



This Week's eNews

March 12, 2024

Blog of the Week

Ellen Taylor

Every day when I wake up, I listen to "The Prayer of the Day". This is a service provided by the Bible App I use for spending time in the Word. I have found it a wonderful way to connect with God and start my day with Him in my heart. A Bible passage shows up on my phone and it then presented by a ... [Read More](#)



Important Links

1stPresDowntown.org

[Church Calendar](#)

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[Giving](#)

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This Week



Spring Food Drive
Spring into Action
Can You Help?

Community Outreach is sponsoring the collection of non-perishable canned and boxed food all month. You'll find collection bags and lists of suggested food items in Krueger Hall.

Family Ministry

Serving CDA Backpack Program

March 16 | 10 am - noon

Mark your calendars! This is a wonderful opportunity to serve. Check with Kierstie for more information and details.



1930 - 2024

Lloyd Siebert Memorial

Saturday, March 16 | 1 pm | Sanctuary

Lloyd's memorial service will

Mark Your Calendars

Holy Week Schedule

Palm Sunday

March 24 | 9 am
classic & 10:30 am
contemplative

Maundy Thursday

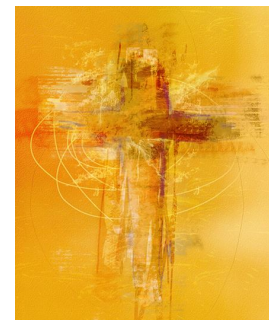
March 28 | 1 pm

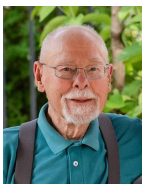
Good Friday |

March 29 | 7 pm

Easter Sunday

March 31 | 9 am classic & 10:30 am
contemplative





be held this Saturday, March 16th, at 1:00 pm in the sanctuary.

The reception will follow the service in Krueger Hall. Pray that this is a comforting and healing time for family and friends.



Scripture Readers Wanted

Sunday morning scripture reading is a wonderful

opportunity to get involved! We are seeking adults, and middle and high school students who would be interested in reading the scripture passage on Sunday morning.

[Sign-up Here](#)

RECOVERY

Coffee House Conversations

Recovery

March 23 | 2 - 3 pm | Krueger Hall

Please join us on March 23rd for our first Coffee House Conversation of 2024. This event will be focused on Recovery. There will be storytelling, discussion of resources, and opportunities for volunteering.

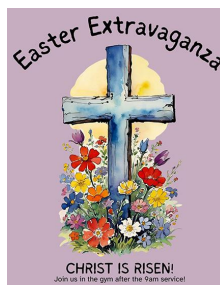
As always, we will have coffee and Village Bakery treats. Our guests will be Jeff Messinger, Manager of Shooters Black Rock Grill, Tess Reasor, the founder of 208 Recovery North Idaho, and ladies from UGM. Expect an inspiring afternoon.

Welcome

Faith Fellowship

At 1st Pres, we seek to live out our mission to Love 1st in many ways. One of these is through the biblical practice of hospitality. Beginning March 10th, we will be hosting Faith Fellowship, a small group of Presbyterian brothers and sisters gathering for worship and fellowship in one of our church facilities. We have invited them to join us for donuts and coffee following the 10:30

Volunteers Needed Easter Extravaganza Sunday, March 31

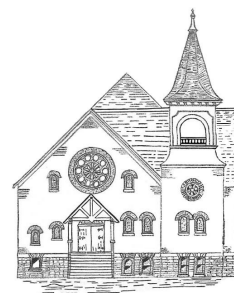


Our Easter Extravaganza is happening between services on Easter morning. We're looking for 5-7 volunteers for that morning. We hope to have all

volunteer needs filled no later than March 20th. [Volunteer Here.](#)

Membership Class Being Presbyterian April 6th | 9 am

Do you want to know about our church history? Do you want to know more about how our church is organized and the roles of Elders and Deacons? Do you want to know more about what it means to part of the Presbyterian church?



Come to the membership class on **Saturday, April 6th** from 9 am until noon. Lights snacks and beverages will be served.

Sign-up for class using [Signup Genius](#), at the welcome desk or call the church office. **Please let us know if you need childcare .**

Contemplative Service, and we hope you will join us in welcoming them with warm hearts and smiles.

Sunday's Service

Join us as we seek to be present to the task at hand.

[Watch Now](#)



General News

Your journey

Lenten Devotional Resources

You can find Lenten resources on the Presbyterian Mission website. One of particular interest might be **Tread Lightly for Lent 2024** calendar.



2024 Lenten Resources

Choir Director

Now Hiring



Do you have experience in directing choirs? Do you know someone who is a talented musician with

a conducting background who would be a great fit for our Choirs Director position? We are looking for someone to be part of our worship music program as director of our chancel and bell choirs. Send resumes or questions to Becky Clegg (HR) and please pray that God will bring the right person to our congregation.

[Job Description](#) | [Posting on Indeed](#)

Amazon Wishlist

1st Pres Neighborhood Closet

You can help anytime by going [here](#)!

Getting Connected

Small Groups

Learn about how to grow and connect at 1st Pres. Visit the [Grow page](#) on our website for a full list or use the links below.



Small Group Links

[Men's Fellowship](#)

[Sermon-Based Small Groups](#)

[Sunday Morning Bible Study](#)

[Women's Circles](#)



Providing Comfort

Prayer Shawls and Lap Blankets

Do you know someone who could use a reminder that there are those who are praying for them? You'll find a lovely selection in the Fireside Room. Be sure to complete the sign-out sheet so we know where our prayers should be directed.

Weekly @ 1stPres

Sundays

7:15 am Bell Choir Rehearsal
9 am Classic Service in Sanctuary & Online
10:30 am Contemplative Service in Sanctuary
10:30 am Bible Study

DOXA Service 11 am in gym

Thursdays

Ecumenical Kitchen Lunch
ARMS Meeting
Chancel Choir Rehearsal

Fridays

Knitting for Warmth

Family Ministries

Family Ministry Calling All Volunteers

Calling all volunteers! There are many ways to get connected and serve with Family Ministry. If anything caught your interest from our volunteers who shared Sunday, and you'd like to learn more, please reach out to Kierstie. Thanks!



Family Ministry Church Center Download Now!



Family Ministry is officially launching Church Center for 1st Pres Families! Through Church Center, you will be

able to update your household information, access the full family calendar, register for special events, access mobile check-in for kids (coming soon), and more! The move to Church Center gives families more access to up-to-date information, gives our team easy ways to communicate with our families, and will serve as the center hub of information for our ministry.

Family Ministries We Need Your Feedback!

Our team will consider all feedback given, and move forward with the option that fits with the majority of hopes of our families.

[Share your thoughts!](#)

[Join Today](#)

Please join our team of volunteers who serve in Family Ministry! All volunteers are background-checked and receive additional training. If you have not volunteered before and would like to learn more about next steps, please [email Kierstie](#). If you have already received your background check and training, please use the link below to serve with our Sunday ministry offerings.

Seeking Volunteers for:

- Nursery Assistants
- Pre-K-1st & 2nd-5th Grade Sunday School to Assist Teachers with Prepared Lessons
- Middle-School Youth Group Assistants

Sign Up Today

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