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Church News
First Presbyterian Church - Junction City

We strive to be a loving family of faith nurturing the spiritual growth of one another as we serve, worship, and reach out in celebration of Christ's Love.

- Committee Meetings:**
- February 1, Christian Education
 - February 5, Facilities & Staff Meeting
 - February 6, Finance, Mission, Evangelism & Fellowship, Deacons
 - February 6, Presbytery Meeting via zoom
 - February 7, Worship
 - Session Meeting—
February 20, 7:00 pm

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Ash Wednesday (February 14) marks the beginning of the season of Lent, a time in our church year for waiting while nurturing the practice of Christian spirituality, reflection and penance. The essence of the season is evident in the words of the prophet Joel:

"Yet even now, says the Lord, return to me with all your hearts, with fasting, with weeping, and with mourning; rend your hearts and not your clothing. Return to the Lord, your God, for he is gracious and merciful, slow to anger, and abounding in steadfast love, and relents from punishing." (Joel 2:12-13)

Please join us to begin our Lenten journey with a
Brief Service of Worship
 February 14, 2024
 6:30 p.m.

February Birthdays

- 2 Robert Munson
- 3 Sandy Wong
- 5 John Ison
- 7 Virginia Jensen
- 8 Bill Osbourn
- 11 Josh Haynes
- 12 Bob Frasier, Megan Landrith
- 13 Pam Haynes
- 14 Kylie Kohlmann
- 15 Tom Brungardt
- 17 Jenna Langvardt
- 19 Hannah Goble
- 23 Gary Langvardt
- 24 Lottie Butler
- 26 Max Stuckey
- 28 Hayley Hobbs



**If your name is
not on our
birthday list
please let the
office know.
We want to
recognize you
on your special
day!**

Current Visitation List

Valley View Cottonwoods & Senior Living

Graham Stevens #60
1417 W Ash
Junction City, KS 66441

Valley View Estates

Vivian Bruce #116
Barby Craft #122
Webb Davis #110
1440 Pearl Drive
Junction City, KS 66441

Brookdale Living

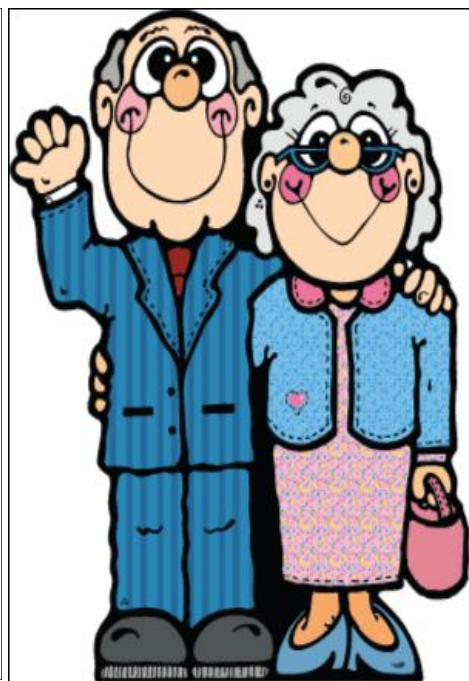
Glenna McCaleb #114
Nellie Stone #120
1022 Caroline Ave.
Junction City, KS 66441

Chapman Valley Manor

Gary Langvardt
PO Box 219
Chapman, KS 67431

Via Christi Villages

Muriel Johnson Rm AL 19
2800 Willow Grove Rd.
Manhattan, Ks. 66502



Upcoming Events



A poster for 'Fruit of the Spirit VBS' featuring a list of virtues on the left and a central text box. The virtues listed are LOVE, JOY, PEACE, PATIENCE, KINDNESS, GENEROSITY, FAITHFULNESS, GENTLENESS, and SELF-CONTROL. The central text box says 'Save the Date! Fruit of the Spirit VBS July 29 - August 1, 2024 9:00am-11:30am'. The background shows sliced oranges.

If you have anything you would like to have put into the **March** newsletter please email the information to the church office no later than February 23rd, 2024. Our email address is office.fpcjc@gmail.com.

If you have information you would like in the bulletin, please let the church office know by noon on the Wednesday before the Sunday you would like it included. You may call 238-1191 or email your info to office.fpcjc@gmail.com.

The New 2024 Flower Calendar is posted in the hall by the church office. There are still plenty of Sundays available for you to sign up on the calendar. If you have any questions, you may call Vanessa at 238-8809. Thank you.



