

CONTRIBUTING TO TODAY'S SERVICE:

Greeter: Marilyn Sjogren

Ushers: Alisa Dinneen, Bill & Karen Wilson

Tech Crew: Larry Trussell & Steve Tangeman

Organist: Helen Wild

Scripture Reader: Rojean DuBois

Prayers requested for health, healing, and peace:

Charlene Lloyd, Tammy Geiger-Stephenson,
The family of Rev. Bill Kleymann, The Family of Elinor Kliewer,
Arlen Anderson, Ron Cheyney, Nancy Ice Schulp, and Jeri Smith

THIS WEEK @ FPC February 1st – 7th

Today	9:15 am	Adult Sunday School
	10:30 am	Worship Service
Monday	8:30 - 10:00 am	Ping Pong in the basement
Wednesday	10:00 am	Coffee with the Pastor
	7:30 pm	FPC Bell Choir
Thursday	10:00 am	PWCT
	7:00 pm	Operations Mtg.

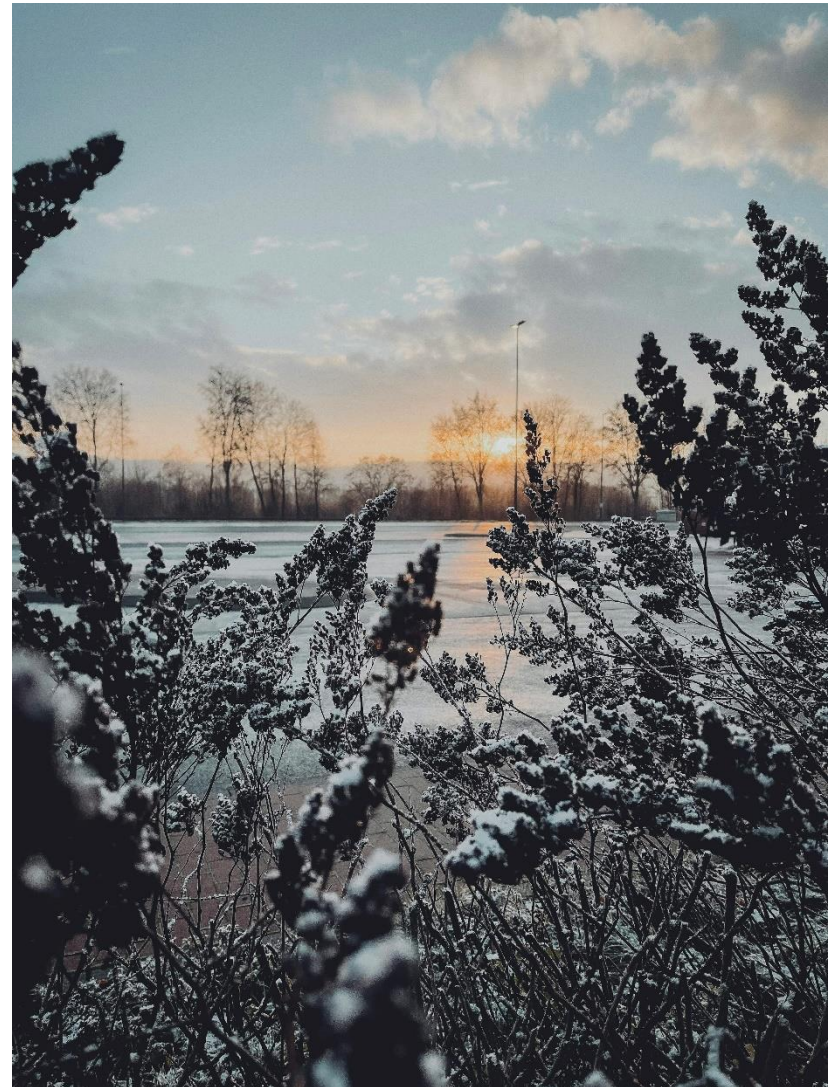
Next Sunday Annual Congregational Meeting after worship
Rescheduled from Snowstorm

Sunday the 15th – Hearts 4 Him leads worship – bring a friend!
Deacon Lasagna Meal to follow

Worship @

First Presbyterian Church

Newton, KS



PRELUDE “Wonderful Words”

arr. Lani Smith

CONGREGATIONAL LIFE

- Welcome, Announcements, Guests & Prayer Requests

INTROIT

“Just As I Am”

arr. Behnke

FPC Bell Choir

Director, Vada Snider

✠CALL TO WORSHIP (Recite in unison)

(Inspired by Psalm 5)

One: Come, let us worship and bow down in awe of God’s steadfast love for us.

*All: For God gives ear to our words;
God listens to the sound of our cries.*

One: Come, let us take refuge in the God of our salvation.

*All: For God is our shield,
our protection in times of trouble.*

One: Come, let us rejoice and sing for joy!

