

SUNDAY WORSHIP 9:30 am – Sunday School 10:30 am – Worship Service (Worship also available live streamed on Facebook)

OFFICE HOURS 8:30 am – 4:30 pm Monday – Thursday 8:30 am – 12:30 pm Friday

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THE LONG VIEW

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We extend our Christian Sympathy to the families of

> Frank Lucy Dr. Bob Terrell James "Jím" Gray

2021 Year End Statements will be mailed soon.



Immediately after Worship on January 30th. All Diaconate are encouraged to attend.

A Festíval of Hymns

5:00 p.m. Sunday, January 30, 2022

First Presbyterian Church 815 E. Main Kilgore, Texas

Rededicating the Aeolian Skinner Organ

Featuring Organist, Bradley Hunter Welch

First Presbyterian Church Chancel Choir Gala Eubank Strunk, director

First Baptist Sanctuary Choir David Berryhill, director

St. Luke's United Methodist Church Chancel Choir James Vermillion, director

The Children's Department is in



DESPERATE need for back-up child-care workers. We just need a few people to call incase our teachers are sick. It will possibly be a last-minute phone call to request your help. This is a paid position.

Please call/text/leave a message, Jamie Hill @ (903)238-6717 or the church office to sign up.

Join us at 5:30/5:40 for good food and great company. On February 1st we will be eating



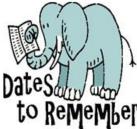
at On the Border. Call Lyn Blount @ (903) 237-8019 or Teresa Mitchell at (432) 553-6305 for more details.



My dear First Christian family, We can't express how deeply we apricate all the many hands, hearts and words of care and concern for our family during this time of the passing of Dr. Bob Terrell. We know he meant a great deal to many of you as he did to us. He will be terribly missed by this church as well as our community. So, please accept our gratitude & deep Thanks.

> Woodie & George Terrell

The mission of this congregation is the proclamation of the Gospel of Jesus Christ through all areas of its life and work, witnessing in all situations to the grace of God in Jesus Christ, thereby seeking in all people a response in faith and commitment to him. Matthew 28:18-20



Sunday School -Sundays @ 9:30 am (In-Person) CHI-RHO/CYF-Sundays @ 11:45 am (Ping-Pong Table) Mat Yoga-Mondays & Wednesdays @ 8:30 am (CH) Monday School-Mondays @ Noon (Jason's Deli) Women's Bible Study-Mondays @ 12:00 pm (Seekers class) Men's Bible Study-Mondays @ 6:30 pm (Mansinger House) Chair Yoga-Tuesdays & Fridays@ 8:30 am (CH) Tuesday Fellowship Dinner @ 5:30 pm Choir Practice-Wednesdays @ 6:30 pm (MS) Tai Chi-Thursdays @ 9:00 am (DH) Pickle Ball-Thursdays 10:00-11:30 am (DH)

Disciple Women's Ministries/Sara's Sisters-2nd Monday of Each Month @ 10:30 am (CH)

ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL

- ABC Class Justice, Law, History-The Present Word -Meets 4th floor, West End, Last Room Teacher: Rotating ACTS Class - The Traveler's Gift by Andy Andrews Meets 4th floor, East End, Last Room
- Teacher: David Farmer Cornerstone Class - Justice, Law, History-The Present Word -Meets in Cornerstone Hall Teacher: Rick Shepherd

GNG Class – Lectionary Meets in the Conference Room Teacher: Rotating Seeker's Class - Psalms, Dr. Richter

Meets 4th Floor, East End, Last Room on Right Sojourners Class - Anxious For Nothing, Max Lucado Meets in 4th Floor Library Teacher: Jodi Bachtell Visions Class- The Book of Acts

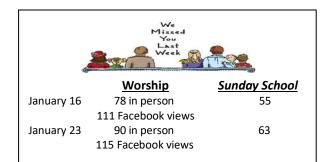
Meets 4th floor, Middle of Hall, South Room Teachers: Charlie & Dottie Bachtell

Lectionary Texts For:

