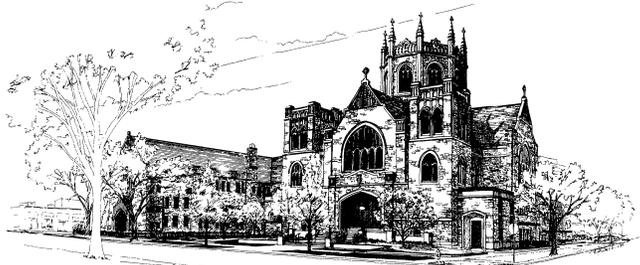


# First Presby News



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## Mission Statement

In response to the love and grace of God, First Presbyterian Church of Wichita, Kansas, is a fellowship of believers bound together to glorify God and to proclaim the good news of Jesus Christ through worship, spiritual nurturing, education and mission to all people.

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## Sunday Worship Schedule

Worship 8:30 a.m. (Chapel)  
Coffee Fellowship 9:15 a.m.  
(The Well)  
Worship 9:30 a.m.  
(Sanctuary)

First Presbyterian Church is a  
Stephen Ministry Congregation

## Easter Sunday



## Earth Day at Park Villa On April 19



☞ Congregational Care ☜

**Let Us Focus Our Prayers on These Members:**

Jill Young and family, Cassandra Swenson and family, Trebor Rekoske, Bob and Cathy Marley, Jolene Satterthwaite, Liz and Robert Workman, Dale and D.J. Spaeth, Janet and Don Setser, Valerie Weber, James Lindsay, Susan Williford, James Kincaid, Mike Inman, Joyce Greene, Alice Robertson, Christal and Adam Jones & family, Tom Whealdon, Jim Gross, and Karen Fleming.

**Sympathy:**

Sympathy to the Ross Hellwig family on the death of Ross' brother, Steven Hellwig



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| 1 Samantha Inman      | 17 Carol Seek       |
| 3 Isaac Cline         | James Kincaid       |
| Cooper Stueven        | Emily Pottorf       |
| Aleya Skinner         | Tyler Duncan        |
| Ryan Skinner          | 19 Glenn Ziegler    |
| 5 Denise Taylor       | 21 Lorena Kite      |
| Isabel Schulte        | 23 Sheli Blessant   |
| Stacy Coldwater       | 24 Robert Heaton    |
| 6 Rebecca Blanford    | Linda Robinson      |
| 9 Dean Wallace        | 25 Helen Steindler  |
| 12 Emily Howard       | 26 David Reitz      |
| Andrew Howard         | 27 Paul Crittenden  |
| 13 Bill Sloan         | Carter Bowles       |
| 14 Katelyn Young      | 28 Mayme Pearl Ward |
| 15 Christina Hibarger | 29 Linda Boyle      |
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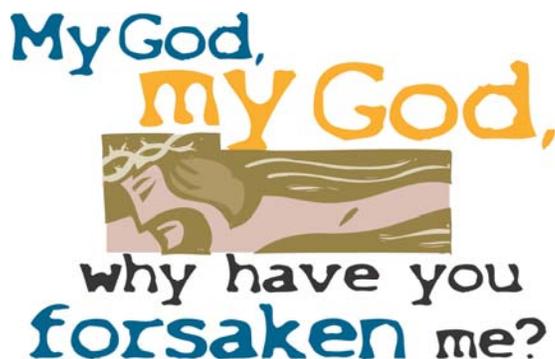
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Clerk of the Session

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∞ From the Pastor's Desk ∞

*Enthroned on the Praises of His People*  
*Psalm 22:3*



**Psalm 22:1, NRSV**

In reading the Old Testament lesson from Psalm 22 at the Good Friday service, I was struck by verse 3 which reads, “Yet you are holy, enthroned on the praises of Israel.” Despite feeling forsaken by God in verse 1, the psalmist acknowledges the need to praise God. This seems counter intuitive. You mean we should be praising God at the very moment when we feel most distant from Him? In a word, “Yes.” The Psalmist in Psalm 22 remembers how God has delivered those who put their trust in Him and His power to save. Verse 4 reads as follows, “In you our ancestors trusted; they trusted, and you delivered them. To you they cried, and were saved...” In other

words, by calling to mind how God has been faithful to save those who put their trust in Him, the psalmist has hope that God will do the same for his situation. Even Jesus’ cry from the cross, “My God, my God, why have you forsaken me?” can be seen as a plea for God to save. I say this because it was common practice among Rabbis in the first century to quote the first line of a psalm when referring to the entire psalm. If this logic is applied to Psalm 22, although this psalm begins in complaint it ends in praise. The last lines of Psalm 22 read as follows, “future generations will be told about the Lord, and proclaim his deliverance to a people yet unborn, saying that he has done it.”

