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This Sunday at First Pres



This Sunday, we welcome the attendees of the RSCM Midwest Choral Residency! The Rev. Erika Takacs, chaplain of the course, will preach at both services, and the full choir will sing in 10:30 worship. Bring your family and friends and join us for a joyful morning!

If you cannot attend in-person at 8:30 or 10:30 a.m., join us online: livestream links and bulletins are available on First Pres [website](#).

Choir Camp is in Town!

This week, Evansville and First Pres are host to one of only four intergenerational choir camps in the country. Sixty children and adults from across the country will spend the week singing, worshipping, and playing right here in Evansville!

The camp presents several public worship services, and there are 4 opportunities to attend:

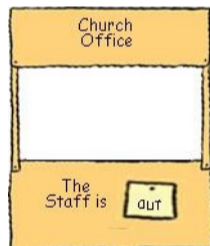
Friday, June 14, 5:00 p.m.	Saint Benedict Cathedral
Friday, June 14, 9:00 p.m.	Saint Benedict Cathedral
Saturday, June 15, 7:00 p.m.	Saint Benedict Cathedral
Sunday, June 16, at 10:30 a.m.	First Presbyterian Church



We hope you'll attend many of these, and be sure to bring a friend and pack our Sanctuary for the Sunday service! For more information about the Residency, check out rscmmidwest.org.

Office Schedule

This month, three of our staff members are taking vacation or are headed to camp experiences. Director of Music Robert Nicholls is headed to two different camps: RSCM Midwest Summer Choral Residency and the Presbyterian Association of Musicians Worship and Music Conference in Montreat. Pastor Anna and Office Administrator Lora Blaylock will be away (in different locations!) in the latter half of the month.



Because of this, the church office will be closed June 18 through June 25. Elder of the Week Bonnie Rinks and a local pastor Sammie Smith will be on call for needs while Pastor Anna is away, and phone messages and emails to the church will be responded to as soon as possible. The staff appreciates the congregation's flexibility and understanding as we all take a little time to recharge this summer!

The Longest Day

Throughout the month of June, the Alzheimer's Association invites people to participate in *The Longest Day*® on or near June 21. The Longest Day is timed to coincide with the summer solstice and invites participants to fight the darkness of Alzheimer's through fundraising events and community gatherings.



First Pres members Debbie Meyer and Nancy Erwin are members of the Evansville Duplicate Bridge Club that has, for a number of years, held an all-day bridge-playing marathon to benefit The Longest Day. They and the Mission Committee invite you to consider a contribution to the Alzheimer's Association in mid-June - and you don't have to play bridge! Of course, you can contribute directly to the Alzheimer's Association (<https://www.alz.org/>). But you could also make a check to the Alzheimer's Association and send it to the Evansville Duplicate Bridge Club (1551 S Green River Rd, Evansville, IN 47715) or give it to Nancy Erwin (treasurer of the Club). If you'd like, include a note with your check, mentioning Debbie or Nancy.

Daily Readings



Sunday, June 16	Exodus 6:2-13; 7:1-6
Monday, June 17	1 Samuel 1:1-20
Tuesday, June 18	1 Samuel 1:21-2:11
Wednesday, June 19	1 Samuel 2:12-26
Thursday, June 20	1 Samuel 2:27-36
Friday, June 21	1 Samuel 3:1-21
Saturday, June 22	1 Samuel 4:1-11
Sunday, June 23	1 Samuel 4:12-22
Monday, June 24	1 Samuel 5:1-12
Tuesday, June 25	1 Samuel 6:1-6
Wednesday, June 26	1 Samuel 7:2-17
Thursday, June 27	1 Samuel 8:1-22
Friday, June 28	1 Samuel 9:1-14
Saturday, June 29	1 Samuel 9:15-10:1

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