



Welcome

the weekly
Connection

January 3, 2021

Church Family

Wednesday Night Live Kick-off January 13th

WNL will kick off on January 13th, with meals being served at 5:15 p.m. and events running from 6:00-8:00 p.m. Please join us on January 13th to hear Dr. Green's discussion of the Disciple II series that he will be leading through May. Even if you missed Disciple I, you can still easily fall in line with the DII studies. WNL meals will be available for in-person dining or drive-thru pick up. Price is \$4/ person. Under 12 & over 75 eat for free during this COVID period.

11th Annual Chili Cook-off January 31st



Mark your calendars! On January 31st, our 11th Annual Chili Cook-off is happening from 5:00-7:00 p.m.! We will be taking extra precautions to ensure the safety and health of our participants and guests. Our Chili Cook-Off teams are gathering their recipes and secret ingredients. You will want to take a few tastes and vote for your favorites. The event is free, but each vote costs \$1.00. We encourage our attendees to "vote early and vote often!" Drinks, combread, and dessert will be provided, along with LIVE MUSIC, so wear your boots cuz dancing is encouraged. Your support is greatly appreciated and will help make our annual youth mission trip more affordable.



New Sunday School Class Begins January 31st

A new Sunday School study will begin January 31st. It will be held in the Parlor each Sunday at 11:00 a.m. Jay and Kristie Swoboda will be facilitating a study of "Parables From The Backside".

Child Care Available on Sundays

We are happy to announce that child care is now available on Sunday mornings for those attending church services in the Sanctuary. If you have any questions, please contact Dena Sowden at dsowden@fpconroe.org.

Flower Calendar

Thanks to everyone who provides flowers for the Sanctuary each Sunday through a flower dedication. If you would like to provide flowers in the year of 2021, we have the flower calendar available on the Welcome Desk. Simply write your dedication on the Sunday of your choice. Checks for flowers can be written to the church in the amount \$45. Thank you.

Visitors Welcome to FPC

First Presbyterian Church of Conroe welcomes you. If you are interested in learning more about our church, or wish to become active in our ministry teams and activities, please visit our website at fpconroe.org or email us at yrose@fpconroe.org. We appreciate you joining us for services today, whether online or in person.



Prayer List

Members: The family of Muffy Crowl, Dick Schack, Kim Phillip, Flem Keathley, Carolyn Hebert, Paul Ivison, Leona Cowie, Lorraine Bosse, Gary and Judy Weinberger, Don and Doris Myers, Margaret Carson, Jeanene Wendt, Fay Harrison, Clyde Cruikshank, Virginia Tamborello, Ben Hughes, Jeanette DeFee, Polly Miller, Pat Smith, Jeanne Leverette, Virginia Olivier, Evelyn Kenward, Tom Braaten

Members' Relatives & Friends: Matt F. (Elms), Russell W., Karen R. (Weinberger), Wendy S. (Adamson), Harry S., Jr. (Havens), Anna H. (Hershberger), Tim J. (Staff), Jeffrey H. (Heisley), Krissy P. & family (Kwasniewski), Freddy G. (Taylor), Judy N. (Dukes), Zakary V. (Haines), Sherry M. (Garrison), Craig S. and Elaine N. (Swoboda), Diane B., Pat S.'s family, Lindsey W., Ruby G., Beverly F. (S. Walker), Enrique E. (Moore), Ann (Embanks), Paul M. (Alan Moore), Lee H. and Gene H. (Helms), Deborah R. (Rose), Caleb & Michaela W. (Henderson), Lisa & her children (Webb), Gerald H. (Roberts), Tamara B. (Harrison), Leslie M. family and Martha K. (Juho), Janis H. and Katie B. (Pohlad), Tucker H. (Hudson), Nikkia (Wimberly), Virginia R. (Smith), Dana K. (Shorts)

Good Things to Know

Attendance

Thursday, December 24th

7:00 p.m. Service Sanctuary - 86, Online - 111 Total Attendance - 197	11:00 p.m. Service Sanctuary - 39, Online - 50 Total Attendance - 89
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Sunday, December 27th

10:00 a.m. Sanctuary Worship Service - 38
10:00 a.m. Online Worship Service - 149
Total Attendance - 187

Today's Worship Leader

Martha Haines

Today's Flowers

Today's flowers are given to the glory of God by Bill and Linda Harshbarger, in celebration of their 50th wedding anniversary.