A colorful poster for an 'Easter Egg Hunt' with a banner at the top. The text reads: 'EASTER EGG HUNT SUNDAY, MARCH 24 | IMMEDIATELY AFTER CHURCH AGES 0-5TH GRADE WE WILL BE IN THE GRASSY AREAS OUTSIDE OF THE CHURCH. *IN CASE OF BAD WEATHER, IT WILL BE MOVED INSIDE BRING YOUR BASKETS AND YOUR FRIENDS!'. The bottom shows decorated Easter eggs in a grassy field.

When inclement weather is forecast there are three ways you can find out if the church worship service has been cancelled: WIBW (website or T.V.), our First Presbyterian Church-Junction City Facebook page, and email (if we have your email address) from the church.

Church services are streamed at: <https://www.fpcjc.com>. You will also find links to our Facebook page and YouTube on this webpage. The worship bulletin can be found at <https://www.fpcjc.com/publications>.

The next Men's Breakfast is on Saturday, February 3 in the church dining room at 8:35 am.

Can you host Cookie Fellowship? Dates are open beginning with February 25. The signup sheet is on the bulletin board across from the kitchenette. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Jenna Langvardt at 785-761-5815.

Per Capita for 2024 will be \$37.00.

The MS/HS Easter Sunrise Service will be held Sunday, March 31 at Terrah Stroda's house.



A poster for 'Presbyterian Youth Triennium' with a decorative border. The text reads: 'PRESBYTERIAN YOUTH TRIENNIUM July 28 - 31, 2025 Louisville, Kentucky More information coming in 2024! www.presbyterianyouthtriennium.org'. The background features stylized sun and swirl patterns.



Our church will also cover a portion of the costs, so sign up today! Please email Dawn Avery at edcoordinator.fpcjc@gmail.com if you have any questions.



Daily Lectionary Readings for February



Thursday, February 1, 2024: Psalm 147:1-11, 20c; Proverbs 12:10-21; Galatians 5:2-15

Friday, February 2, 2024: Psalm 147:1-11, 20c; Job 36:1-23; 1 Corinthians 9:1-16

Saturday, February 3, 2024: Psalm 147:1-11, 20c; Isaiah 46:1-13; Matthew 12:9-14

Monday, February 5, 2024: Psalm 102:12-28; 2 Kings 4:8-17, 32-37; Acts 14:1-7

Tuesday, February 6, 2024: Psalm 102:12-28; 2 Kings 8:1-6; Acts 15:36-41

Wednesday, February 7, 2024: Psalm 102:12-28; Job 6:1-13; Mark 3:7-12

Thursday, February 8, 2024: Psalm 50:1-6; 1 Kings 11:26-40; 2 Corinthians 2:12-17

Friday, February 9, 2024: Psalm 50:1-6; 1 Kings 14:1-18; 1 Timothy 1:12-20

Saturday, February 10, 2024: Psalm 50:1-6; 1 Kings 16:1-7; Luke 19:41-44

Monday, February 12, 2024: Psalm 110:1-4; Exodus 19:7-25; Hebrews 2:1-4

Tuesday, February 13, 2024: Psalm 110:1-4; Job 19:23-27; 1 Timothy 3:14-16

Thursday, February 15, 2024: Psalm 25:1-10; Daniel 9:1-14; 1 John 1:3-10

Friday, February 16, 2024: Psalm 25:1-10; Daniel 9:15-25a; 2 Timothy 4:1-5

Saturday, February 17, 2024: Psalm 25:1-10; Psalm 32; Matthew 9:2-13

Monday, February 19, 2024: Psalm 77; Job 4:1-21; Ephesians 2:1-10

Tuesday, February 20, 2024: Psalm 77; Job 5:8-27; 1 Peter 3:8-18a

Wednesday, February 21, 2024: Psalm 77; Proverbs 30:1-9; Matthew 4:1-11

Thursday, February 22, 2024: Psalm 22:23-31; Genesis 15:1-6, 12-18; Romans 3:21-31

Friday, February 23, 2024: Psalm 22:23-31; Genesis 16:1-6; Romans 4:1-12

Saturday, February 24, 2024: Psalm 22:23-31; Genesis 16:7-15; Mark 8:27-30

Monday, February 26, 2024: Psalm 105:1-11, 37-45; Genesis 21:1-7; Hebrews 1:8-12

Tuesday, February 27, 2024: Psalm 105:1-11, 37-45; Genesis 22:1-19; Hebrews 11:1-3, 13-19

