

307 Gates Avenue SE, Huntsville AL 35801

Honoring Our Veterans



Veterans Day Picnic Saturday, November 11th 11:00 a.m.

Bring your lawn chairs and join us at the front of the Weil House as we watch the Veterans Day parade together. Following the parade, we will enjoy a picnic of hot dogs, chips, tea, and lemonade.

Presbyterian Women

**PW Circles will meet
Monday, November 13**

Circle 1 - 10:00 a.m. at the Gideon Blackburn House.

Circle 2 - 10:00 a.m., hosted by Joanne Horn,
11 Ledges Main SE, Huntsville

Circle 3 - 6:30 p.m. in the Carriage House.



Special Thanksgiving Ministry

The Share Cluster of FPC invites you to participate in a special Thanksgiving ministry to fill small brightly colored duffel bags with useful items to distribute to the homeless during the Thanksgiving season. We provide the bags - you provide the items.

Bags will be available on Sunday, October 29 and should be returned to the church by Sunday, November 19.

[Click Here for Details](#)

Celebrating First Presbyterian's First 200 Years in Christ

Help make our Church shine for the Holidays and our upcoming 200th Birthday on Saturday November 18th from 8 am to noon. We'll do all the things that never seem to get done, find treasures, and enjoy fellowship. Child care and lunch provided!



For no one can lay any foundation other than the one that has been laid; that foundation is Jesus Christ.
1 Corinthians 3:11

[Work Day Sign-up Here](#)

**\$200 for 200 Years
Mission/November
Devotional**

Grief and Loss Support Group



“Find Support Through Grief and Loss”

A free, six week support group for any adult experiencing grief, loss, or significant life change,
starting the week of October 8, 2017.

Space is limited. Signup is required.

**Sign up by calling 256-650-1212
Monday through Friday, 8am to 4:30pm**

For times, locations, classes and dates, click the link below:

[Details Here](#)

REMINDER

The deadline for all announcements for the bulletin and/or the weekly email is Wednesday morning by 9:00 a.m.

Please submit you announcements to Cynde Tannehill at:

administrator@fpchsv.org

Worship This Week



**All Saints' Sunday
November 5, 2017**

**Rev. Dr. Carol Tate,
Interim Pastor**

"A Transcending Trust"

**8:30 a.m. (John Allan Hall)
10:30 a.m. (Sanctuary)**

Scripture this week:
[Psalm 90](#); [Matthew 5:1-12](#)

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Sermons Online

In Keeping with Presbyterian tradition, the hearing of God's word in Scripture and preaching is central to each Sunday service of worship at First Presbyterian Church.

For those who were unable to be with us, and for those who want to reflect further on a sermon or save it, you will find below the online text of the most recent sermons. Simply click "Audio Sermon."

For a PDF of the Sunday worship bulletin, click on the service time.

**Sunday, November 5,
2017**

"A Transcending Trust"

Rev. Dr. Carol Tate

[8:30/10:30 a.m.](#)

**Sunday, October 29,
2017**

"Listening Together"

Rev. Dr. Carol Tate

[10:30 a.m.](#)

NO AUDIO AVAILABLE

**Sunday, October 22,
2017**

"Whose Image?"

Rev. Dr. Carol Tate

[8:30/10:30 a.m.](#)

Audio Sermon

Sunday, October 15, 2017

"Underdressed"

Rev. Dr. Carol Tate

[8:30/10:30 a.m.](#)

Audio Sermon

Music at FPC

THE MUSIC MINISTRY *of*
FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

November 5:

- **Many thanks** to the Westminster Ringers for their hard work.
- **WNL Children Choir will be singing at the 10:30 service on November 12.** Please bring your child to the **Sanctuary at 9:45 am** to rehearse with Mrs. McAllister.
- The Oakwood Academy will be worshipping with us on November 19 at the 10:30 am service. Please join us.
- If your children would like to participate in the Christmas Pageant this

year, please contact Dr. Hacker via her email address below.

- **This year the Music Ministry** is incorporating a new music curriculum during WNL. Pre-school and K-5th will follow "Growing in Grace", the music curriculum designed by Chorister's Guild. We invite parents to bring their children on Wednesday night so they can learn God's word through music.
- **If you would like to join the Chancel Choir**, we would love to have you. Rehearsals are on Wednesdays at 7:15 p.m. in the Choir Room.
- **Handbell Rehearsals** are on Sundays at 11:30 a.m., immediately following the 10:30 service in the Bell Room.

Dr. Patricia Hacker, Director of Music

256-536-3354, ext. 126

music@fpchsv.org

Children and Youth Ministries

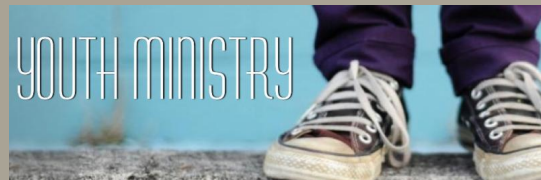
Announcements

November



- Nursery provided from 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.
- Sunday School - 9:30 a.m
- Children's Church - 10:30 a.m.

