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4th Sunday of Easter April 30, 2023 at 9:30 AM



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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.

4th 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

PreludeSpringHerman BeeftinkLynne Stukart, flute(b. 1953)

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 Ministry

Kristy Woodrow

PreludeAllegro
Johann Christian Kittel
(1732-1809)

† Call to Worship and Confession

Julia Meyer, 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,

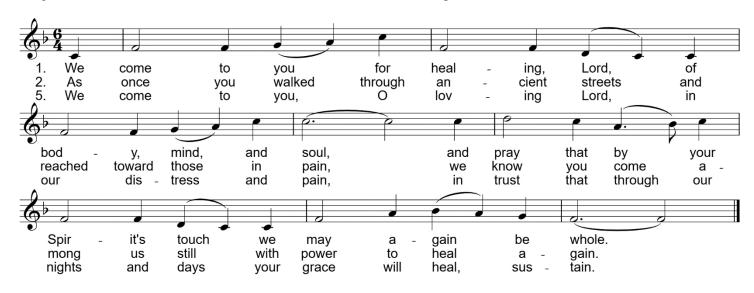
All: And lead us to new life as we walk with God!

† 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.

Listening for the Word

Anthem

Arise, My Soul, Arise! The Sanctuary Choir Arr. Dale Wood (1934-2003)

Arise, my soul, arise! Stretch forth to things eternal, and haste thee to the feet of thy Redeemer God.

Though hid from mortal eyes, he dwells in light supernal, yet worship him in humbleness and own him Lord.

His banquet of love
awaits thee above;
behold the marriage festal of the Lamb is come!
Rejoice, my soul, rejoice,
to heav'n lift up thy voice:

Alleluia!

List to the harps of heav'n! Hark to the song victorious, the never-ending anthem sounding through the sky.

To mortals is not given to chant its strains all glorious; yet sing, my soul, the praise of him who reigns on high.

Who bought with his Blood
the ransomed of God;
to him be everlasting pow'r and victory.

And let the great Amen
resound through heav'n again.

Alleluia!

(Johan Kahl, 1721-1746 | trans. Ernest Ryden, 1886-1981)

Children's Message Elder Kristy Woodrow

Prayer for Illumination

Gracious God, give us humble, teachable, and obedient hearts, that we may receive what you have revealed, and do what you have commanded. Amen.

First Lesson 1 Corinthians 6:12-20

¹² "All things are permitted for me," but not all things are beneficial. "All things are permitted for me," but I will not be dominated by anything. ¹³ "Food is meant for the stomach and the stomach for food," and God will destroy both one and the other. The body is meant not for sexual immorality but for the Lord and the Lord for the body. ¹⁴ And God raised the Lord and will also raise us by his power. ¹⁵ Do you not know that your bodies are members of Christ? Should I therefore take the members of Christ and make them members of a prostitute? Never! ¹⁶ Do you not know that whoever is united to a prostitute becomes one body with her? For it is said, "The two shall be one flesh." ¹⁷ But anyone united to the Lord becomes one spirit with him. ¹⁸ Shun sexual immorality! Every sin that a person commits is outside the body, but the sexually immoral person sins against the body itself. ¹⁹ Or do you not know that your body is a temple of the Holy Spirit within you, which you have from God, and that you are not your own? ²⁰ For you were bought with a price; therefore glorify God in your body.

One: This is the Word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

Second Lesson Romans 12:1-21

¹ I appeal to you therefore, brothers and sisters, on the basis of God's mercy, to present your bodies as a living sacrifice, holy and acceptable to God, which is your reasonable act of worship. ² Do not be conformed to this age, but be transformed by the renewing of the mind, so that you may discern what is the will of God–what is good and acceptable and perfect.

³ For by the grace given to me I say to everyone among you not to think of yourself more highly than you ought to think but to think with sober judgment, each according to the measure of faith that God has assigned. ⁴ For as in one body we have many members and not all the members have the same function, ⁵ so we, who are many, are one body in Christ, and individually we are members one of another. ⁶ We have gifts that differ according to the grace given to us: prophecy, in proportion to faith; ⁷ ministry, in ministering; the teacher, in teaching; ⁸ the encourager, in encouragement; the giver, in sincerity; the leader, in diligence; the compassionate, in cheerfulness.

⁹ Let love be genuine; hate what is evil; hold fast to what is good; ¹⁰ love one another with mutual affection; outdo one another in showing honor. ¹¹ Do not lag in zeal; be ardent in spirit; serve the Lord. ¹² Rejoice in hope; be patient in affliction; persevere in prayer. ¹³ Contribute to the needs of the saints; pursue hospitality to strangers.

