

**Attn: Parents of 5th graders....**

NEXT Sunday, May 5, First Presbyterian Church will recognize and honor our graduates during the 11am worship service. Each child will be invited to come forward to receive a small remembrance of the day along with our prayers and very best wishes as they journey on to Middle School. There will be a cake reception in the Spanish Room immediately following the service. Please be sure to RSVP to CindyV@firstpres.cc or 954-598-9341 to ensure that your graduate is mentioned at the service, as well as in our Sunday bulletin.

**Cheerleading Camp Registration has begun!**

June 17-21, 9am – 3pm, Ages 5 – 12  
Registration forms are now available on our website for this awesome summer program! Registration deadline: June 4.  
For more information, please contact: Cindy Vason at 954-598-9341 or CindyV@firstpres.cc

**Save the date for this summer**

Vacation Bible School: August 5 - 9 (Full day camp available)  
For more information, please contact Cindy Vason at 954-598-9341.

**The mission of First Presbyterian Church of Fort Lauderdale is to make disciples of Jesus Christ by:**

- Leading people to Jesus Christ.
- Learning about our faith.
- Living a Christ-centered life.
- Loving our neighbor through ministries of service and compassion.



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**CHILDREN**  
Up to 5th grade

**Children's Sunday School**  
Sundays / 9:30am  
Pre K 3-4: Room NC 120  
K-5th grade: Rooms NC 219-223

**Children's Chapel Time**  
Sundays / 11:00am / Watts Chapel  
Pre K 4-5th grade

**YOUTH & COLLEGE**  
6th grade thru college

**High School Small Group**  
Wednesdays / 6:30 pm / the Harbor  
**Middle School Sunday School**  
Sundays / 9:30am / the Harbor  
Contact: Chandler Gelb 954-232-4378

**ADULTS**  
Beginning at 21 yrs

**YOUNG ADULTS**  
Tuesdays / 6:15pm / Floridian Restaurant  
Contact: Simeon Rodgers 954-706-2292  
*Ask about the Facebook group for updates!*

**ADULT STUDIES**  
**Small Group Bible Study: 1 Corinthians**  
Wednesdays / 6:30pm / Room NC-216

**"Grow With the Gospels"**  
Wednesdays / 6:30pm / Chapel In The Sky

**"The Gospel of Mark for Everyone"**  
Sundays / 9:30am / Room NC-216

**Small Group Bible Study: 1 Corinthians**  
Sundays / 10:45am / Room NC-216

**MEN'S BIBLE STUDIES**  
Room NC-202 (Neumann Center Library)

**Morning Bible Study for Men**  
Tuesdays / 7:45am

**Bible Study and Lunch**  
Thursdays / 12:00pm

**Congregational Care Support Groups**

**Divorce Care Support Group** has concluded, a new 13-week support group will begin in October. Contact: [carpenter.kristen@yahoo.com](mailto:carpenter.kristen@yahoo.com) OR visit: [www.divorcecare.org](http://www.divorcecare.org)

VISIT OUR WEBSITE: [WWW.FIRSTPRES.CC](http://WWW.FIRSTPRES.CC)  
 Contact Our Ministry Directors:  
 CHILDREN'S - Cindy Vason, Director / 954-598-9341 / [CindyV@firstpres.cc](mailto:CindyV@firstpres.cc)  
 YOUTH & COLLEGE - Chandler Gelb, Interim Director / 954-598-9361 / [ChandlerG@firstpres.cc](mailto:ChandlerG@firstpres.cc)  
 YOUNG ADULTS Simeon Rodgers, Intern / 954-598-9361 / [SimeonR@firstpres.cc](mailto:SimeonR@firstpres.cc)  
 ADULTS - Mona Petersen, Director / 954-598-9345 / [MonaP@firstpres.cc](mailto:MonaP@firstpres.cc)



**9:30 AM CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP** **April 28, 2019**  
**Second Sunday in Easter**  
*Welcome, we are happy to have you with us in worship at First Pres. 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**  
 "Praise His Holy Name" - Keith Hampton  
 sung by the Kirk Singers

**Children's Time**  
 Cindy Vason

**Community Life**  
 Rev. Pamela Masten

**\* Worship**  
 sharing our Gifts  
 "He is Exalted"  
 sung by the Kirk Singers

**Scripture Reading**  
 John 20: 19-31

**The Message**  
 "Faith, Doubt, and the Other Twin"  
 Rev. Pamela Masten

**\* Worship**  
**\* Benediction**

*\*please stand if you are able*

Online giving is available by going to [www.firstpres.cc](http://www.firstpres.cc), clicking the tab labeled GIVE, and following the prompts.

