

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

Deep Spring... by Gilbert Martin

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

Go In God's Name

***Hymn of Commitment #197**

Hosanna, Loud Hosanna

***Charge and Benediction**

***Benediction Response #748**

Go with Us, Lord

Postlude

Hosanna, Loud Hosanna... by Kevin Uppercue

***People stand as they are able**



Prelude

Procession of the Palms

All Glory, Laud and Honor...by Lani Smith

Enter with Joy...by Kathleen Wissinger
Glory Ringers

Gather In God’s Name

Welcome and Announcements

Choral Introit

Call to Worship

Leader:

People:

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Leader:

Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord!

Hosanna in the highest!

Rejoice greatly, O daughter of Zion!

Shout aloud, O daughter of Jerusalem!

Lo, your king comes to you!

Triumphant and victorious is he!

Humble and riding on a donkey!

On a colt, the foal of a donkey!

Hosanna! Hosanna in the highest!

*Hymn of Praise #196

All Glory, Laud, and Honor

*The Peace

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

*Invitation to and Prayer of Confession

Leader:

People:

Leader:

People:

Leader:

Let us face this day of palms and Jesus’ passion with honesty.

Let us confess our sins before God.

Holy God, sure of your faithfulness even in your dying, Comforted by your compassion toward your people in every age,

We beg your mercy for our imperfect gratitude.

We have looked to you for paltry favors,

When you have given everything.

People:

Leader:

People:

Leader:

We have withheld from your people, our neighbors, And from your creation, our Earth, the care and tending they deserve.

We have rejected the cornerstone you sent To build a people of righteousness even here, today.

Forgive us our failings. Heal what we have broken. Lead us to your vision, that we may know the peace of wholeness in you.

In Jesus’ name, Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

Leader:

People:

Friends, believe the good news of the gospel.

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

Leader:

People:

Thanks be to God.

Psalm 118:1-2, 19-29

Choral Anthem

When I Survey the Wondrous Cross...arr. Martin

Children’s Moment

The Message Text and Message

Matthew 21:1-11



- 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 chemotherapy treatments
- Pia Ison as she undergoes chemotherapy treatments
- Brenda Edleston-health concerns
- Maritza Gibson-health concerns

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.

Thanks to all who assisted in this morning's worship service:

Pastor: Nathanael Hood

Worship Leader: Elaine Dill

Chancel Choir Director: Joe Markley

Music Coordinator & Handbell Director: Sheila Markley

Organist: Rhoda Frasier

Video Preparer/Operator/Sound: Colleen Smith

Key Deacon for April: Melissa Goble (785-226-0697)

Elder for the week of March 29: Sheila Markley (785-280-0595)

Head Ushers for March 29: Bill & Vannessa Osbourn

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. If you prefer, our nursery is available for ages infant to pre-k. Our caring staff is ready to lovingly receive your child.

Attention Parents and Grandparents of High School and College Seniors

If you have a graduating senior this May, please submit their information to the church office at office@fpcjc.com no later than **Friday, April 17**. This information will be included in the May 10, 2026 bulletin and May 2026 newsletter.

Please provide the following details:

- Student Name
- School Graduating From
- Brief Plans for the Student's Future
- Your Relationship to the Student
- A senior photo of your student (for display on the screens)

Thank you for helping us celebrate this special milestone!

Join us today after worship for our **Annual Easter Egg Hunt**. We will meet in the parlor and then proceed outside together.

The Maundy Thursday service and meal will be on April 2 in the dining room. The meal is hosted by the Mission, Evangelism, and Fellowship Committee. The meal will begin at 6:15 pm, and the worship service and communion will begin at 7:00 pm.

Join us for **Easter Service** at 10:45 am next Sunday, April 5.

The Wednesday Bible Study meets at 12:30 pm. Elaine Dill is leading us in a study on the book of Ecclesiastes. We'd love to have you join us!

The Pathfinder Adult Sunday School Class during Lent will be focused on the Max Lucado book and video course "He Chose the Nails". The class meets Sunday mornings at 9:30am in Room 206. Please join us!

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

📞 Call: 785-238-1191
✉ Email: office@fpcjc.com

If you have any announcements, updates, or events you'd like included in the **May church newsletter**, please send the information to the **church office** by **April 17, 2026**.

✉ **Email:** office@fpcjc.com

Thank you for helping us keep everyone informed!

Weather-Related Worship Service Cancellations:

When inclement weather is in the forecast, there are **three ways** you can find out if a worship service has been canceled:

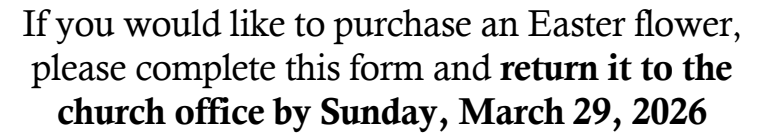
1. **WIBW** – Check the **WIBW website** or watch **WIBW TV** for cancellation notices.
2. **Facebook** – Visit our **First Presbyterian Church - Junction City** page for updates.
3. **Email** – If we have your email address on file, we'll send a cancellation notice directly to your inbox.

Church Services Online:

You can 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.

CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK

Monday	
6:00 pm	Cub Scouts
Wednesday	
8:30 am	Worship Committee
12:30 pm	Bible Study
4:00 pm	Facilities Committee
6:30 pm	Chancel Choir Rehearsal
8:00 pm	AA Meeting
Thursday	
9:00 am	Home Communion
11:00 am	Christian Education Committee
6:15 pm	Maundy Thursday Supper
7:00 pm	Maundy Thursday Service
Saturday	
8:35 am	Men's Breakfast
Sunday	
8:30 am	Glory Ringers Rehearsal
10:45 am	Worship, child care available



The cost of the Flowers is \$12.00

Memorials and other expressions will be printed
in the bulletin on Easter Sunday, April 5, 2026

**Please pick up your Easter flowers
following worship service on Easter Sunday.**

**Any flowers not picked up will be distributed
as the church deems best.**

Name: _____

Number of flower(s) ordering _____



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