

Friends,

We enjoy the laughter and energy that FPC children bring to our church family each week. This Sunday, the sound will be especially joyous as the Children's Choir blesses us with a mini-concert in Palm Court. Set a reminder for 10:20 AM and enjoy your coffee and cookies while listening to these sweet voices.

Looking for more ways to get involved and serve within kids ministry? See details below about serving as a leader at VBS, as well as other opportunities to connect and grow in your faith at FPC this summer.

Thank you, **FPC Communications**

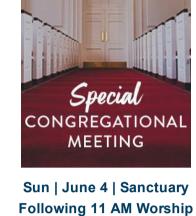


Gather with us this Sunday evening as we draw near to God through prayer and worship. During this hour, we will engage in pastor-led prayer balanced with praise and worship led by our Contemporary band.

Sun | May 21 | 6:30-7:30 PM | Sanctuary

Join Us >

KEY UPCOMING EVENTS



Session has called a special congregational meeting on June 4, 2023, immediately following the 11 AM service. This will be

a single-subject meeting to vote on the sale of a property owned by First Presbyterian Church of Houston as required by our bylaws.



Rev. Jim Birchfield and Rev. Curtis Bronzan at the link below. Commit >



1st/2nd, 3rd/4th or 5th!) More Info >

NEWS FROM PRESBYTERIAN SCHOOL

Congratulations to the Class of 2023 Presbyterian School is proud to celebrate the Class of 2023 on their recent commencement from middle school. Please join us in congratulating our 71 graduating eighth grade students. Special thanks to the FPC Youth Staff, Marty O'Rourke,

Julie Bolt, and Will McMullin, for investing time, hosting weekly lunch Bible studies, speaking at school chapels, coaching sports, and being involved in our middle school life. The partnership and support of FPC leaders and mentors has been invaluable not only to the PS Class of 2023, but to all our students.

SERVE WITH FPC Looking for a way to serve or connect with our local and global mission partners? See full details about current

opportunities using the More Ways to Serve link below.

Local Mission Partner Field Trip | The Landing | Thur | May 25 | 4 PM New mission partner supporting survivors of human trafficking.

Every Shelter | Dignify The Displaced—An Art Auction | Fri | June 2 | 6–10 PM

Food from Houston chefs, games, and family-friendly fun for a cause.

Agape Development | Camp Agape | June 20-Aug 4 Assist at camp, donate food, or teach a short course on a skill.

Live music, craft refreshments, and an immersive billboard shelter. Free event in support of refugee-centric ecosystem in Uganda. The Landing | Food For Freedom Festival | Sun | June 11 | 1-4 PM

DETAILS & MORE WAYS TO SERVE

MORE UPCOMING EVENTS Youth Summer Trips: Register today!

Learn More >

Mo-Ranch: Add Your Name to the Waitlist Thur-Sun | July 13-16 | Hunt, TX

Looking to engage your students this summer? Our Middle and High School ministries are headed to Panama City, Zion National Park, and Honduras for serve, outreach, and adventure trips. These are great opportunities to hang with others and grow closer to God.

Please reach out to Erin Varnell if you would like to be added to the waitlist for Mo-Ranch. It is sure to be a great time of fellowship, worship, fun, and relaxation. More Info >

Sojourn Book Group

Tue | May 23 | 7-8 PM | Online Looking for summer reading? Read Horse by Geraldine Brooks, and discuss it with this community of women who love to read and encounter spirituality in everyday books.

Youth Summer Kickoff Sun | May 28 | 6-8 PM | Youth House Youth, join us to kick off our summer programming with live music, dinner, fellowship, and a celebration of the conclusion of

Movie & Taco Night

is a free, open event, and all are encouraged to come and invite a friend. The group will then retreat to Hermann Park for tacos!

Sat | June 10 | 4-7 PM | LC 080 Join us to watch a movie over snacks and then discuss how it resonated with us personally and the culture around us. This

another school year! Reach out to Marty O'Rourke for more information.

For a full list of upcoming events, visit the FPC Events Calendar.

Learn More >

EVENTS CALENDAR

SUNDAY MORNING

Join us this Sunday, in person or online, for one of our three services: 8:15 AM Convergent | 10:45 AM Contemporary | 11 AM Traditional

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We encourage you to share this newsletter with family and friends!





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