt	11:00 AM - 1:00 PM	Harrington Park

ANNOUNCEMENTS

LIFE OF THE CHURCH

Session Highlights for March

- Pastor Kris led a devotion time after quoting John 1:4 and Rob Bell's book *Love Wins*. Kris asked Session to discuss the questions, 'What does love wins mean theologically?' and 'Within our congregation, where do you see reconciling love?'
- Session approved a new Anti-Harassment Policy that is required by the Presbyterian Book of Order.
- Finance reported that January ended with a surplus of \$53K (due to the front-loading of 2026 pledges), but February ended with a deficit of \$18K. The projected 2026 year-end deficit of \$119K will likely occur, however there are long term savings that the church can draw on.

IT IS TIME to Determine FPC's Most Popular Hymn!

FPC's Favorite Hymn Tournament
CHAMPIONSHIP

Be Thou My Vision vs. Here I Am, Lord

We are down to the final two hymns - which one do you want to be the champion - the most popular hymn at FPC?

If you would like a chance to vote, please contact Diana Miller-Bur at millerbur@fpcdavenport.org.

Ladies' Tea - Saturday, April 11- 2:00-4:00 PM

Join us for a delightful Ladies' Tea to honor the women of our church. All women are invited - you can even bring a friend/daughter/mother/sister - to attend this wonderful time of fellowship. There will of course be tea along with finger foods (gluten-free and sugar-free options available), small games and crafts, music, and a short devotion. We can't wait to see you there!

Please **RSVP** with Jim at the church office **by Friday, April 3** OR see Lois Boyer in the back of the sanctuary.

CHILDREN & YOUTH

Tween (3rd - 5th grade) Explore the Building - Today!

Have you ever wondered what's behind that door at church—or where those giant organ pipes are hiding? Tweens in Grades 3-5 are invited to satisfy their curiosity with a special behind-the-scenes church adventure on **March 29** from **12:00-2:00 PM**. During this fun afternoon, participants will explore some of the hidden and unique places within the church, including an up-close look at the organ pipes and other areas that most people don't usually get to see.

Pizza lunch will be served as part of the event. Please **RSVP by March 26** to Marty or Abby at cefy@fpcdavenport.org and be sure to include any dietary restrictions or food allergies so we can plan accordingly. We look forward to a great time of discovery and fellowship together!

SAVE THE DATE: VBS Compassion Camp 2026

Join us **June 15-19** for a week of fun, fellowship, and mission! More details and registration will be coming soon!

Calling All Graduates

We would like to celebrate high school and college graduates during worship on **Sunday, May 17th**. If you have a child (or grandchild) graduating from high school or college this year, please e-mail abby@fpcdavenport.org, by **Sunday, May 3rd** if you would like us to include them in our celebration.

When you e-mail, please include the following:

- 4-6 pictures from various points in their life (including a senior picture if you have one)
- List where they graduated from (if it is a college graduation, list their major/minor)
- Short statement of their future plans
- Favorite Memory of Church (if applicable)
- Favorite Memory of High School or College

Youth Ministry - Sponsor a Dinner

All FPC youth and friends in 6th - 12th grades are invited to join us for Youth Group. We will meet most Sunday evenings from 5:00 PM to 7:00 PM. Dinner will be served.

The Youth Group is looking for families or individuals to **sponsor** a dinner(s) for us on Sunday nights at 5pm. If you would like to donate money (suggested donation: \$50) to our Youth Group to buy pizza or would be willing to provide a meal for 15-20 youth and mentors, please reach out to Abby Schondelmeyer.



Donations? https://fpcdavenport.breezechms.com/give/online?fund_id=1965301
Questions? Please contact Abby Schondelmeyer: cefy@fpcdavenport.org.

ADULT SPIRITUAL GROWTH

Bible Basics for April

Bible Basics will be in recess on April 1 (no joke). For the remaining weeks in April, we will continue our discussion of some of the shorter, and maybe less often read, books of the bible. Next on our list are four OT prophets - Nahum, Habakkuk, Joel, and Malachi. All are welcome at Bible Basics. We meet on Wednesdays, 6:15 PM on Zoom.

Please contact Mark Jones (markandkarla75@gmail.com) for more information.
<https://www.zoom.us/join> Meeting ID: 881 1687 5549 Passcode: 630481

Sermon Talks w/ Pastor Kris

Sermon Talks is a midweek daytime Bible study led by Pastor Kris where participants explore the Scripture passage for the upcoming Sunday sermon. Sermon Talks meets in person in Von Maur Hall **each Thursday from 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM**. A Zoom option is not available. All are welcome to join the conversation.

MISSION & SERVICE

Caring Closet Needs Donations

The Caring Closet is currently in need of new underwear and T-shirts for women, children, and men in all sizes. Donations may be dropped off at the church during the week or on Sunday morning. All sizes are appreciated—thank you for helping us care for our community!

Prom Dress Give-Away Request

The Caring Closet is having its annual **Prom Dress Give-Away** on the evening of April 7 and 8 from 5:00 - 7:00 PM. If you have any **formal** or **party dresses** that are no longer wanted, bring them to the church before April 17.

