

*Song of Response

"Christ Our Hope in Life and Death"

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Blessed be the LORD I AM, who is Father, Son and Holy Spirit, amen!



Announcements

Welcome. We are glad you're here. If you are visiting with us, please use the Visitor Card in the pew racks, our church app (FPCBR in the App Store) or online at *fpcbr.org/connect*.

Prayer Requests. We'd love to pray for you. Prayer requests may be sent to *prayer@fpcbr.org*, through Facebook Live and the church app or by filling out a card in the pew rack.

Good Grief Seminar, This Saturday, June 19. All are welcome to join Jim Solomon for this free seminar from 10 am to 12 pm which focuses on the psychological, emotional, physical, relational and spiritual effects of grief in our lives. Please contact Laura Shaw (*laura@fpcbr.org* or 620.0222) to register. Coffee and light refreshments will be served. Childcare will be available.

Women's Ministry Summer Luncheon, June 30. Why did an all-loving God create evil? What happens to those who never hear the gospel? What's the relationship between God's sovereignty and free will? If you have questions like this, join us for our Women's Ministry Summer Luncheon, where you can ask a panel of our pastors any questions you have about the Bible or what we believe. 11.30-1 in the FPC Reception Room. Lunch provided by Chicken Salad Chick. The cost is \$10 per person. Register at *fpcbr.org*.

Contemplative Prayer Group Tomorrow. We have scheduled two dates for the contemplative prayer group to meet this summer. On Monday, June 14 and Monday, July 19 from 10–11 am, we will have a quiet hour in the Chapel featuring guided silent prayer based on Scripture, as well as a brief reflection on Sunday's sermon. All are welcome.

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Youth and Children's Summer Important Dates. *A Great Escape* (rising 6th-8th graders) is July 26-31. Registration ends July 19. *Vacation Bible School* is July 26-29. Stay tuned for details and registration.

July and August Worship Schedule. First Presbyterian Church will have just one 10.30 worship service in the Sanctuary July 4 - August 1. There will be no Sunday school. We resume the normal three service schedule on August 8.

Swing Dance Lessons. Swing dance lessons have resumed on Mondays @ 6 pm. Call Sherry McKinley for details (225.772.0226).

Baptism Today. Congratulations to the Webber family. Claire Turner Webber will be baptized at the 11 am service.

Twice a Week: Hurricane Relief Day Trips. Whitney Alexander leads a group of relief workers each Wednesday and Saturday. Everyone is welcome. Meet him in the church parking lot at 6.30 am. Bring work gloves!

Need a Pastor After Hours? Would you like to reach a pastor after hours? Please call the church office (387.0617) and press 5 to be connected to the pastor on call.

Sanctuary Flowers: The flowers are given in celebration of our daughter's christening, Claire Turner Webber, by Claire Peyton and Rawley Webber. We will lead her to Christ just as our families have done for us.

Scripture for Next Week: Genesis 22: 1-14

Sanctuary services are video recorded and livestreamed.

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ORDER of WORSHIP

June 13, AD 2021 9 am



GATHERING TO PRAISE

Assisting with Worship: Jaime Carnaggio

*Welcome and Call to Worship

From Psalm 86

Among the gods there is none like you, LORD; no deeds can compare with yours.

All the nations you have made will come and worship before you, LORD; they will bring glory to your name.

For you are great and do marvelous deeds; you alone are God. Teach me your way, LORD, that I may rely on your faithfulness;

Give me an undivided heart, that I may fear your name. I will praise you, LORD my God, with all my heart.

*Songs of Praise

"His Mercy Is More"
"Jesus Messiah"

*Blessing God

*Song of Praise

"Great Are You Lord"



PROCLAIMING THE WORD

*Greeting and Announcements

Children Kindergarten and younger may go to Children's Church.

Time with God's Word

Prayer for the Holy Spirit

Proverbs 3: 1-8

My son, do not forget my teaching,
but let your heart keep my commandments,
for length of days and years of life
and peace they will add to you.

Let not steadfast love and faithfulness forsake you;
bind them around your neck;
write them on the tablet of your heart.

So you will find favor and good success
in the sight of God and man.

Trust in the LORD with all your heart,
and do not lean on your own understanding.
In all your ways acknowledge him,
and he will make straight your paths.
Be not wise in your own eyes;
fear the LORD, and turn away from evil.
It will be healing to your flesh
and refreshment to your bones.

The secret things belong to the LORD our God.

But what has been revealed belongs to us, and to our children forever. That we may do all the words of this law.

Sermon

Gerrit Dawson What Really Matters, Part 5: "Trust in the LORD with All Your Heart"



RESPONDING TO THE WORD

Time of Reflection

*Song of Response

"What the Lord Has Done in Me"

Please place your offering and prayer requests in the baskets.

Scriptural Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession

O LORD our Maker, Defender, Redeemer and Friend, we are frail, disobedient children. We have not kept your commands, nor have we trusted in you. We have chosen to stumble down our own crooked paths. Forgive us, we pray. Holy Spirit inscribe on our hearts the attributes of mercy, kindness and truth. Teach us to rightly fear the LORD. Make us to be submissive, trusting children through our union with our great elder brother, Jesus. He alone makes our path straight and gives us peace. Amen.

Silent Confession

Assurance of Pardon



Intercession

Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer