

First Presbyterian Church

1530 Hollywood Boulevard, Hollywood, Florida 33020-5240

7th Sunday after Pentecost

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Morning Glory Worship Service — Chapel - 8:30 A.M.

Classic Worship Service — Sanctuary – 11:00 A.M.

**Please stand if you are able.*

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Welcome!

We are so glad you are here.

July 28, 2019

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WELCOME & (11 a.m. only) CALL TO REFLECTION

(11 a.m. only) **PRELUDE** – *Prelude I* A. E. Floyd
(from *Three Church Preludes*)

PRAYER OF TRANSFORMATION

***HYMN – Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty!** # 138

PRAYER FOR FORGIVENESS Adapted from Huub Oosterhuis, 1933-

Make us receptive and open, and may we accept your kingdom like children taking bread from the hands of their father. And forgive us, O God, when we close ourselves off and forget your love for us. Let us live in peace, at home with you, all the days of our lives. In the name of the one who is the Bread of Life we pray. Amen.

A TIME OF SILENCE

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

***How Firm a Foundation (# 361, verse 5)**

**The soul that on Jesus hath leaned for repose,
I will not, I will not desert to its foes;
That soul, though all hell should endeavor to shake,
I'll never, no never, no never forsake**

(11 a.m. only) **SOLO** – *Change My Heart, O God* Eddie Espinosa
Jasmine Williams, soloist

(11 a.m. only) **A TIME WITH THE CHILDREN**

THE NEWS OF THE COMMUNITY

SCRIPTURE READING – Galatians 3:26 – 4:7 (New Testament, Page 189 in pew Bible)

PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD Kennedy M. McGowan

Living A Life of Freedom

The Power of Adoption

THIS WE BELIEVE - (IN UNISON) Galatians 4:4-7, The Message

But when the time arrived that was set by God the Father, God sent his Son, born among us of a woman, born under the conditions of the law so that he might redeem those of us who have been kidnapped by the law. Thus, we have been set free to experience our rightful heritage. You can tell for sure that you are now fully adopted as his own children because God sent the Spirit of his Son into our lives crying out, “Papa! Father!” Doesn’t that privilege of intimate conversation with God make it plain that you are not a slave, but a child? And if you are a child, you’re also an heir, with complete access to the inheritance.

(11 a.m. only) ***HYMN OF COMMITMENT – This is My Father’s World** # 293

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

THE LORD’S PRAYER

INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN STEWARDSHIP

*(Visitors, in the pew rack you will find a Guest Information card.
Please complete the card, then place it in the offering plate.)*

(11 a.m. only) **Offertory – I Bowed on My Knees and Cried, "Holy"** E. M. Dudley Cantwell
Paul Lewis, soloist

(11 a.m. only) ***THE RESPONSE OF PRAISE – DOXOLOGY (#592)**

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below; O, praise Him! Alleluia! Praise Him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. O praise Him, O praise Him! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

(11 a.m. only) ***OFFERING OF PRAYER (in unison)** Adapted from Ruth Burgess

O Loving One, when we want to run – hold us. When we want to turn away – turn us round. When we want to hide – race us to our hiding place and win. When we want to hurt others – deflect our aim. When we want to hurt ourselves – love us. When we cry – grab us quickly and rock us safely in your strong arms. In Jesus’ name, we pray. Amen.

***HYMN – In Christ There Is No East or West** # 439

***CHARGE AND BLESSING**

Congregational Response:

**God be with you till we meet again; Loving counsels guide, uphold you,
With a Shepherd’s care enfold you; God be with you till we meet again.**

(11 a.m. only) ***POSTLUDE – Sorti** Douglas E. Wagner

"I will go in the strength of the Lord God" Psalm 71:16

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Visitors, following worship, please join us on the patio for refreshments.

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(11 a.m. only) **Lay Reader – Susan Huff**

(11 a.m. only) **The flowers in the sanctuary are given by Joan Henry in memory of her parents.**

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web site at: fpcoh.org [facebook.com/fpcoh/](https://www.facebook.com/fpcoh/)

Church office e-mail: landerson@fpcoh.org

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WELCOME VISITORS!