November



Nov. 5th - PYC is from 5-7pm
- meeting in the Fellowship Hall

Louise McCallion,
Director of Youth Ministry
256-536-3354, ext. 131
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First Friends Preschool

First Friends Preschool provides a loving and nurturing Christian education program for children ages twelve weeks through Pre-



Kindergarten. Established in 1982, First Friends Preschool's mission is to nurture children of First Presbyterian Church and the community and to serve as a preparatory school for entrance into public or private school Kindergarten. *Click the photo to visit our website.*

Lacy Guthrie, Director of First Friends Preschool
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ffdirector@fpchsv.org

Upcoming Events

[View our Church Calendar Online](#)

Flower Dedications for Sunday

Flower Dedications for 2017

Flower Dedications are given to the Glory of God in memory of loved ones or in honor of special a special occasion such as a birthday, wedding, or anniversary.

A donation of \$50 will sponsor a flower arrangement by the Flower Guild.

Flower Dedication cards/envelopes are located at the back of the sanctuary, or at the bulletin boards, or can be picked up at the church office.

Upcoming available Sunday dates:

Nov. 5, 12, 19, 26; Dec. 10, 17

Prayer Requests

We are here to pray for you . . .

Members: Anne Boles, Charlie Bonner, Paula Brown, Emily Butler, Reese Butler, Frances Byrd, Marlyn Harris, David Hatch, J. R. Howard, Kara Howard, Billie Jones; Cay Lambert, Sage Lyons III, Sanders Pair, Amy Ricks, Dolly Shuey, and Bruce Williams.

Friends & Relatives: Alice Contreras Anaya - Sister of Frank

Contreras; Mary Nell Beam - Daughter of Gene and Alicia Beam; **Kim & Jeanne Chamberlin - Friends of Frank Contreras;** John Cotney, Jr. - Brother of Carol Cotney; Stella Fair - Sister of David Galloway; **Calhecia Francis - Sister of Eliza Francis;** **Robin Freisen - Friend of the Wessel Family;** Donna Hester - Sister-in-law of Anne Peters; Gail Hopson - Friend of Patricia Hacker; **Frances Kyser - Friend of Patricia Hacker;** Beverlee Leo - Mother of Lori Smith; Markes Little - Brother of Peggy Galloway; Kevin McCarley - Brother of Roy McCorkle; Beth Lee McCormick - Friend of the Fowler Family; E. C. Richardson - Friend of George and Eleanor Harsh; Diana Rose - Mother of Serena Neely; J.C. Scrimshire - Friend of Dr. Everett Mosley; Scott Sedlitz - Stepson of Annwhite Fuller.

Members and Relatives in Specialty Care: Elissa Green (Brookdale Hampton Cove); Jeanette Hollis (Harbor Chase); Lorinne Lilly (Magnolia Cottage); Darwin Perkins (Brookdale Place); Ray Rose (Diversicare of Big Springs); Virginia Rowe (Whitesburg Gardens); Marge Sharp (Birmingham).

The Church: The Pastor Nominating Committee; the Nominating Committee; First Presbyterian Church, the Session, the North Alabama Presbytery, and for all the church staff.

Military & International: All those serving in the armed forces.

Our Nation: President Trump and our representatives.

First Presbyterian Missions & Ministries: Appalachia Service Project (ASP); Good Samaritans; International Missionary Fellowship (HaitiHospital.org); The Vine Pastoral Counseling Center; The Presbyterian Home for Children; Second Mile Preschool; Kids to Love; and the CUP program.

Other Prayers: Let us remember all those who have suffered and continue to suffer from natural disasters: the victims of... Hurricanes Harvey, Irma, José, Maria, and Nate; the earthquake in Mexico; the fires in the West; to the victims, families & loved ones affected by the senseless violence in Las Vegas. Also, our Presbyterian Disaster Assistance program and other benevolent agencies.

First Presbyterian Church Staff & Leadership

OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Thursday: 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Friday: 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

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THE SESSION

Class of 2017: Harriet Bibb (Care); Bo Lundy (Gather); Houston Matthews (Maintain); Heidi Meadows (Share); Melissa Rowe (Grow); Andy Watson (Sustain); Charlotte Wessel (Worship).

Class of 2018: Vicky Goodwin (Care); Marshall Schreeder, Jr. (Sustain); Danny Bryant (Gather); David Galloway (Maintain); Bob McKemie (Worship); Karen Madison (Share); Woodward Howard (Grow).

Moderator:

Dr. Carol Tate, *Interim Pastor*

Clerk of Session:

Bruce Williams

Moving Clerk:

Louis Horn

To view Current session minutes, click [HERE](#).

DIACONATE (DEACONS)

Class of 2017: Gene Beam (Sustain); Libby Brown (Maintain); Karen Clayton (Gather); June Guynes (Share); Andi Gaskins (Care); Elaine Stowe (Grow); Sally Troy (Worship).

Class of 2018: Ryan Parker (Sustain); Sue Garrison (Worship); Joe Lundy (Gather); Annwhite Fuller (Care); Andrew Bevel (Share); Jesse Guthrie (Maintain); Ben Peters (Grow).

TRUSTEES

Class of 2017: Mac Martinson and Charles Bozeman (Treasurer of Trustees)

Class of 2017: Bill Johnson and David Galloway

Class of 2019: Bill Lummus and Jim Daughtry

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