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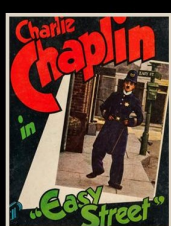
## This Sunday at First Pres



This week, we're thinking about the future, and we're giving thanks that not only does God say God will listen to us, but that God's plans are to prosper us, and give us hope. Join us at 8:30 and 10:30 this Sunday morning as First Pres' own Andy Hubbard leads us in worship of the God who pours out the Spirit on all people!

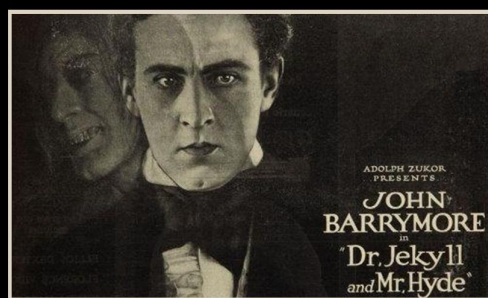
If you cannot attend in-person, join us online: livestream links are available on First Pres [website](#) (for Facebook and Vimeo). (Bulletins for the morning are available at a click: [Wide Awake Worship](#), and [Sanctuary Worship](#).)

## Silent Movie Night - this Saturday!!!



5:45 p.m.  
Easy Street,  
Soup Supper,  
reserved seating  
for Jekyll/Hyde

Reservations (\$20)  
required by using  
the QR code  
on the right or  
calling 812-423-6297



7:00 p.m.  
Free Admission  
Donations gratefully accepted

## Hygiene Pantry

First Light, our youth group, offers an opportunity this month to help others. On Sunday, October 22, bring full-size hygiene items (soap, shampoo, toothpaste, laundry detergent, etc.) new socks or underwear, or non-perishable food products to church with you. First Light will see that they get to the Food and Hygiene Pantry at Young and Established.



## Count Your Blessings



The Mission Committee invites you to help ease hunger here in Evansville and around the world during the month of October. Pick up a "Count Your Blessings" calendar from the table in the lobby or download a copy [HERE](#). Each day of the month suggests a blessing to count and an amount to donate to the CROP Walk.

## Extravagant Generosity

Our *Five Practices* groups have turned their focus to the theme of *Generosity: A Gift of the Heart*. We hope that this week's [devotional](#) from *Extravagant Generosity* by our *Five Practices* author will be a blessing to you. And be sure to stop by the "Heart Card" table in the hallway on your way to worship this week and share your "hopes and dreams for First Pres".



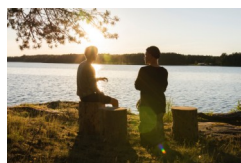
## LGBTQ small group



First Pres' LGBTQ will next gather for lunch on Sunday, October 29, hosted by Kathryn and Jerusha Van Camp at noon in their home at 259 Washington Ave. Attendees are invited to bring a side dish. The main dish and drinks will be provided. RSVP by phone or text at 812-774-7402. Future dates are October 29 and December 3. We hope all First Pres LGBTQ folks will join us!

## Elder of the Week/Pastoral Needs

Every week, an Elder from Session is "on call" to assist in responding to those of the congregation with special needs. The Elder of the Week may be contacted directly or via the church office. The Elder for next week is [Steve Wylie](#).



While Pastor Anna is visiting her Navy son in Japan this month, pastoral needs may be directed to the Elder of the Week or Parish Visitor [Jerusha Van Camp](#).

## Daily Readings



Sunday, October 22	<a href="#">Psalm 46</a>
Monday, October 23	<a href="#">Revelation 7:1-8</a>
Tuesday, October 24	<a href="#">Revelation 7:9-17</a>
Wednesday, October 25	<a href="#">Revelation 8:1-13</a>
Thursday, October 26	<a href="#">Revelation 9:1-12</a>
Friday, October 27	<a href="#">Revelation 9:13-21</a>
Saturday, October 28	<a href="#">Revelation 10:1-11</a>

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