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Committee Meetings :

- September 2 - Deacons, Finance, and Mission, Evangelism & Fellowship Committees
- September 3 - Worship Committee
- September 4 - Christian Education and Facilities Committees
- September 9 - Staff Meeting
- Session Meeting - September 16, 7:00 pm

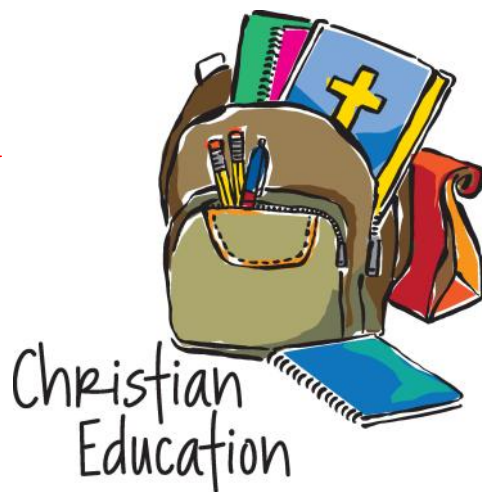
Church News

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.

Celebrating Christian Education Sunday, September 7, 2025

**Bible
Presentation
to our Children**



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"These commandments that I give you today are to be on your hearts. Impress them on your children. Talk about them when you sit at home and when you walk along the road, when you lie down and when you get up."

-Deuteronomy 6:6-7



September Birthdays

1	Tom Rolfs
2	DeLane Wolf
3	Betty Lewis
4	Vernon Bohn
5	Pat Landes
6	Rick Munson
9	Marissa Biggs, Heather Oentrich, Shawn Windes
11	Les Fehr
12	Frank Galliher
13	Will Ervin
17	Randy Heldstab
19	Kim Milleson
20	Quint Lindey
21	Matthew Jahnke
26	Melissa Goble
27	Aaliyah Williams
28	Karen Locke, Connie Newcomb, Hazel Rolfs, Walt Sutter
30	Patricia Yearout

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



Valley View Cottonwoods & Senior Living

Graham Stevens #60

1417 W Ash
Junction City, KS 66441

Valley View Estates

Vivian Bruce #116
Barby Craft #122

1440 Pearl Drive
Junction City, KS 66441

Brookdale Living

Nellie Stone #120
Betty Waters #111

1022 Caroline Ave.
Junction City, KS 66441

Via Christi Villages

Muriel Johnson Rm AL 19

2800 Willow Grove Rd.
Manhattan, Ks. 66502

Current Visitation List



Upcoming Events

Newsletter Reminder:

If you have any announcements, updates, or events you'd like included in the **October church newsletter**, please send the information to the **church office** by **September 20, 2025**.

✉ Email: office@fpcjc.com

Thank you for helping us keep everyone informed!

The church office will be closed on Monday, September 1, 2025, in observance of Labor Day. Regular hours will resume on Tuesday, September 2, at 9:00 a.m.

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

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The **Wednesday lunch bible study** resumes on September 10, 2025 at 12:30 pm. Elaine Dill will be leading us on Proverbs, using "A Woman of Wisdom" by Dee Brestin. Let Annette Ray know if you would like her to order you a book (about \$13).

Chancel Choir will begin rehearsal at 6:30 pm on September 3, 2025. We will start singing for the Sunday services on September 7, 2025. If needed, nursery care can be provided during this time.

Men's Breakfast will meet on Saturday, September 6, at 8:35 am in the dining room. All are welcome.

Glory Ringers handbell choir will resume rehearsal on Sunday, September 7, 2025 at 8:30 am. If needed, nursery care can be provided during this time.

Can you host Cookie Fellowship? Dates are open beginning with October 5, 2025. 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.



Adult Sunday School begins Sunday, September 7th

Everyone is invited to attend our Adult Sunday School Class that will reconvene on Sunday, September 7th at 9:30 am in Room 206. The first 5 sessions (Sept 7-Oct 5) of the class will be based on the Max Lucado study "Help is Here, Finding FRESH STRENGTH and PURPOSE in the POWER of the HOLY SPIRIT."