¹⁴ Bless those who persecute you; bless and do not curse them. ¹⁵ Rejoice with those who rejoice; weep with those who weep. ¹⁶ Live in harmony with one another; do not be arrogant, but associate with the lowly; do not claim to be wiser than you are. ¹⁷ Do not repay anyone evil for evil but take thought for what is noble in the sight of all. ¹⁸ If it is possible, so far as it depends on you, live peaceably with all. ¹⁹ Beloved, never avenge yourselves, but leave room for the wrath of God, for it is written, "Vengeance is mine; I will repay, says the Lord." ²⁰ Instead, "if your enemies are hungry, feed them; if they are thirsty, give them something to drink, for by doing this you will heap burning coals on their heads." ²¹ Do not be overcome by evil, but overcome evil with good.

One: This is the Word of the Lord.

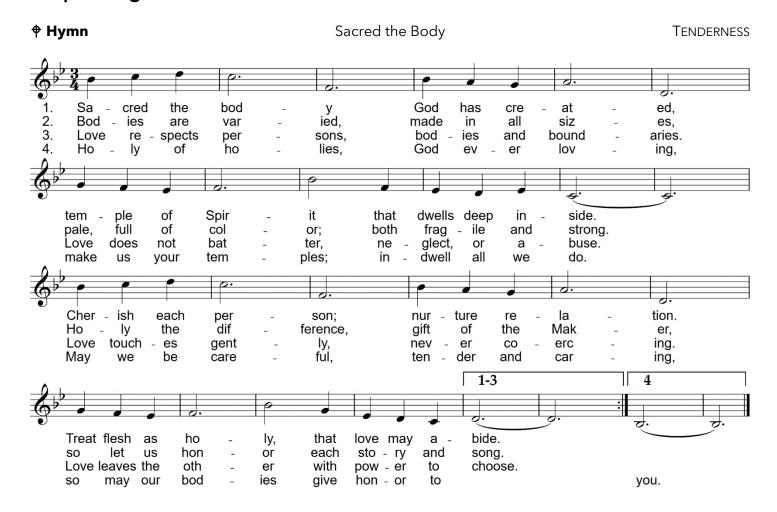
All: Thanks be to God.

Sermon

"Walking with God: Body, Mind, and Soul" The Rev. Dr. Kristopher D. Schondelmeyer

"Present your bodies as a living sacrifice, holy and acceptable to God, which is your reasonable act of worship."

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.

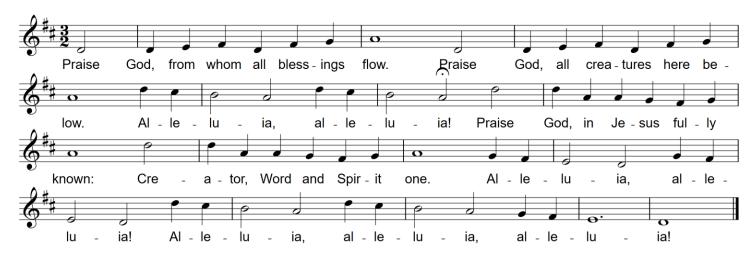
Offering Our Gifts and Lives to God



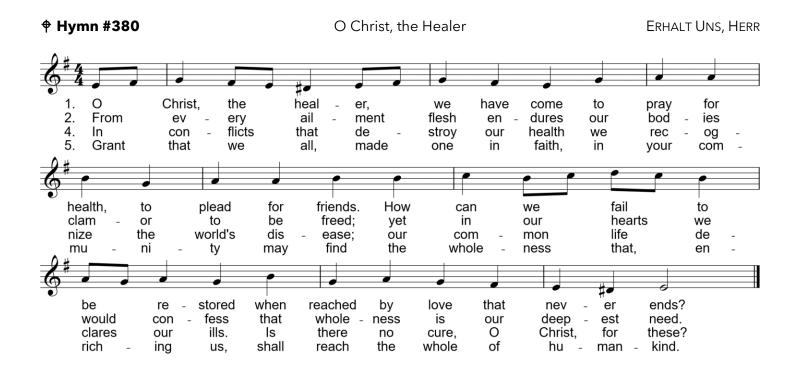
To share your pledge or offering, you may place it in the offering plate as it is passed down the aisle. If it is more convenient for you, please visit the church website at www.fpcdavenport.org, and click on "Donate Now," or you may donate directly from your smartphone by scanning the QR code with your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

 Poxology

 Lasst Uns Erfreuen



† Prayer of Dedication



† Charge and Benediction

Sending Anthem

The Lord Bless You and Keep You The Sanctuary Choir John Rutter (b. 1945)

