



Your weekly news from ...

First Presbyterian Church St. Petersburg

May 10, 2019

This Sunday's Worship Services at FPC

Fourth Sunday of Easter

Mother's Day

Sacrament of Baptism

Worship Services:

- Communion Worship Service, 8:15 a.m., Chapel
- Contemporary Worship Service, 9 a.m., Fellowship Hall
- Classic Worship Service with Choir, 11 a.m., Sanctuary

Pastor Dawn's sermon for this Sunday is "Unless Someone Guides Me"

Scripture: [Psalm 22:25-31](#) and [Acts 8:26-40](#)

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



The Traveling Day Camp June 17-21

Cedarkirk Camp is bringing Vacation Bible School to FPC this summer! During this fun-filled week, children will be led through Bible studies and activities which will help them discover God's *agape* love for us, learn that not only are we to respect ourselves, but others as well, and discover how to put love for others into action.

[Flier](#) with more information. For [registration form](#).



Pastoral Care Arms Of The Church

DID YOU KNOW that our church has several ministries that act as pastoral care arms of the church? ***These groups of people work hard to provide care for our church family.*** The groups include: the Pastoral Staff (Pastor & Parish Associate), the Deacons, Stephen Ministers, Presbyterian Women, and the Pastoral Care Action Team.

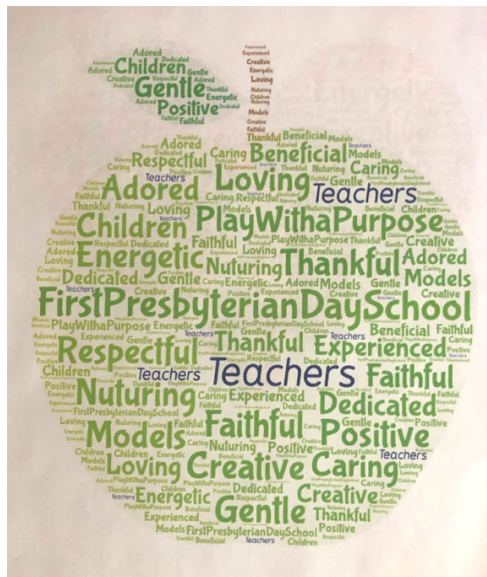
Here is information about each of the pastoral care arms of the church. [Click here](#).

Update On "Property" Study

Findings & Recommendations

Here's an [easy link](#) to the update provided by the Task Force studying future plans for FPC.

Questions and feedback are welcomed. Submit these through the church website at www.fpcstpete.com/contact or by dropping them in the designated boxes in the Church Office, at the kiosks in the Fellowship Hall and Sanctuary, or on the table by the front door of the Chapel.



Thank the FPC Day School Staff for a job well done!

Please join the session in celebrating the Day School staff's dedication, caring, expertise and joy in teaching.

Please sign or write a note on the Day School Staff Appreciation Poster available outside each of the three worship spaces: the Chapel, the Fellowship Hall and the Sanctuary.

If you would like to **donate a gift card**, please place it in the box next to the poster. Ashley Davis, Day School Director, plans to "raffle off the cards in a fun way."

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 both [Mary Johnson](#) and [Diedra Flora](#).

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Honduras New Hope Clinic Update

Read about the lengths to which Dr. Davila and his staff are going to show God's love and care for our Honduras brothers and sisters. It is amazing!

Learn more by [clicking here](#).



FPC Day School Celebrates 50th Anniversary

Attending the 50th Anniversary of FPC's Day School, held May 4, were family and friends of alumnae and current students, current and former staff, and church members. Honored guests included Evelyn Moorefield, the FPC member who led the effort to establish the Day School 50 years ago, Janet Fellows Williams, the first director of the



8:15 a.m. Worship Service

The final 8:15 a.m. Communion Worship Service until October will be May 26.



Becky Higman Is Received As A Candidate

Last Saturday, Becky Higman, elder at FPC, was received as a Candidate by the Presbytery of Tampa Bay. This is one of numerous steps in being certified ready for call.



Highlights Of The Annual FPC Day School Art Show

Creative examples of the innovative work done by students at FPC Day School were on display recently.



Men's Meal Ministry Needs Your Support

With the support of our church, the men's meal ministry prepares and serves nearly 200 hot meals each month for Pinellas Hope.

You are encouraged to support this ministry, either financially or with your time. For more information, please contact [Peter Bardin](#) or Brad Hussung.

Help Our Missionaries To Honduras

On June 9, 19 missionaries from FPC will travel to Honduras to conduct community health screenings for the New Hope Clinic and to provide children's outreach activities.

Please help by donating:

- * Tooth brushes (adults & kid sizes) * Band-aids
- * Dental floss * Quart-sized Ziploc bags
- * Soccer balls & pumps * Checks

[For More Information](#)

Volunteer At Free Clinic's 'We Help' Pantry

Four-hour shifts are available. You'll see lots of your First Pres buddies and be helping very grateful clients.

Contact volunteers@stpetersburgfreeclinic.org or call 821-1200, x 114.

Calendar at a Glance

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

Coming up in May

- [May Birthdays](#)
- [May Parent Calendar](#) for Child Care
- **May 11** - Bunco Night, 6:30 p.m., Youth Center
- **May 14 & 28** - Meditation For Christians, 7 p.m., Chapel
- **May 19.-** Yoga With Adam, 3 p.m., Fellowship Hall

Coming up in June

- **June 9-16** - Honduras Mission Trip. Contact [Susan Schlecht](#) for details.
- **June 11 & 25** - Meditation for Christians, 7 p.m., Chapel
- **June 17-21** - The Traveling Day Camp, 8:30 a.m. [Click here](#).

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