



TOWER CHIMES

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF WINTER HAVEN
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FIRST PRES MUSIC SHOWCASE



Be sure to join us this **Sunday, June 2** at **3 pm** for a celebration of music! Our talented First Pres musicians will share a variety of music in an afternoon program in the sanctuary.

You'll hear musical selections from our Chancel Choir, Chancel Bells, Chapel Bells, and Jazzbyterians. There'll also be a couple of hymns for you to join in on the music making!

After the concert, we will all enjoy a reception in McLeod Hall.

SUMMER SUNDAYS SINGLE SERVICE



We hope your summer plans will include joining with your family of faith for our **Summer Sundays Single Service**. Every Sunday for the months of **June, July, and August** we will worship God in our sanctuary starting at **10 am**.

Rev. Sarah and Dr. Negley will be preaching on various themes and **Good News For God's Children**.

Music throughout the summer will include our Praise Band, a pick-up choir, various soloists & ensembles, and Jeremy Rath on the organ and piano.

Let's gather together this summer to praise and worship our God!

CAMP FIRELIGHT VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL JUNE 9-13



We'll be going on a Summer Camp Adventure with God at VBS **Sunday, June 9 - Thursday, June 13 5:30-8pm**. Registration is now open for children 4 years through 5th grade as participants. Teens and adults can volunteer as counselors. Visit the website to complete registration today! We'll start the evening out with a community dinner every night, then the adventure will begin.

Can't join us? Check out the donation bulletin board for supplies needed.

On this adventure with God, we will show children they can trust God all the time!

THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE

Sunday, June 2

- 10:00 am Summer Sundays Single Service (Sanctuary)
- 11:15 am Vacation Bible School Volunteers (MH)
- 3:00 pm Music Showcase (Sanctuary)

Monday, June 3

- 8:45 am Morning Out Mom (CE)
- 6:00 pm Associate Pastor Nominating Committee (MH)

Tuesday, June 4

- 9:00 am Staff Meeting (MCR)
- 12:00 pm Men's Lunch (MH)
- 6:30 pm Session (GR)

Wednesday, June 5

- 8:45 am Morning Out Mom (CE)
- 1:00 pm American Mah Jongg (CE 102)

Thursday, June 6

Friday, June 7

- 8:45 am Morning Out Mom (CE)

Saturday, June 8

- 2:00 pm Soup Kitchen Prep (Kitchen)
- 4:00 pm Soup Kitchen (737)

MILITARY

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|--------------------|-----------------|---------------|
| Zach Anaya | Eddie Gray | Mathew Massam |
| Brenden Anderson | Daniel Harp | John Portlock |
| Christian Anderson | Sean Harp | Diane Secord |
| Zach Drum | David Knowles | Shad Skinner |
| Robert Ferguson | John Marotti | Drew Stapor |
| Stephanie Gillie | KaitLin Marotti | |



REMEMBER IN PRAYER

MEMBERS

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|--------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------|
| Ann Adams | Wade & Sandy Hoffman | Heidi Munoz-Gutierrez |
| Jonye Briggs | Jim Huff | Jeri & Tom Oldt |
| Joe Burke | Scott & Becky Irvin | Arletta Oriani |
| Kelly Butz | Beth & Randy Koon-Spiwak | Sharon Ramseyer |
| Orrin Champlain | James & Mary Ann Koon | Teresa Renney |
| Joan Chilton | Sara Koon | Dick & Nancy Shaw |
| Marjorie DiLorenzo | Joanie Kooser | Marilyn Sheffield |
| Rob Donaldy | Jill Kosmenschky | Joyce Shirah |
| Dana Elmore | Ray & Gladys Larson | Katie Sparr |
| Bill Everhart | Lynn Lassater | David Strey |
| Gloria Goss | Pat McCarty | Scott Strey |
| Caitlyn Grady | Pat Miller | Barbara Tackett |
| Lynne Grady | Edna Mitchell | Pam Tallent-Blackburn |
| Pam Gray | | Jennifer & Mike Vibrant |
| Ken Hart | | Gale & Gwen Waters |
| Jane Hayman | | |

FAMILY & FRIENDS

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| Chad Anderson | Jeffrey family | Jack Robinson |
| Wayne Berry | Juan Joy | Craig Smith |
| Sara Cliett | Brandy & Avery Koeppe | Ginger Snively-Chad |
| Pat Cokewell | Ada Lopez-Mendez | Barbara Spinella |
| Tammy Cowart | James & Eileen Martin | Nadine Waters-Robbins |
| Mason Dorsey | Khyla Martinez | Weeder Family |
| Fowler family | Dick McCauley | Steve Weeks |
| Cole Gorham | Ann Reddout | Danny Williams |
| Brian & Anna Griffin | | |

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Bag Lunch Ministry
We gave out 226 lunches
the week of 5/20/24.



Soup Kitchen Ministry
We fed 75 people on
Saturday, 5/25/24.



Return Service Requested

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL COMMUNITY DINNER SERVERS NEEDED



Volunteer teams are needed to cook pre-prepared meals to serve at **5:30 pm** every night during VBS. The food will all be here. Folks are needed to prepare the evening's main course. Those main courses include, pizza, hot dogs, chicken nuggets, spaghetti and walking tacos. You can help for just a night or every night by signing up on the bulletin board or contacting Sue Henry at 989-725-8224 or Rev. Sarah. Join your church on this memorable adventure with God!

VBS MISSION BACKPACK CHALLENGE

This year during VBS, we will be collecting backpacks for all school-age friends at Beth -El Farmworkers Ministry and our VBS children are challenging YOU to join us!



Just bring a backpack (new or slightly used) to McLeod Hall during the month of June and help us collect 300 backpacks. Backpacks can be adult or children-themed. Beth-El is also collecting other school supplies if you'd like to fill your backpack with pencils, loose leaf paper (wide or college ruled), crayons (24 ct.), markers, scissors, or pencil pouches/boxes.

Look for the collection buckets and thank you!

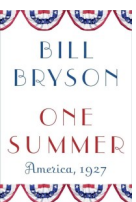
THE CHOSEN



You are invited to join us on **Sunday, June 23 from 5 - 7 pm** in McLeod Hall to watch season 4, episode 3 from *The Chosen*, then discuss what we have seen. Please join us even if you haven't watched the series, we will help you catch up.

Please bring a covered dish to share and enjoy an evening with your friends from First Pres. Childcare will be provided.

JULY BOOK CLUB



We will meet on **Monday, July 15 at 3 pm** in McLeod Hall as we discuss *One Summer America 1927* by Bill Bryson.

We hope you will join us for this history book that chronicles the events in the United States during the summer of 1927.

PICTORIAL DIRECTORY

The membership committee has decided that we will produce a new church pictorial directory in house. When completed, every church family will have at their finger tips pictures, address and contact information for the entire congregation.



You can submit your photo in a JPG or PNG format (not PDF) to assistant@firstpreswh.org. If you prefer, a committee or church staff member will be happy to take your picture Sunday after worship, or during office hours.

Please email your contact info if you have had any recent changes. Example, you have eliminated your land line.