HELLO FUPC FAMILY AND FRIENDS!

In this mailing you'll find the bulletin for Sunday's worship service. Join us Sunday at 10:30 via zoom by going to https://us02web.zoom.us/j/5739200081, or by phone (312-626-6799). If you're joining by phone, enter meeting ID 573-920-0081. If you've not used zoom before, follow the instructions provided at the link.

THIS WEEK AT FIRST UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday, June 22

8:45 a.m. – Adult Study in Session Room and via Zoom 10:30 a.m. –Worship in sanctuary with Rev. J.R. (Randy) Campbell and via Zoom followed by followed by Fellowship

Monday, June 23

11:00 – Deacons in the Session Room

Tuesday, June 24

6:15 p.m. – Personnel and Session in the Session Room

Friday, June 27

8:00 a.m. - Samaritan House Cook Team

Sunday, June 29

8:45 a.m. – Adult Study in Session Room and via Zoom 10:30 a.m. –Worship in sanctuary with Pastor Patricia Halverson and via Zoom followed by Fellowship



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1000 Douglas Avenue, P.O. Box 37 Las Vegas, NM 87701 June 22, 2025 10:30 a.m.

MISSION AND VISION - We seek to grow in our faith, share God's love, and serve others, following the Holy Spirit that has sustained us and our ministries for over 150 years. As an inclusive and welcoming segment of the Body of Christ, we actively seek justice for all and work together to build a compassionate world where all are valued. Led by Christ and dependent on God's grace, we embrace today's challenges and live into tomorrow's opportunities.

MEDITATION - "For God alone my soul waits in silence, for my hope is from him." Psalm 62:1

WE GATHER TOGETHER

WELCOME

PRELUDE

*PASSING OF THE PEACE

Let us make a commitment during this time to visit with someone today and wish them the peace of Christ.

Blest be the tie that binds our hearts in Christian love. The fellowship of kindred minds is like to that above

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: We gather to worship the One who puts us and the universe together.

All: We gather to lift our praise to the One who gives us being,

To the One whom Jesus called "Father",

Leader: We gather as the children of God, our joy fulfilled in God's love.

All: We gather to celebrate eternal life in union with Christ, Son of God.

Leader: Living in the mystery of Father, Son and Spirit with us, we gather to worship.

*OPENING HYMN

Holy, Holy, Holy

GTG #1

ASSURANCE OF GOD'S LOVE AND MERCY

We remember that, **before** we confess and no matter what we confess to God, we can be assured of God's Love and Mercy.

UNISON PRAYER OF RECONCILIATION

Merciful God, we've failed to live in hope because we've often allowed the helpless fears of the hopeless world to influence us. We sometimes forget about Christ's unending love and compassion for us and for all. We confess the wrong we have done and the good we have not done. We have sinned in ignorance: we have sinned in weakness: we have sinned through our own deliberate rebellion. We are sorry. We turn to you again and trust your forgiving, eternal grace, revealed in Jesus Christ. By your Holy Spirit, renew our hope and encircle us in your love we pray, as we come to you in silence...Amen.

WE PROCLAIM GOD'S WORD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE READING: Romans 5:1-5 Richard Lindeborg

GOSPEL READING John 16:12-15 Rev. J.R. (Randy) Campbell

SERMON "Hold On to Hope" Rev. J.R. (Randy) Campbell

WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

RESPONSEBe Thou My Vision

GTG 450

WITH THANKS FOR GENEROUS GIVING

God, thank you for Christ's church, for the way we are called to be church to a world in need. Help us to continue to share with those in need and with each other through these gifts. In the name of Christ, we pray. Amen.

*DOXOLOGY

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

WE GO FORTH IN GOD'S NAME

*CLOSING HYMN Song of Hope GTG #765

*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

*Please stand in body or spirit, as you are able

*****OPPORTUNITIES****

Join us for Fellowship in Perea Hall: after worship today! June fellowship time reminder:

6/22 ??

6/29 ??

Sign-up sheet is in Perea Hall; please sign up for a Sunday. Nothing elaborate is expected.

Blessing the Columbarium – Please join us in the Memorial Garden for the blessing of the new columbarium. The blessing will occur immediately after today's service.

The Sunday morning Bible-based class for youth and adults is discussing the book *Worship in the Early Church* by Justo L. González and Catherine Gunsalus González, published by Westminster John Knox Press (WJK), the academic and trade imprint of the Presbyterian Publishing Corporation (PPC).

The reading assignments are:

The reading assignment for June 22 is Preaching: Ch. 3, pp. 45-58 and Ch. 8, pp, 111-128.

The reading assignment for June 29 is Preaching: Ch. 13, pp. 199-216 and Ch. 17, 261-262.

Classes are at 8:45 a.m. Sundays in the Session Room, next to the kitchen in Perea Hall and on Zoom on the same link as the Sunday Worship Service.

Prayers for the Church Family – Each week we choose some specific names to remind us to pray for each other and for those in our Presbytery. Please pray for Renate Rendon and Sharon and Ed Roe as well as the First Presbyterian Church, Taos, NM (1874).

Joining us today in the pulpit is Rev. J.R. (Randy) Campbell.

Randy grew up in a rural area just north of Butler, Pennsylvania. He attended Westminster College, New Wilmington, Pennsylvania and spent his junior year at New College, Edinburgh, Scotland.

He attended McCormick Seminary, Chicago and served congregations in Ohio, Minnesota and Arizona, taught English at a Mission School in Cameroon, Africa and was U.S. Coordinator of Companeros en Mision Presbyterian Border Ministry in Nogales, Arizona and Mexico.

He served as pastor of this church from 2007 to 2015, when he (almost) retired.

June Elder of the Month: Richard Lindeborg, carollinder@msn.com. 505-429-2139

June Deacon of the Month: Debra Allen-Reid, pethyena@gmail.com, 505-331-9125

Our office hours on Tuesday have been temporarily suspended; however, it is easy to reach us. You may call and leave a message at 505-425-7763 or email us at fupcnm@gmail.com. Phone and email messages are being picked up throughout each day, 7 days a week.

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Assisting in Worship This Week

Preacher – Rev. J.R. (Randy) Campbell Pianist – Em Krall Worship Leader – Richard Lindeborg Bulletin – EJ Nelson

Custodian – Henry Herrera Sanctuary Hosts – Bonnie Trujillo, Charlotte Wootton

Tech Crew – Karyl Lyne, Julie Salman, Jeff Salman