

Friends,

This Sunday, we complete the first half of our summer sermon series, *The Good Shepherd*. If you've missed any of these messages, you can view them now on the **Sermons and Services** page. To catch up on the accompanying devotional, click **here**.

This week's email contains many opportunities to grow in faith and gather in community. As you plan for the week ahead, please consider inviting a friend or neighbor to The Philadelphia Boys Choir & Chorale Concert on Tuesday hosted by the Music and Worship Ministry of FPC. See below for details.

Finally, we hope you will take a moment to share your perspective in our church survey. To complete the survey now, click **HERE** and use the password **fpchtx**.

Read on for more on life at FPC this week...



Sundays | Aug 6–27 | 9:30–10:30 AM | Fellowship Hall

Join us each Sunday in August for our annual All-Church Sunday School class. As we make the turn in our sermon series from God as our Shepherd to God as our Host, we will use our Sunday School hour to explore what this means for our own lives practically.

Plan to come early for coffee and fellowship at 9:15 AM!

[Learn More >](#)

KEY EVENTS & ACTIVITIES



Submit Your Idea by August 4!

Project Flourish is looking for more gospel-minded ventures for the good of our city! Do you have a big idea or know someone who does? Submit your idea today! Volunteers are also needed.

[More Details >](#)



**Sun | Aug 13 | 12–2 PM
Living Room**

Stephen Ministers are lay congregation members trained to provide one-to-one care to those experiencing a difficult time. Join us for an information session to learn how you can get involved in Stephen Ministry.

[Register >](#)



Tue | Aug 1 | 10–11:30 AM LC 181

Women of all ages and stages are invited to join the Women's Ministry for a morning of study and fellowship. Join in person or online. Childcare is available (4 mos–5th grade) for those on campus.

[More Details >](#)

SPECIAL INVITATIONS

Philadelphia Boys Choir & Chorale Concert

Tue | Aug 1 | 7 PM | Sanctuary

The Music and Worship Ministry of FPC Houston invites you to a free concert with the Philadelphia Boys Choir & Chorale. This Emmy-winning and Grammy-nominated group ranks among the best boy choirs in the world. This is a great opportunity to welcome friends and music lovers to our campus.

Flourish Institute of Theology: Summer Intensive

Fri–Sat | Aug 4–5 | Memorial Drive Presbyterian Church | \$50

The Flourish Institute of Theology, an affiliate of ECO, would like to invite the FPC Houston community to its first Intensive offering, a two-day teaching event titled *The Seventh Day: Sabbath in Scripture, Theology, and Ministry*. Information about the topic, cost, and how to register, is available on our Events page. Space is limited.

[Learn More & Register >](#)

OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE

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.

Prestige Learning Institute (PLI)

Sugar Land Space Cowboys Game | Sun | Aug 6 | 6:05 PM

Enjoy a Sugar Land Space Cowboys game on Sunday, August 6 while raising money for PLI! \$5 from each sale will go towards empowering immigrant and refugee families. [Purchase tickets >](#)

Houston Bridges Tour & Welcome Party

Volunteers Needed to Host | Sat | Aug 19 | 11:30 AM

Enjoy Join Houston Bridges as they welcome new international students to our wonderful city! Volunteers are needed to serve as hosts and help with setup, greeting students during the event, and cleanup.

[Sign Up Here >](#)

Agape Development

Volunteers Needed

Would you like to be a part of the amazing work God is doing in the Third Ward through Agape Development? [Click here](#) to view all the opportunities to serve or email Amanda Garner at amandag@agapedevelopment.org.

[DETAILS & MORE WAYS TO SERVE](#)

UPCOMING EVENTS

Explore FPC Class

Sat | Aug 19 | 9 AM–3 PM | LC 181

We invite you to learn what it means to become a member, or Covenant Partner, of FPC. This class explores the tenets of our reformed faith and ways to engage in discipleship and community with the goal of spiritual maturity.

[Register >](#)

Blood Drive

Sun | Aug 20 | 9 AM–1 PM | Mini Gym

Did you know the Gulf Coast Regional Blood Center needs 1,000 donations every day to serve patients in our community? Come give the gift of life by donating blood here at FPC. Your donation could mean the difference between life and death for someone.

[Register >](#)

DivorceCare

Begins Sunday, August 27 | 9–10:30 AM | CE 225

DivorceCare is a safe space where caring people come alongside you as you find healing from the pain of separation or divorce. This 13-week, video-based support group program, offers helpful counsel and practical tools.

[Learn More & Register >](#)

For a full list of upcoming events, visit the [FPC Events Calendar](#).

[EVENTS CALENDAR](#)

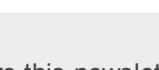
SUNDAY MORNING

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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