Kids Against Hunger Meal-Packing Event

We are once again partnering with Kids Against Hunger, a nonprofit providing nutritious meals to families facing hunger around the world. Join us on **Sunday, April 19, at 4:00 PM** in the Fellowship Hall for this meaningful service opportunity. Adults and children are all welcome! A \$20 donation is suggested.

To help with planning, please **let us know by April 14** if you plan to attend. You may sign up at the back of the sanctuary or contact Elizabeth Breinich or Andy Edwards.

Can't attend? Donations may be made after worship, at the church office, or online.

To date, FPC has packaged over 137,000 meals, and our **goal for April 19 is 6,000 more meals**. We hope you'll join us!

Habitat for Humanity House Build

First Presbyterian Church is participating in a **Habitat for Humanity Quad Cities** house build right here in our neighborhood!

Join us on **Saturday, April 18, from 8:00 AM -3:00 PM**. Volunteers may sign up for a **morning or afternoon shift**, and we will most likely be helping with **framing the house**.

Volunteers must be **at least 16 years old**. **Waivers are required**, and a brief **safety talk** will take place before work begins.

Sign-up sheets are available at the back of the sanctuary, or contact **Andy Edwards** or **Gail Yingling** at **gailiowa@gmail.com**.

Funeral Support Volunteers Needed

From time to time when funerals/memorial services are held in the church the family hosts a meal/reception in Fellowship Hall. At those times we need volunteers to help host, set-up the serving tables, help with clean-up, and to be a helping hand. If you would be willing to provide funeral support as your schedule permits please provide your name and contact information on the list at the Welcome Desk at the back of the sanctuary after church services or call the church office and add your name to the list of volunteers. Thank You!

Need a Ride? Join Our Ride Team!

We're forming a small team of volunteers to help members get to Sunday worship, medical appointments, grocery runs, and other essential errands. If you can help—regularly or occasionally—please contact the church office at office@fpcdavenport.org.

Volunteers should have a valid driver's license, no major violations, and personal auto insurance. Thank you for helping our church care for one another!

MUSIC

Musical Interludes with Alex Gilson

Join us **April 1** for a musical interlude titled "The Music of Doc Watson" featuring our very own Principal Organist Alex Gilson. This interlude will celebrate the life and work of one of history's most influential guitarists. Join us for an afternoon of timeless melodies and impressive fingerpicking!

Join us in **Von Maur Hall at 11:30 am** with your own lunch for a fellowship time and then enjoy a brief musical performance in the **Sanctuary at 12:00 pm**.



Doc Watson

Worship Led by Border Encounter Participants

On **Sunday, April 12**, members of our Border Encounter Educational Mission Trip will lead us in worship as we reflect on our October 2025 journey to El Paso, Texas and Ciudad Juárez, Mexico.

Through shared stories, pictures from our trip, and personal reflections, participants will offer a window into the lived realities of the borderlands—not only the challenges, but also the deep joy, resilience, and sacred beauty found there. This will be a time to listen, to learn, and to be transformed by encounters that bring us closer to the heart of God.

Together, we will explore how God calls us to see and honor the dignity of every person, to appreciate the richness of diversity, and to recognize neighbors both near and far as part of one human family. In Christ, we are not strangers to one another—we are siblings.

We hope you will join us for this meaningful and eye-opening time of worship. And we hope you might be inspired to join the next Border Encounter. Reach out to Pastor Kris if you are interested in joining a future trip.

Sermon Series Announcement: Follow the Yellow Brick Road

Beginning April 26 and continuing through Pentecost on May 24, we invite you into a creative and meaningful worship journey inspired by *The Wizard of Oz*. Throughout this five-week series, our sanctuary will be transformed, and each week we will engage clips from the film as a way to reflect on God's love, grace, and presence in our lives.

Like Dorothy and her companions, we are all on a journey—seeking courage, wisdom, heart, and ultimately, a place called home. Along the way, we'll discover that God meets us not just at the destination, but in every step of the journey.

Join us as we Follow the Yellow Brick Road together.

Series Schedule:

- April 26 Follow the Yellow Brick Road
- May 3 If I Only Had...
- May 10 Pay No Attention to the Man Behind the Curtain
- May 17 Hymn Fest Sunday
- May 24 (Pentecost) - You Had the Power All Along

Come be part of this imaginative and Spirit-filled series as we explore the ways God's grace has been with us all along.



Maundy Thursday
April 2, 6:30 PM



Good Friday Tenebrae
April 3, 7:30 PM



Easter Sunday
April 5, 9:30 AM

Holy Week

at

FIRST PRES

FPC STAFF

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ELDERS AND DEACONS

Elders

<i>Class of 2026</i>	<i>Class of 2027</i>	<i>Class of 2028</i>	<i>Clerk of Session</i>
Dianna Darland	Dan Darland	Nancy Chapman	Julia Meyer
Denny Jorgenson	Craig Foster	Colleen Dueñas	
Kathy Knox	Wendy Hammen	Nathan Kabel	
Cathy Pratscher-Woods	Paula Hartmann	Linda Meadors	
Jed Steckel	Sharon Simmonds	RuthAnn Tobey-Brown	
	Jay Williams		
	Erin Yingling		

Deacons

<i>Class of 2026</i>	<i>Class of 2027</i>	<i>Class of 2028</i>
Andy Bowles Edwards (Moderator)	Elizabeth Breinich (Vice Moderator)	Carrie Braun
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