**Preacher:** Rev. Pamela Masten

**Worship Team:** Javier Chia, Ragan Jacaty, Albert Leonardis, Rev. Nicholas B. Merchant, Rev. Pamela Masten, Mona Petersen, Steve Smithberg, Rev. Patrick H. Wisley, Ronnie Young

**Projection Imagery:** Amy Merchant

**Sound, Lights, Video:** Evan Barber, Mike-Chase Eaton

### *This week's music*

“Did You Feel the Mountains Tremble” – Hillsong  
“In Christ Alone” – Stuart Townend and Keith Getty  
“Reckless Love” – Passion  
“Take a Moment” – United Pursuit

### **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. Please join us for a time of fellowship in the foyer after worship!
- Please feel free to follow today's scripture readings on your mobile device. To access WiFi go to fp\_guest. Password: fpcguest
- First Presbyterian is also the home of Happyland Day School, a quality preschool for over sixty years.  
For more info, call 954-463-6051.

### Children's Sunday School Schedule:

- **9:30am** in the Neumann Center – All children will come together during the Contemporary worship service for a children's message and then will be led by their teachers to their respective classrooms. PreK 3 & 4 in Room NC 120  
K-5<sup>th</sup> grade in Rooms NC 219, 221, 223 (2<sup>nd</sup> floor)
- **11am** Children's Chapel in Watts Chapel (PreK4-5<sup>th</sup> grade)
- Nursery care is available for newborns– age 2 in Room NC 127

### **LEADING US IN WORSHIP TODAY:**

Rev. Pamela Masten, Associate Pastor for Congregational Care

**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 we 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](mailto:DarleenC@firstpres.cc) to be placed in 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 or join us on Thursdays at 4pm in the Sanctuary for a candlelit prayer gathering where we lift up our prayer requests to God.

*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.*

### **NO FELLOWSHIP BREAKFAST THIS WEEK DUE TO BLOOD DRIVE**

Breakfast will resume next Sunday, May 5.

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

### **New Member Orientation**

TODAY beginning with picking up complimentary breakfast at 9:30am and continuing upstairs to Room 200 (Neumann Center – directly across from elevator 2<sup>nd</sup> floor). You'll be done by 10:45am!!

### **Blood Drive Today**

8am – 1pm in the St. Andrew's Room  
Please join us as we continue our long history of saving lives with the gift of blood. Please eat breakfast, drink plenty of water, and BRING YOUR ID. We recently had a member in the hospital who needed around 5 units of blood so it is imperative that there is a fresh supply on hand. Statistics show that 1 in 3 of us will require a transfusion in our lifetime.

### **Wednesday Night Live!**

May 1, Dinner: 5pm - 6:30pm, Menu: Stuffed Pork Chop. Please make reservations by noon Monday: [wnl@firstpres.cc](mailto:wnl@firstpres.cc) / 954-462-6200

### **AAC [Senior Adult Ministry]**

Thursday, May 2, 11:15 am in Fellowship Hall  
Program: *Lyn Baldwin, Female Vocalist*  
Celebrate Fleet week at AAC! Members of the Navy and Coast Guard will be joining us. Cost: \$9, Menu Selection: Stuffed Pork Chop. RSVP to Laura Ziegler at 954-598-9312 / [LauraZ@firstpres.cc](mailto:LauraZ@firstpres.cc)

### **Women's Ministry Annual Spring Luncheon**

Friday, May 3, 11:30am, at Hugh's Catering  
The theme is “South Pacific”. For more information, connect with Mona Petersen 954-598-9345 / [MonaP@firstpres.cc](mailto:MonaP@firstpres.cc)

### **Mother & Son Dance, Dinner\*Entertainment\*Memories\***

Thursday, May 9, 6pm-8pm, in Fellowship Hall  
For ages 4 and up, the cost is \$15 per person and the attire is semi-formal. Have more than one son? Invite their grandmother, aunt, or special someone! For more info or to purchase tickets, please contact Cindy Vason at 954-598-9341.

### **Welcome New Member Dr. Paul Lazar!**

Paul is originally from Philadelphia, PA, He is a Psychologist specializing in children with learning disabilities and special needs. He enjoys family time, prayer, and tennis.

