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The Map

Jesus calls us to follow Him, grow in union with Him, and make disciples with Him, near and far. ([Click here](#))

Join us for Sunday worship, in-person or online, at 10 AM

The MAP will not be published June 11 and June 18

A number of our staff will be out of the office for vacation, General Assembly, or both. During the General Assembly, Pastor Paul will be checking in with Linda Smith at the Office. Here is the schedule:

Shannon Devlin will be out of the office on vacation June 4-5 and 9-12. Shannon is our Communications Director.

Pastor Paul will be on vacation from June 7-13 and out for the General Assembly from June 14-21.

Pastor Jeremy will be out for the General Assembly June 14-18 and June 27-July 1.

Isaac Meyers will be out for the General Assembly from June 15-21. Isaac is our Minister of Worship and Member Care.

Preaching and Music Schedule:

June 07 - Pastor Jeremy preaching **Ps 8** & **Music Team** leading singing

June 14 - Pastor Gary preaching **Ps 51** & **Music Team** leading singing

June 21 - Pastor Jeremy preaching **Ps 13** & **Bev Weston and Dale Hohmann** leading singing from our Hymnbooks!

June 28 - Pastor Paul preaching **Ps 77** & **Music Team** leading singing.

Echoes of Sunday

Pastor Paul offers a mid-week devotional based on last Sunday's sermon!



The First Voice of the Day: Choosing the Way That Lasts

Before our feet hit the floor each morning, we likely make a quiet decision that shapes our day—and our souls: We reach for our phones and let the noise of the world speak first. Last Sunday, we began our *Summer in the Psalms* series with Psalm 1, where we

saw that there are only two ways to live—either drifting with the currents of the world's “trending voices” or rooted in the unchanging truth of God. Psalm 1 offers a clear invitation to a life that is steady, fruitful, and deeply anchored in the Lord. Click the link to a midweek devotional by Pastor Paul, based on Sunday's sermon. The devotional ends with a simple, but profound challenge for us to choose every morning.

[Read the Devotional [Here](#). It includes a link to the original sermon.]

Pulpit Preview: This Sunday's Sermon

Your invitation to the upcoming sermon!

God Above Us

Psalm 8

This Sunday, we continue our “Summer in the Psalms” series with Pastor Jeremy preaching on Psalm 8. This beloved psalm speaks to two of life's deepest questions: **Who is God? and Who am I?**

Psalm 8 invites us to pause and consider the majesty of the Creator who set the stars in place—and the wonder that He is mindful of us. It reminds us that God has given humanity dignity, worth, and purpose. Whether you need a renewed sense of God's greatness or a firmer grounding in your identity in Him, this psalm speaks powerfully to our lives today.

Join us in worship this Sunday as Pastor Jeremy unpacks the timeless truths of Psalm 8 and helps us look upward together!

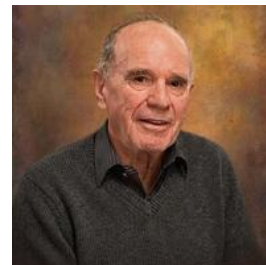
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Sympathy Notices



Our sympathy is offered to the family of Harry Duncan upon his death on May 29. The Celebration of Life in Christ will be 11 AM at the Church, with a luncheon to immediately follow.

[Click here](#) to read his obituary.



Our sympathy is offered to the family of Nancy Grau upon learning that her husband, Fred, passed away on May 15 after a 3-month admission at St. Barnabas Nursing Home. He was surrounded by family at the time of his passing. [Click here](#) to read his obituary.

Volunteers needed to help with the Nursery

By: Jeremy Collins, Associate Pastor

Our church family is growing, and one of the clearest signs of that growth is the number of infants, toddlers, and young children filling our nursery each Sunday morning. More children means more opportunities to serve families well — but it also means we need more helping hands.

The nursery is not “just babysitting.” It is one of the first places children experience the love, safety, and care of the church. It allows parents to worship,

learn, and engage in the service knowing their children are being cared for well. For many young families, a safe and welcoming nursery makes all the difference in whether church feels sustainable during this season of life.

Right now, we are looking for additional volunteers to serve in our nursery ministry during worship services. Whether you can serve regularly or occasionally, every volunteer helps lighten the load and strengthen this ministry.

You do not need to be a childcare expert. You simply need a willing heart, patience, and a desire to help create a safe and loving environment for our youngest members.

If you are interested in serving or would like more information, please contact Linda Smith, smith@fpcb.org. Even one Sunday a month can make a real difference.

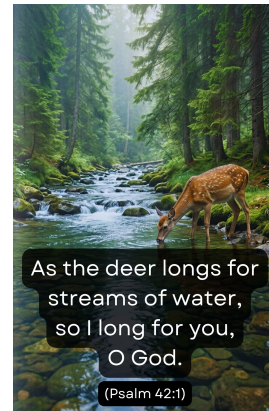
As a church, we often pray for God to bring young families and children into our fellowship. He is answering that prayer. Now we have the opportunity to faithfully care for the families He is bringing.

Summer in the Psalms

The second Sunday of our Summer In the Psalms sermon series continues with Psalm 8.

A poll was offered in The MAP to request your favorite Psalms. We received 16 replies.

Please attend and receive ministry from the Psalms that have touched the hearts of your brothers and sisters in Christ!



[Click Here for Complete Listing of Sermon Topics](#)

Dying Legacy Maple Removed

A legacy maple in the East Cemetery, behind the Sanctuary, has been removed after its main trunk split and several large branches began to die. The tree was also disturbing nearby grave markers, including those near the gravesite of our **founding pastor, Rev. William Stewart.**

Tree removal is costly but made possible through estate gifts left to the church. These funds are invested, and the income supports needs like this. Unfortunately, other large, declining trees may require removal as well. We are grateful for the generosity of those whose giving allows us to remain focused on ministry



The Week Ahead

SUN., June 7th

Sunday Gathering
(Worship)
10:00 AM
Sanctuary

MON., June 8th

All Dads Bible Study*

6:00 AM

(Micah)

*For location contact Pastor
Jeremy at collins@fpcb.org

**Church Office is Closed on
Mondays**

**Monday Community Bible
Study @ St. Barnabas Village**

Bldg. A., 5th Floor

1:45-2:45 PM

TUE., June 9th

Tues Women's Bible Study

10:00-11:30 am

(Summer Hiatus)

Admin Bldg

TOPS

(Taking Off Pounds Sensibly)

3:30- 4:30 PM

Church Café

Tues Adult Bible Study

9:30-10:30 am

(Resumes July 7)

Westminster Rm

WED., June 10th

All Moms Bible Study

(Summer Hiatus)

Westminster Rm

FRI., June 12th

Fri Men's Bible Study

7:00 AM

Eat 'n Park, Gibsonia

SAT., June 13th

Sat Men's Bible Study

8:30 AM

**(June Hiatus. Resumes July
11)**

Church Café

SUN., June 14th

Sunday Gathering

(Worship)

10:00 AM

Sanctuary

If you want information about any Bible Study, please call Linda Smith at 724-443-1555 and choose option "zero."

**Please look for a Worship Email on Sundays at 9:15 a.m.
Our service begins at 10 a.m.**

You may access worship directly at 9:55 a.m. by visiting:

Sunday Livestream

Please forward this email to friends.

Be sure to follow us on Youtube, Facebook, and Instagram to be up to date with everything happening at FPCB! When you come across our content please share and repost it, so that our congregation can continue to grow and increase in evangelism. To bring all glory to our Lord Jesus Christ!



CHURCH OFFICE HOURS:
Tuesday-Friday, 9 a.m.-3 p.m.

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