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# 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Easter April 16, 2023 at 9:30 AM



Resurrection of Christ, a Mosaic at the Church of Saint Sebastian in Porto Alegre, Brazil



# Welcome to First Presbyterian Church of Davenport

Welcome to First Presbyterian Church of Davenport, a church where EVERYONE is welcome. On behalf of the entire First Pres family, we want you to know that we are so glad you're here. We are a proud congregation of the Presbyterian Church (USA), where We Choose WELCOME!

We welcome followers of Jesus who are solid in their faith, and we welcome questioning believers seeking deeper meaning in their life. We welcome those who come from different faith backgrounds, such as Methodists, Lutherans, and Catholics, and those with no faith background at all; for we are all one in Christ Jesus. No matter where you are on your journey of faith, you are welcome here!

We hope you experience the warmth and friendliness of our congregation. It is a place that long-term members have described as their spiritual home for generations. It is also a place where people newer to our community of faith have found a safe and sacred space for themselves and their families.

**Nursery** care is available during the worship service for children (birth through age 4). The nursery is staffed by trained and background-checked caregivers from 8:45 AM to 12:15 PM. The nursery is on the third floor of the CE building. Please ask a worship host if you need assistance locating this space.

**Kirkwood Choir** is offered during the service, after the Children's Message, for all children ages five through sixth grade. Kirkwood Choir provides music for worship monthly throughout the program year.

**MusikGarten**, a program for parents/caregivers and young children (birth through age 4), is provided after the service in room #310 of the CE building. MusikGarten is our unique program that allows participation in a fun, energetic environment while instilling a love and understanding of music in young children.

**Sunday school** for children (preschool through grade six) and adults is offered after the service. Children's Sunday school is located on the third floor of the CE building. Adult Sunday school is located in Von Maur Hall. Please ask a worship host if you need assistance locating these spaces.



Our Session (church council) has adopted a bold vision of creating safe and sacred space for all. We aren't perfect at it, but we are joyfully beginning to live into this new vision. We are an open and

affirming congregation, and a proud member of the Covenant Network of Presbyterians (covnetpres.org). The Session and members of First Pres extend a sincere welcome to all persons regardless of race, nationality, gender, or sexual orientation. This includes an open invitation to membership, the sacraments of baptism and communion, marriage, funerals, memorial services, and service as an officer of the church.



We are a Matthew 25 church in the PC(USA). Matthew 25 congregations identify themselves as working toward one or more of three goals: building congregational vitality, dismantling structural racism, and eradicating systemic poverty.

**Land Acknowledgement:** First Presbyterian Church gratefully acknowledges the Indigenous Peoples on whose ancestral homelands we gather, as well as the diverse and vibrant Indigenous communities who make Iowa and Illinois their home today. The communities we serve through our ministries occupy the traditional homelands of the people of the Kiikaapoi, Myaamia, Očhéthi Šakówiŋ, Peoria, Sauk, and Meskwaki nations. We honor these and numerous Indigenous tribes who first made the banks of the Mississippi River a center for arts and commerce.

Worshipers who are comfortably able are invited to stand in body or spirit.
 Bold indicates congregational response.

# 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Easter Order of Worship

To help you get to know the people sitting in your pew/row, please complete the Friendship Pad and pass it to your neighbors.

As we begin worship, please silence your cell phones. Take a quiet moment to center yourself in the presence of God. We invite you to meditate silently on art, music, and Scripture.

# **Preparing for the Word**

**Prelude** 

Verset de Procession sur l'Adoro Te

Léon Boëllmann (1862-1897)

#### **Welcome and Announcements**

Rev. Dr. Kris Schondelmeyer

(Announcements are generally delivered by the pastor. If you have an announcement, you would like us to consider sharing, please send the information with all important details to the church office by noon on Thursday. Announcements will be selected by relevance to church programming and time limitations.)

Minute for Mission Deacon Colleen Dueñas

**Prelude** Fantasy on Kremser Mark Fax (1911-1974)

#### **†** Call to Worship and Confession

Glen Roebuck, Liturgist

One: Walk with us, O God,

All: On the road between fear and hope.

One: Walk with us, O God,

All: On the road between death and resurrection.

One: Walk with us, O God,

All: We are in need of your company.