The Lord bless you and keep you: the Lord make his face to shine upon you and be gracious unto you. The Lord lift up the light of his countenance upon you, and give you peace. Amen. (Numbers 6:24)

WORSHIP CONTRIBUTIONS

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

Mark A. Miller, "Fantasy Toccata on Italian Hymn" © 2022 Birnamwood Publications

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, Frank Lasala, 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), Paula Burnett, 5-month old Brooklyn. 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

Sunday, April 30		
MusikGarten	8:30 AM	Zoom
Nursery Open	8:45 AM - 12:15 PM	CE Building 3 rd Floor
Worship Service	9:30 AM	Sanctuary, Online Worship Watch Party
Kirkwood Choir	9:45 AM	CE Building #301
MusikGarten	10:35 AM	CE Building #310
Sunday School	10:35 AM	Fireplace Room 3 rd Floor
Adult Christian Education	10:35 AM	Von Maur Hall
Scout Troop 7 & 1107	4:30 - 6:00 PM	Gym, Game Room, Fellowship Hall, Library
TAF Music Rehearsal	6:30 PM	Choir Room
Monday, May 1		
Pickle Ball	9:00 - 11:00 PM	Gym
Churches United Meal Site Prep	3:00 - 4:30 PM	Fellowship Hall Kitchen
Tuesday May 2		
Tuesday, May 2 Caring Closet	9:00 - 12:00 PM	CE Building 1 st Floor
Tuesday Morning Walking Group	9:30 AM	Vander Veer Park
Staff Worship Planning	12:00 - 1:00 PM	Von Maur Hall
Church Staff Meeting	1:00 PM	Von Maur Hall
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Wednesday, May 3		
Pickle Ball	9:00 - 11:00 AM	Gym
Bible Basics 201	6:15 - 7:15 PM	Zoom
CEFY May Meeting	6:30 - 8:00 PM	Parlor
Thursday, May 4		
CDF Committee Meeting	5:30 - 6:30 PM	
TOPS	5:45 - 6:30 PM	Von Maur Hall
Nursery Open	6:00 - 9:00 PM	CE Building 3 rd Floor
Vesper Bells	6:00 PM	Chapel
Sanctuary Choir	7:00 PM	Choir Room & Sanctuary
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Friday, May 5		
Caring Closet	2:00 - 5:00 PM	CE Building 1st Floor
Saturday May 6		
Saturday, May 6 Lorraine Sewick Memorial Service	11:00 AM - 1:00 PM	Sanctuary
Lorraine Sewick Luncheon	12:00 PM - 2:00 PM	Fellowship Hall
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Note: In order for your committee meeting or event to appear on this calendar, it is imperative that you inform the church office so that we can ensure your meeting or event is on the larger church calendar.

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: May 2, 9, 16, 23

NOTE: On May 2, the Tuesday morning walking group will meet at Vander Veer Park. Park near the playground. Contact Pastor Kris or Director of Christian Education Kristy Woodrow for any questions.

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: May 13, 27

Visit With Pastor Pilar

Adult Christian Education - Today at 10:35 AM

Rev. Jose Pilar Alvarez Cabrera, our longtime mission partner from ILUGUA in Guatemala, will be the guest presenter. Pilar will share thoughts on his family's departure from their home country to obtain refugee status in the United States, and the experience since their arrival.

Bible Basics - May 2023

We are working our way through the Gospel of Matthew. Our lesson on May 3rd is called *Controversies and Parables* (Lesson 4), focusing on chapters 12-13. Here is a link to the free lessons we will follow: The Gospel of Matthew | Yale Bible Study.

Join in at 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.

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The Fruits of the Spirit: A Festival of Hymns

On Sunday, May 7th, the Sanctuary Choir and Vesper Bells will present A Festival of Hymns based on the nine fruits of the Spirit listed in the 5th chapter of Galatians. The choirs will offer hymns from a variety of cultural traditions and centuries, from old classic hymns to freshly composed texts and music. All in attendance will assist as we offer these hymns in creative ways and celebrate the vast richness of Christian hymnody.

Boy Scout Troop 7/Scout Troop 1107

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.

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

Compassion Camp is fast approaching! It will run June 5-9 from 9 A.M. to 12:30 P.M. and includes lunch! We need lots of volunteers – are you able and willing to serve one or more days of Compassion Camp? A sign-up sheet will be down in Fellowship Hall after worship, or you can email Director of Christian Education Kristy Woodrow at woodrow@fpcdavenport.org to indicate interest. Unable to serve in person but still want to help make this week a success? We have an Amazon wish list with materials needed for the week: https://a.co/b5foVK9. Financial donations are welcome as well! Thank you in advance for your support!



