



First
Presbyterian
Church



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One Worship Service this Sunday at First Pres

What an amazing Advent! Thanks to all who worked to make Tuesday evening's Christmas Eve Service a memorable worship experience.

Remember this Sunday we have ONE Worship Service at 10:30 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall. It will be a little less formal and a little more relaxed. The Wide Awake Band will be accompanying. Remember that there will be coffee, donuts and bacon (and probably some healthy stuff too) so come a little early and bring your coffee etc. to the table.



We will be talking about Boundless LIFE this Sunday and hope to see you there. Come worship with your First Pres family either in-person or online at 10:30 a.m.! You'll be glad you did and so will we! Live Stream links and bulletins are available on the First Pres [website](#).

2025 Flowers for Worship

Have you wondered why only sometimes there are flower arrangements in our worship service? The reason flowers appear is that someone wished to remember, honor, or give thanks for someone or something, and sponsored flowers for that particular Sunday. Anyone can participate - and it's as simple as filling out a [form](#) and paying for the flowers. You don't even need to call the florist if you don't want to - the church office can order an arrangement on your direction. You can pay online or by a check to the church office, and if online forms aren't your thing, contact Lora in the church office - by [email](#) or phone (812-423-6297). Thank you for bringing another element of beauty to our worship!



Office Hours

During the Christmas/New Year weeks, the church office will be open on a limited schedule, closing at Noon on each of the "Eves", and reopening the following Mondays. Pastor Mary Beth is reachable by cell or email (812-872-4882; mb@fpcevv.com) in the case of emergencies.



Rooted and Growing



The Generosity Committee is still working to reach our 2025 *Rooted in Faith - Growing to Serve* Stewardship campaign goal of \$431,200. Thank you to everyone who has returned a pledge! If you haven't yet turned in a pledge card - *there's still time!* Pick one up in worship and put it in the offering plate or send it to the church office, or fill one out [online!](#) If you have questions, or need a card, please contact [Lora](#) in the church office. Thank you for helping bring God's ~~impossible~~ Promises to life!

Dishes!!

Are you missing a favorite serving dish? Does anything in the picture on the left look familiar? A number of items have accumulated in the church kitchen following recent congregational meals and events. If you can't find your favorite drinking vessel, have a look in the box when you're at church this week. Unclaimed items will go to a recycle/thrift organization at the end of the year.



Daily Readings



Sunday, December 29 [2 Samuel 23:13-17b](#)
Monday, December 30 [1 Kings 17:17-24](#)
Tuesday, December 31 [1 Kings 3:5-14](#)
Wednesday, January 1 [Isaiah 62:1-5, 10-12](#)
Thursday, January 2 [1 Kings 19:1-8](#)
Friday, January 3 [1 Kings 19:9-18](#)
Saturday, January 4 [Joshua 3:14-4:17](#)

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