One: Jesus, stand among us, in resurrection power,

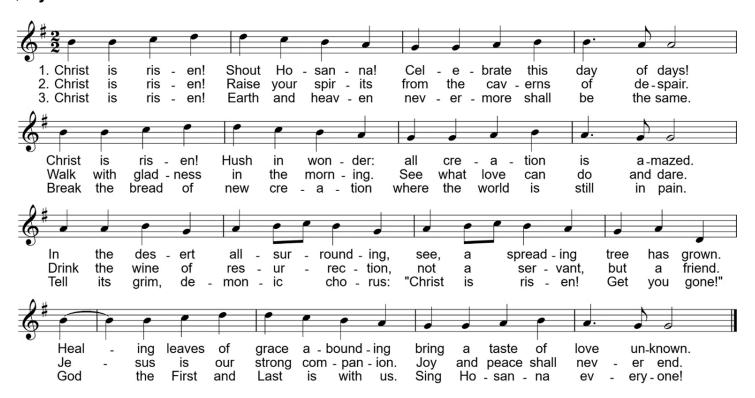
All: And lead us to new life as we walk with God!

# † Passing of the Peace

One: May the peace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you!

All: And also with you!

(In a way that is comfortable for you, please share the Peace of Christ with those around you.)



#### **Call to Confession**

We know what God requires of us...that we do justice, and love kindness, and walk humbly with God. Yet, we know we fall short and fail to live up to our calling. As a first step in walking with God toward new life in Christ, let us join together in our corporate prayer of confession. Let us pray.

# **Prayer of Confession**

Holy God, in resurrection power, you meet us and call us to walk with you. We say that we're ready to follow. Yet, when we see where you are calling us to go, we are often afraid to move our feet. When you call us to truly love ourselves and care for our own health, we often fail to get up and move. When you ask us to use our lives and our resources to bless and care for others, we're often afraid to walk that path. Forgive us, O God. Take us by the hand, and walk with us toward a new life in you. Amen.

#### A Time of Silence

(Please take this time in silence to offer your own prayers of confession—confessing your need for God and naming those barriers that keep you from knowing life as God's beloved child.)

#### Assurance

One: Siblings in Christ, we are met here with good news. We are not left on the sidelines. God has not abandoned us. Christ is still calling us to a life of walking with God for we are forgiven, and we are loved.

#### All: Alleluia! Amen.

#### Children's Message

Elder Kristy Woodrow

#### **Prayer for Illumination**

Lord, open our hearts and minds by the power of your Holy Spirit, that as the Scriptures are read and your Word is proclaimed, we may hear with joy what you say to us today. Amen.

First Lesson Matthew 9:9-13

<sup>9</sup> As Jesus was walking along, he saw a man called Matthew sitting at the tax-collection station; and he said to him, "Follow me." And he got up and followed him. <sup>10</sup> And as he sat at dinner in the house, many tax collectors and sinners came and were sitting with Jesus and his disciples. <sup>11</sup> When the Pharisees saw this, they said to his disciples, "Why does your teacher eat with tax collectors and sinners?" <sup>12</sup> But when he heard this, he said, "Those who are well have no need of a physician, but those who are sick. <sup>13</sup> Go and learn what this means, 'I desire mercy, not sacrifice.' For I have not come to call the righteous but sinners."

One: This is the Word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

Second Lesson Micah 6:1-8

<sup>1</sup> Hear what the Lord says: Rise, plead your case before the mountains, and let the hills hear your voice. <sup>2</sup> Hear, you mountains, the case of the LORD, and you enduring foundations of the earth, for the LORD has a case against his people, and he will contend with Israel. <sup>3</sup> "O my people, what have I done to you? In what have I wearied you? Answer me! <sup>4</sup> For I brought you up from the land of Egypt and redeemed you from the house of slavery, and I sent before you Moses, Aaron, and Miriam. <sup>5</sup> O my people, remember now what King Balak of Moab devised, what Balaam son of Beor answered him, and what happened from Shittim to Gilgal, that you may know the saving acts of the LORD."

