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FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF BAKERSTOWN

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

Sympathy Notice



In Memory of Lois Becker

As announced on Sunday:

A ***Celebration of Life in Christ*** for Lois Becker will be held in the sanctuary this Saturday at 10 AM.

Visitation with the family will happen at Schellhaas Funeral Home on Friday from 2:00 -8:00 PM.

Pastor Paul thanks you on behalf of his father, Paul Sr., for your loving support. On her last earthbound day, she blessed her children and grandchildren with words of loving affirmation and with prayer that all would know and follow Jesus! **Click here** for her obituary.

Echoes of Sunday

A Midweek Devotional Reading Based on Last Sunday's Sermon

Looking for a mid-week lift? We spend so much of our lives trying to make sense of life's broken pieces—paralyzed by unexpected trials, unanswered longings, or sheer emotional exhaustion. When the road of our life feels confusing, it is natural to view our daily lives, and even the Bible, as a disconnected series of isolated struggles. But as we see in Luke 24, Jesus meets us right in our grief to reveal that God's Word tells one grand, unified story: how the Triune God created a good world, redeemed fallen sinners through Christ, and is renewing all of creation for His eternal glory. If you are tired of trying to script your own destiny or feel adrift in life's uncertainties, take two quiet minutes today to refocus your heart on the master blueprint of God's sovereign grace.

[**Click Here** to read the full devotional - ***The Blueprint: The Authority of Scripture & The Great Story.***]

FREE BONUS!

In his sermon, Pastor Jeremy taught that every book of the Bible connects us to Jesus. YES! Every Book! Click the button below to see how Jesus is in every Bible book!

Pastor Jeremy's "The Whole Bible Points to Jesus"

Pulpit Preview: This Sunday's Sermon

New Sermon Series: The Greatest Story Ever Told

The Greatest Story Ever Told begins in a garden, centers on a cross, ends in a city, and invites us to find our place within it. It's a story that explains: who we are, why the world is broken, what Jesus came to do, and where history is headed.

The story will be told in this six-week sermon series:

Prologue
The Blueprint: Scripture's Authority & The Great Story
Act I (SUNDAY)
Creation: Design & The Creator King
Act II
Fall: Vandalism & The Promised Seed

Act III
Redemption: The Rescuer on the Cross
Act IV
Restoration: The Renewal of All Things

Epilogue
The Sent Church: Living Out the Grand Story

This Sunday, we'll turn to **Creation: Design & The Creator King**. In **Colossians 1:15-20**, we'll see that our search for identity and purpose ultimately leads us not inward, as our society insists, but upward to Jesus Christ. Jesus is the Creator King through whom all things were made and for whom all things exist. Come discover how understanding Christ helps us understand our place in His creation and His story.

Join us for worship this Sunday at 10 AM. If you are homebound or traveling, **click here** to watch our 10 AM Sunday Livestream.

Lighthouse Thanksgiving Food Drive

Three Sundays: Oct 18th-Nov 1st



As Thanksgiving approaches, let's honor Christ's command to love one another by supporting **The Lighthouse Foundation's Thanksgiving Food Drive.**

Please prayerfully shop for and donate items to help ensure every family in our community can enjoy a blessed holiday meal. **Click the button below to view the shopping list!**

Please bring items to the Church Entryway and place them in the large collection box.

Thank you in advance for your contribution!

Shopping List

Pastor Appreciation Month



October is Pastor Appreciation Month!

"Then I will give you shepherds after my own heart, who will lead you with knowledge and understanding." **– Jeremiah 3:15**

It is a great time to thank Pastors Paul and Jeremy for their leadership, guidance, and care. Please keep our pastors and their families in your prayers and send expressions of appreciation through our P.O. Box.

First Presbyterian Church of Bakerstown, P.O. Box 127, Bakerstown, PA 15007

Group Meetings This Week

SUN., Oct 18th

Sunday Gathering
(Worship)
10:00 AM
Sanctuary

MON., Oct 19th

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., Oct 20th

Tues Women's Bible Study
10:00-11:30 AM
(Genesis)
Admin Bldg

TOPS
(Taking **O**ff **P**ounds **S**ensibly)
3:30- 4:30 PM
Church Café

Tues Adult Bible Study
(Hebrews)
9:30-10:30 AM
Westminster Room

WED., Oct 21st

All Moms Bible Study
(John)
Westminster Rm

FRI., Oct 23rd

Fri Men's Bible Study
7:00 AM
Eat 'n Park, Gibsonia

SAT., Oct 24th

Sat Men's Bible Study
WILL NOT BE MEETING
(Nehemiah)
8:30 AM

Church Cafe

SUN., Oct 25th

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 AM
Our service begins at 10 AM

You may access worship directly at 9:55 AM 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 AM - 3 PM

To subscribe to our emails, sign up on our website (Click Here) or call 724-443-1555. Choose option "zero" to speak with Linda.

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