Calendar of Weekly Events

Sunday, January 3

- 9:00 a.m. Fellowship class with Cara Wood: A Bible study based on the Christmas Classic, "It's a Wonderful Life" (Library) (Zoom Meeting ID: 267 960 141) (Password: 330714) <https://zoom.us/j/267960141> (or call +1 346 248 7799, 267960141#)
- 10:00 a.m. Worship Service (Facebook Live www.facebook.com/fpcConroe)
- 11:00 a.m. Exploring Our Faith – (Currently by Zoom; contact sbuckley429@comcast.net for a link), Studying "A History of God: The 4,000-Year Quest of Judaism, Christianity and Islam", by Karen Armstrong.
- 11:30 a.m. Dr. Green Sunday School Class (Dr. Green's office and Zoom Meeting ID: 864 9751 9299) (Passcode: 77304)
- 11:15 a.m. Sunday Intermediate Bible Study (Rm. 702 and Zoom Meeting ID: 844 0076 6393, Passcode: 77304)

Monday, January 4

- 1:00 p.m. Monday Afternoon Bible Study (Zoom Meeting - ID available from Marty Taylor)

Wednesday, January 6

- 9:30 a.m. FPC Staff Meeting (Zoom Meeting ID available by invitation)
- 5:45 p.m. Handbells Practice (Sanctuary)
- 6:00 p.m. The Spark Youth Event (FLC Gym)
- 7:00-8:00 p.m. Chancel Choir Practice (Sanctuary)

Sunday, January 10

- 9:00 a.m. Fellowship class with Cara Wood: A Bible study based on the Christmas Classic, "It's a Wonderful Life" (Library) (Zoom Meeting ID: 267 960 141) (Password: 330714) <https://zoom.us/j/267960141> (or call +1 346 248 7799, 267960141#)
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***If you have any questions about the calendar of events,
please visit the website at fpcconroe.org, or contact the group leader.***

Save the Date

Future Planning

- January 6 - PDS Returns from Winter Break
- January 13 - Wednesday Night Live Meal and Activities Begin
- January 16 - Family Movie Night
- January 17 - New Sunday School Class Begins
- January 30 - Youth Lock-in
- January 31 - Chili Cook-off
- February 7-14 - Family Promise

Ministry Leaders

Ministry Team Leaders

<i>Administration:</i>	Jay Swoboda (2020, Chair), Todd Harrell (2021), David Perciful (2022)
<i>Building & Grounds:</i>	Warren Taylor (2020), Stephan Tibbetts (2022)
<i>Care-Prayer:</i>	Donald Yates (2020)
<i>Discipleship:</i>	Hailey Simon (2020), Kyle Williams (2020), Mark Sowden (2021), Anne Spinks (2021), Mike Garrison (2022)
<i>Fellowship:</i>	Shirley Dukes (2021)
<i>Membership:</i>	Gabby Alvarez (2020), Donna Stewart (2021)
<i>Missions:</i>	Tom Young (2021)
<i>Trustee:</i>	Keith Stewart (2020)
<i>Worship:</i>	Karen Clark (2021)

Staff and Church Information

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Staff

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Dena Sowden, Director of Christian Education
Brandon Folts, Director of Music
Stephanie Cooke, Pianist
Shirley Dukes, Parish Nurse
Sharon VanSchuyver, Church Administrator
Yvonne Rose, Office Assistant

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