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FPC BEACH NIGHT
Tonight, July 8 @ 6pm-8pm
Fort Lauderdale Beach South

take Las Olas Eastbound - turn south on A1A
turn left into Fort Lauderdale Park parking lot
Gather where you see the picnic tables and palm trees

Bring a dish to share!
Bring a friend or two!
Enjoy fellowship and fun time at the beach
with your church family!

For more information about tonight's Beach Night, contact:
kathymayers@gmail.com

Summer Potluck Dinner and Movie Night

ALL SAINTS
BASED ON THE INSPIRING TRUE STORY

**Wednesday, July 11th
Fellowship Hall**

Based on a true story, a salesman-turned-pastor Michael Spurlock of a tiny Episcopal (Anglican) church in Smyrna, Tennessee is ordered to shut it down. He attempts to save the church, as well as a group of refugees from Karen State, Myanmar in Southeast Asia.

POTLUCK DINNER 5:00PM / MOVIE 6:00PM

We will provide the main dish, YOU can bring:
(depending on the first letter of your last name)

A-H: Dessert / I-R: Veggie or Side Dish / S-Z: Salad

Contact Mona Petersen: 954.598.9345 / MonaP@firstpres.cc

SUNDAY WORSHIP

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF FORT LAUDERDALE

9:30 AM **July 8, 2018**
CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP **Seventh Sunday after Pentecost**
Welcome to worship at First Pres. We are happy to have you with us this morning. It is completely appropriate to dress casually for this service, if you wish. The nursery is available for children 3 and younger, if you choose, but we would also love to have your children worship with us.

* Worship

Community Life

* Worship

Sharing our Gifts

"In the Secret"

- Shane and Shane

Scripture Reading

Isaiah 43: 19

The Message

"Where Faith Comes Alive"

Lia House and Ryan Clements

* Worship

* Benediction

*please stand if you are able

Online giving is available by going to www.firstpres.cc, clicking the tab labeled GIVE, and following the prompts.

Preachers: Lia House and Ryan Klements

Worship Team: Emily Grossutti, Ragan Jacaty, Evan Kline, Nic Merchant, Mona Petersen, Steve Smithberg, Ronnie Young

Projection Imagery: Amy Merchant

Sound, Lights, Video: Evan Barber

This week's music

"Rejoice" — Aaron Shust

"Rising Sun" — All Sons and Daughters

"Ever Be" — Bethel

"This I Believe" — Shane and Shane

Listen to the songs from worship during the week

Listen to music from worship on Spotify. Download the free app, sign in with your Facebook account, search for Nic Merchant, and then follow his playlists. *If you do not sign in with a Facebook account, then type "spotify:user:12144083752" and hit search.

WELCOME GUESTS!

- Thank you for joining us in worship in our newly renovated Fellowship Hall. Please join us for a time of fellowship after worship!
- Please feel free to follow today's scripture readings on your mobile device. To access WiFi go to fp_guest. Password: fpcguest (case sensitive)
- First Presbyterian is also the home of Happyland Day School, a quality preschool for over sixty years. For more info, call 954-463-6051.
- For families with young children: the nursery is located in the Neumann Center (Room NC 120).

Children's Sunday School Summer Schedule:

9:30 am: PreK3 Sunday school in Room #NC120

PreK4-3rd grade meet across the street in the Watts Chapel
4th & 5th grade are invited to attend worship
with their parents
(Nursery available during the 9:30am & 11am services)

THE CHRISTIAN SYMPATHY OF THE CONGREGATION IS EXTENDED TO: Sherry Friedlander-Olsen and family on the death of her husband, George Edward Olsen, on June 25, 2018. A celebration of George's life will be held in our Sanctuary on Saturday, July 14, 2018 at 4pm.

If you or someone you love is in the hospital, please let us know. HIPAA laws do not allow the hospitals to call and inform us, so we rely on you. Thank you in advance.

LEADING US IN WORSHIP TODAY: Rev. Dr. Patrick H. Wrisley, *Senior Pastor*, John Boch, Ryan Klements and Lia House

PLEASE VISIT <http://firstpres.cc/about-us/staff/> for the full staff listing.

ARE YOU OR SOMEONE YOU KNOW IN NEED OF PRAYER?

We are a praying church and have a team of prayer warriors who will pray and lift up your prayer requests and praises each week. Please write them on your connect card or email them to DarleenC@firstpres.cc to be placed on our prayer letter. If you would like to pray with someone in person, there will be a team in front of the steps after the service each week. Would you like to be a prayer warrior? Please email Darleen to receive our weekly prayer letter.

THE PRAYER PAGER MINISTRY enables you to let someone know that you have just prayed for them. It is an easy, anonymous, and effective way of providing encouragement and comfort during a difficult time. Please call the church office if you, or someone you know, could use this means of caring support.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Membership:

New Member Orientation:

Become a member of our First Pres family TODAY from 12 – 12:30pm in the Binger Conference Room, S-114 (1st floor of the church building, in the Apostles hallway).

Potluck Dinner and Summer Movie

Wednesday July 11 in Fellowship Hall
Dinner at 5pm / Movie at 6pm "All Saints" PG
We will provide the main dish, YOU can bring:
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S-Z: Salad

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Christian Women Connect: Thursday morning Bible study

Study will resume on July 12 with a 4-week study looking at three world religions through a Christian perspective.

Divorce Care support group for those who have gone through or are experiencing separation or divorce. This 13-week session begins Wednesday, July 11 at 6:30pm in the Spanish Room. Facilitated by Kristin Carpenter, Tricia and Ronnie Young. Book: \$20.
Contact: bondutr@bellsouth.net

Rolling River Rampage Vacation Bible School

August 6-10, 9am-12pm / Full-day option also available
At *Rolling River Rampage* kids will experience the ride of a lifetime with God! For more information or to sign up, please visit www.firstpres.cc under Children's Ministry or contact Cindy Vason 954-598-9341.

Our VBS Rafters need YOU!! VBS Workshop for Volunteers

Saturday, July 14, 10am – 1pm and Wednesday, July 25, 10am – 1pm
Help is also needed the week of VBS (August 6-10)
Join our volunteers as we begin to create everything needed for "Rolling River Rampage"!! For more info, please contact Cindy Vason at 954-598-9341.

AAC [Senior Adult Ministry]: AAC Summer Lunch Bunch

Thursday, July 19 - *Rendezvous French Bakery & Bistro*
(1576 E. Oakland Park Blvd)
Join us as we gather at a different local restaurant at 11:30am once a month on Thursdays. Separate checks will be honored.
Please RSVP to Laura Ziegler at 954-598-9312 so that we can give a count to the restaurant. Let us know if you would like to ride the church bus. Space is limited.

Happyland Registration for FPC Members has begun

Call for a tour and find out why Happyland is right for your family:
954-463-6051