*All: For God is surely in this place!
Let us worship God!*

✠LORD’S PRAYER (Pray in unison)

*Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name.
Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in
heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us
our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into
temptation but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the
kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever, Amen.*

✠HYMN “O God, Our Help in Ages Past”

Insert

✠PRAYER OF CONFESSION & ASSURANCE OF PARDON

(Recite in unison)

Heavenly Father, You are full of compassion and

*gracious, slow to anger, and abounding with mercy; there
is always forgiveness with You! Restore to us the joy of
your salvation, forgive us our sins. Heal in us that which
is broken, give light to our minds, strength to our wills,
and rest to our souls. In Jesus Name, Amen.*

✠CHORAL RESPONSE “Gloria Patri”

PH # 579

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!*

SPECIAL MUSIC

“It Is Well with My Soul”

arr. Behnke

FPC Bell Choir

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SCRIPTURE

Rojean DuBois

Ecclesiastes 1:1-11 TNIV

Reader: This is the Word of the Lord. People: Thanks be to God

SERMON – Pastor Scott McGinnis

“It’s a Meaningful or (Meaningless?) Life”

LORD’S SUPPER

*Communion is offered two ways: From the Communion
Table or Packaged Individual Communion Elements.
Please place used cups in sealed bags and discard after
service. Thank you!*

GOD’S TITHES AND OUR OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY “Children of the Heavenly Father”

arr. Robert Lau

✠DOXOLOGY & PRAYER OF DEDICATION PH #592

*Praise God, from Whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures
here below. Praise Him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son,
and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

✠HYMN “What Does the Lord Require of You” 150th Book

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE “Joyful Jig”

arr. Patricia Lou Harris

Ecclesiastes 1:1-11 TNIV

¹The words of the Teacher, son of David, king in Jerusalem: ²“Meaningless! Meaningless!” Says the Teacher. “Utterly meaningless! Everything is meaningless.” ³What does anyone gain from all their labors at which they toil under the sun?

⁴Generations come and generations go, but the earth remains forever. ⁵The sun rises and the sun sets, and hurries back to where it rises.

⁶The wind blows to the south and turns to the north; round and round it goes, ever returning on its course. ⁷All streams flow into the sea, yet the sea is never full. To the place the streams come from, there they return again. ⁸All things are wearisome, more than one can say. The eye never has enough of seeing, nor the ear its fill of hearing. ⁹What has been will be again, what has been done will be done again; there is nothing new under the sun. ¹⁰Is there anything of which one can say, “Look! This is something new”? It was here already, long ago; it was here before our time. ¹¹There is no remembrance of people of old, and even those who are yet to come will not be remembered by those who follow them.

Bible Study on Prayer

Study Book: **Deepening Your Prayer Life**
by Charles Stanley

Why: To cultivate a richer prayer life individually and within our church community

How: After answering the questions at home in the study guide, we will meet to discuss some of the questions and principles we are learning. We will also spend some time praying together.

When: Once a Month after church,
11:30AM-12:30PM,
starting Sunday, February 22nd,
more dates TBA



Where: The Chapel

Cost: \$7 for the book, a **sign-up sheet** is in the narthex to reserve your copy of the book

Please contact Sonday McGinnis with any questions!

32 — O God, Our Help in Ages Past

From Psalm 90
ISAAC WATTS

Attr. to William Croft

1. O God, our help in a - ges past, Our hope for years to come,
2. Un - der the shad-ow of Thy throne Still may we dwell se - cure;
- 3. Be - fore the hills in or - der stood Or earth re - ceived her frame,
4. Time, like an ev - er - roll - ing stream, Bears all its sons a - way;
5. O God, our help in a - ges past, Our hope for years to come,

Our shel - ter from the storm-y blast, And our e - ter - nal home!
Suf - fi - cient is Thine arm a - lone, And our de - fense is sure.
- From ev - er - last - ing Thou art God, To end - less years the same.
They fly, for - got - ten, as a dream Dies at the o - p'ning day.
Be Thou our guide while life shall last, And our e - ter - nal home.*

Tune: ST. ANNE

The **7th Annual Easter Egg Hunt**
will be held **Saturday, March 28, 2026**
beginning at 1:30pm.

After February 25th we will announce
when the bags will be ready to take
home to stuff. If you are interested,
there will be other ways to help.



Thanks, your Outreach Team



Newton Presbyterian Manor Readers' Theater
presents "A Charlie Brown Christmas and Other
Stories - A Tribute to Bill Kleymann" Today,
February 1, 2026, from 2:30 - 3:00 p.m. in the
Chapel at the Manor (1200 E. 7th). Bill Wilson
joins in the Tribute. Light refreshments to follow.

Open House at the Glann's
Sunday, February 8th

2:00 – 4:00 p.m.

The Glann's invite you to see the
new remodels in their home.

2413 College Ave. North Newton

Newton is experiencing an increased need for food
this month. Please consider donating.

The Salvation Army needs:

Spaghetti-O's and other canned meals, ramen
noodles, canned vegetables, soups, spaghetti
sauce and noodles, granola bars and boxed
individual snacks, crackers, hamburger helper,
pop tarts, peanut butter and jelly, toilet paper, and
paper towels.

New Jerusalem has a food pantry as well to donate
to. They are located at 209 E. Broadway St.