Using a video message and study guide, Pastor Max Lucado's "Help is Here" course will remind us of the power of the Holy Spirit in our lives. Pastor Max states that "when we feel powerless, help is here in the presence of the Holy Spirit". Participants in this study will learn more about this helper, whom we know as the Holy Spirit. When you feel powerless to calm life's chaos, remember: Help is Here!

As stated in the study guide, "this class will give you the tools and encouragement you need to become joyful, enthusiastic, and empowered as you draw closer to God; learn who the Holy Spirit is and how he can help you; find true rest and peace as you let him carry your burdens; and discover your unique gifts to further God's kingdom".

The Deacons are requesting your help! We are **campaigning to collect black hair ties, lice shampoo and lice kits, and boys' and girls' underwear sizes 4T – Adult XL** to donate to the schools for USD 475.

The red tub is in the Narthex, where you can drop off your items any time through Sunday, **September 14, 2025**. Monetary donations are welcomed as well; please indicate that your donation is in support of the Deacon Hygiene Kit project. We appreciate your support!



CELEBRATION SUNDAY

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 7

Join us for the kickoff to Sunday
School from 9:30am - 10:30am

This year, our elementary students will be learning from the
curriculum Growing in Grace and Gratitude.

Our Middle School and High Schoolers will be focusing on
important lessons, such as the Sermon on the Mount, the
"why's" of church, and so much more.

**Please also join us during worship for a special
bible presentation to our 3rd Graders**

Acolyte Training

Sunday, September 14

We will meet downstairs during the
Sunday School hour at **9:30am** to sing
with Ms. Sheila.

1st - 5th graders are then invited to
meet in the Sanctuary at **9:45am** to
practice lighting the candles and learn
more about the meaning behind being
an Acolyte.



CHURCH LOCK-IN

September 20-21

K-12th graders are invited to
join us Saturday afternoon
for some fun.

MS/HS will be invited to stay
the night.

*Watch your emails for more
details!*

TRUNK OR TREAT

Sunday, October 26
after worship

**DECORATE YOUR VEHICLE AND SHARE SOME
FUN WITH OUR KIDS!! SIGN UP TODAY!**

Trick or treating is open to all kids **birth-5th grade**. Bring your friends!! Wear your costume to church if you'd like!

Families & kids - we will offer pizza and salad downstairs in the dining room before we "trick or treat"

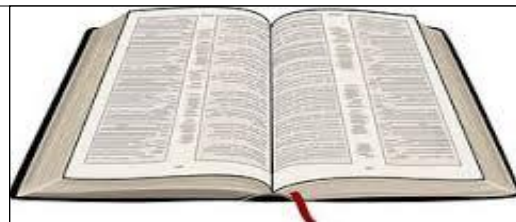
Volunteers - we will bring pizza and water to you while you decorate your vehicles!

**MANSE PARKING LOT (WEST OF THE CHURCH)
START SETTING UP VEHICLES AFTER WORSHIP
KIDS WILL COME OUT AFTER THEIR MEAL**

**PLEASE PROVIDE PACKAGED CANDY/TREATS FOR OUR TRICK OR
TREATERS AND DROP CANDY IN BAGS.**

***IN CASE OF RAIN, THE EVENT WILL BE MOVED INSIDE**

Daily Lectionary Readings for September



Monday, September 01, 2025: Psalm 58; Jeremiah 2:23-37; Hebrews 13:7-21

Tuesday, September 02, 2025: Psalm 58; Jeremiah 3:1-14; Titus 1:1-9

Wednesday, September 03, 2025: Psalm 58; Jeremiah 3:15-25; Luke 14:15-24

Thursday, September 04, 2025: Psalm 139:1-6, 13-18; Jeremiah 15:10-21; Philippians 2:25-30

Friday, September 05, 2025: Psalm 139:1-6, 13-18; Jeremiah 16:14-17:4; Colossians 4:7-17

Saturday, September 06, 2025: Psalm 139:1-6, 13-18; Jeremiah 17:14-27; Matthew 10:34-42