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	17	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)	8 I .	(5,135)	1 .
Surplus (Deficit) Before PPP2 Grant	\$5,550	(\$24,747)	(\$13,211)	(\$17,094)
PPP2 Grant			-	-
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		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)
Custodial Accounts Expenses	(8,534)	l -	(6,476)	-
Surplus (Deficit) Before PPP2 Grant	\$12,064	(\$18,191)	\$15,461	\$11,576
PPP2 Grant	-		-	-
	\$12,064	(\$18,191)	\$15,461	\$11,576

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!



Vacation Time for Pastor Kris: May 1 - May 8

As part of the Terms of Call for Pastor Kris, we approved to give him five weeks of vacation time each year. He has been working hard since January 1, and it is important that he take throughout the year to rest, and attend to his family. Please note that Pastor Kris (and family) will be taking the week from Monday, May 1 through Monday, May 8 for vacation. However, he will officiate the memorial service for Lorraine Sewick on Saturday, May 6.

Pastor Kris will be available by cell phone for pastoral emergencies only. However, if it is not an emergency, please allow his family the time and privacy they need. He will be ready to hear from you again when he returns from his vacation time. For non-emergency pastoral care concerns, please call on the Deacons. For general church concerns, reach out to Susan in the office during our regular business hours. Our Elders and staff are available for all other church matters.

Church Office Hours

Our office hours are from 9:00 AM to 6:00 PM, Monday through Friday.

Church Staff Office Hours

Kristine Olson Finance Manager

9:00 AM to 5:00 PM, Monday through Friday.

Susan Parker Administrative Assistant

10:00 AM to 6:00 PM, Monday through Friday.

Matt Bishop Director of Music

9:30 AM - 3:30 PM Tuesdays

4:00 PM - 6:00 PM Thursdays (before rehearsals)

Matt has a regular day off on Fridays.

Alex Gilson Principal Organist and Assistant Director of Music

1:00 PM to 2:00 PM Wednesdays and Fridays

Alex has a regular day off on Mondays.

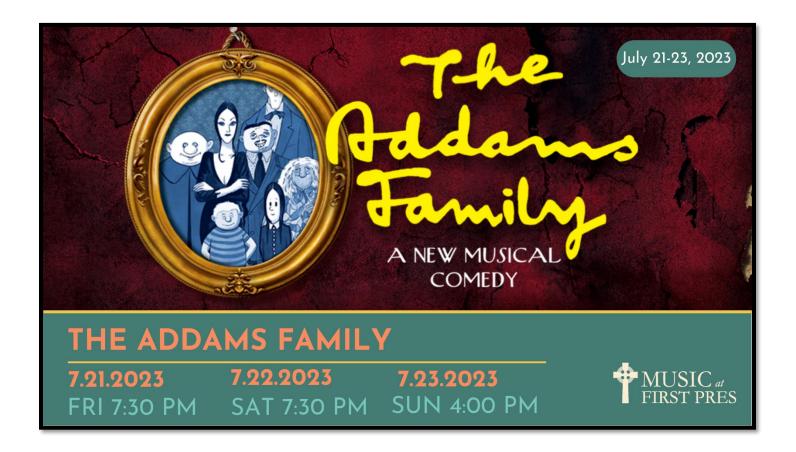
Kristy Woodrow Director of Christian Education

11:00 AM - 5:00 PM Monday through Thursday

Kristy has a regular day off on Fridays.

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.

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.



Kids Against Hunger

Who? Anyone ranging from 5-105! So.. YOU! (1)

When? Saturday, May 20, 2023 from 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Where? Fellowship Hall

What do I need to bring? \$20 cash or check (payable to KAHYQC) in order to participate.

We are SO excited to have hands-on fun and to make nutritious meals for those in need! If you have any questions, concerns, or simply want to sign up in advance, feel free to contact me at annajp19@gmail.com.







Flip Flop and Slide into Summer

The church is doing a special fun outreach to our neighborhood on Tuesday, May 30th from 3:00 – 5:00 PM. We will be setting up a table on Kirkwood in front of the church and handing out fun summer footwear (Flip Flops and Sliders) as well as colorful socks of all sizes for men, women, and children. This is our unofficial kick off to summer as well as a way to promote sign up for our wonderful COMPASSION CAMP (VBS) that takes place June 5th – June 9th. We will also provide lemonade and cookies along with our colorful footwear. You can help be a part of this by bringing all colors and sizes of flip flops, sliders, and socks and putting them in the box at the back of the sanctuary. Let's stack them to the rafters!! For more information contact Cathy Pratscher-Woods at 563-349-2288 (text or call).

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.

FPC STAFF

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