<sup>6</sup> "With what shall I come before the LORD and bow myself before God on high? Shall I come before him with burnt offerings, with calves a year old? <sup>7</sup> Will the LORD be pleased with thousands of rams, with ten thousands of rivers of oil? Shall I give my firstborn for my transgression, the fruit of my body for the sin of my soul?" <sup>8</sup> He has told you, O mortal, what is good, and what does the LORD require of you but to do justice and to love kindness and to walk humbly with your God?

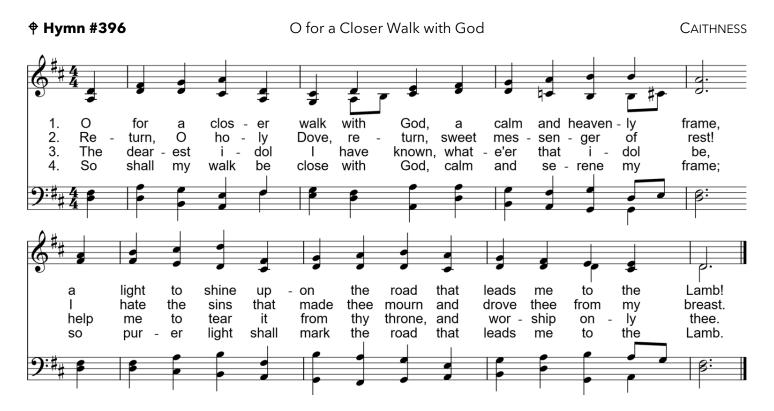
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All: Thanks be to God.

Sermon

"Walking with God: What God Requires" The Rev. Dr. Kristopher D. Schondelmeyer

# Responding to the Word



## **Prayers of the People**

# **Lord's Prayer**

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

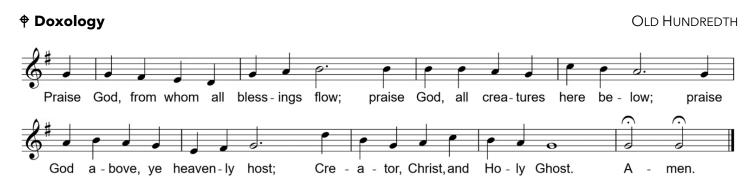
#### Offering Our Gifts and Lives to God



To share your pledge or offering, you may place it in the offering plate as it is passed down the aisle. If it is more convenient for you, please visit the church website at www.fpcdavenport.org, and click on "Donate Now," or you may donate directly from your smartphone by scanning the QR code with your phone's camera. You may also mail your pledge or offering to the church office.

#### Offertory

Minuet from Cello Suite No. 1 Alex Gilson, Cello J. S. Bach (1685-1750)



#### Ordination and Installation of Elders and Deacons

As part of worship today we take time to ordain and/or install Mitch Doremus, Bob Lehnherr, and Julia Meyer who have been elected to the office of Deacon, and Nathan Kabel and Kristine Oswald who have been elected to the office of Elder.

#### Questions for Elders/Deacons-elect

Do you trust in Jesus Christ your Savior, acknowledge him Lord of all and Head of the church, and through him believe in one God, father, Son, and Holy Spirit?

#### I do!

Do you accept the Scriptures of the Old and New Testaments to be, by the Holy Spirit, the unique and authoritative witness to Jesus Christ in the church universal, and God's Word to you?

#### I do!

Do you sincerely receive and adopt the essential tenets of the Reformed faith as expressed in the confessions of our church as authentic and reliable expositions of what Scripture leads us to believe and do, and will you be instructed and led by those confessions as you lead the people of God?

#### I do and I will!

Will you fulfill your office in obedience to Jesus Christ., under the authority of Scripture, and be continually guided by our confessions?

#### I will!

Will you be governed by our church's polity, and will you abide by its discipline? Will you be a friend among your colleagues in ministry, working with the subject to the ordering of God's Word and Spirit?

I will!

Will you in your own life seek to follow the Lord Jesus Christ, love your neighbors, and work for the reconciliation of the world?

#### I will!

Do you promise to further the peace, unity, and purity of the church?

#### I do!

Will you seek to serve the people with energy, intelligence, imagination, and love?

#### I will!

To those elected as elders. Will you be a faithful elder, watching over the people, providing for their worship, nurture, and service? Will you share in government and discipline, serving in governing bodies of the church, and in your ministry will you try to show the love and justice of Jesus Christ?

