



FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH WINTER HAVEN

Tower Chimes

Weeks of June 9 & 16, 2019

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133 Years of Ministry

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*The Sacrament of the
Lord's Supper will be
celebrated at both
worship services
Sunday, June 9.*

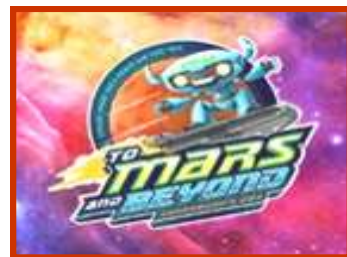


Prepare your heart to come to the Lord's Table.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Sunday, June 9 through Thursday, June 13 from 5:30 until 8 pm

At *To Mars and Beyond VBS*, children, and their youth and adult leaders will enjoy interactive, energizing, and Bible-based good times as they explore where God's power can take them! Our voyagers will discover how to serve God and God's mission for their lives. **Registration for children, youth, and adult volunteers is on our website!**



Can't join us? Donations for supplies, decorations and snacks will be out soon! Questions? Contact Rev. Sarah at 294-3121 or sbishop@firstpreswh.org.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL SUPPLIES NEEDED



Art: 4X6 canvas boards; children's watercolor kits; glitter glue pens; old maps, googly eyes, tacky-craft glue; strands of fairy lights; plastic color table cloths- black, green, red, purple, orange & yellow (rectangle. Or circles); anything space or NASA-themed to help with decorations. If you would like anything returned after VBS, please add your name on the item.

Snack supplies: popcorn, cheese-its, gummy snacks, pretzel sticks & twists, Gluten-free pretzels, graham crackers and brownie mix, marshmallow fluff and frosting (white & chocolate).



Remember in Prayer

OPPORTUNITIES THIS WEEK

Sunday, June 9 PENTECOST COMMUNION

9:15 am Heart of Worship (Sanctuary)
10:15 am Connection (MH)
11:00 am Worship (Sanctuary)
5:30 pm VBS (MH/CE)

Monday, June 10

8:45 am MOM (CE)
5:30 pm VBS (MH/CE)

Tuesday, June 11

9:00 am Staff Meeting (MCR)
12:00 pm Men's Lunch (MH)
5:30 pm VBS (MH/CE)
6:00 pm Personnel (MCR)

Wednesday, June 12

8:45 am MOM (CE)
12:00 pm Buildings & Grounds (MH)
5:30 pm VBS (MH/CE)

Thursday, June 13

5:30 pm VBS (MH/CE)

Friday, June 14

8:45 am MOM (CE)

Saturday, June 15

2:00 pm Soup Kitchen Prep (Kitchen)
4:00 pm Soup Kitchen (737)

Sunday, June 16

9:15 am Heart of Worship (Sanctuary)
10:15 am Connection (MH)
11:00 am Worship (Sanctuary)

Monday, June 17

8:45 am MOM (CE)

Tuesday, June 18

9:00 am Staff Meeting (MCR)
12:00 pm Men's Lunch (MH)
12:00 pm Finance (UR)
6:30 am Deacons (MH)

Wednesday, June 19

8:45 am MOM (CE)

Thursday, June 20

Friday, June 21

8:45 am MOM (CE)
6:30 pm Pint-Size FunTimers (MH)

Saturday, June 22

2:00 pm Soup Kitchen Prep (Kitchen)
4:00 pm Soup Kitchen (737)

MEMBERS

Kathy Andrews	Frances Heath	Randall Palmer
Tom Brackett	Kay Hedden	Bo Palo
Helen Butz	Doris Hill	Barbara Roberts
Helen Champlain	Bryan Howard	Earle Roberts
Carl Cheatham	Bob & Isobel	Dave & Bonnie Ryan
Tom Coffman	Hubbard	George Seagreaves
Charlie Darte	Jim Huff	Cash Sheaffer
Patricia Dexter	Martha Johnson	Joyce Shirah
Yolanda Dyer	Joey Johnston	Barbara H. Smith
Mike & Jana	John Kissel	Mary Ann Snively
Easterling	Toni Krieger	Christine Stevens
Dana Elmore	Dena Lancashire	Scott Strey
Bill Everhart	Spike Lucia	Barbara Tackett
Bill Freeman	Bob McClew	Jay Tackett
Scott & Kathy	Joan McCollough	Pam Tallent-Blackburn
Girouard	Matt McGaffigan	Carolyn Thompson
John Gray	Edna Mitchell	Pat Vobornik
Bob Hancock	Bev Morris	Gwen Waters
Jane Hayman	Nancy Neale	

Relatives & Friends

Jacob Andrews	Augie Andrews' grandson
Sheryl Bachelord	Kit Threlkel's friend
Reese Burdette	Dana Cole's cousin
Debra Cain	Tom & Jeri Oldt's sister-in-law
Scott Davis	Larry & Peggy Davis' son
Jacqueline Dewdney	Kit Threlkel's friend
Al Ellis	Jim Threlkel's friend
Mary Sue Hallmark	Jim Francis' friend
Sidney Hilliard	Tillie Montney's mother
Pete Kent	Charley & Nancy Chilton's nephew
Linda Harris Leeds	Debbie Sowards' friend
Sharon Maulden	Judy Winfree's sister
Carol Moore	Roger & Marie Able's friend
Larry & Janey Powell	Alan Harvey's friends
Kristy Turner	Rick & Pat Reass' daughter
Rolland Waters	Gale & Gwen Waters' son

MILITARY



Zach Anaya	Sean Harp
Brenden Anderson	David Knowles
Christian Anderson	John Marotti
Samuel Crockett	Mathew Massam
Zach Drum	KaitLin Marotti-Pitts
Robert Ferguson	Ashton Pitts
Stephanie Gillie	Shad Skinner
Eddie Gray	Drew Stapor
Daniel Harp	



JOIN US ON SUNDAYS THIS SUMMER!!!