Over 325 gathered for Easter to proclaim the deliverance of Jesus Christ from the power of sin and death. The grave could not hold on to him. The women who went to anoint the dead body of Jesus found the tomb empty and an Angel of the Lord who said, “This Jesus who was crucified is not here. He has been raised as he said he would. He will meet you in Galilee. Go and tell his disciples the good news.” Incredibly this good news has been told for over 2,000 years. What was bad news on Friday has become good news on Sunday. God has been good to His word. Truly, He has delivered those who put their trust in Him.

Let us do the same at First Presbyterian Church. Let us step up our praise of God this Easter season because God is enthroned on the praises of His people. Let us remember and retell the faithfulness of the Lord as recorded in the Bible and in history. Let our worship praise God from the depths of our being, that we might *Experience* his salvation, as we *Participate* in the ongoing drama of salvation, that will *Inspire* future generations to praise Him, as we live *Christ Centered* lives. In other words, let our worship become *EPIC* at First.

*Brent*



**Middle Schoolers  
 at  
 Melodrama 2017**

## ☞ A Few Words from Pastor Judy ☜

I live in one of a cluster of townhomes partially surrounding a lake, where springtime is always a special treat! You see, there are “others” who make their home there besides us humans – geese, ducks, swans and unfortunately, snapping turtles that remain hidden under the water. At this time of year, I especially enjoy taking long walks around the lake and through the grounds with my dog, Trixie. This is also the season when, in pairs, our feathered friends are busy setting up housekeeping in safe, secluded spots where they can lay their eggs and wait for the arrival of new baby chicks.

The ducks tend to nest in shrubs surrounding the homes and are much more trusting of the resident humans than are the loud, squawking Canada geese (there are a lot of them). And even though Trixie and I are careful to keep our distance from the nesting ducks, there are always a few geese (perhaps bachelors?) keeping watch - hissing and flapping their wings threateningly when they see us.

When the babies are hatched and make their first foray into the water, it is a sight to behold! Families of both species – ducks and geese - swim together, each with their own newborns, but as a community.

Perhaps you’ve figured out where I’m going with this peaceful story. As human beings we are, in some ways, as diverse as the geese and the ducks at Country Lake – white, different shades of brown; and we don’t all “squawk” in the same language, or have the same habits or life style.

As the children of God, “why can’t we all just get along?” (*Rodney King, 1991*) Looking out for one another – not just those that look like us – finding ways to communicate with each other, respecting each other’s differences, and living with our families together in harmony.

You may have noticed, I didn’t say much about either the swans or the snapping turtles. The swans, as beautiful as they looked, were mean and aggressive, coming out of the water, on more than one occasion, to bite anyone walking too close to the water. They have been removed and now reside in a secluded lake with only other swans. And the snapping turtles? Despite efforts to eradicate them, some still lurk under the water and sadly, sometimes snatch a new baby chicks swimming by its parent’s side.

For us humans, there seems to be no “peaceable kingdom” either. There will always be those who can’t get along with anyone who thinks, acts or looks different than they do. There will always be those who wish to do bodily harm. But as Christ’s disciples, we must keep trying our best to follow his words as found in John 13:34-35:

*As I have loved you, so you must love one another. <sup>35</sup> By this everyone will know that you are my disciples, if you love one another.”*  
And that’s the Gospel truth!



## PW Brunch and Final Lesson May 10



Presbyterian Women will meet for a Continental Brunch (\$5.00) on Wednesday, May 10, 9:30 a.m., in the West Dining Room. This will be their final Bible study lesson from the 2016-2017 Horizons PW study “Who is Jesus? What a difference a lens makes!” The subject of this lesson #9 is “Interpretations: According to Contemporary Cultural.” It will be presented by Rev. Dawn Flippin, pastor at the Presbyterian church in Kingman. Reservations should be made to

[knechtmary@hotmail.com](mailto:knechtmary@hotmail.com) or 942-8068 by Friday noon, May 5. Money will be collected at the door. PW from area Presbyterian churches will be attending for fellowship and study.

