



- Our members and friends who are living in a nursing home, assisted living, or are partially or fully "home-bound"
- Janet Parrish-health concerns
- Joyce Miles as she undergoes cancer treatments
- Pia Ison as she undergoes chemotherapy treatments

We encourage you to pray for these friends – send them a note, call, or visit them. Addresses and phone numbers can be obtained from the church office. Send your prayer requests, concerns, and updates to office@fpcjc.com

Notice of Filming: Worship services are filmed and recorded to be included on our Church website, Facebook, YouTube, etc. While most footage will feature worship leaders, video of the congregation may also appear. Children may be seen during children's sermons. If you have concerns, please get in touch with the church office.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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.

May 31, 2026

Prelude

Gather In God's Name

Welcome and Announcements

Introit

Movement I, Sonata for Clarinet by Saint-Saens
Clarinet, *Carl Graves*

Call to Worship

Leader: The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit Be with you all.

People: Holiness, Word, Power, you reveal yourself as one God in three persons.

Leader: You reveal yourself as a mighty, creative, life-generating dancer Who invites your creation to join you.

People: Catch us up in your love And lead us into your world to call others to follow you with singing and rejoicing.

Leader: In Christ's name we pray, amen.

*Hymn of Praise #1

Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty!

*The Peace

(Please greet one another and exchange signs of peace and reconciliation)

Invitation To, and Prayer of Confession

Leader: Creation displays the glory of God, but our sin keeps us from rejoicing in the love God reveals.

People: Yet Christ Jesus the Son carried our sins to the cross, And the Holy Spirit breathes new life into us.

Leader: Let us praise God, our Maker, Savior, and Life-Giver.

People: Let us confess our sins, that we may receive such grace.

Assurance of Pardon

Leader: Friends, believe the good news of the gospel.

People: In the grace and love of God, we are forgiven.

Thanks be to God!

***Response to Forgiveness** *Gloria Patri Hymn #581*

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.

Proclaim God’s Word

Prayer

First Lesson

Romans 6:1-5

Leader: The word of the Lord

People: Thanks be to God.

Special Music

Movement III, Sonata for Clarinet by Saint-Saens
Clarinet, *Carl Graves*

Children’s Moment

The Message Text and Message

Matthew 28:18-20

Respond To God’s Word

Prayer Requests, Joys, and Concerns

Prayers of the People and The Lord’s Prayer

Invitation to Offering

Offering plates will be passed to those seated in the pews. Gifts or pledges may also be sent to First Presbyterian Church by mail or through the “Give Now” link on our website: <https://www.fpcjc.com>.

Offertory

Movement IV, Sonata for Clarinet by Saint-Saens
Clarinet, *Carl Graves*

***Doxology and Prayer** (Offertory Response, Hymn #606)

Go In God’s Name

***Hymn of Commitment #12** Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise

***Benediction Response #542**

God Be with You till We Meet Again (vs 1)

Postlude

Movement IV, Sonata for Clarinet by Saint-Saens
Clarinet, *Carl Graves*

***Please rise in body or in spirit.**



No Coffee Fellowship during summer months; however, please stay tuned for special Fellowships coming your way in June & July.

Pastor: Nathanael Hood
Christian Youth Coordinator: Dawn Avery
First Presbyterian Church
113 W. 5th Street, Junction City, KS 66441
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Office Phone: 785-238-1191
Office Hours: 9 a.m. – 12:00 noon & 12:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.



CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK

Day/Date	Time	Event
Monday, June 1	6:00 p.m.	Boy Scouts
Wednesday, June 3	8:30 a.m.	Worship Committee
Thursday, June 4	1:30 p.m.	Finance Committee
Thursday, June 4	4:00 p.m.	Facilities Committee
Sunday, June 6	10:45 a.m.	Loose Change Sunday!



Church Services Online:

Stream our church services at: <https://www.fpcjc.com>
Links to our **Facebook** and **YouTube** pages are available on the site. The **worship bulletin** can also be found there.

Thank you to all who assisted in this morning’s worship service:

Pastor: Nathanael Hood
Worship Leader: Mary Kay Munson
Chancel Choir Director: Joe Markley
Music Coordinator & Handbell Director: Sheila Markley

Organist: Joe Markley
Video Preparer/Operator/Sound: Colleen Smith
Key Deacon for May: Les Fehr (785-226-1522)
Key Deacon for June: Chrystal Artigue (785-561-0473)
Elder for the week of May 31: Linda Brungardt (785-223-3903)
Elder for the month of June: Margaret Kilpatrick (785-762-2780)
Head Usher for May 31: Rick Munson

Children Are Welcome in Worship. We joyfully welcome all children and youth to stay and participate in the worship service as we experience God together. Please note there will be no childcare offered in the Nursery June through August.



The flowers in the sanctuary this morning are provided by Linda Brungardt, in honor of all the women in my life, but especially Lydia, Sarah, Pauline, Alexa, and Aaliyah.



Our special music today has been provided by Clark Graves. He graduated this May from JCHS and will be attending Fort Hays State University in the fall.

Free Junction City Community Band concerts will start Sunday, May 31st and continue every Sunday in June. Concerts begin at 3:00 in the C. L. Hoover Opera House located at 135 W 7th Street, Junction City, KS.



Call: 785-238-1191 or



Email: office@fpcjc.com

If you have information you would like included in the bulletin, please contact the church office by **noon on Wednesdays**.



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LOOSE CHANGE Sunday is June 6.

Next Sunday's change will support the valuable work of the McKinney-Vento/Kids in Crisis. Windy Hancock is the administrator for this project through USD 475 School District.



If you have announcements, updates, or events you would like included in the **summer newsletter**, please send the information to the church office by **June 5, 2022**



JC COMMUNITY VBS

July 13-16

6 p.m. – 8 p.m.

First Christian Church
1429 St. Mary's Road

<https://vbspro.events/p/86e9cc>



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