#### I will!

To those elected as deacons. Will you be a faithful deacon, teaching charity, urging concern, and directing the people's help to the friendless and those in need and in your ministry will you try to show the love and justice of Jesus Christ?

#### I will!

#### Questions for the congregation:

Do we, the members of the church accept Nathan Kabel and Kristine Oswald as elders, and Mitch Doremus, Bob Lehnherr, and Julia Meyer as deacons, chosen by God through the voice of this congregation to lead us in the way of Jesus Christ?

#### We do!

Do we agree to encourage them, to respect their decisions, and to follow as they guide us, serving Jesus Christ, who alone is the Head of the Church?

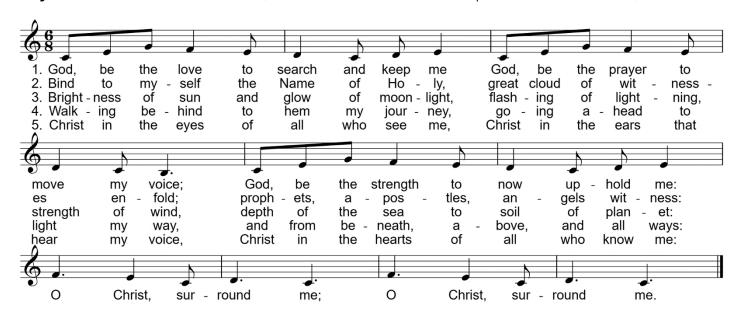
#### We do!

# **Prayer of Ordination and Installation**



God, Be the Love to Search and Keep Me

O CHRIST, SURROUND ME



# **†** Charge and Benediction

**Postlude** 

Vivace from Trio Sonata No. 3

J. S. Bach (1685-1750)

# WORSHIP CONTRIBUTIONS

Worship Hosts - Bob Terrill, Tim Nelson, Cathy Weik-Nelson, Mel Steckel, Luann Field

Sound/Video Technicians - Mitch Doremus, Jim Middleton

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Today's liturgical elements are from sources unknown and used in a spirit of gratitude in the worship of God.

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# **JOYS & CONCERNS**

**In Our Prayers:** families and victims of gun violence; the people of Ukraine and all who groan under oppression; for God's presence with all who are grieving the loss of Dwight Wood, Juanita White Daugherty Briggs, Gayle Allard, Joseph Diehl, John Howes, Eleanor Beadles White, Larry Kisler, Ella Johns, Gloria Wadsworth, Leah Foster (Craig Foster's mom), Bruce Kahler; for God's mercy and grace to touch Kirk Christie, Allison Kennedy, Dylan's grandmother, Julia Pedigo, Jim Woods, Tammy Wood, Benjamin Bartnicke, Danielle, Dorothy Bain, Lynette, Brenda Cole, Karlyn Gomez, David Milnes, Dorothy Downing, Kathy Yoke, John Timm, Avery (Phylis Pecoraro's 4-year-old great-granddaughter). And those experiencing abuse, addiction, violence, loss, suicide, COVID-19, and natural disaster.

**Mission Partners**: Rev. José Pilar Alvarez Cabrera and Rev. Nestor Eduardo Alvarez Cabrera in Zacapa, Guatemala; Ray of Vision in Harare, Zimbabwe; Veda Gill in Pakistan.

**Hospital Visits:** The Pastors make hospital visits when patients give permission.

**In-Touch Information:** For anyone who is homebound and would enjoy contact from one of First Presbyterian's In-Touch members, please contact Deacon Colleen Dueñas (563-514-6396).

**The Prayer Chain:** Connects those who need prayer with those who commit to a ministry of prayer. Contact Mary Ann François (563-355-5292).

**Printed Prayer Requests:** Require permission from the person(s) in need of prayer before prayers are printed in the bulletin. The best way to assure a hospital visit or a prayer is to contact the church office directly (563-326-1691).

**Prayer Shawls:** Prayer shawls are available for you to give to those you know who are experiencing a challenge or joy. For your choosing, a variety of shawls are hanging on the coatrack near the main office.