## ∞ From the Parish Nurse ∞

### The Game of Life

How do we find the delicate balance in life when we think about caring for others, as well as all the important tasks in life? If there is no balance, it is difficult to find meaning, purpose, and direction. Life then can become very stressful. Several quotes that Brian Dyson, former CEO of Coca Cola Enterprises, said at a university commencement address helps to put this into perspective. He said,



***Imagine life as a game in which you are juggling some five balls in the air. You name them- work, family, health, friends and spirit-and you're keeping all these in the air. You will soon understand that work is a rubber ball. If you drop it, it will bounce back. But the other four balls-family, health, friends, and spirit-are made of glass. If you drop one of these, they will be irrevocably scuffed, marked, nicked and damaged, or even shattered. They will never be the same. You must understand that and strive for balance in your life. How?" Here are some of Brian's instructions:***

- Don't undermine your worth by comparing yourself with others. It is because we are different that each of us is special. Don't set your goals by what others deem important. Only you know what is best for you.
- Don't take for granted the things closest to your heart. Cling to them as you would your life, for without them, life is meaningless.
- Don't let your life slip through your fingers by living in your past or for the future. By living your life one day at a time, you live ALL the days of your life.
- Don't give up when you still have something to give. Nothing is really over until the moment you stop trying.
- Don't be afraid to admit you are less than perfect. It is this fragile thread that binds us together.
- Don't be afraid to encounter risks. It is by taking chances that we learn to be brave.
- Don't shut love out of your life by saying it's impossible to find. The quickest way to receive love is to give; the fastest way to lose love is to hold it too tightly; and the best way to keep love is to give it wings.
- Don't run through life so fast that you forget not only where you've been, but also where you are going.
- Don't forget that a person's greatest emotional need is to feel appreciated.
- Don't be afraid to learn. Knowledge is weightless, a treasure you can always carry easily.
- Don't use time or words carelessly. Neither can be retrieved.
- Life is not a race, but a journey to be savored each step of the way. Yesterday is history, tomorrow is a mystery, and today is a gift. That's why it is called "the present".

Now is a good time of year to ponder -and act on-these profound words. Find that balance in life and Enjoy Life!!!

*Joan Aldrich*

## ☞ Children's Ministry News ☜

We are ending the year on a high note with a lot of participation from our FPC children and their parents. I want to thank each parent for encouraging and bringing your children to FPC activities. Working with your children has been an absolute joy and I am so excited for the future and have loved getting to know all the kids over the last six months.

The children's ministry team has been busy preparing for Summer activities. Vacation Bible School "Solar Under the Sun" is going to be a very fun, interactive week. We hope to see all our FPC kids as well as some new faces. The leaders are working very hard to ensure this week is full of learning, fun, and memories.

Brent is hosting a Bible study that will meet April 26<sup>th</sup> -May 17<sup>th</sup>. We will still have activities for the children and the nursery will be open. **We will not be providing dinner** during this time; however I will have snacks and treats for the children. Please plan accordingly.

EPIC worship is on May 14<sup>th</sup> and we hope to have all our kids and their parents present. The children will have a role in the 10:45 a.m. service. We are very excited to be involved and hope this is the start of a new FPC tradition.

Family days out at the camp have been scheduled. We will meet out at the camp, and eat, swim, and fellowship. This is an open invitation to anyone in the church who wants to join us. The children love the opportunity to spend time with each other as well as the church family. We ask that you bring something to share and we will provide hot dogs, and beverages. The children's committee will also have some family nights throughout the summer still to be determined on dates and times. This is an opportunity for parents to connect and our kids to spend time together. More information will come as we finalize plans. Nursery re-vamp is starting and we are very excited to see the finished result. We will have a grand re-opening at the end of the summer.



### **Save the dates**

May 10<sup>th</sup> —VBS group leadership training (Parlor) dinner provided. 6 p.m.-8 p.m.

