First Presbyterian Church

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> We're LIVE Online Sunday @ 11:00 AM www.fpcfortmyers.org

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 Haves **Larry Mendenhall** Mike Pcolar

Sound & Projection

Shervl de Jong **Gloria Goulet** Briana Molnar Nurserv

We Thank God For

Percussion..... UshersCaptain, Steve Culbertson Jan Culbertson, Don Musa, Kathy Musa, Nancy Whitman 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 Sempsrott

TRUSTEES: Joe Spielman, President Forrest Banks, Robert Halgrim, Leigh Hayes, Pete Kouwenhoven, Pat Mann, Jack Merchant, Larry Nixon, Betty Olson, Mike Pcolar, Betty Ann Prevatt **Nominating Committee 2022:**

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

Coed Adult Class 9:45 AM

Straight Talk with Pastor Paul de Jong

Monday, November 21st

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

Tuesday, November 22nd

Choir 6:00 PM

Thursday, November 24th Happy Thanksgiving - Office Closed

Friday, November 25th Office Closed

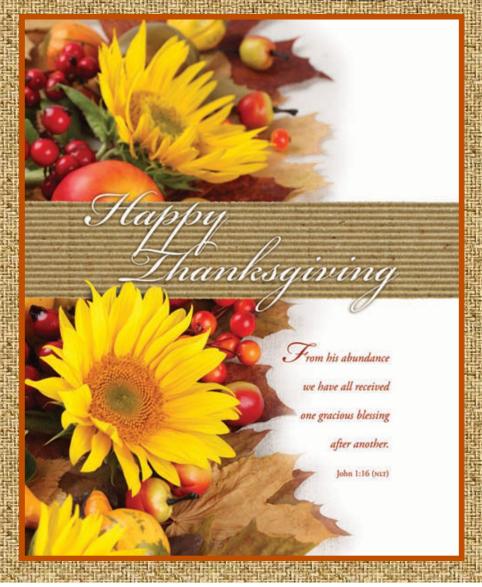


Youth and Adult Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Worship at 11:00 a.m.

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



PRAYERS

Pastor Benny Anthony Peggy Arnold **Dozier Bartlett** Mack Bennett Shirley Berry Richard Chappelle Jocelyn Day Betty Dilley Maria de Jong Max Furbringer Jane Garberson Mary Greene Diane Harvey Tim Hughey John Judge Sister Kevin Joanna Kortik Ralf & Misa Kortik Dick Little Walter Maginness Frankie Mendenhall Rachel Morency **Betty Olson** Camilo Parro Jean Pollack Pati Sempsrott Joe Spielman Keira Summerall George Waldron **Brandon Webb** Bill Welsch

Beverly & Malcolm Becky & Peter Lemuel & Pam

Alicia, Argie, Becky, Bill Bonnie, Carole, Carolyn Christopher, Debbie, Eli, Emerson, Emily, Gail, Hal, Joe, John, Josephine, LaDonna, Lisa, Lynda Mickey, Michelle, Nancy Pat, Robert, Robin, Ron Rosemary, Sue, Terry

HANGING OF THE GREEN

Due to Hurricane Ian, the **Hanging of the Green** meal will be a little different this year.
Instead of a baked potato bar there will be chili and desserts for all to enjoy. Please RSVP on the insert provided **TODAY**.

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

The Missions & Evangelism Committee invites you to participate in Operation Christmas Child. Please use the enclosed insert to place your order.

Deadline is November 27, 2022

CALLING ALL BAKERS

It's that time of year again! Calling all bakers who can participate in making cookies to be packaged for *Meals on Wheels*. Sign up today on the enclosed insert. Thank you in advance!



Please use the enclosed insert to make any changes for the **2023 Phone Directory**. I am be available to take pictures on Sunday morning or during the week. Of you can email me a picture or bring one in to be scanned. Thank you in advance! *Bonnie Lee DiGrazia*

POINSETTIAS ** ** ** **

The Worship & Music Committee would like to decorate our beautiful sanctuary with poinsettias for Christmas. Please use the enclosed insert to purchase your poinsettia(s) and include your dedications. Please attach your payment with the insert. Thank you.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Join us for the **31st Annual Christmas Carol** Sing on Tuesday, December 6th at 3:00 PM and 7:00 PM. Doors open a half hour before each performance. Come sing your favorite carols and hear the Christmas Story. Bring the kids to see Santa! Canned goods and a voluntary cash donation appreciated to benefit Community Cooperative.

PreludeCome, Ye Thankful People, Come Frank Meyer, Organ Barbara Peterson, Piano
Welcome and Invocation
* Hymn of Praise#559 Come, Ye Thankful People, Come
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 SongGive Thanks
*Special Music
Reading: 1 Timothy 6:1-12Frances Merchant
Assurance of Pardon
Pastoral Prayer and The Lord's Prayer
Receiving Our Offerings
Choral Offertory How Can I Keep From Singing
* Doxology & Presentation of Tithes and Offerings
Children dismissed for Kids Worship in the Chapel Wing
* Hymn of Preparation#561 We Gather Together

Scripture: Genesis 37:1-36
Piano Meditation: Barbara Peterson
Sermon: Joseph and His Brothers

Dr. Paul de Jong

* Hymn......#284 They'll Know We Are Christians by Our Love Benediction Postlude

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

^{*} Please stand if you are able