

The *Life* of First Presbyterian Church

May 29, 2022

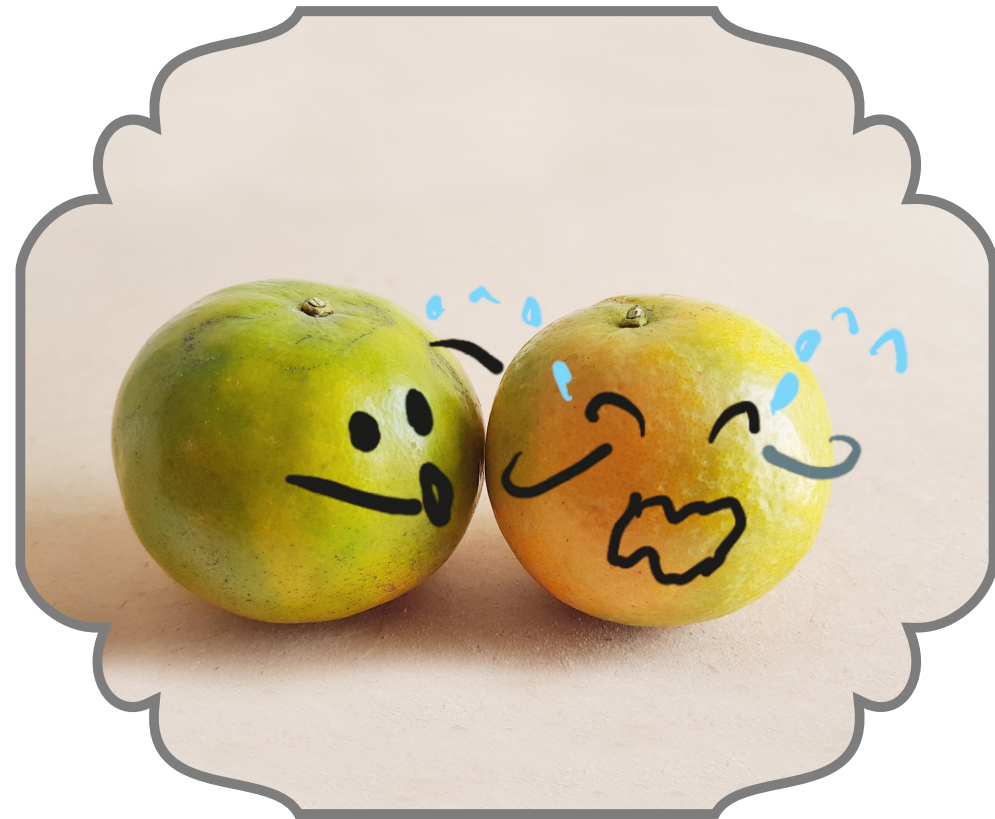
Weekly Happenings

Sunday May 29	Monday May 30	Tuesday May 31	Wednesday June 1	Thursday June 2	Friday June 3	Saturday June 4
9:30am FPC Worship Service (Sanctuary)	2:30pm Prayer Meeting - Jo Ann Thomas (Sanctuary)			6:00am Men's group Jason Address (Looney Bean)		2:00pm Celebration of Life for Curtis Ray (Sanctuary)

Announcements

- Welcome to First Presbyterian Church. We are glad to have you here with us today. Please fill out a welcome card. Once completed, it can be put in the offering plate or one of the donation boxes on the back wall of the sanctuary.
- Kandi's family will be holding a Celebration of Life for her husband Curtis at First Presbyterian Church on June 4 at 2:00 p.m.
- Please pray for safe and complication-free travels for the Uganda Mission Dental team as they start their trip to Denver this Tues. May 31.
- Please also be in prayer for the following church needs:
 - Pianist/Gifted accompanist for Worship
 - Volunteer Nursery helpers
 - Year-Round Intern for the Youth Group
 - Volunteer vocalists/musicians to fill out worship teams.
- To learn more about how to get involved in the life of FPC:
 - Visit our website: <https://fpcmontrose.com>.
 - Follow us on FaceBook: <https://www.facebook.com/FPCMontrose>

Love is a Verb



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Welcome

Dan Clader

Call To Worship

Leader: The Lord reigns, let the whole earth be glad!

All: Whether you are neighbors or live far away - rejoice!

Leader: For the Lord our God is awesome

All: The heavens declare the righteousness of God

Leader: Look at the stars, and remember God made them.

All: Be glad in the Lord, and give thanks.

Songs of Worship

Shout to the Lord

In Christ Alone

Call to Confession

Called to proclaim repentance, we are reluctant to look at our own failings. Invited to witness God's loving forgiveness of sins, we would rather not speak aloud of our own. Let us trust in the One who offers us hope and healing, as we pray together, saying:

Unison Prayer of Confession

You call us to proclaim a gospel we find difficult to practice, God Most High. We watch our clocks to make sure we spend more time with ourselves than with You. We are hesitant to witness to your power from on high, as we are uncertain of your presence in our lives.

Forgive us, God of Light. Fill us with the healing presence of your Spirit, that we may proclaim your good news, as we participate in the life and suffering of our world, as did your Son, our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ.

(Silence for personal prayer and confession)

Assurance of Forgiveness

Leader: Choosing to set aside judgment, God gives us justice; choosing to let go of punishment, God fills us with peace; choosing to release anger, God's steadfast love rests upon us.

All: Thanks be to God. Amen.

Offering

I Surrender - Hannah Stetson

Please consider tithing during this part of the service, or use our website under the "Give" tab.

1st through 3rd graders are free to head back to Kids Connection

Message

"Love is a Verb" - Rev. Keri Shelton

1 John 3:15-22

Prayers of the People

Song of Sending

How Deep the Father's Love for Us

Benediction

*Nursery is available during the service for ages 0-5.

*Kids Connection is for grades K-3.

Worship Team: Gania Brown (vocals), Abi Stetson (vocals), Josh Bishop (sound), Fred Brown (computer)

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