May 14<sup>th</sup> —EPIC Sunday 10:45 a.m. in the Sanctuary.

May 21<sup>st</sup> —VBS & Games camp registration due (Drop off in the office or email forms)

June 3<sup>rd</sup> —Camp counselor training in the well 9 a.m.- 2 p.m.

June 12<sup>th</sup>-16<sup>th</sup> —VBS "Solar Under the Sun" 9 a.m.- 4 p.m. at FPC (latchkey available)

June 18<sup>th</sup> —EPIC Sunday children will be presenting what they learned from VBS

June 19<sup>th</sup>-23<sup>rd</sup> —Games camp @ whispering winds camp 9 a.m.-4 p.m.

June 24<sup>th</sup> —Family Day at the camp 2 p.m.-7 p.m.

July 22<sup>nd</sup> —Family Day at the camp 2 p.m.-7 p.m.

∞ Youth Activities ∞

Youth Activities for May 2017

- May 2 (Tuesday)** – Youth Ministry Team meeting 6-7 p.m. in the Youth Lounge.
- May 3 (Wednesday)** - Youth Club in *The Well-Good and Evil Through the Eyes of Fantasy- The Lord of the Rings*-5:30-7:30 p.m.
- May 6 (Saturday)** – Try volunteering at the Community Breakfast. The community breakfast is an ongoing mission of our church. We encourage you and your family to volunteer. Anyone who would like to volunteer should contact Dick & Margaret Wieland-Dick’s cell- 316.833.6832/Margaret’s cell-316.833.6831/wielands@swbell.net or contact Geri.
- May 7 (Sunday)** – (2) worship services at 8:30 a.m. and 10:45 a.m. Youth Sunday school is in the Youth Lounge from 9:30-10:30 a.m.
- May 9 (Tuesday)** – CE&F meeting in *The Well* 6:15-7:15 p.m.
- May 10 (Wednesday)** – Youth Club in *The Well-Good and Evil Through the Eyes of Fantasy -Harry Potter, books 1 through 4*-5:30-7:30 p.m.
- May 13 (Saturday)** – Garden & grounds 9:30-11:30 a.m.
- May 14 (EPIC Sunday)** – **Mother’s Day**-(2) worship services at 8:30 a.m. and 10:45 a.m. Youth Sunday school is in the Youth Lounge from 9:30-10:30 a.m. Recognition of graduates.
- May 17 (Wednesday)** – Youth Club in *The Well-Good and Evil Through the Eyes of Fantasy -Harry Potter, books 5 through 7*-5:30-7:30 p.m.
- May 21 (Sunday)** - (2) worship services at 8:30 a.m. and 10:45 a.m. Youth Sunday school is in the Youth Lounge from 9:30-10:30 a.m. **Last Sunday school until the fall semester begins.**
- May 24 (Wednesday)** – No Youth Club
- May 28 (4th@1<sup>st</sup> Sunday)** - (2) worship services at 8:30 a.m. and 10:45 a.m. No Youth Sunday school.
- May 31 (Wednesday)** – Summer Splash! 1-5 p.m.

Questions? E-mail Geri Doll [doll@firstchurchwichita.org](mailto:doll@firstchurchwichita.org), call or text 316-737-8855. We are happy to give you a ride if needed.

**Calling All Graduates!**

**We need your help! If you or anyone you know is graduating this spring, from high school, college, or any other school, please let us know so they can be recognized on Sunday, May 14 during the 10:45 a.m. worship service. This information will also be helpful in updating our college-age student list. Please contact Geri Doll 316-737-8855 or [doll@firstchurchwichita.org](mailto:doll@firstchurchwichita.org).**

☞ Economy Corner ☜

**Economy Corner News**

Our March 2017 total sales were \$8053.43. FPC's share was \$7476.61 and Grace's was \$576.82. There was a decrease of \$1460.31 in our total sales over February 2016 partly due to end of season half price and "bag sales" as well as the continuing unseasonably warm weather. We sold 299 bags of clothing during the sale and at change-out we donated 39 large bags of clothing to Open Door. We filled 89 vouchers for basic clothing necessities which were equivalent to \$1223.50. FPC's portion of the vouchers equaled \$919.20 and Grace's was \$303.85. We would like to invite you to stop by the Corner to see the changes we've made. We have a new album display case that was custom-made by a Corner volunteer. We also have a new children's clothing rack. Other cabinets will be added as they are completed. Our goal is to more efficiently use the floor space, make items easier to see, and create wider "aisles" for easier flow.