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# WEEKLY CALENDAR

#### Visit the First Pres website to view the full calendar

### www.fpcdavenport.org/calendar

### **Worship Service**

9:30 AM Sanctuary
Online Worship Watch Party
See e-News, website or Facebook

#### MusikGarten

8:30 AM Zoom 10:30 AM CE Building #310

## **Nursery Open**

Sundays 8:45 AM - 12:15 PM Thursdays 6 PM - 9 PM

#### **Kirkwood Choir**

9:45 AM CE Building #301

# **Sunday School**

10:35 AM CE Building 3rd Floor

#### **Adult Christian Education**

10:35 AM Von Maur Hall

# **Tabitha's Circle**

Wednesday April 19, 10:00-1:00

#### **Caring Closet**

Sundays, 10:30 - 11:00 AM Tuesdays, 9:00 - 12:00 PM Friday, 2:00 - 5:00 PM

#### **Pickle Ball**

Monday and Wednesday 9:00 - 11:00 PM, Gym

### Scout Troop 7/Scout Troop 1107

Sunday, 4:30 - 6:00 PM Gym, Game Room, Fellowship Hall, Library

#### **Bible Basics 201**

Wednesday 6:15 - 7:15 PM

#### **Vesper Bells**

Thursday 6:00 PM

# **Sanctuary Choir**

Thursday 7:00 PM

#### **BTC Book Club**

Every 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday ,12:30-1:30pm

# **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

# **CONGREGATIONAL CHALLENGE - Walking with God: Body, Mind, and Soul**

Beginning on Easter, Pastor Kris invited the entire FPC family into a special "Walking with God" challenge during the seven-week journey toward Pentecost as we claim, "New Life: Mind, Body, and Soul." We are encouraged to join in physical, emotional/mental, and spiritual exercises which are all worth "miles." We are collecting miles each week as a church family to see if we can collect enough to "Walk with God" from Davenport to the Holy Lands and back. More information about activities is in the Travel Journal available this morning. Activities include special walking groups most weeks with Pastor Kris and other church staff.

Tuesday Morning Walking Group: 9:30 AM - 1 mile walking path starting at First Presbyterian Church Dates: April 18, 25; May 9, 16, 23

Saturday Morning Walking Group: 10:00 AM - 1 mile walking path at Vander Veer Botanical Park (For interested families, we will have a BYO-picnic and play at the playground after each walk.) Dates: April 29; May 13, 27

## **April Manna & More**

Manna & More menu for April 16<sup>th</sup> will be waffles with various toppings including strawberry compote, sausage, fresh fruit, and assorted beverages. Serving times will be from 9:00am-9:30am and 10:30am-11:00am. Hope to see you today.

#### Ladies Tea - Saturday, April 29 from 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM

Let us get together for some fun and fellowship. We will have tea, play some games, and have some tea party food. There will be teapots at each table. We will have tea there and you may also bring your favorite tea to share with your table. Feel free to bring your favorite teacup. We will supply Finger Sandwiches. Please bring some tea party type food to share.

Please contact Colleen Dueñas to RSVP: Nonna428312@gmail.com / 563-514-6396

# **Bible Basics - April 2023**

We have just started an 8-week series on the Gospel of Matthew. Our lesson on April 19<sup>th</sup> will be on chapters 4-8 and will focus on the Sermon on the Mount.

Here is a link to the free lessons we will follow: https://yalebiblestudy.org/courses/the-gospel-of-matthew/

Join in any time. You will be warmly welcomed. We meet on Wednesdays at 6:15 PM on Zoom. Please contact Mark Jones mkjones@mchsi.com for more information.

#### Please note that this is a new Zoom log in for April.

https://zoom.us/join

Meeting ID: 891 7284 9383 Passcode: 831525

#### **Scottish Communion Service**

The Presbyterian faith traces its roots back to the Protestant Reformation through the leadership of John Knox in the Church of Scotland. Here at First Presbyterian, this is a history that we celebrate. Join us on Sunday, June 4 for a special Scottish Communion Service paying tribute to our Scottish heritage as Presbyterians. We will have Scottish-themed music, together with a bagpiper, to help lead us in our worship. Pastor Kris will even lead worship in his kilt. You won't want to miss this festive service.

# **Boy Scout Troop 7 - Back in our Church Building**

Troop 7 would like to introduce their new Scout Master, Dan Darland. Dan grew up in T7 in the 70's and 80's. He has several years' experience as a Scout Master with Troop 92 in DeWitt where his boys attended scouting.