Monday, September 08, 2025: Psalm 2; Jeremiah 18:12-23; 1 Timothy 3:14-4:5

Tuesday, September 09, 2025: Psalm 2; Jeremiah 19:1-15; 1 Timothy 4:6-16

Wednesday, September 10, 2025: Psalm 2; Jeremiah 20:1-18; Luke 18:18-30

Thursday, September 11, 2025: Psalm 14; Jeremiah 13:20-27; 1 Timothy 1:1-11

Friday, September 12, 2025: Psalm 14; Jeremiah 4:1-10; 2 Peter 2:1-10a

Saturday, September 13, 2025: Psalm 14; Jeremiah 4:13-21, 29-31; John 10:11-21

Monday, September 15, 2025: Psalm 94; Jeremiah 5:1-17; 1 Timothy 1:18-20

Tuesday, September 16, 2025: Psalm 94; Jeremiah 5:18-31; 2 Peter 3:8-13

Wednesday, September 17, 2025: Psalm 94; Jeremiah 14:1-10, 17-22; Luke 22:31-33, 54-62

Thursday, September 18, 2025: Psalm 79:1-9; Jeremiah 12:14-13:11; Romans 3:1-8

Friday, September 19, 2025: Psalm 79:1-9; Jeremiah 8:1-13; Romans 8:31-39

Saturday, September 20, 2025: Psalm 79:1-9; Jeremiah 8:14-17; 9:2-11; Mark 12:41-44

Monday, September 22, 2025: Psalm 106:40-48; Jeremiah 9:12-26; Acts 4:1-12

Tuesday, September 23, 2025: Psalm 106:40-48; Jeremiah 10:1-16; 1 Corinthians 9:19-23

Wednesday, September 24, 2025: Psalm 106:40-48; Jeremiah 10:17-25; Luke 20:45-21:4

Thursday, September 25, 2025: Psalm 91:1-6, 14-16; Jeremiah 23:9-22; 2 Corinthians 8:8-15

Friday, September 26, 2025: Psalm 91:1-6, 14-16; Jeremiah 23:23-32; Ephesians 2:1-10

Saturday, September 27, 2025: Psalm 91:1-6, 14-16; Jeremiah 24:1-10; Luke 9:43b-48

Monday, September 29, 2025: Psalm 119:49-56; Jeremiah 32:16-35; Revelation 3:14-22

Tuesday, September 30, 2025: Psalm 119:49-56; Jeremiah 32:36-44; James 5:1-6



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>

Our Staff

Pastor—Nate Hood

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

Organist-August Siefkes

Treasurer—Lisa Nabus

Financial Secretary—Chris Munson

Nursery Attendant—AnaCristina Wilson

Ministers-All who worship and serve the Lord!

KEY DEACONS

September

Carolyn Zumbrunn 785-209-1597

October

Mark Rombold 785-307-2468

Elder On Call

September

September 7-Rick Munson 785-375-3940

September 14-Rick Munson 785-375-3940

September 21-Rick Munson 785-375-3940

September 28-Rick Munson 785-375-3940

October

October 5-Ashley King 785-492-7549

October 12-Ashley King 785-492-7549

October 19-Ashley King 785-492-7549

October 26-Ashley King 785-492-7549

Opportunities to Serve

- To 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
- Be a part of our Shut In Visitation Group
- Organize a Church Work Weekend to clean out gutters, paint, dust, organize
- Usher, help with Communion

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
31	1	2	3	4	5	6
	Church Closed for Labor Day Labor Day	1:30pm - Finance Committee 5:30pm - Mission, Evangelism & 6pm - Deacon's Meeting	8:30am - Worship Committee 6:30pm - Chancel Choir Rehearsal 8pm - AA Meeting	11am - Christian Educ. Committee 4pm - Facilities Committee		8:35am - Men's Breakfast
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
Celebration Sunday 8:30am - Glory Ringers rehearsal 9:30am - Adult Sunday School 9:30am - Youth Sunday School 10:45am - Worship Service 12pm - Church Potluck	6pm - Cub Scouts	10am - Staff Meeting	12:30pm - Lunch Bible Study 6:30pm - Chancel Choir Rehearsal 8pm - AA Meeting			
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