***Thank You East High***

On April 13, 13 students from East High along with their teacher, Melinda Sears, had a work day at the church. They helped clean *The Well*, Chapel and Sanctuary. They planted flowers in front of the church and helped clean the Parlor. Many thanks to these students who did an excellent job!



☞ Comic's Corner ☜



"Mom — you deserve a raise for raising me."

**EPIC**  **MARK YOUR CALENDARS.**

**Worship** 

**May 14th** will be our first EPIC Worship service that will involve our children and youth that seeks to be Experiential, Participatory, Inspirational, and Christ Centered. We will be honoring and remembering our mothers and those who were like a mother to us. We will also be honoring our graduates at this service. So send us your pictures of your Mother with her children.

 John Doll is graduating from WSU on May 13. Everyone is invited to attend a Reception in *The Well* on May 13, anytime between 1:30-3:30 p.m.

∞ PC (USA) ∞

## Big Tent Conference Is A Mountain-top Experience!



On the off year when the General Assembly is not held, the PC(USA) sponsors a Big Tent

Conference. This summer it will be in St. Louis, July 6-8. The theme is Race, Reconciliation, and the Reformation. Through plenary events, Bible study, workshops, and worship, attendees will be challenged and renewed by the power of the gospel message to overcome our current realities of anxiety, division, and inequality.

The three-day event, held on the beautiful campus of Washington University in St. Louis, will provide a variety of opportunities to engage with issues facing the church and society today. In addition to a selection of nearly 50 workshops on a variety of topics, participants can join in morning Bible study led by Dr. Eric Barreto of Princeton Theological Seminary and hear from local church leaders about the struggles the St. Louis community has faced around issues of inequality. PC (USA) Stated Clerk the Rev. Dr. J. Herbert Nelson will preach at the opening worship on Thursday, and the Rev. Dr. Christine Hong of Louisville Presbyterian Theological Seminary will preach at Saturday's closing worship.

"As we grapple with the emerging church of the 21st century, it is imperative that we come together to listen, learn, and envision the future," said Stated Clerk Nelson. "God through Jesus Christ is providing us an opportunity at Big Tent to go deep in our theology and faith while renewing our spirits."

Tony De La Rosa, the interim executive director of the Presbyterian Mission Agency, added, "Three days of quality programming held in a central, convenient location at a reasonable cost for participants—this year's Big Tent gathering promises to be among the best ever."

Registration is underway. The standard price of \$395 includes registration, accommodations for three nights, and meals.

The Presbytery of Southern Kansas is offering partial scholarships. A couple of our members are planning to attend. We'd like others to go and travel to St. Louis in our new van. More information is at <http://www.presbyterianmission.org/big-tent/>. If you have an interest in attending, contact Mission Committee Moderator, Mary Knecht, [knechtmary@hotmail.com](mailto:knechtmary@hotmail.com) or 942-8068.



## NEW VAN

This article is long overdue. Last Saturday, the PCPG Task Force took a road trip to First Presbyterian Church in Winfield Kansas to see what they are doing to promote growth. Our group of Joanna Ediger, Gale Farmer, Stephanie Bird

Hutchison, Michelle Murray-Cline, Tom Church, and myself were very impressed with two areas of foci—Signage and Story-telling. The picture to the left is our new van that we used that day and our youth have used to go on trips to Sterling Kansas for Sleepless in Sterling and to Westminster Woods.

The purchase of this van was made possible from Harriet Pritchard's Estate and the efforts of Donn Mason who found us an almost new van in Chicago. The only problem was getting it to Wichita. Donn solved this by having one of his men take the train beginning in Newton at 2:30 a.m. It was a 12-hour train ride. When he arrived at the auction, the van was locked with the keys inside. Donn had to make a phone call and 30 minutes later the locksmith arrived and his friend was on the road back to Wichita.

Once in Wichita, Donn had the van cleaned and detailed with our church name and tag line put on it. If you would like to reserve the van for your group outing, please contact the Church Office or Geri Doll.