Troop 7 and Troop 1107 (our newly formed girls' troop) always welcome new members. If you are 11 years old or older and are interested in Scouting, please feel free to join us at one of our meetings.

Meetings are held on Sundays at First Presbyterian Church from 4:30 PM to 6:00 PM. For more information contact Dan Darland at 563-210-0350.

#### **Compassion Camp: What Every Living Thing Needs**

Save the date! Compassion Camp, also known as Vacation Bible Camp, will be held Monday, June 5 through Friday, June 9 from 9 AM to 12 PM each morning. Our theme for this year is 'What Every Living Thing Needs'. Compassion Camp is open to children in preschool (and potty-trained) up to rising sixth graders. Seventh through twelfth graders are invited to be helpers. Adults are also needed to help during the week! We will have lots of opportunities for fun, fellowship, and service for all ages. As we get closer, we pray you will consider helping us make this week an amazing success through donations of time, talent, and/or money. More information, including sign-ups and needs, will be available in the coming weeks.



## **Ways to Give to First Presbyterian Church**

It is your generous financial commitment to First Pres that allows FPC to continue its ministries and missions to help support church members, community, and staff. With new technology and changes in tax law, the very meaningful act of placing your gift in the offering plate each Sunday is no longer the only way to support FPC. For anyone looking for alternative ways to give, below are additional options to give to FPC:

- Donate online by visiting www.fpcdavenport.org
- Required Minimum Distributions (RMD)
- Qualified Charitable Distributions (QCD)
- Gifting Stock

As always, thank you for your continued support of First Presbyterian Church. For specific instructions or if you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact the Finance Office at 563.326.1691 Ext. 219 or olson@fpcdavenport.org

	March 2023		March 2022	
	Actual	Budget	Actual	Budget
General Fund Income	\$ 79,031	\$ 58,856	\$ 49,280	\$ 52,767
Custodial Accounts Income	4,545		5,135	
Compensation Expenses	(57,845)	(61,988)	(42,826)	(47,837)
Non Compensation General Fund Expenses	(15,636)	(21,615)	(19,665)	(22,024)
Custodial Accounts Expenses	(4,545)	i-	(5,135)	1.5
Surplus (Deficit) Before PPP2 Grant	\$5,550	(\$24,747)	(\$13,211)	(\$17,094)
PPP2 Grant	-	<u>-</u>	-	
Net Surplus (Deficit)	\$5,550	(\$24,747)	(\$13,211)	(\$17,094)
	2023 Year-To-Date		2022 Year-To-Date	
	Actual	Budget	Actual	Budget
General Fund Income	\$ 238,054	\$ 217,880	\$ 191,200	\$ 194,687
Custodial Accounts Income	8,534	1-	6,476	-
Compensation Expenses	(174,677)	(178,779)	(126,434)	(131,447)
Non Compensation General Fund Expenses	(51,313)	(57,292)	(49,305)	(51,664)
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All numbers are rounded.



## **Birdies for Charity**

The 2023 John Deere Classic's Birdies for Charity program has officially kicked off its annual drive to help raise donations for nearly 500 Quad City area charities. If you wish to give through Birdies for Charity, please consider First Presbyterian Church of Davenport (#2196) as your designated charity. You can submit your 2023 Birdies for Charity pledge to any of the many charities via mail or online by July 9, 2023. To donate online, please visit https://birdiesforcharity.com/donate.

## **Paper Hearts Drive**

The Paper Hearts drive is a wrap! We collected over 900 rolls of toilet paper this year. If a mega roll counts as three rolls, then the count is over 1,200! All rolls were donated to Humility Homes and Services of Davenport. Thanks again for your support!



#### **New Extended Church Office Hours**

To better serve our staff and church members, we have adjusted the church office hours. The new office hours are from 9:00 AM to 6:00 PM, Monday through Friday. We hope these extended office hours will help serve the needs of members who work during regular office hours but still have church business to conduct.

Kristine Olson, our Finance Manager, will manage phone calls from 9:00 AM to 10:00 AM. Her office hours will be from 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM, Monday through Friday.

Susan Parker, our Church Administrative Assistant, will manage phone calls and have office hours from 10:00 AM to 6:00 PM, Monday through Friday.

Due to the nature of Pastoral and Program Staff schedules with evening meetings and church programming needs, and our desire to create healthy boundaries around staff time, Pastoral and Program Staff will not be required to work in-person during regular business hours each day. Rather, the Pastoral and Program Staff will seek to maintain specific in-person office hours during the following times.

Matt Bishop, Director of Music, will maintain regular in-person office hours on Tuesdays from 9:30 AM – 3:30 PM and Thursdays from 4:00 PM – 6:00 PM (before rehearsals). Matt has a regular day off on Fridays.

Alex Gilson, Principal Organist and Assistant Director of Music, will maintain regular in-person office hours on Wednesdays and Fridays from 1:00 PM to 2:00 PM. Alex has a regular day off on Mondays.

Kristy Woodrow, Director of Christian Education, will maintain regular in-person office hours Monday through Thursday from 11:00 AM - 5:00 PM. Kristy has a regular day off on Fridays.

Each of our Program Staff are accessible by phone and email, and available to meet by appointment, at other times during the week. They are always willing to be available to church members.

The Rev. Dr. Kristopher D. Schondelmeyer, Pastor/Head of Staff, will be in the office most days, Monday through Thursday. If Pastor Kris is available and not in the middle of a meeting or project, he is always happy to say hello to drop-in visitors. However, due to the nature of his schedule, please call or email the church office to schedule an appointment if you would like to meet with him. Pastor Kris has a regular day off on Fridays.



# THE ADDAMS FAMILY

**7.21.2023** FRI 7:30 PM

**7.22.2023**SAT 7:30 PM

**7.23.2023** SUN 4:00 PM





First Presbyterian Church of Davenport invites you to a

Service of Installation for our new Pastor/Head of Staff

The Rev. Dr. Kristopher D. Schondelmeyer



Saturday, April 22 @ 11:00 AM

Luncheon & Moderated Conversation on Creating Beloved (Diverse) Community with Guest Speakers following the Service

Please RSVP for the FREE Luncheon & Moderated Conversation by Sunday, April 16



Scan this code with your smartphone to RSVP for the Luncheon

# **Guest Speakers**

First Presbyterian Church 1702 Iowa St. Davenport, IA 52803

FPC Office Phone: 563-326-1691

FPC Website: www.fpcdavenport.org

To RSVP for the FREE Luncheon / Conversation please call the church office or go to:

> https://bit.ly/ Install\_Luncheon



GUEST PREACHER

The Rev. Brian Ellison

Executive Director Covenant Network of Presbyterians

Stated Clerk of the Synod of Mid-America



CHARGE TO THE PASTOR

Ruling Elder Shani McIlwain

Author and Anti-Racism Coach

Moderator of the National Capital Presbytery



CHARGE TO
THE CONGREGATION

The Rev. Dr. Beth McCaw

Associate Professor of Ministry University of Dubuque Theological Seminary

# **FPC STAFF**

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Nichole Kerker*, Nursery Coordinator		
Kelley Wohlers*, Nursery Caregiver		

<sup>\*</sup> Part-time employee

# **ELDERS AND DEACONS**

# **Elders**

Class of 2023	Class of 2024	Class of 2025
David Bowles Edwards	Paula Burnett	Dan Breinich
Jim DeReus	Peter Bawden	Nancy Chapman
Patrick Downing	Kirk Christie	Bonnie Johnson
Michael Ferris	Nancy Foster	Nathan Kabel
RuthAnn Tobey-Brown	Bev Koos	Kristine Oswald
Jim Woods	Karla Ruiter	Mark Ruebling
Nathan Kabel	Diane Roebuck	Vicki Stegall
	Jay Williams	
		Clerk of Session
		Mark Jones

#### **Deacons**

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Class of 2023	Class of 2024	Class of 2025
Ted Brown	Anna Putman	Colleen Dueñas
Al Frohlich	Glen Roebuck (Moderator)	Terri Sheetz
John Gere	Andy McNeil	Kristy Owens
Matthew Hennes	Tom Vaccaro	Mitch Doremus
Erin Sodawasser-Hermiston	Paula Hartmann	Julia Meyer
Katrina Williams		
Sherry Williams		
Bob Lehnherr		