It is our hope that you will encounter God as you worship with us. First Presbyterian Church is a family of faith committed to families, peacemaking, and mission. There are educational offerings for all ages, as well as fellowship groups for members and friends of the church. All are welcome. For information, visit us at our **web site at: fpcoh.org**

CHILD CARE for infants is provided in the nursery, located in the Lobby of the church. Children’s worship kits are also available for younger children. Please ask an usher for assistance. Our children’s Sunday school, *WaumbaLand*, gathers at 10am in the sanctuary (September through May). **FOR THOSE WITH SPECIAL NEEDS**, in the lobby we have large print hymnals and a limited number of pew cushions available.

— OPPORTUNITIES —

The bulletin announcements serve as reminders of church activities.

Please check our website: fpcoh.org
for the monthly newsletter and church calendar; and
our Facebook page: facebook.com/fpcoh/
Church office e-mail: landerson@fpcoh.org

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CHILDREN AND YOUTH —

WaumbaLand (Sunday school for ages 4-10) returns **August 25th. Woo Hoo !!**

August 4th, we will be having a special celebration at our **11 AM** worship

to preview what is coming up this year in our children's ministries.

PLEASE SEE THE SUMMER FAMILYFEST FLYER.

CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP —

A Time of Prayer, in the chapel

Monday, July 29th: 9:00 a.m. – Noon

Friday, August 2nd: 9:00 a.m. – Noon

CARD-MAKING GROUP —

Please join us for a fun evening at Michaels in Oakwood Plaza, Monday, August 12th at 6:30pm. Bring your friends! We will have 3 different cards for you to make and they will be donated to your church. **Supplies will be provided except adhesives (glue, double sided tape, pop ups, etc.) Please RSVP** to Jane Moy 954 224-5552 or yomenaj@yahoo.com (call, text, email, carrier pigeon...) so we can be prepared with enough supplies. **See you there!** *We will be meeting every other month at Michaels: August, October, December.

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DROP BY FOR COFFEE OR TEA WITH KENNEDY THIS WEEK
Here are the unscheduled times this week where I am available for a visit!

Sunday: Worship services, family time, and editing and posting of the sermon audio and video take up the day.

Monday – 10:30 AM to 6 PM

Tuesday – 10 AM to 11:30 AM and 2 to 3:30 PM
(summer camp walk around and Rotary meeting take up the rest of the day)

Wednesday – 11 AM to 4:00 PM

Friday

(This day is taken up with sermon preparation and preparation for the big event on Sunday.)

Please try to call beforehand so I can put the kettle on, and to make sure that the schedule hasn't unexpectedly changed for a hospital visit or some other concern.

Summer Worship Schedule

(Now through August 18th)

8:30 a.m.: Morning Glory Service in the Chapel

10:00 a.m.: Bible Study in the Sanctuary

11:00 a.m.: Classic Service in the Sanctuary

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CALENDAR

Sunday, July 28

Morning Glory Worship Service – Chapel 8:30 a.m.

Bible Study – Sanctuary 10:00 a.m.

Worship – Sanctuary 11:00 a.m.

Word of God Bible Church – Chapel 1:00 – 3:00 p.m.

Monday, July 29

A Time of Prayer – Chapel 9:00 a.m. – Noon

Tuesday, July 30

Church carpets cleaned

Thursday, August 1

Word of God Bible Church – Chapel 7:00 – 9:00 p.m.

Friday, August 2

A Time of Prayer 9a.m. - Noon

Saturday, August 3

Christ Jesus College and Seminary – Sanctuary & Chapel 8:00 – 11:00 a.m.

Share-A-Meal – Church Kitchen 11:00 a.m.

Sunday, August 4

Morning Glory Worship Service – Chapel 8:30 a.m.

Bible Study – Sanctuary 10:00 a.m.

Worship – Sanctuary 11:00 a.m.

Summer Familyfest – The Patch (West Lot) immediately following worship

Word of God Bible Church – Chapel 1:00 – 3:00 p.m.