## Quarterly Report

### January-March 2017 Financial Report

| Income         |                      | Expenses             |                      |
|----------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| Contributions  | \$ 134,324.90        | Communications       | \$ 539.00            |
| Investments    | \$ 1,170.68          | Deacons/Evangelism   | \$ 268.56            |
| Foundation     | \$                   | Worship/Music        | \$ 2,268.99          |
| Economy Corner | \$ 19,265.64         | Camp                 | \$ 0.00              |
| Other          | <u>\$ 24,498.33</u>  | Education/Fellowship | \$ 3,409.45          |
|                |                      | Mission/EC           | \$ 19,295.39         |
|                |                      | Finance              | \$ 18,513.27         |
| <b>Total</b>   | <b>\$ 179,259.55</b> | Facilities           | \$ 34,922.37         |
|                |                      | Stewardship          | \$ 83.03             |
|                |                      | Personnel            | <u>\$ 145,418.79</u> |
|                |                      | <b>Total</b>         | <b>\$ 224,718.85</b> |

We received a total of 140 pledges totaling \$447,000. Our budget projected \$450,000 from pledges. Contribution income for the first quarter amounted to 30% of the projected contributions for the year. Expenses exceeded income by \$42,625.55, which is on track with our projections. We are projecting that budgeted expenses will exceed income by \$174,018.01 by the end of the year. Thank you for your continued support

#### *Thank You*

**The youth group would like to sincerely thank the many people who helped with our annual melodrama. It takes so many people to make everything happen, we will try to list them all here:**

**Directors**-Lorena Kite, Cynthia Rekoske and Judy Conners

**Food**- (shopping, prepping, cooking, serving and clean-up)-Alice Price, Carol Haltom, Cynthia Rekoske, Kyle and Lorena Kite, Sheli and Joel Blessant, Catherine Johnston, Doug and Joan Aldrich, David Wade, Harry Fiekert, Dick and Margaret Wieland, Mike Inman, Melinda Sears, D.J. and Dale Spaeth, Steven Harper, Jill Young, Eric & Jill Coldwater, Robin Gales, Joanna and Matt Ediger

**Set and room set-up/take-down**-Roy Yarbrough, Amanda Decker, Tyler Duncan, Rodney Hyche

**Melodrama booklet**-Debbie Schnelle, Nancy Bishop, Alice Price

**Music**-Sheaukang Hew, Blaine Martin

**Table decorations**-Joanna Ediger, Kathy McVey, Tracy Dranselka

**Alumni**-Matthew Brown, Carissa and Jeff Crittenden, Liz Garner, Laci Haas, Andrew Johnston, Jared and Seth Kite

**Ask Brent**-Brent Johnston

**The youth and their parents**-For making a huge commitment and following through to the end!

**People who purchased ads, made donations, and came to the show.** Too many to mention but thank you very much for supporting our youth group!





**Tuesday, May 2**

- 1:00 Staff Meeting (Hobbs)
- 5:15 Mission Com. Mtg. (Hobbs)
- 6:00 Youth Ministry Team (YL)

**Wednesday, May 3**

- 9:00 Dorcas (C105)
- 5:00 Facilities Com. Mtg. (Hobbs)
- 5:30 Wednesday Night Bible Study  
[Child activities provided]  
(*The Well*)
- 5:30 Youth Club (*The Well*)
- 6:00 James Ringers (Sanctuary)
- 7:00 Choir Rehearsal (Choir Room)

**Thursday, May 4**

- 8:30 Sr. Men's Breakfast (WDR)

**Friday, May 5**

- 12:00 Lectionary Bible Study (WDR)
- 7:00 Kell First Friday (Roger & Ann Eastwood)

**Saturday, May 6**

- 8:00 Community Breakfast (EDR, WDR, KIT)
- 9:00 Guadalupe Clinic (EDR)

**Sunday, May 7**

*Communion*

- 8:30 Worship (Chapel)
- 9:15 Coffee Fellowship (*The Well*)
- 9:30 Journey Class (WDR)
- 9:30 Sunday School & Luccock Class (Parlor)
- 10:15 Choir Rehearsal (Choir Room)
- 10:45 Worship (Sanctuary)
- 10:45 Congolese Worship (C204/C201)

