

First Presbyterian Church
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MAIL TO:



April 9, 2023

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!



We Thank God For

Percussion.....Mike Pcolar
UshersCaptain, Keith Olson

Patricia Carlo, Roseanne Constantinople,
Dave Garberson, Jane Garberson, Hap Georlett

MINISTERS.....Members of First Presbyterian Church

ELDERS: Keith Olson, Clerk of Session

JoAnn Beaumont, Larry Burbidge, Richard Chappelle,
Steve Culbertson, Max Furbringer, Pat Furbringer,
Jimmy Johnston, Linda Kuieck, Joe Spielman

DEACONS: Sheryl de Jong, Moderator

Donna Billins, Georgia Burbidge, Bonnie Chappelle,
Christopher Doyle, Gloria Goulet, John Goulet,
Josh Henry, Denise Johnston, Sharon Meola,
Lisett Melchor, Kathy Musa

TRUSTEES: Joe Spielman, President

Forrest Banks, Robert Halgrim, Leigh Hayes,
Pete Kouwenhoven, Pat Mann, Larry Nixon,
Betty Olson, Mike Pcolar, Betty Ann Prevatt

Nominating Committee 2023: Steve Culbertson, Chair
Sheryl de Jong, Pat Furbringer, Leigh Hayes, Kay Henry,
Linda Kuieck, Cathy Pcolar, Pati Sempstrott

Sunday School 9:45 AM

*Coed Adult Sunday School Class in the Chapel
(and online at 9:45) Led by Pastor Paul de Jong*

Monday, April 10th

OFFICE CLOSED

Tuesday, April 11th

Community Bible Study 10:00 AM - Noon

Wednesday, April 12th

Choir Rehearsal 6:00 PM



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of Fort Myers

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
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Rebecca Hayes
Larry Mendenhall
Mike Pcolar
Sound & Projection

Sheryl de Jong
Gloria Goulet
Briana Molnar
Nursery

PRAISE Our Risen Lord

† God's great love
† Jesus leads us to eternal victory
† Our salvation
† Our many blessings
† FPC Deacons

PRAYERS

Pastor Benny Anthony
Patti Bell
Shirley Berry
Millie Caggiano
Richard Chappelle
Jan Culbertson
Betty Dilley
Karen Donovan
Jeanne Dozier
Maria de Jong
Max Furbringer
Bill Holtz
Tim Hughey
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Denise Johnston
Marcia Kirby
Joanna Kortik
Ralf & Misa Kortik
Alice Kozik
Dick Kueick
Dick Little
Walter Maginness
Jena Mann
Frankie Mendenhall
Pat Mesker
Ronald Nichols
Ron Nicholson
Betty Olson
Camilo Parro
Beverly Robertson
Pati Sempstrott
Tom Smoot
Fred Stevens
David Tashchyan
Gerry Tussey
Brandon Webb

SPECIAL THANKS

Special thanks to the **Deacons** for hosting the Annual Church Picnic on Palm Sunday. The food was delicious and the fellowship time was wonderful. Thank you again to the Deacons for Easter breakfast this morning!

SPECIAL THANKS

Thank You to everyone who participated in the Palm Sunday musical event. Special thanks to Rebecca Hayes and all the parents who worked hard to make this special event a success!

Special thanks to the FPC Kids Praise Choir who sang and performed with joy!

Special thanks to the FPC Men's Choir and to the following performers:

John Goulet as Salty and as a soloist
Gary Balcer, Jeff Hughey, Jimmy Johnston, Dan Kelly, Frank Meyer, Joe Spielman, Ginny Wallace, Rev. Roger Peterson
Barbara Peterson - Piano
Sound Booth: Mike Pcolar, Connor Pcolar

SPECIAL THANKS

Special thanks to Mike Pcolar, Pat Mann and Steve Hayes for all their efforts in putting mulch down in the playground. Special thanks to Pastor Paul and Andrew Banyai for their efforts in restoring the grass in the parking lot and putting new sprinklers in to help it grow and thrive.

CONTINUED PRAYERS

Jerry & Sharon, Becky & Peter, Lemuel & Pam, Peter, Jessica, Emma, Jessie, Joe, Wilson Gary, Sarah, Abigail, Joanna, Ralf, Misa, Jocelyn Robert, Catherine, Libby, Jack, Michelle, Nancy, Jean-Cele, Carol, Bob, Shelly, Ed, Debbie, Mark, Earl, Gloria, Maria, Jami, Bonnie, Jon, Alicia, Eli, Rosemary, Josephine, Carolyn, Mickey, Terry, Carole, Johnnie

Prelude Jeffrey Fabisiak, Violin
Christ the Lord Is Risen Today
Frank Meyer, Organ and Barbara Peterson, Piano
Easter Song
Barbara Peterson, Piano

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

Choral Call to Worship*Resurrection Song*
With Special Music by the Women's Chorus

* **Hymn of Praise**.....#217 *Christ the Lord Is Risen Today*
Prayer Requests can be TEXTED to Pastor Paul at 239-314-8132.

* **Greeting One Another**

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

Special Music*All Glory, Laud, and Honor*
Jeffrey Fabisiak, Violin

Scripture Reading: Isaiah 25:1-8.....Carol Peeler

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**#228 *Rejoice, the Lord is King*

Scripture: John 20:1-18
Piano Meditation: Barbara Peterson
Sermon: *No One Like God*
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 **Ginny Wallace** in loving memory of her beloved husband *Dick Wallace*.