



Ministry Updates



MERRY CHRISTMAS FROM FPC!

FPC Family,

We wish you a Merry Christmas! This is often called the most wonderful time of the year. We want to make it our most worshipful time. Wonder and worship go hand in hand because beholding the greatest wonder of all—God’s love for us through the gift of His Son Jesus—results in worship. We pray that whether this Christmas feels joyful to you or if it is one intermixed with sorrow, the wonders of his love will draw you into worship. Our Christmas gift to you, a one-year subscription to [RightNow Media](#), is a rich resource available to help you deepen your relationship with God this year.

Thank You,
FPC Communications



CHRISTMAS EVE WORSHIP

Celebrate the birth of our Savior!

3 PM | Children & Family Service | Grand Hall
5 PM | Contemporary | Grand Hall
7 & 9 PM | Traditional | Sanctuary

Join Us Online

Each of our worship services listed above will be live-streamed. To access each of our online platforms, please use the following links:
[FPC Live](#) | [Facebook](#) | [YouTube](#)

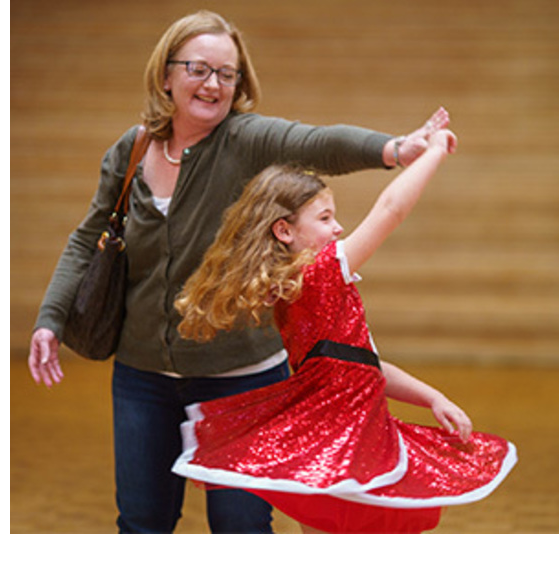
Special Worship Schedule Reminder:

On **Sunday, December 26**, there will only be one

worship service. This combined service will be a Traditional style held at 10:45 AM in the Sanctuary.

PARKING OPTIONS

FPC parking is available in the North Lot and outside of the Welcome Center at the South Entrance. In addition, we encourage you to utilize the covered parking available in the MFAH parking garages, accessed from entrances on Montrose or Main. Valet parking is also available outside of the Sanctuary (enter off Main). For more information on these options, visit fpchouston.org/parking. Please note that in addition to the above options, parking will also be available at Mann Eye Institute on Christmas Eve for all services.



CHILDREN & FAMILY MINISTRY

Christmas Eve Fellowship

Following the 3 PM Service, join the Children & Family Ministry in Fellowship Hall for a time of fellowship and fun! Enjoy hot chocolate, coffee, tasty Christmas treats, and photo ops with the giant Christmas Tree.

Childcare on Christmas Eve

Childcare will be available during the 5 & 7 PM worship services. During the 3 PM Children & Family service, care is open for babies and toddlers. Child(ren) drop-off is at the Nursery Cove.

CHRISTMAS EVE OFFERING

Tornado Disaster Response

Each year, the Christmas Eve offering is designated for FPC mission partners. This year, because of the devastation from the December tornadoes that hit Kentucky, Illinois, Missouri, Arkansas, and Tennessee, the offering has been designated to bless those affected through our partners, the Salvation Army and Samaritan’s Purse, who are already on the ground providing relief. The Missions Ministry is communicating with other partners and churches regarding possible recovery and rebuilding assistance. Please consider a generous gift to the Christmas Eve offering. Contributions may be placed in the offering boxes at the back of the sanctuary following our Christmas Eve worship services as well as with the QR code available in the bulletin or made online. Checks should be made out to First Presbyterian Church with the “Christmas Eve offering” notation.



END-OF-YEAR GIVING

We are grateful for the many members and friends who generously support our church’s call to be *Here to Serve*. If it is a priority to have any final contributions credited in 2021 for tax purposes, please be sure they are turned in as noted below:

By mail: must be postmarked by Dec 31

Online: visit our [Giving page](#). Online transactions must be completed by 11:59 PM on Dec 31

In person: FPC will be open on Dec 31 from 9 AM–3 PM

Stocks: must be in FPC’s brokerage account before or on Dec 31, 2021. Please allow extra time as there is a time-lapse when dealing with stock donations. For instructions, please visit our [Donate Stock page](#). Also, please notify the church Finance office so the gift can be reflected on your contribution statement.

COMING IN JANUARY 2022

Upcoming Sermon Series

Sun | Jan 2 | FPC

Join us in the new year as we kick off a series in the Gospel of Mark. The Gospel of Mark chronicles Jesus’s journey from Galilee to Jerusalem. Along the way, the Messiah gathers a ragged band of disciples. As crowds grow and dwindle on the road to Jerusalem, only a few stick by the Suffering Savior on the road of discipleship.

Renewal Conference with James Choung

Sat–Sun | Feb 19–20 | FPC

Save the date to join us for an inter-generational revival weekend! Come meet and spend time with renowned speaker and author, James Choung. He will lead us with the focus based on his new book, *Longing for Revival: From Holy Discontent to Breakthrough Faith*. We are so excited to gather together as a congregation to witness the Lord to awaken our hearts with vigor and joy as we are renewed and revived in our faith at this much needed time. More details to follow.

Women’s Ministry Brunch

Tue | Jan 11 | 9:30–11 AM | LC181

What better way to start the new year than by gathering together to celebrate God’s steadfast love, new mercies, and unending faithfulness? (Lamentations 3:22-23). Please join the FPC women for brunch, fellowship, and worship. There will be limited seating, so please make a reservation to join at fpchouston.org/events.

To view all of our events, please visit our [Event Calendar](#).



FPC Campus Holiday Schedule:

Christmas

Christmas Eve: 8 AM–11 PM
Closed Christmas Day
Closed Mon, Dec 27 | Christmas Observed

New Year’s

New Year’s Eve: 7 AM–3 PM
Closed New Year’s Day

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