**Monday, May 8**

- 4:30 Personnel Meeting (Hobbs)

**Tuesday, May 9**

- 2:00 Blood Pressure Check (EC)
- 5:15 Children's Ministry Team (*The*

*Well*)

- 5:30 Finance & Admin. Com. Mtg. (Hobbs)
- 6:00 Deacon's Mtg. (C109)
- 6:15 CE&F Com. Mtg. (*The Well*)

**Wednesday, May 10**

- 9:00 Dorcas Circle (C105)
- 9:30 PW Brunch
- 5:30 Wednesday Night Bible Study  
[Child activities provided]  
(*The Well*)
- 5:30 Youth Club (*The Well*)
- 6:00 VBS Training (Parlor)

**Thursday, May 11**

- 9:00 Economy Corner Board Meeting (EC)
- 5:30 PCPG (*The Well*)

**Saturday, May 13**

- 9:00 Gardens & Grounds
- 9:30 Transportation Mtg. (C109)

**Sunday, May 14**

*Mother's Day*

- 8:30 Worship (Chapel)
- 9:15 Coffee Fellowship (*The Well*)
- 9:30 Journey Class (WDR)
- 9:30 Stephen Ministry Supervision (C103)
- 9:30 Sunday School & Luccock Class (Parlor)
- 10:15 Choir Rehearsal (Choir Room)
- 10:45 Worship (Sanctuary) [EPIC Worship & Graduation Recognition]
- 10:45 Congolese Worship (C204/C201)
- 11:45 Worship & Music Com. Mtg. (McComb)

**Monday, May 15**

- 5:00 Stewardship Meeting (Parlor)

**Tuesday, May 16**

- 1:00 Staff Meeting (Hobbs)
- 5:30 Session (Parlor)

**Wednesday, May 17**

- 9:00 Dorcas (C105)
- 5:30 Youth Club (*The Well*)
- 5:30 Wednesday Night Bible Study  
[Child activities provided]  
(*The Well*)
- 6:00 James Ringers (Sanctuary)
- 7:00 Choir Rehearsal (Choir Room)

**Thursday, May 18**

- 8:30 Sr. Men's Breakfast (WDR)
- 11:45 Theological Themes in Lit. (RR)

**Friday, May 19**

- 12:00 Lectionary Bible Study (WDR)

**Sunday, May 21**

*Prayers of the People*

- 8:30 Worship (Chapel)
- 9:15 Coffee Fellowship (*The Well*)
- 9:30 Sunday School & Luccock Class (Parlor)
- 9:30 Camp Com. Mtg. (*The Well*)
- 9:45 Dillon's Rewards Enroll (*The Well*)
- 10:00 Blood Pressure Check (*The Well*)
- 10:15 Choir Rehearsal (Choir Room)
- 10:45 Worship (Sanctuary)
- 10:45 Congolese Worship (C204/C201)

**Tuesday, May 23**

- 1:00 Staff Meeting (Hobbs)
- 2:00 Blood Pressure Check (EC)

**Wednesday, May 24**

- 9:00 Dorcas (C105)

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**Sunday, May 28**

*Yellow Bag Sunday*

- 9:15 Coffee Fellowship (*The Well*)
- 10:45 Worship (Sanctuary)
- 10:45 Congolese Worship  
(C204/C201)
- 11:45 Passport to Mission (*The Well*)
- 12:15 12:15 Encounter

**Monday, May 29**

*Memorial Day*

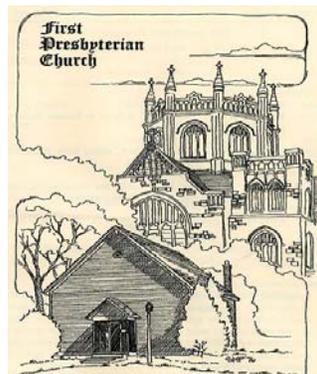
*Church & Economy Corner Closed*

**Tuesday, May 30**

- 1:00 Staff Meeting (Hobbs)

**Wednesday, May 31**

- 9:00 Dorcas Circle (C105)



Cowtown Service will  
be on June 4,  
at 8:00 & 9:00.  
Russ Davisson  
will be speaking.

Memorial Day  
Weekend  
May 28-One Service  
at 10:45 a.m.



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