Wednesday, February 28, 2024: Psalm 105:1-11, 37-45; Jeremiah 30:12-22; John 12:36-43

Thursday, February 29, 2024: Psalm 19; Exodus 19:1-9a; 1 Peter 2:4-10



Our Staff

Pastor—Position Vacant
 Administrative Assistant—Melissa Goble
 Youth Education Coordinator—Dawn Avery
 Chancel Choir Director—Joe Markley
 Music Coordinator—Sheila Markley
 Bell Choir Director—Sheila Markley
 Organist—Rhoda Frasier
 Treasurer—Annette Ray
 Financial Secretary—Chris Munson
 Nursery Attendant—Brianna Talley
 Nursery Attendant—DeGe Boller

Find us on social media:

Click on images above or links below to go to our social media pages!

Webpage- <https://www.fpcjc.com>

YouTube- <https://www.youtube.com/@firstpresbyterianchurchofj8677>

Facebook- <https://www.facebook.com/fpcjcks>

Ministers-All who worship and serve the Lord!

KEY DEACONS

February

Ashley King 785-492-7549

March

Les Fehr 785-762-5444

Elder On Call

February

February 4-Linda Brungardt 785-223-3903

February 11-Linda Brungardt 785-223-3903

February 18-Linda Brungardt 785-223-3903

February 25-Linda Brungardt 785-223-3903

March

March 3-Sheila Markley 785-280-0595

March 10-Sheila Markley 785-280-0595

March 17-Sheila Markley 785-280-0595

March 24-Sheila Markley 785-280-0595

March 31-Sheila Markley 785-280-0595

Opportunities to Serve

- Lead a Sunday School Class one time a month
- Coffee Fellowship
- Be a part of a Mission Project
- Work with Middle School and High School Youth Group Events
- Offer to be Worship Leader
- Organize a Church Work Weekend to clean out gutters, paint, dust, organize
- Serve on a committee as a member at large

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
28 8:30am - Glory Ringers Rehearsal 9:30am - Adult Sunday School 9:30am - Youth Sunday School 10:45am - Worship Service 12pm - Coffee Fellowship	29 11am - Staff Meeting 4:30pm - Facilities Committee 7pm - Cub Scouts	30 8am - Presbytery Meeting-Zoom 2:30pm - Finance Committee 5:30pm - Mission, Evangelism & Deacon's Meeting 6pm - Deacon's Meeting	31 8:30am - Worship Committee 12:30pm - Bible Study 6:30pm - Chancel Choir Rehearsal 6:30pm - JAM 8:30pm - MSHS Youth Group 8pm - AA Meeting	1 First Day of Black History Month 9:30am - Christian Educ.	2 8:35am - Men's Breakfast	3
4 Pulpit Supply-Les Janke	5	6	7	8 11am - Ram Exterminators for	9	10
11 Pulpit Supply-Les Feir	12 7pm - Cub Scouts	13 Shrove Tuesday/Mardi Gras	14 Ash Wednesday Valentine's Day 12:30pm - Bible Study 6:30pm - Ash Wednesday Service 6:30pm - Chancel Choir Rehearsal 6:30pm - Pulpit Supply Bob 8pm - AA Meeting	15	16 7:30am - 4H Day-Ginger Kopfer	17
18 8:30am - Glory Ringers Rehearsal 9:30am - Adult Sunday School 9:30am - Youth Sunday School 10:45am - Worship Service 12pm - Coffee Fellowship	19 Presidents' Day 7pm - Cub Scouts	20 7pm - Session	21 12:30pm - Bible Study 6:30pm - Chancel Choir Rehearsal 6:30pm - JAM 6:30pm - MSHS Youth Group 8pm - AA Meeting	22 Newsletter Information Due	23 12pm - Miles Family Dining	24
25 8:30am - Glory Ringers Rehearsal 9:30am - Adult Sunday School 9:30am - Youth Sunday School 10:45am - Worship Service 12pm - Coffee Fellowship	26 7pm - Cub Scouts	27 1pm - Communications	28 12:30pm - Bible Study 6:30pm - Chancel Choir Rehearsal 6:30pm - JAM 6:30pm - MSHS Youth Group 8pm - AA Meeting	29 11am - PNK Preparation for	1	2



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