Sunday, January 30 Jeremiah 1:4-10; Psalm 71:1-6; 1 Corinthians 13:1-13; Luke 4:21 Dr. Richard Emerson



Sunday, February 6 Isaiah 6:1-8, Psalm 138, 1 Corinthians 15:1-11 Luke 5: 1-11 Dr. Richard Emerson



Members and Friends Prayer List

MEMBERS- Emerson Family, Aaron Turner, James Wood Bob Roberts, Alex Avaltroni, Cornerstone Class, Logan Damewood, Martha Cochran, George Terrell, Billie Mayberry, Sharon Wilson, Rick Shepherd, Family of Bob Terrell, Norma & Nelson Bates, Family of Frank Lucy, Dottie & Charlie Bachtell, Family of Suzanne Bardwell, Family of James Gray

FRIENDS-Bettye Gilbert, Deanna Thomas, Gilbert Family, Herb Warren, Marsh Family, Emily Johnson, Lomelo Family, Ray Stanley, Jim Beville, John Avaltroni, Doyle, Ann & Steve, Rhee & Danny Tubbs, Lynne Simpson, Charles Suderman, Nelda Muckleroy, Brittany Gill, Wanda Bullock, Dr. Laney Johnson's Wife (Mobberly Baptist), Wallace Hallman & Family, Jamie Walzell, Shipp & Salmom Families, Camillo Family, Chris Martin Raymond Floyd

The next publication of "The Long View" will be mailed on Thursday, February 10, 2022. If you have an article you wish to include in "The Long View", please call, email it or bring it to the church office no later than noon Wednesday.

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Have decided-No Chi-Rho/CYF Meetings at this time! Parents keep your eyes open for Remind texts. Amanda Grimes will be contacting you as soon as the decision has been made to gather again safely.



Sara's Sisters met on January 10 and enjoyed being together as we discussed joys and concerns, brought food items and cash for LCM, ate yummy treats and learned the story of Jephthah's daughter. She was a young girl who was to lose her life because of a vow her father (one of the Judges) made to God when desiring to win a war against the Ammonites. Be careful of making rash promises and and beware of pride! Kim Emerson will bring our lesson in February and we will be bringing personal items for the Highway 80 Rescue Mission for Women. Ladies of FCC, we hope you will join us in Cornerstone Hall on Monday, February 14 at 10:30.

Proverbs 3:5-6

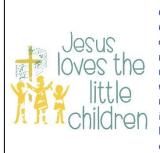
⁵ Trust in the LORD with all your heart, and do not rely on your own insight.

⁶ In all your ways acknowledge him, and he will make straight your paths.



Meets Monday February 8th at 5:30 PM





GGD (Growing God's Disciples) Grades 1-5 meets on Wednesdays at 4:00 pm. These kiddos are in need of supplies again. The most requested item is small bottles of water, they love them and there is no waste. Juice boxes and individually bagged snacks would be great also. Drop off in the office anytime.



Attention all Cooks, Chefs and Taste testers!!

Mark your calendars and plan to be a part of the fun! On February 13, Super Bowl Sunday, at 12:15 in Disciple House, everyone with a mouth and tastebuds is invited to our Annual Chili/Soup Cook-off.

Here's the details:

We are looking for at least 15-20 crockpots of prepared chili/soup recipes to sample and share. Sign-up to bring your favorite world-famous recipe in your Sunday School class and/or on the tear-off on our church bulletin. Come up with a catchy name for your creation and we will award some coveted prizes for various categories, i.e., Most Creative Name, Hands Down Best Chili, Not Too Distant Runner Up, Knock Your Socks Off Soup...you get the idea.

As in the past, this will be a fundraiser to benefit Longview Community Ministries. A collection will be taken in worship as well as during our cook-off.

We will provide sample bowls, napkins, utensils, crackers, Fritos, drinks, desserts and those longed for prizes!! Don't miss out and know a good time will be had by all!!

Sign up and let us know you want to be a part of helping and lifting up one of our church ministry partners!

DC Youth Middle and High School (Grades 6-8) have been combined and moved to April 1-3. Registration is open for this combined retreat. https://disciplescrossing.campbrainregistration.com/

