SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 9 - RALLY DAY (continued)

11:15 AM Deacons Meeting - Room 2

MONDAY SEPTEMBER 10

7:30 AM Men's Group - Living Room

TUESDAY SEPTEMBER 11

6:00 PM San Diego Harmony Ringers - Room 2

7:30 PM Gift of Dance - Sanctuary

WEDNESDAY SEPTEMBER 12

9:30 AM Staff Meeting - Conference Room

10:30 AM Bible Study - Room 2 6:00 PM Youth Group - Youth Room

6:00 PM Koinonia Time - Faith Family Center

7:00 PM PNC - Library

THURSDAY SEPTEMBER 13

11:00 AM Women's Circle - Room 3

6:00 PM Bells - Room 2

7:00 PM All Peoples Church - Faith Family Center

7:00 PM Choir - Room 1

FRIDAY SEPTEMBER 14 12:00 PM IV - Rooms 1,2,3

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

7:00 PM Hot Dog Stand

SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 15

5:00 PM Eagle Honor - Rory Volkert - Faith Family Center

SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 16

8:45 AM Choir Warmup - Sanctuary
9:30 AM Service of Worship - Sanctuary

Preacher: Rev. Dr. Gary Ziccardi

11:00 AM Session Meeting - Room 2

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<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.

THE CHANCEL FLOWERS are given to the glory of God by Kate Cameron:

Matthew 8:26-30 ²⁸ "And why do you worry about clothes? See how the flowers of the field grow. They do not labor or spin. ²⁹ Yet I tell you that not even Solomon in all his splendor was dressed like one of these. ³⁰ If that is how God clothes the grass of the field, which is here today and tomorrow is thrown into the fire, will he not much more clothe you—you of little faith?"

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 Evelyn Meyer
Robin Craig June Millenaar
Ellis Dugger Kathleen Orton
Mary Dempniak (H) David and Linda Pain
Laura Dutton Carol Pearson
Stu Elder Genelle Scott
Ruth Juleen Lola Wilson

Fred Wiley (H)

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

Curtis McKee

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

<u>CAKE FOR RALLY DAY</u> - Cake will be served today to welcome back our fabulous Faith musicians.

MIDWEEK BIBLE STUDY: CONTINUES THIS WEDNESDAY at 10:30am in Room 2. Digging into the Word together in James 3:1-12. Come ready to observe, interpret, evaluate and apply God's Word in your lives!

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RALLY DAY - Now that summer vacation days are completed, schools are back in session, our choir is rested and ready, and the privilege and gift from God to worship, serve, evangelize, and fellowship together in this new 2018-2019 year is before us, we are celebrating RALLY DAY today! We proclaim top and centered each week in the worship bulletin that we are "A family of Christ, welcoming all, worshiping God, growing in the Spirit and joyously serving others." On RALLY DAY we will be called to renew our awareness of and commitment to our Lord and one another. We will be reminded of who we are and Whose we are. As the Apostle Paul taught in 1 Cor 12, we are connected to one another in relationships, gifting and mission: ¹² For just as the body is one and has many members, and all the members of the body, though many, are one body, so it is with Christ ⁴ Now there are varieties of gifts, but the same Spirit; 5 and there are varieties of services, but the same Lord; ⁶ and there are varieties of activities, but it is the same God who activates all of them in everyone. ⁷To each is given the manifestation of the Spirit for the common good. We will have ministry leaders ready after the service on the patio and around the Faith Family Center to share more with you about the many ways the Lord is known, served and glorified, inviting you to prayerfully consider and sense the nudge of the Spirit toward your vital participation this next year. Our ministries are many and diverse, but are incomplete without the full participation of all of our gifted and loved members! These ministry areas include college outreach, congregational life, faith development & nurture, finance, memorial, mission, nominating, personnel, property, facilities, information technology, stewardship, worship & arts, communion, community service, flowers, home worship, labor of love, memorial service, prayer chain, prayer quilt, prison, and visitation.

<u>FAITH STUDENT MINISTRIES</u> - We 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.

<u>HOT DOG STAND</u> - September 14, 7:00pm. Volunteers are needed and your donation of food are appreciated! See Bonnie Koehler if you have any questions.

WOMEN'S GROUP is postponed to meet September 29, 6:30pm in Room 2.

<u>RORY VOLKERT</u> will be holding his Eagle Court of Honor (along with three other scouts) on the 15th of September at 5:00 in the Faith Family Center. The Volkert's would like to invite the Faith family to attend the event as desired. Please RSVP to navyshrink@att.net if you plan to attend.

PRESBYTERIANS TODAY MAGAZINE - Please see insert for subscription form.

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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. Curriculum and supplies are ready for you. Questions? See Sarah.

<u>ADULT EDUCATION</u> - If you'd like to learn more about how to deepen your personal relationship with God, come to the Adult Education Hour on Sundays, Sept. 23, Sept. 30; and, Oct. 7, 11:00am - 12:00pm. David Helkenn will lead these three sessions on the question, "What is God's Will for Me? For us?" Please reserve your place since study materials will be ordered. Call the office if you need child care.

<u>PEACE & GLOBAL WITNESS OFFERING</u> - October 7, 2018. For more information, visit http://specialofferings.pcusa.org/peace-global.html.

<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.

OPPORTUNITIES FOR WORSHIP AND SERVICE

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