



Your  
Weekly News  
from  
First Presbyterian Church  
St. Petersburg

June 21, 2019

**This Sunday's Worship Services at FPC**  
*Second Sunday after Pentecost*

**Worship Services:**

9:00 AM - Contemporary Worship Service, Fellowship Hall

11:00 AM - Classic Worship Service with Choir, Sanctuary

The sermon for this Sunday is "Elijah and the Word of the Lord"

Scripture: [Luke 8:26-39](#); [1 Kings 19:1-15a](#)

Rev. Ruth Elswood

[Click here](#) for Sunday's bulletin and announcements. Special [insert](#).



**Being The Hands  
And Feet  
Of Jesus  
In Honduras**

Imagine going on a trip to Honduras for your 29th wedding anniversary. Then, imagine sharing the trip with 16 others as part of a 2019 mission trip. Pastor Dawn and her husband, Kevin, did just that, arriving back home in the wee hours of the morning on June 17.

If Pastor Dawn's pictures on Facebook are any indication, then she did indeed get flowers! The landscape is full of them. It also appears that the Hondurans were not the only ones receiving blessings as our team ventured through this beautiful land of mountains and valleys.

How many stories and memories did they bring back from this week-long trip? We can only wait to hear. For now, we know that this group made a huge difference through their love and service as evidenced by these numbers:

Adult health screenings: 515

Children served: 551

Pap smears: 238

Tooth extractions: 252

Pairs of reading glasses distributed: 167

Welcome home mission team. Thank you for being the hands and feet of Jesus in Honduras. May we all be encouraged to step out a little further, and trust a little more.

*Come to worship on July 14th to see more pictures like these and hear first-hand from those who participated on this year's trip (happening at both the 9 AM & 11 AM services)!*



Learning Songs



Valley Of The Angels



Youth



Presbyterian Church  
in Honduras



The Last Night

## Did You Know?

If you are getting ready to go to college, or already in college, or have a child who is college-bound, you may be eligible for financial aid through FPC's Church Family Scholarship Fund. If interested, please email the following information to Amy Grossenbacher ([amyg@fpc-stpete.org](mailto:amyg@fpc-stpete.org)) in the church office: (1) the institution to be attended, (2) the course of study to be pursued, and (3) any other vocational or educational factors to be considered. All submissions will be reviewed by the Committee (Clerk of Session, Finance Elder, and Pastor).



The Mission Committee expresses appreciation to the following individuals who pitched in to help with the reception on Sunday, June 16 before the 9 AM service and after the 11 AM service.

Thank you to:

Tom Carnahan, Roy Duttweiler, Petra Garnett, Larry Kirsch, Bob Langley, Johnny Miller, Alan Pfeider, Terry Schoenberg, Mona Young, Don Zegel

Additional accolades go to committee member Gay Wasik-Zegel for creating the beautiful and informative photo display.

### Faith & Fiction Begins on Monday, October 7

Mark the first Monday of every month beginning October 7 on your calendar  
7:30 - 8:30 PM  
Room N-123

Click [here](#) for the details of the 2019-2020 Faith & Fiction selections, dates and leaders.



## FPC Calendar At A Glance

[Click here](#) to view the full church calendar online.

Coming up in June

- [June Birthdays](#)
  - [June Parent Calendar](#) for Child Care
  - Tuesdays through July 23, Beth Moore Bible Study, Youth Center
- (Contact: [April Hussung](#))

- Wednesday mornings through July 31, Rob Bell Bible Study, Room N123.  
(Contact: [Rev. Ruth Elswood](#))
- June 25 - Meditation for Christians, 7 PM, Chapel  
(Contact: [Carlen Maddux](#))

## NewsLetter DEADLINE

### Do You Have News?

If news of your FPC activity isn't covered in "First News," please be sure to submit a short news item as well as pictures within the deadline below.

Items for "First News" should be submitted as early as possible with a cut-off for any Friday's "First News" being end of day the Tuesday before publication. Send copy to [Mary Johnson](#) and [Amy Grossenbacher](#).

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