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First Presbyterian Church
of Fort Myers

We're LIVE Online
Sunday @ 11:00 AM
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STAFF

Dr. Paul de Jong
Senior Pastor

Rev. Roger Peterson
Minister of Music

Barbara Peterson
Church Accompanist

Frank Meyer
Church Organist

Sheryl de Jong
Director of Christian Education

Bonnie Lee DiGrazia
Administrative Assistant

Jean Ann Gogerty
Financial Secretary

Rebecca Hayes
Larry Mendenhall
Mike Pcolar
Sound & Projection

Sheryl de Jong
Gloria Goulet
Nursery

We Thank God For

Percussion.....Lenny Mlejnek and Mike Pcolar
UshersKeith Olson, Captain
Patricia Carlo, Roseanne Constantinople,
Dave Garberson, Jane Garberson, Hap Georlett

MINISTERS.....Members of First Presbyterian Church

ELDERS: JoAnn Beaumont, Richard Chappelle,
Max Furbringer, Pat Furbringer, Linda Kuieck,
Jack Merchant, Keith Olson, Joe Spielman

DEACONS: Donna Billins, Georgia Burbidge,
Bonnie Chappelle, Sheryl de Jong, Gloria Goulet,
John Goulet, Josh Henry, Denise Johnston,
Jimmy Johnston, Lisett Melchor, Kathy Musa,
Pati Sempstrott

TRUSTEES: Joe Spielman, President
Forrest Banks, Leigh Hayes, Pete Kouwenhoven,
Pat Mann, Jack Merchant, Malcolm Murphey,
Larry Nixon, Betty Olson, Betty Ann Prevatt

Nominating Committee 2022:

Sheryl de Jong, Pat Furbringer, Leigh Hayes, Kay Henry,
Linda Kuieck, Cathy Pcolar, Pati Sempstrott

Coed Adult Class 9:45 AM

Straight Talk with Pastor Paul de Jong
Study: Ephesians

Monday, April 18th OFFICE CLOSED

Trustees Meeting at 5:00 PM

Session Meeting at 6:00 PM

Tuesday, April 19th

Southern Comforters Quilting 11:00 AM- 4:00 PM

Wednesday, April 20th

Women's Bible Study at 10:30 AM



April 17, 2022

Adult Sunday School 9:45 -Worship 11:00

First Presbyterian Church In the Heart of Fort Myers

Living, sharing, teaching the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ.

Welcome! We're Glad You Are Here



He is risen!

MARK 16:6

PRAISE

† Our Risen Lord

† Our Deacons

PRAYERS

Sally Brown
Ricky Buechele
Mickey Callahan
Richard Chappelle
Larry Clanton, Jr.
Bonnie Condon
Steve Culbertson
Darrell Davis
Barry Day
Rita Dick
Linda Digman
Maria de Jong
Joyce Fulton
Max Furbringer
Dave Garberson
Bill Holtz
Sue Jennings
John Judge
Patricia Kane Kennedy
Martha Layne
Josie Lee McElree
Frankie Mendenhall
Carole Meyer
Sheila Mitkish
Ruth Moon
Reva Motto
Ron Nicholson
Barbara Nott
Camilo Parro
Jean Pollack
Angie Raleigh
Barb Robertson
Tim Singel
Robert Strahlendorf
Fred Stevens
Carolyn Vermilya
Brandon Webb
Gerry Wells
Alex Zemek

THANK YOU

Thank you to all our Deacons for a wonderful Palm Sunday Picnic that was enjoyed by all. Thank you once again for the delicious Easter breakfast before the worship service today. Special thanks to our chefs, John Goulet and Jimmy Johnston and their wonderful helpers on both days!

MEETINGS - APRIL 18th

Trustees Meeting at 5:00 PM
Session Meeting at 6:00 PM

SOUTHERN COMFORTERS

The **Southern Comforters Quilting Group** will meet on **April 19th** in Room E101 from 11:00 AM - 4:00 PM.

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

The Women's Bible Study, **Acts: the Gospel Goes Out, Part I**, will meet on **Wednesday, April 20th**, at 10:30 AM in Room E101.

CONTINUED PRAYERS

Our country and Leaders
The people in the Ukraine
Everyone with COVID
Everyone with cancer
Everyone with addictions

Michelle, Nancy, Bill
Kathy and Angie
Bob and Ed
Vinton and Susan
Jason and Marie
Pete and Becky
Lemuel and Pam
Misa, Mitch, Jill, Barry
Joanna, Ralf, Jocelyn
Linda, Alan, Paul
Christopher, Mack, Emily, LaDonna, Hal
Argie, Ron, Sue
Betty, Eli, Lisa, Pat, Jackie, Mary Ann, Giselle,
Alicia, Chloe, David, Bonnie, Doretta, Dennis,
Beverly, Chrissy, Marty, Alice, Rosemary,
Josephine, Joyce, Lynn, Florence, Jean,
JoAnn, Cameron, Debbie, Kristin, Leigh,
Kathy, Natalia

WORSHIP SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY ~ April 17, 2022

Prelude *Christ the Lord Is Risen Today*
Frank Meyer, Organ
Barbara Peterson, Piano

Welcome and Invocation..... Dr. Paul de Jong

Choral Call to Worship *Resurrection Song*

* **Hymn of Praise**.....#217 *Christ the Lord Is Risen Today*
Blue prayer card requests will not be picked up during the worship service at this time. Requests can be TEXTED to Pastor Paul at 239-314-8132

* **Greeting One Another**

* **Greeting Song**.....*Because He Lives (refrain only)*

Special Music1 2 3 *Jesus Is Alive!*
FPC Kids Praise Team

Scripture Reading: Psalm 16:1-11.....Jimmy Johnston

Unison Prayer of Confession

Assurance of Pardon

Pastoral Prayer and The Lord's Prayer

Receiving Our Offerings

Choral Offertory*He's Risen, Hallelujah!*

* **Doxology & Presentation of Tithes and Offerings**

* **Hymn of Preparation**#170 *One Day!*

Scripture: Matthew 28:1-15

Piano Meditation: Barbara Peterson

Sermon: *The Resurrection of Jesus Christ*
Dr. Paul de Jong

* **Hymn**.....#220 *He Lives*

Benediction

Postlude

* Please stand if you are able

CHANCEL FLOWERS The Chancel flowers today are given to the glory of God by **Max and Pat Furbringer** in loving memory of *Victor & Mildred Furbringer*.