

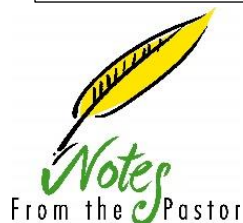
FIRST NEWS

First Presbyterian Church

Third Week of April, 2020

Whiteville, NC

"To be a light in our community reflecting Christ's love and compassion"



Sunday Worship: What now? What is life like, as believers, following the resurrection of Jesus? Over the next several weeks we will be in a sermon series that explores what life was like for the disciples...how their ministry was shaped...following Jesus' resurrection.

Worship information:

- Scripture: John 20:19-23
- Sermon: "What Now: Jesus and the Disciples"

•Hymns:

- o"Lead On, O King Eternal!"
- o"I've Got Peace like a River"
- o"Breathe on Me, Breath of God"

Livestream: Remember, and share, the various ways you can join us on Sunday mornings for our on-line, live streaming, services of worship.

1. Facebook: www.facebook.com/fpcwhiteville
2. YouTube: On the Youtube site, search for "First Presbyterian Church, Whiteville, NC"
3. Twitter: @FPCWhiteville
4. Roku: First Presbyterian-Whiteville
5. Spectrum Channel 1304

I hope you will not only join us for worship, but be sure to share these ways of connecting with us with your family, friends, and neighbors.

Upper Rooms: Copies of the Upper Room have been placed in a plastic tub and put underneath the carport of the Outback. If you are headed to the store, work, or out for a walk, feel free to stop by and pick one up.

Letters/cards for Hospital: If you would like to write a note, card, or letter to employees of the hospital to encourage them and let them know they are being prayed for, please get them to me and I will deliver to Chaplain Jeremy Simmons. In the plastic tub with the Upper Rooms there is a smaller plastic container where you can place them, and I can pick them up. You may also mail them to the church, or you can email it to me, and I will print it up.

Baked goods/snacks: If you would like to make, or purchase, snacks to be given to staff at the hospital, you can drop them off at the church and we will get them dropped off. Homemade goodies are perfectly acceptable, but should be in individual baggies.

Canned Food: If you would like to help families in need within Columbus County, Community CPR is collecting canned food. There are collection boxes at Penn's Grill and Pharmacy on Main...or feel free to drop them off at the church and we will get them to where they need to be!

*In Christ,
Pastor Joe*

Volunteers: 4/19: Josh Horne 4/26: Jonathan Medford
4/19: Sally Medford 4/26: Erin Thompson

April, 2020 Worship Schedule

April 19: Second Sunday of Easter

Sermon: "What Now: Jesus and the Disciples" Scripture: John 20:19-23

11:00 am Worship – Join us Online on YouTube or Facebook!

April 26: Third Sunday of Easter

11:00 am Worship – Join us Online on YouTube or Facebook!



APRIL 2020

1- Thad Thomas, 4- Greg Blackmon, 4- Anna Capps, 5- Kim Neisler, 7- Ethan Scott, 10- Judy Harrigan, 11- Ellie Horne, 14 - Emily Kea Gray, 17 – Mark Smith, 18- Liam Scott, 19- Suzanne Blackmon, 19- Nick Logan, 22- Margaret Gray, 24- Miriam Davenport, 25- Janet Royal, 25- Rachel Smith, 30- Miriam Schulken



MAY 2020

1- Sarah Boley, 1- Sandra Love, 3- Olivia Stocks, 4- Fuller Royal, 10- Amber Dinkins, 10- Matthew Smith, 11- Sally Medford, 17 – Alexander Scott, 17- Christopher Scott, 18- Don Harrigan, 21- Rick Edwards, 22- Layton McLean, 25- John Hall, 25- Sarah Moody, 26- Judy Hester, 26- Sara Rain Thompson

- Congratulations to Rachel Smith for successfully defending her dissertation earlier this week, earning her Doctorate in Education from East Carolina University!
- Sympathy for Jack Hooks and his family upon the death of his mother, Margaret Hooks, on April 14, 2020.

Prayer Concerns: Geraldine Becker; John Hall; Dolores Harris; Bob High; Rita & R. L. Lewis; Jayne Smith; Walter Strickland.

Assisted Care: Anna Jane Collier; Charlene Hinnant; Kenneth Smith.

Friends:

Pat Allen – friend of Butch Row, Alzheimer's

Tricia Bowen – friend of Bookie Trogon, cancer

Michael Brown – friend of Carrie Burney, cancer

Billie Joe Conrad

Shari Dutton – friend of Bookie and David Trogon

Betty Engen Faircloth – friend of the church, cancer

Rev. Ben Garriss – friend of Joe and Angela, cancer

Shelby Hodge

The family & friends of Chase Hooks – passed away 4/1

Barry Housend – friend of Steve Smith, cancer

Phyllis Howlett – friend of Martin Scott, cancer

Roger Kennedy – friend of David Trogon - stroke

Julie Malone – cousin of Butch Row, dementia

Jerome McPherson

Bob Selby – friend of David Trogon, COVID-19 concerns

Michael Sellers – friend of Butch Row, cancer

Shiryl Smith – friend of Butch Row, gallbladder issues

Mike Spradley – friend of the church, cancer

Nancy Washburn - mother of Pastor Joe

Please notify the office when names can be removed.

CHURCH CALENDAR

Sunday, April 19:

Worship Service, Livestream - 11:00 am

Monday, April 20:

Please sign up for Family Night Supper by the end of 4/19/20

Wednesday, April 22:

Alcoholics Anonymous, Fellowship Hall - 8:00pm

Drive-Thru Family Night Supper, Outside - 5:45 - 7:00 pm

Thursday, April 23:

Alcoholics Anonymous, Fellowship Hall - 8:00pm

Sunday, April 26:

Alcoholics Anonymous, Fellowship Hall - 8:00pm

Monday, April 27:

Worship Service, Livestream - 11:00 am

Wednesday, April 29:

Alcoholics Anonymous, Fellowship Hall - 8:00pm

Thursday, April 30:

Alcoholics Anonymous, Fellowship Hall - 8:00pm

Contact the church office: 910-642-2253

Pastor Joe: pastorjoe@fpcwhiteville.org

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Angela Washburn: angela@fpcwhiteville.org

Live-Stream of Service: www.facebook.com/fpcwhiteville, Twitter, YouTube, Spectrum Channel 1304, and Roku

OFFICE HOURS: CLOSED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE

Karen: karen@fpcwhiteville.org

Website: www.fpcwhiteville.org

Drive-Thru Family Night Supper

April 22, 2020 5:45-7:00 pm

You are invited to a "Drive-Thru Family Night Supper" on April 22, 2020. We will be taking every possible safety precaution available. We will have prepared meals to go - but must know in advance how many to prepare!

Pick up from 5:45 until 7:00 pm.

• Directions for pick up:

Please enter from Wyche Street. There will be someone at the corner asking how many plates and taking any donations and plates will be bagged and handed to you. Then continue through the driveway to exit!!

• We will be serving: Parmesan ranch chicken, hash brown casserole, green beans, sautéed carrots, and cornbread muffins with a brownie for dessert!

We are excited to at least see everyone!

PLEASE, PLEASE, PLEASE CALL OR TEXT IN ADVANCE!!! We need this order by **Sunday, April 19, 2020**. *Date Updated!*

Joan Dorsett (910) 840-5468 or Mary Anne Tyndall (910) 640-9837