9:15 - 10:15 am Heart of Worship

A Praise and Worship service held in our sanctuary. Along with scripture, sermon, and prayers, a praise band will help the congregation in adoring and showing reverence to God.

11:00 am Sanctuary Worship

A traditional worship service held in our sanctuary and includes music from the Chancel Choir and the organ, as well as other instruments and groups.



WORSHIP SCHEDULE

We hope that you join us for worship on the summer Sundays that you are in town. Our plans for the summer include:

- * Observing our summer worship schedule from Memorial Day thru Labor Day with Heart of Worship and one traditional service on most Sundays.
- * Continuing our First Sunday Single Worship Service and Luncheon on the first Sundays throughout the summer.

Summer Worship dates and time

June 9	Heart of Worship 9:15 am	Traditional Worship 11:00 am
June 16	Heart of Worship 9:15 am	Traditional Worship 11:00 am
June 23	Heart of Worship 9:15 am	Traditional Worship 11:00 am
June 30	Heart of Worship 9:15 am	Traditional Worship 11:00 am
July 7	First Pres. First Sunday Gathering	Worship 10:00 am Luncheon 11:15 am
July 14	Heart of Worship 9:15 am	Traditional Worship 11:00 am
July 21	Heart of Worship 9:15 am	Traditional Worship 11:00 am
July 28	Heart of Worship 9:15 am	Traditional Worship 11:00 am
August 4	First Pres. First Sunday Gathering	Worship 10:00 am Luncheon 11:15 am
August 11	Heart of Worship 9:15 am	Traditional Worship 11:00 am
August 18	Heart of Worship 9:15 am	Traditional Worship 11:00 am
August 25	Heart of Worship 9:15 am	Traditional Worship 11:00 am
September 1	First Pres. First Sunday Gathering	Worship 10:00 am Luncheon 11:15 am (Labor Day Weekend)



DON'T MISS THE CONNECTION 10:15-10:45 AM

This fellowship time in McLeod Hall offers a coffee bar type selection with different flavored creamers, pastries, etc. It is a gathering place before or between worship for some folks.

INTERGENERATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL

Sunday, June 23 and Sunday, July 21 at 10:30 am in McLeod Hall.
Join your church family for an immersive *Intergenerational Sunday School* gathering between worship services and open to everyone!



FLAT JESUS – JESUS SAID “I AM WITH YOU ALWAYS.”

This summer, *Flat Jesus* is packed and ready to go on your Summer adventures! Whether you are just napping in your backyard or wandering the streets of Paris, Flat Jesus would love for you to be with him. And don't forget to take a picture or two, #firstpreswhflatjesus, and share on social media! Want to know where Jesus has been a part of our church family this summer? Search #firstpreswhflatjesus and enjoy! Packets will be available in the Narthex, McLeod Hall, and downloadable from the church website. Rev Sarah is also emailing a copy out. If you were missed, contact her at sbishop@firstpreswh.org or (863)294-3121.



Our Purpose Statement

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As a congregation of the Presbyterian Church (USA), First Presbyterian Church of Winter Haven exists to show God’s kingdom to the world as we...

Share the good news of what God has done in Jesus Christ

Develop and nurture God’s children into disciples

Provide a place and a program for praising God

Live our lives according to the Word, guided by the Spirit

Commit to justice for all God’s people.

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Bag Lunch Ministry

We gave out 126 bag lunches
the week of 5/27/19.

We gave out 730 bag lunches
in May 2019.

Soup Kitchen Ministry

We fed 93 people on 6/1/19.

We fed 326 in May 2019.

“PINT-SIZE” FUNTIMERS FAMILY GAME NIGHT

Please join us beginning **June 21 at 6:30 pm** in McLeod Hall. All ages are welcome for a fun night of board games, pizza, and fellowship. When you can’t join the Funtimers during the week, join the “pint-sizers” and their fun on the third Friday of every month!

Look for our events in July and August coming soon. Contact Rev. Sarah at 294-3121 or Sbishop@firstpreswh.org with any questions.



JOIN US FOR THE NEXT FUNTIMERS, JUNE 19

FunTimers and Friends, our next gathering will be on **Wednesday, June 19**. We will travel to the **Crooked Bass Grill** in Babson Park for lunch. The lunch menu includes excellent seafood choices as well as ham, chicken, and burgers in a variety of sandwiches, wraps, salads, and soups. (www.crookedbass.com)



Prices are reasonable and we have it from good sources that the food is excellent. Bring guests!

The restaurant opens at 11:30 am so we’ll gather at the church at 10:30 am for a 10:45 am departure. Please complete this form and place it in the offering plate or sign-up in McLeod Hall or call the FPC office to let us know that you are joining us. We must make advance reservations prior to the 19th.

Name _____ Number going _____

Riding the bus: yes / no Phone number _____