**Prayers of the People and The Lord's Prayer** Marie Hayes

***Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread and forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, for thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.***

***Sending Hymn #643** *Now Thank We All Our God*

***Charge and Benediction** Marie Hayes
***Congregational Response** *Threefold Amen* Hymn #601

## Giving QR Code

If you would like to give you can scan this QR code and will be given the option to select an amount, fund, frequency, and either credit card or ACH bank transfer. Thank you.



## This Week at FPC

November 22 – Sandwich Ministry following church service
November 24 – 7:00pm, AA

## Mark Your Calendars

November 30 – Ann Murray out of office
December 1 & 2 – Ann Murray out of office
December 1 – 7:00pm, AA
December 2 – 6:00pm, Messy Church and Christmas Pageant – No rehearsal pageant. Everyone is welcome to participate or be in the audience.
December 2 – 7:30pm, Choir practice
December 8 – 7:00pm, AA
December 9 – 7:00pm, Choir practice
December 13 – Communion
December 13 – Session meeting
December 15 – 7:00pm, AA
December 16 – 7:00pm, Choir practice
December 19 – Youth Ice Skating
December 20 – Choir program
December 24 – 7:00pm, Christmas Eve Service

**Poinsettias** – Order forms are on the Information table. Deadline for orders is November 22. Please place orders in the offering boxes.

**Common Good** – November & December we are challenged with adopting the Protein Shelf. Some items include peanut butter, beans, canned tuna, chef Boyardee, canned chicken, chili. Let's fill the baskets.

**Prayers of First Presbyterian Church Family and Friends**

*"Then you will call on me and come and pray to me, and I will listen to you"*
*~Jeremiah 29:12*

***In our continuing prayers:***

Countries at War
Sarah Gregg - continuing cancer treatment, Cy Acheson's granddaughter
Cy – pray for strength and healing
Logan Eifort – stable but still needs prayers, Keith & Chris Jones grandson
Stacey Creech – prayers for breast cancer treatment, Margie's friend
Jack & Nancy Turner – recovering at home
Diane Kasten – recovery at home
Russell DeLuca – severe neuropathy, Joe DeLuca's brother

***Remember and Uphold:***

Diane Kline – Vancrest
Alice Lindley
Dale Robertson - Greenbrier
Beth Mickelson – Friends Fellowship Community

***Our at Home Shut-ins***

Marge Jordan, Julia Withrow, Zoe Barnes

For our Nation and those who serve
Church Members & Friends In The Service

Carson Cooper, Army National Guard – Rusty & Stephanie Cooper's son
Tanner Crabtree, Army – Barb & Randy Wright's nephew
Justin McIntosh, Army National Guard – Bella Hurd McIntosh's husband
Cameron Rife, US Navy – Anne Grim's nephew
Nicholas Rife, US Navy – Anne Grim's nephew
Drew Roach, US Navy – Bonnie Smith's grandson
Ben Freytag, US Navy – Rainelle Tusing's grandson

Soldier's Prayer

*Dear Lord, please bless our soldiers, protectors of our land. Servants called to battle when our country takes a stand. Our country's prayers are with them no matter where they roam. Please listen when they are lonely and return them safely home.*

Please contact our prayer chain coordinator, Ann Murray, 937-336-0116, email: annmurray916@yahoo.com, call the church office, 937-456-3754, office@eatonfpc.org, or drop a note in the offering plate with updates.



**Special Music** *"Give Thanks"* Keith Rutherford

**Children's Message** Taylor Clabaugh

**Prayer for Illumination** Marie Hayes
**Old Testament Scripture Reading** *Ezekial 34:11-16, 20-24*
**New Testament Scripture Reading** *Ephesians 1:15-23*

**Response:**
**Liturgist:** This is the Word of the Lord.
***All: Thanks be to God.***

**Sermon** Pat Beeghly
Some Wise Words; Interviews with Some of Our Church Family
Rosie Brower, Stella Davidson, Jake Schaurer

***Reflection Hymn #187** *Savior, Like a Shepherd Feed Us*

***Affirmation of Faith** ***The Apostles' Creed*** Marie Hayes
***I BELIEVE in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit; the holy catholic Church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.***

***Our Tithes and Offerings** Marie Hayes
*Offerings may be placed in the offering boxes at the back of the sanctuary or on the Information Table. You may also give online.*

***The Doxology** # 606
*Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise God all creatures here below; Praise God above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

**Prayer of Dedication**

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**Welcome & Announcements** Marie Hayes

**Prelude**

**Introit** *We Gather Together* Choir

**Call to Worship** Marie Hayes
**Liturgist: The Lord God is our shepherd.**
**All: We are the people of God's pasture, the sheep of God's hand.**
**Liturgist: God will seek the lost, feed the hungry, and strengthen the weak.**
**All: But the proud and power-hungry will be fed with justice.**

***Hymn #4** *Holy God, We Praise Your Name*

***Litany of Confession and Passing of the Peace** Marie Hayes
**Call to Confession**
**Prayer of Confession** *(in unison)*
***Sovereign God, we confess that we are not ready for your holy realm. You guide us toward right paths, but we refuse to follow where you lead. You love and feed and care for us, but we fail to love and serve others. Forgive us, merciful God, so that we may return to your fold and rejoice in your presence; through Jesus Christ our Lord, the Lamb upon the throne. Amen.***

**Assurance of Pardon and Passing of the Peace**
**Liturgist:** May the peace of Christ be with you.
***All: And also with you.***

***Our Response of Praise –** #581 *Gloria Patri*
***Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.***



## WORSHIP AT HOME

### Question for Reflection

How would it change you to see the face of Christ in every stranger you meet?

### Household Prayer: Morning

God of all creation, I greet your new day with thanksgiving and praise. Do not let me neglect the needs of those I meet today, and keep me faithful to your ways, for I want to live for you. Amen.

### Household Prayer: Evening

Thank you, Lord, for the gifts and challenges of this day. Where I failed to do your will, forgive me. Grant me peace throughout this night, and if I should die, welcome me into your glory with all the saints in light; in Jesus' name. Amen.

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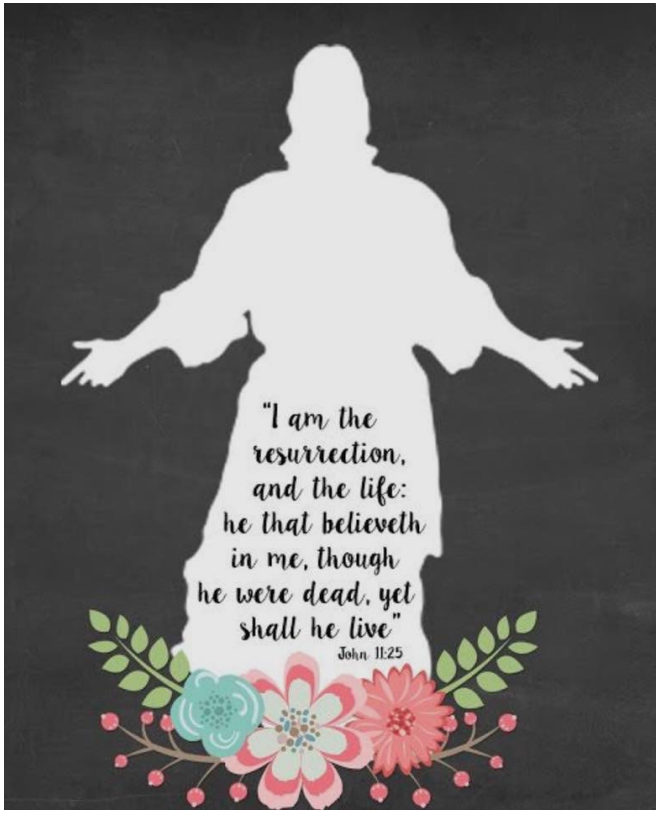
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### *Our Mission:*

*Listening to God's call, following in the way of Jesus and serving neighbors through the Spirit.*

*~Approved by Session November 2016*

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