



the weekly
Connection

July 25, 2021

Church Family

Luncheon for Brandon Folts Today

WHEN? Today, following Worship Service

WHAT? A BBQ Pot-Luck Luncheon for Brandon Folts

WHERE? FLC Gym

Come wish Brandon best wishes for a successful new career and share memories with him and his family.

Be sure to bring your favorite side dish or dessert. The entree is provided by the Fellowship team as are the beverages. Don't miss this opportunity to be in fellowship and to thank Brandon for his remarkable contributions to FPC these past 20 years.

Youth Mission Praise Time August 6th

The Youth Group would like to invite the congregation to participate in our Mission Trip "Praise Time" on Friday Night, August 6th, at 7:00 p.m. in the FLC gym. The Youth will be performing live. Join us and help fill God's church with beautiful music. Guests are encouraged!

FPC Celebration - Save the Date

Twenty years ago, this congregation moved from downtown Conroe to this beautiful facility in which we now reside. On Sunday, September 5th, we will celebrate 20 years since this relocation. The worship service will begin at 10:00 a.m. and will be followed by a pot-luck luncheon in the gym. Please plan to attend this special celebration.

Exploring Our Faith Sunday School Class

Exploring Our Faith Sunday School Class will begin a new book study on August 1, 2021 (11:15 a.m. in the Library), *The Righteous Mind: Why Good People Are Divided By Politics And Religion*, by Jonathan Haidt.

Revised FPC Mask Policy

The church no longer requires you to wear a mask/face covering inside of the facilities. Wearing a mask is recommended, but optional. The church will continue to monitor and follow the guidance from public health officials. To provide a safe and healthy environment for everyone, the church's safety protocols will continue to be based on the most updated information. If conditions in our community remain stable or improve, we look forward to masks being optional for the foreseeable future.

Financial Report (2021 YTD as of May 31, 2021)

	<u>Budget</u>	<u>Actual</u>
Revenue	\$293,125	\$300,680
Expenses	\$309,100	\$296,145

Prayer List

Members: The family of Elizabeth Ebanks, Sarah Gutekunst, Sandy Davis, Jean Ball, George Shackelford, Margaret Hill, Kim Phillip, Flem Keathley, Carolyn Hebert, Paul Ivison, Leona Cowie, Lorraine Bosse, Don and Doris Myers, Margaret Carson, 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: Sherry B. (Harrison), Mitchell B. (Blott), Margie E. (Hughes), Kellye H. and Jeffrey H. (Heasley), Sabra S. (Swoboda), Deborah R. (Rose), Jack S. and Jay, Katie B. (Pohla), Matt F. (Elms), Wendy S. (Adamson), Harry S., Jr. (Havens), Russell W. (Weinburger), Tim J. (Staff), Krissy P. & family (Kasmiersky), Judy N. (Dukes), Sherry M. (Garrison), Diane B., Pat S.'s family, Lindsey W., Ruby G., Beverly F. (S. Walker), Enrique E. (Moore), Ann (Ebanks), Paul M. (Alan Moore), Lee H. and Gene H. (Helms), Caleb & Michaela W. (Henderson), Lisa & her children (Webb), Gerald H. (Roberts), Tamara B. (Harrison), Leslie M. family and Martha K. (Juhl), Tucker H. (Hudson), Nikkia (Wimberly), Virginia R. (Smith), Dana K. (Shorts)

Good Things to Know

Attendance

Sunday, July 18th

10:00 a.m. Sanctuary Worship Service - 136

10:00 a.m. Online Worship Service - 93

Total Attendance - 229

Today's Worship Leader

Mark Sowden

Save the Date

Future Planning

August 1-7 - Youth At-Home Mission Week (7:00 p.m.)

August 11 - CISD first day of school

August 15 - Session meeting

August 29-September 5 - Family Promise (on FPC campus)

September 5 - FPC 20th Celebration

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.

Calendar of Weekly Events

<p>Sunday <i>July 25</i></p>	<p>10:00 a.m. Worship Service (Facebook Live www.facebook.com/fpcConroe or YouTube.com/fpcConroe)</p> <p>11:15 a.m. Brandon Folts Going Away Luncheon (Gym)</p>
<p>Monday <i>July 26</i></p>	<p>1:30 p.m. Monday Afternoon Bible Study (Youth Commons area)</p>
<p>Wednesday <i>July 28</i></p>	<p>9:30 a.m.-2:00 p.m. Mission Sewing (Rm. 105)</p> <p>9:30 a.m. FPC Staff Meeting (Zoom Meeting ID available by invitation)</p> <p>5:45 p.m. Handbells Practice (Sanctuary)</p> <p>6:00 p.m. The Spark (Youth Commons area)</p> <p>7:00-8:00 p.m. Chancel Choir Practice (Sanctuary)</p>
<p>Sunday <i>August 1</i></p>	<p>10:00 a.m. Worship Service (Facebook Live www.facebook.com/fpcConroe or YouTube.com/fpcConroe)</p> <p>11:00 a.m. Bereans Sunday School Class with Bob Shepherd (Rm. 105): Paul's letter to the Colossians.</p> <p>11:15 a.m. Exploring Our Faith – (Library) Studying <u>Secrets in the Dark: A Life in Sermons</u>, by Frederick Buechner.</p> <p>11:15 a.m. “The Wanderers” Bible Study (Parlor)</p> <p>7:00 p.m. Youth At-Home Mission Week Begins</p>

*If you have any questions about the calendar of events,
please visit the website at fpcconroe.org, or contact the group leader.*

Ministry Leaders

Ministry Team Leaders

<i>Administration:</i>	Jay Swoboda (2022, Chair)
<i>Building & Grounds:</i>	Stephan Tibbetts (2022, Chair), David Perciful (2022)
<i>Care-Prayer:</i>	Bob Shepherd (2023, Chair)
<i>Discipleship:</i>	Anne Spinks (2021, Chair), Mark Sowden (2021)
<i>Fellowship:</i>	Shirley Dukes (2021, Chair)
<i>Membership:</i>	Donna Stewart (2021, Chair), Anna McNamara (2022), Abby Stewart (2022), Dena Sowden (2023)
<i>Missions:</i>	Tom Young (2021)
<i>PDS:</i>	Karen Clark (2021), Sharon Walker (2022)
<i>Worship:</i>	Chuck and Janet Pohla (2023, Chairs)

Staff and Church Information

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Shirley Dukes, Parish Nurse
Sharon VanSchuyver, Church Administrator
Yvonne Rose, Office Assistant
Louise Reed, Day School Director

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