



TOWER CHIMES

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF WINTER HAVEN
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3 CENTS-A-MEAL THIS SUNDAY



We will collect the *3 Cents-a-Meal Hunger Offering* during our worship service this **Sunday, August 18**. This special offering is divided among our Soup Kitchen & Bag Lunch Ministry, the Beth-El Farmworker Ministry, and our support of the church in Honduras. We hope you will set aside your pennies to help feed those in our community and beyond.

YOUTH GROUPS RETURN!



The **High School Youth Group** will begin meeting this **Sunday, August 18** from **5:30** until **7:30 pm**.
The **Middle School Youth Group** has begun meeting on **Wednesdays** from **5:30** until **7:30 pm**.
Come join us for another awesome year of food, fellowship, and faith building!

THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE

Sunday, August 18 3 CENTS-A-MEAL

10:00 am Summer Sundays Single Service
5:30 pm High School Youth Group (GC)

Monday, August 19

8:45 am Morning Out Mom (CE)
5:30 pm Saturday Nite Live Planning (MH)
6:00 pm Associate Pastor Nominating Committee (MH)

Tuesday, August 20

9:00 am Staff Meeting (MCR)
12:00 pm Men's Lunch (MH)
12:00 pm Finance (UR)
6:00 pm Personnel (MCR)
6:30 pm Deacons (MH)

Wednesday, August 21

8:45 am Morning Out Mom (CE)
1:00 pm American Mah Jongg (CE 102)
5:30 pm Middle School Youth Group (GC)
6:00 pm Chancel Bells (BR)
7:00 pm Chancel Choir (CR)

Thursday, August 22

1:15 pm Chapel Bells (BR)

Friday, August 23

8:45 am Morning Out Mom (CE)

Saturday, August 24

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



REMEMBER IN PRAYER

MEMBERS

Ann Adams	Jane Hayman	Jeri & Tom Oldt
Orrin Champlain	Wade & Sandy Hoffman	Sharon Ramseyer
Marjorie DiLorenzo	Betts Huff	Pat Reass
Rob Donaldy	Scott & Becky Irvin	Dick & Nancy Shaw
Dana Elmore	Joanie Kooser	Joyce Shirah
Bill Everhart	Jill Kosmenschky	Katie Sparr
Gloria Goss	Ray & Gladys Larson	Linda Stavres
Caitlyn Grady	Lynn Lassater	Barbara Tackett
Lynne Grady	Kyle Lease	Pam Tallent-Blackburn
Pam Gray	Pat McCarty	Jennifer & Mike Vibrat
Heidi Munoz-Gutierrez	Pat Miller	Gale & Gwen Waters
Ken Hart	Edna Mitchell	Lee Wilkinson

FAMILY & FRIENDS

Chad Anderson	Ada Lopez-Mendez	Charles Sample
Wayne Berry	James & Eileen Martin	Bob & Nikki Shade
Sara Cliett	Jeannie Martin	Craig Smith
Pat Cokewell	Khyla Martinez	Ginger Snively-Chad
Tammy Cowart	Dick McCauley	Barbara Spinella
Jenny Crowe	Heather Nelson	Lyric Taylor
Mason Dorsey	Ann Reddout	Nadine Waters-Robbins
Cole Gorham	Jack Robinson	Steve Weeks
Brian & Anna Griffin	Karen Sadler-Banks	Danny Williams
Juan Joy		

OUR SYMPATHIES



Our Christian sympathy goes to **Kyle Lease** upon the death of his father, **Mark Lease**, who died on Thursday, August 8, 2024.

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Bag Lunch Ministry
We gave out 210 lunches
the week of 8/5/24.



Soup Kitchen Ministry
We fed 105 people on
Saturday, 8/10/24.



Return Service Requested

CHOIR AND BELLS RETURNS!



Our First Pres Musicians begin our fall season of music making **on Wednesday August 21 & Thursday, August 22** and we would love to extend an invitation to YOU. If you are interested in joining us, please see our rehearsal schedule below:

Chancel Bells rehearses every **Wednesday evening** from **6:00 - 7:00** in the Bell Room.

Chancel Choir rehearses on **Wednesday evenings** from **7:00 - 8:15** in the Choir Room.

Chapel Bells rehearses every **Thursday afternoon** from **1:15 - 2:15** in the Bell Room.

For more information, please call Jeremy at the church office or email him at jrath@firstpreswh.org.

THE CHOSEN

You are invited to join us **this Sunday, August 25, 5 - 7 pm** in McLeod Hall to watch season 4, episode 6 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.

SOUP KITCHEN HELP NEEDED



Would you like to help love and serve those who hunger? We need helpers for **Saturdays, August 31, September 7 & 21.**

If you can help with this very important ministry, please sign up in McLeod Hall or call the church office.

SUNDAY NURSERY VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

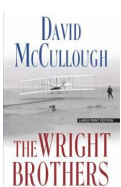
Looking for a way to connect with our young families and support the youngest disciples here at First Pres? Join the Sunday Nursery Volunteers list. By adding your name to our



Nursery Volunteers list you will be contacted to be present in our Sunday Nursery as a second adult during the 10am worship service. You'll be able to play, care for, and enjoy those little ones in CE room 203. It will be on a rotating and as needed basis.

If you are interested, please contact Rev. Sarah.

SEPTEMBER BOOK CLUB



We will meet on **Monday, September 16** at **3 pm** in McLeod Hall as we discuss **The Wright Brothers** by David McCullough.

We hope you will join us for this story of two courageous brothers who taught the world how to fly.