



This Week's eNews

March 5, 2024

Blog of the Week

Jenny Shotwell

Recently, I had a great privilege to speak to the women's group here at First Presbyterian. There was no topic given (tricky!) so I took the opportunity to share a bit about my life. Specifically, I focused on some key moments that have shaped me and ultimately led me to Coeur ... [Read More](#)



Important Links

1stPresDowntown.org

[Church Calendar](#)

[1st Pres on Facebook](#)

[Giving](#)

[Prayer Requests](#)

[1st Pres on YouTube](#)

This Week

Daylight Savings Time Begins!

Sunday March 10 | 2 am



It's time to set your clocks forward! Yes, we lose an hour of sleep so you might think about heading to sleep a little earlier than usual this Saturday. And, be sure to adjust your clocks on Saturday night!

You can make a difference! Family Promise Sign-ups

March 10 - 17



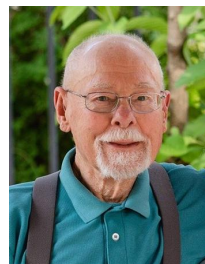
We need an **overnight host for Sun, March 10** and could use help with **take-down on March 17th**.

Please reach out to Judy Flieger or Ann Smart if you have questions. Your help is appreciated!

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Lloyd Siebert Memorial

Saturday, March 16 | 1 pm | Sanctuary



Lloyd's memorial service will be held on Saturday, March 16th at 1:00pm 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.

Volunteers Needed

Easter Extravaganza

Sunday, March 31

Our Easter Extravaganza is happening between services on Easter morning. We're looking for

Your journey Lenten Devotional Resources

You can find Lenten resources on the Presbyterian Mission website. There are several ideas listed in the link below. One of particular interest might be **Tread Lightly for Lent 2024** calendar.



2024 Lenten Resources

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.



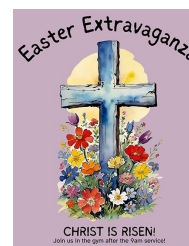
Welcome Faith Fellowship

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

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

5-7 volunteers for that morning. We hope to have all volunteer needs filled no later than March 20th. [Volunteer Here](#).



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



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](#)



**Coffee House
Conversations**

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.

Sunday's Service

Is God asleep? Join us as we worship the One who calms the storm.

[Watch Now](#)



General News

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Maureen Mackesy

Maureen Mackesy passed into the loving arms of Jesus on February 12th. Please pray for her husband John, their children, friends and family. Her service is planned for May 17th. More details will be announced as they become available.



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](#)



Providing Comfort Prayer Shawls and Lap Blankets

Do you know someone who could use a reminder that there are those

Notice

Saturday Men's Fellowship Meetings Moving to Le Peep!

Our Men's Fellowship meetings have been moved from Krueger Hall, 2nd and 4th Saturday to **Le Peep**, 1884 W Bellerive Lane, Coeur d'Alene. Yum!



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.



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.

Small Group Links

[Men's Fellowship](#)

[Sermon-Based Small Groups](#)

[Sunday Morning Bible Study](#)

[Women's Circles](#)

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

Access Code : Love1st

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