TUESDAY AUGUST 28

8:30 AM Preschool CPR - Faith Family Center
6:00 PM San Diego Harmony Ringers - Room 2
7:00 PM All Peoples Church - Faith Family Center

7:00 PM Tuesday Eves - Room 3

WEDNESDAY AUGUST 29

8:30 AM Preschool Staff Meeting - Room 1 9:30 AM Staff Meeting - Conference Room

10:30 AM Bible Study - Room 2

7:00 PM PNC - Library

THURSDAY AUGUST 30

9:30 AM Newsletter Assembly - Library

FRIDAY AUGUST 31

12:00 PM IV - Rooms 1,2,3

6:30 PM Chinese Bible Study - Rooms 1,2,3

PM Youth Group from Arizona - Faith Family Center

SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 1

AM/PM Youth Group from Arizona - Faith Family Center

PM Setup for Sunday - Faith Family Center

SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 2

AM/PM Youth Group from Arizona - Faith Family Center

9:30 AM Service of Worship - Sanctuary

Preacher: Rev. Dr. Gary Ziccardi

Faith Presbyterian Church is special to me because...

- Everyone is friendly and there is always something going on.
- The good people
- It is such a loving family of faith for my mom and dad. Thank you!
- Love and blessings and support; caring and the Lord's love
- ❖ My prayer quilt is a reminder that I am loved.

- ANNOUNCEMENTS -

<u>VISITORS WELCOME!</u> It is a joy to have you with us in worship today. We hope that the service blesses you as much as you have blessed us this morning. Let us become acquainted with you in the courtyard after worship. If you are a first-time visitor, please stop by the visitor booth and receive a gift from our church.

<u>THE CHANCEL FLOWERS</u> are given to the glory of God by Sharon Cameron in memory of her mother, Mary Ann's birthday and in celebration of her birthday.

Each Sunday, we include names of individuals who are unable to attend church due to health reasons. Long-term shut-ins or those needing TLC (tender loving care) are listed on a rotating basis each week. We also include those facing hospitalization or who are in the hospital or hospice (H) or rehab (R). We ask that you take this list home and pray for these individuals every day.

SHUT IN & TLC



Jean Bruha
Robin Craig
Ellis Dugger
Mary Dempniak (H)
Laura Dutton
Stu Elder
Ruth Juleen
Curtis McKee

Evelyn Meyer
June Millenaar
Kathleen Orton
David and Linda Pain
Carol Pearson
Genelle Scott
Lola Wilson
Fred Wiley (H)

Please continue to include prayers for God's guidance and provision during this interim pastor transitional period.

<u>LITURGICAL COLOR: GREEN</u> is used for ordinary time. Green symbolizes spiritual growth.

FAREWELL AND THANKS TO EMILIA MODRUSAN - After 4 years here, at the end of August, as Emilia moves into her career as a full-time teacher, she will be concluding her service for Christ here as our Children's Ministry Coordinator. God bless you Emilia! Please join us for goodies after church today to say farewell to her.

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MIDWEEK BIBLE STUDY: CONTINUES THIS WEDNESDAY at 10:30am in Room 2. Digging into the Word together in James 1:17-27. Come ready to observe, interpret, evaluate and apply God's Word in your lives!

<u>NEWSLETTER ASSEMBLY</u> - Thursday, August 30th at 9:30am. New volunteers are welcome. No experience necessary.

<u>LABOR DAY - SEPTEMBER 3</u> - On Monday, September 3rd, the office will be closed for Labor Day.

FAITH STUDENT MINISTRIES - We have had a slight change of plans, and will be launching our new Youth Group for students in 6th-12th grade on September 12th. This will run at the same time as our church's new Wednesday night program, Koinonia, which will cater to adults and children, 6-7:30. Please see Sarah if you have any questions or would like to help.

KOINONIA TIME - Beginning 12 Sept, every Wed night this year we'll be gathering each week from 6-7:30 PM for *Koinonia Time* as a church family. *Koinonia* is a Greek word that occurs 20 times in the Bible and means "fellowship, sharing in common, communion." The first occurrence of *koinonia* is in Acts 2:42, "They devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and to the fellowship, to the breaking of bread and to prayer." Christian fellowship is a key aspect of the Christian life. As believers in Christ, we have the special calling and privilege to come together in love, faith, and encouragement. Penny Sartori has volunteered to head up preparing our weekly meal. For those interested, please speak to her about assisting in this area of service for Christ. We'll have a basket out with a suggested donation of \$5 per individual or \$10 per family. We'll glorify God singing some songs, share in a time of study and discussion, and conclude in praying together. The series of studies beginning in the evenings 12 Sept are exciting, relevant and useful in our walks with the Lord. The first 5 weeks are on Rev John Ortberg's studies *The Me I Want to Be: Becoming God's Best Version of YOU*.

KOINONIA KIDS LEADERS: We are looking for people who would be willing to lead our children in a lesson on Wednesday nights during our new Koinonia program. Volunteers will still be able to participate in the meal and music time with everyone else before the children are dismissed to their lesson which will be around 45 minutes. We will have an easy to follow curriculum and supplies ready for you. Please see Sarah if you have any questions or would like to help.

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<u>NEW MEMBERS CLASS</u> - If you would like to explore becoming an Active or Affiliate Member of Faith Presbyterian Church, please talk to Pastor Gary or send him an email at <u>gziccardi@fpsd.org</u> to enroll in the classes projected for 4 & 11 Nov from 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM in the Pastor's Office.

<u>THANK YOU</u> to all the volunteers and for your donations to make our Hot Dog Stand successful. Our next Hot Dog Stand will be September 14 at 7:00pm.

<u>FLOWER OFFERINGS</u> - We still have a few Sundays that are open. Cost is \$75.00 and may be shared. See Sharon Cameron if you have any questions.

PEACE & GLOBAL WITNESS OFFERING enables the church to promote the Peace of Christ by addressing systems of injustice across the world. Individual congregations are encouraged to utilize up to 25% of this Offering to connect with the global witness of Christ's peace. Mid councils retain an additional 25% for ministries of peace and reconciliation. The remaining 50% is used by the Presbyterian Mission Agency to advocate for peace and justice in cultures of violence, including our own, through collaborative projects of education and Christian witness. Your local or mid-council portion of the Peace & Global Witness Offering could be contributed toward to the Freedom Rising fund for African American males. - source: http://specialofferings.pcusa.org/peace-global.html. We will collect your Peace and Global Witness Offering, October 7, 2018.

OPPORTUNITIES FOR WORSHIP AND SERVICE

SUNDAY AUGUST 26

9:30 AM Service of Worship - Sanctuary

Preacher: Rev. Dr. Gary Ziccardi

MONDAY AUGUST 27

7:30 AM Men's Group - Living Room