



1st Pres eNews

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Blog of the Week Kierstie Renninger

Fruit of the Spirit

"But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness,

gentleness, self-control."

Ahh ... spring ... a season of growth, renewal, and anticipation of warmer, sunny days! ... Read More

This Week

CDAIDE Mentorship Training

May 18th | 6:30 pm | Krueger Hall

CDAIDE is offering an evening focusing on how to develop & nurture strong relationships through the guidance of their core values. To reserve your spot please email serving@cdaide.org

Betty Cheeley Memorial

May 20th | 2 - 4 pm

We are pleased to announce we will be celebrating the life of Betty Cheeley's on Friday, May 20. The celebration will begin

Summer Kick-off for All June 5th | After 10 am service



Sunday, June 5th we will be joining our friends from DOXA to host a church wide Summer Kick-off extravaganza in the gym! The day will feature:

- Corn Hole tournament for all ages
- Hot Dog Lunch
- Date Night raffle basket
- Games & Surprises

at 2 pm in the Sanctuary with a cookie reception following in Krueger Hall.

Baby Girl Renninger Arriving Soon!

Sunday, May 22 | 10 am



Please help us
welcome Youth
Director Kierstie
and husband
Tyler's baby
daughter! Join us
after the 1st
service on Sunday,
May 22nd in a

"Celebration of Renninger Baby Girl". We'll be serving cake and the Youth Committee will be making a brief presentation. Please come share in the joy and excitement as we offer them our love and best wishes! Any questions, please contact Carolyn Keefer. Come on down for a hot dog, some good fellowship, fun games, and prayers for a happy and safe summer!

There will be an offering basket to help offset the cost of lunch.

Redemptive Compassion Training

Brought to you by the 1st Pres Community Ministry Task Force

Learn a new philosophy and methods for helping that are Biblical, Christ-centered, and strive to meet people in their need while helping them to reach their full potential.

This training is scheduled to start Wednesdays, June 8th through June 29th, 6 pm in Krueger Hall (4 sessions). Study guides will be provided.

Detailed information coming soon!

Apply Today for This Year's Education Scholarship

Students entering college this fall or continuing their college education are eligible to apply for this church scholarship. Beginning, returning and continuing students are all invited to apply.

Application deadline is June 11, 2022.



Please submit your application to the church office by the deadline.

Late applications [past

June 11, 2022]

will not be considered.

Scholarship applications are available at the church office or <u>click HERE</u> to download a copy.



Family Promise is excited to announce that it has launched a new **online volunteer training platform**.

You can officially start your online training journey

today. Enrollment for the <u>Family Promise National Volunteer Training Platform</u> can be found <u>here</u>. Use this <u>Guide</u> along with your training journey.

If you have any questions please contact Sara Reser, Shelter Manager

Sunday's Service

Watch again or for the 1st time!



The Things We All Need to Know: Passion and Purpose. Having a purpose and a calling gives each of us the joy and motivation we crave in our lives. Read Luke 2:41-50 then Watch it for the first time or once again!

Many thanks to our team of volunteers who make broadcasting the service possible!

<u>Watch this service or any of our past services on our YouTube Channel</u>

Church News

Ushers / Greeters Needed



We are in need of usher/greeter volunteers! Please contact Bob Freund, Jackie Velez, or the

office for more information if this sounds like something that speaks to your heart. We do need your help!

How You Can Help Ukraine GIVE. ACT. PRAY.



Presbyterian Disaster Assistance (PDA) is organizing assistance for Ukraine. Please click on this link to find out more and how you can help.

Helping Ukraine



We Are Hiring

Nursery Care Worker

Nursery Care Worker: We are searching for additional help in our Sunday Nursery. Must love kids and be an adult. This is a paid position. Generally Sundays only. Contact the office for details.

Saturday Men's Fellowship

May 28th | 7:30 am - 9 am

Our Saturday Men's Fellowship group meets one more time this year in Krueger Hall, May 28th. They will take a break over the summer and meet again in September. Please reach out to Dan Brown if you have any questions.

Prayer Shawls Available

Our Knitting Ministry has been hard at work, and prayer



shawls and lap robes are available for uplifting folks!

You can find the clearly marked bins in the Fireside Room to select a shawl or lap robe. Please use the clipboard to record the recipient's name allowing the Ladies to pray specifically for that person.

Jobs @ CDAIDE

CDAIDE has one open position that is part of this wonderful organization's growth. Visit the <u>CDAIDE Careers</u> page for details.

May Schedule

Sundays

7:30 am Bell Choir Rehearsal
7:55 am Bible Study
9 am Classic Service in Sanctuary & Online
10:30 am Contemplative Service in Sanctuary

Masks are recommended if you are vulnerable.

DOXA 11 am in Gym

Thursdays

Men's Bible Study Ecumenical Lunch Kitchen ARMS Chancel Choir Rehearsal

FridaysKnitting for Warmth

Children & Family Ministry

Summer Event Volunteers Needed!

We have some important summer events coming up!
Come build relationships with the kids and keep them
safe while they have a blast! Events are:
6/5 Summer Kick Off with DOXA after 9am service
6/29 AM for Art Camp Scavenger Hunt
6/29 PM for Movie Night
8/21 Beach Day after Sunday services.



Email Kyler for more information if you would like to make a difference in our kids' lives at 1stpreschildren@gmail.com or call/ text 208-691-8230. You can also check the volunteer signup sheet to sign up for the events.

Kids need Christian adults in their lives, please come hangout with us! They love getting to know everyone, and it means a lot to them having loving adults from church in their lives! If you would like to check when you are scheduled to help out next, or sign up for more days, follow this link:

Sunday School and Event Volunteer Signup

Art Camp

June 27th - July 1st

Hands to Art will be hosting us for another wonderful art camp with four fabulous crafts!

- Registration is open until 6/12
- Art Camp costs \$125, half is due now, the rest is due 6/17. Scholarship available!
- 9 spots left

Open to kids 5-10 years old

Art Camp Registration



Save the Date

Annual Art Camp with Hands to Art
June 27th-July 1st
6/29 Movie Night
June 29th 5pm
1st Pres at Camp Lutherhaven
July 17th- July 22nd
Beach Day
Aug 21st

RSVP to Summer Events

RSVP Movie Night

RSVP Beach Day

Youth Ministry

Fruits of the Spirit

Sunday Mornings



Our Fruits of the Spirit series is in full bloom and it has been so fun digging into a new spiritual fruit each week. If you know a middle or high schooler,

invite them to join us Sunday mornings in the youth room! Students are dismissed after the praise music during the 9am service.

Sign-up for the Youth Family Newsletter

Get connected with our family newsletter! Email <u>Kierstie</u> receive the newsletters.

Searching for Summer Volunteers

Our team has a big summer of fun events planned for our youth! We are still seeking additional volunteers to help ensure that each event runs smoothly. There are many ways to get involved, from chaperoning big events, serving meals, hiking with students, etc. Please email Kierstie if you would like to get involved!

Check Out Our Summer Schedule

Join our group on the Band App to see our summer schedule, upcoming events, and more! Don't forget to turn on notifications. Click here to join!