



First
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This Sunday

We have a pair of Psalms in our readings this Sunday that are full of 'questions of the soul' - those midnight melancholy thoughts that visit occasionally. But amongst all those questions are also answers - from the Psalmist himself - that hope in God is the answer. And then, if that isn't answer enough, we hear from Paul, writing to the Galatians, reminding us that through Jesus, we are all children of God - no matter what other label we may carry. What a great message to begin the week!



Join us Sunday in person or online! Live Stream links and bulletins are available on the First Pres [website](#).

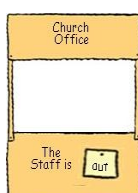
Little Lambs



Father's Day may have passed for another year, but we're still accepting donations for Little Lambs! Located in the education wing, Little Lambs has been helping families for over 25 years with baby needs. Bring diapers and wipes (store brands are great, especially sizes 3 -7) to church this Sunday - there will be a box in the lobby. Not a shopper? Monetary donations are welcome, too: make your check to "Little Lambs" and put it in the offering plate, send it to the church office, or give [ONLINE](#). Thank You!

Office Hours

Due to vacation schedules, the church office will be open only on Monday and Thursday of this coming week (*closed on June 24 and 25*). Regular office hours of Monday -Thursday, 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. will resume on June 30. Thank you for supporting the staff as they take some time for rest and rejuvenation time this summer!



Come and Sing!



Have you ever wondered what it's like to worship from the balcony? A great opportunity to find out is coming up on Sunday, June 29! Join Director of Music Robert Nicholls and some of the folks who will have just returned from Montreat in the balcony at 9:30 a.m. to sing in Gathering Choir! It's a great no-obligation way to try out singing from the balcony!

Yoga and Yummies!

Presbyterian Women invite all for Yoga and Yummies, Saturday, July 12, 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. in Fellowship Hall. All ages and abilities are welcome (children should be able to focus on directions and must be accompanied by an adult) for an hour-long beginner Yoga class led by certified instructor Delanie Davis. The class is suited to chair yoga as well as mat/floor. A small number of yoga mats will be available, but you're invited to use your own device as well. A healthy lunch of salad, fruit, and other treats will be enjoyed following the class. There's no cost to attend (although a tip jar for Ms. Davis will be available); your [RSVP](#) is helpful (please include if you need to borrow a mat!).



Extra Special First Friday



We're planning for an extra special First Friday next month, which just happens to land on Independence Day - July 4! In addition to a spectacular concert from First Pres' own Robert Nicholls, we're planning an ice cream social! If you are interested in helping in some way with the Ice Cream portion of the evening, click [HERE](#) or use the QR code to let us know.

Where in the World is Rev. MB?

MB is headed out for two weeks of study leave (June 15-June 28) and some vacation time (June 29-July 3). She'll be at Montreat for both weeks of the **Presbyterian Association of Musicians Worship and Music Conference** (our First Pres folks will be there for the second week.) Then she'll use some vacation time with her mom in Kentucky on her way back to Evansville. MB will be available by email, text or voicemail while she is away but may not be able to respond as quickly as she usually does when she's working in town. Feel free to contact her or to reach out to the office at church if you have a pastoral care need while she is away, so you can be connected with Jerusha or another minister in town if needed while she is away. mb@fpcevv.com or 812-872-4882 (text or voice).

Please pray for our preachers of the day for the upcoming Sundays:

June 22 Deacon Scott Wylie
June 29 Elder Steve Wylie



Prayer Requests

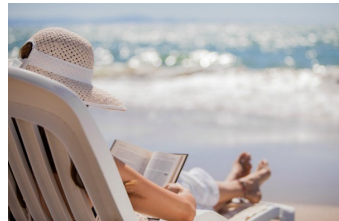
- for all families - of all sorts - for love to keep on healing us in them;
- for one feeling isolated;
- for all those affected by the flash flooding - especially those with property and vehicle damage;



- in gratitude for Jane Stalions, who turned 95 this Tuesday;
- for healing and support for all those experiencing their first fathers' day without their father;
- for one seeking a new home;
- for Gail and Maurice;
- for traveling mercies for those on the road;
- for grandparents, as they babysit;
- for Blake and Lisa;
- one undergoing surgery for breast cancer on Tuesday;
- for Anita, recovering from spine surgery, and her mother;
- for pet 'parents', as they care for their furry companions;
- for patience as we experience the changes of aging;
- in gratitude for backyard gardens.

Daily Readings

Sunday, June 22 [Numbers 14:26-45](#)
Monday, June 23 [Numbers 16:1-19](#)
Tuesday, June 24 [Numbers 16:20-33](#)
Wednesday, June 25 [Numbers 16:36-50](#)
Thursday, June 26 [Numbers 17:1-11](#)
Friday, June 27 [Numbers 20:1-13](#)
Saturday, June 28 [Numbers 20:14-29](#)



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