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This week at First Presbyterian...

Sunday, January 6
8:30 a.m. Early Worship - Chapel
9:30 a.m. Sunday School
10:30 a.m. Worship service - Sanctuary
5:00 p.m. Firsts at First - Youth Group
Monday, January 7
1:00 p.m. The Seekers Bible Study - Rm 212
5:55 p.m. Yoga—FLC
6:00 p.m. Boy Scouts Pack 41 - Kirk
Tuesday, January 8
9:00 a.m. Dayschool Chapel
10:00 a.m. Rhodes Respite Care - Kirk
2:00 p.m. Staff Meeting - Library
7:00 p.m. Circle 2 - Member’s home
Wednesday, January 9
8:15 a.m. Young Mom’s Bible Study - Bagel Shop
9:15 a.m. Chair Yoga - Rm 216
12:00 p.m. Men’s Bible Study - McDougald Rm
7:00 p.m. Chancel Choir Rehearsal
Thursday, January 10
10:00 a.m. Rhodes Respite Care - FLC
10:00 a.m. Prayer Shawl Ministry - Rm 110
Friday, January 11
3:00 p.m. Book Club - Parlor
6:00 p.m. Girl Scouts - Kirk
Saturday, January 12 No scheduled events

Epiphany of the Lord

January 6, 2019

10:30am



**Wednesday Night Live Resumes
Wednesday, January 16th**

Wednesday night church provides a wonderful, mid-week opportunity to gather as a church family for Bible study, singing, dinner and fellowship. We have choirs and classes for children, youth Bible study, and two adult small group Bible study options. And who doesn't love a delicious dinner with family and friends that you didn't have to prepare?

*Make plans to join us! *Look for class details in our next newsletter*

Questions? Contact Jennifer Stewart at 225-2551 or jennifers@fpcandersonsc.com

**BUILDING ON FAITH
CAPITAL CAMPAIGN
KICKOFF CELEBRATION**

Sunday, January 13

**10:30am in the Family Life Center
Campaign Kickoff 11:30am—
12:15pm**

Soup Luncheon .. Overview of project scope .. Revised renderings of building concepts .. Messages from Steering Committee members .. Reveal of pledges already received

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EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

JANUARY 6, 2019

10:30AM

Welcome!

First Presbyterian Church welcomes all in the name of Jesus Christ today. We are delighted you have chosen to join us. Whether you are a longtime FPC disciple or a new friend, please sign the fellowship pad in the pew. Please visit our website or call the church office for additional information about our faith family.

◆ When this symbol precedes an element of the service, please rise in body or spirit if you are able. Please join in reading or singing those parts of the service printed in bold.

WE PREPARE TO WORSHIP GOD

PRELUDE *Noel* arr. D. Hammer
ANNOUNCEMENTS Jim Stewart
INTROIT *Angels, from the Realms of Glory* REGENT SQUARE
Chancel Choir

WE PRAISE GOD

CALL TO WORSHIP Matthew 2:1-2

Magi from the East come to Jerusalem, asking
**“Where is the child who has been born king of the Jews?
For we observed his star at its rising,
And have come to pay him homage.”**

- ◆ HYMN 611 *Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee* HYMN TO JOY
- ◆ SUMMARY OF THE LAW (from Matthew 22:37-40)
In preparation for approaching the Lord’s Table and receiving the Lord’s gifts, we recite and meditate on the summary of God’s Law.
Our Lord Jesus said: You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your mind. This is the greatest and first commandment. And a second is like it: You shall love your neighbor as yourself. On these two commandments hang all the law and the prophets. AMEN.

- ◆ GLORIA PATRI 581 GREATOREX
*(Young Disciples, ages 5k and under, are dismissed for extended worship.)
(First graders are dismissed for Worship Education.)*

WE RESPOND TO GOD’S WORD

PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

- OFFERTORY *Old French Carol* Manz
- ◆ DOXOLOGY OLD HUNDREDTH, Hymnal, pg. 606
- ◆ PRAYER OF DEDICATION
- NEW TESTAMENT READING *Matthew 2:1-23* Pew Bible, p. 1
- MEDITATION *“Epiphany”* Dr. Dennis Tedder
- ◆ HYMN OF RESPONSE 151 *We Three Kings of Orient Are*
(Verses 1-2) KINGS OF ORIENT

HOLY COMMUNION

INVITATION TO THE LORD’S TABLE

PRAYERS OF PETITION, THANKSGIVING AND CONSECRATION

SHARING THE LORD’S GIFTS

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION (unison)

Loving God, you have given us a share in the one bread and one cup and made us one with Jesus. Help us bring your salvation and joy to all the world. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

PASSING THE PEACE

The Peace of Christ be with you.
And also with you.

- ◆ HYMN 151 *We Three Kings of Orient Are* KINGS OF ORIENT
(Verses 3-5)
- ◆ BENEDICTION Titus 2:11-13
- ◆ POSTLUDE *Noel Etranger* Daquin

As a courtesy to those worshipping with you today, please silence cell phones during our service. Please let our ushers know if you need directions to the nursery or to pick your child up from Extended Worship. A video broadcast of the service is available downstairs for those who may need to leave the sanctuary. The ushers can direct you to this room.

*Please check with an usher if you would like large print hymns. After Worship, please keep your bulletin or place in the recycle baskets at each entrance.
THANK YOU!*

The sanctuary flowers are given to the Glory of God.