**Success is not greedy, as people think. It is insignificant.
That is why it satisfies nobody.**
Seneca, Philosopher, 4 BC to 65 AD

**Though we travel the world over to find the beautiful,
we must carry it with us or we find it not.**
Ralph Waldo Emerson

The beauty of the day is found in the heart.
Thomas Hardy, Writer and poet

**You can take deep pleasure in the company of the people around you...
When you are open to the beauty, mystery and grandeur
of ordinary existence, you “get it” that it always has been
beautiful, mysterious, and grand and always will be.**
Timothy Ray Miller

**Nature and self have beauty because they participate in and express
the presence of the one who is beautiful to know, the one whose
fiery passion creates, sustains and welcomes everything.**
John O'Donohue

Truth is beautiful.
Tish Harrison Warren, Liturgy of the Ordinary

Not “What is Beauty? but “Who is beauty?”
John O'Donohue

Every child of God has all of the Spirit, but does the Holy Spirit have all of us?
Julia Kellersberger in Presbyterian Journal

**An infinite God can give all of Himself to each of His children.
He does not distribute Himself that each may have a part, but to
each one He gives Himself as fully as if there were no others.**
A.W. Tozer

O God, help me to believe the truth about myself no matter how beautiful it is!
Macrina Wiederkehr

A WORD FROM KENNEDY

THE SUMMER FAMILYFEST IS NEXT SUNDAY — AND IT'S FREE!!

On Sunday, **August 4th**, we are throwing an awesome picnic, and you're invited! Together with our Learning Centers, we are throwing a huge party in The Patch (West Lot) complete with awesome food such as Arroz con Pollo, Ceviche, and Hot Dogs and Sausages on the grill. We are going to have all sorts of great games from soccer to three-legged races and musical chairs. And before all that begins, we will be having a **special celebration at our 11 AM worship** to preview what is coming up this year in our children's ministries, which returns **Sunday, August 25th**. With funds raised at the Easter picnic, we are hoping for an attendance of at least a hundred, if not two hundred, for this event; and it is all free!! We are reaching out to our Cub Scouts and Boy Scouts to join us, and we will also be promoting it on the Funtastic Friday nights at Young Circle! We want to make this as big a community-wide party as we can. So, **SIGN UP TODAY ON THE INSERT** and join us next Sunday, August 4th, in The Patch! Let's have a great end-of-the-year summer party!

IT'S SCHOOL SUPPLY TIME!

Every year, as the school year begins, we collect school supplies for our partner school, Hollywood Central Elementary (HCE). At HCE, close to half the students come from families on free or subsidized breakfast and lunch programs, and without our help, a lot of these students would not have what they need for school. Because school begins early (on August 14th), we are beginning the supply drive early. **Keep in mind also that from August 2nd to August 6th all school supplies will be tax-free!** Let's do all that we can to help the children and families in our community start the school year well!

DO YOU WANT TO HELP START A NEW GROUP FOR SENIORS? HERE'S HOW!

Louise Hardenburg and Penny Johns are working to start a new social group for Seniors in our neighborhood this Fall. Right now, they are setting up meetings with folks who work with seniors in the area to find where the needs are, and brainstorming ideas of what we might provide. If you would like to be involved in getting this launched, then please touch base with Louise (lynderob@bellsouth.net).



School Supplies Needed

It's time to bring school supplies for children at Hollywood Central Elementary School. Here is a list of supplies that the children will need:

Washable Crayola Markers

Large-size Crayons Colored Pencils

#2 Pencils Index Cards

Inexpensive White Paper Plates

Large Glue Sticks Composition Books

Sharpie Markers Thick Dry-Erase Markers

Headphones Tissues Baby Wipes

Ziploc Bags (Quart and Gallon Size)

Blunt Tip Scissors

Loose Leaf Paper Construction Paper

Backpacks

Hollywood Central will receive the items on Sunday, August 25th, at our HOLLYWOOD CENTRAL DAY worship service!

Super Fun Summer Activities

**FREE EVENT!!
JUST BYOB
(BEER, WINE)**

**WaumbaLand and
Hollywood Learning
Centers Presents**

**STARTS IN THE
SANCTUARY,
MOVES OUT
TO THE PATCH!**

SUMMER FAMILY FEST

**SUNDAY
AUGUST 4 @
11-2:30 PM**



**Outdoor Soccer games, Tug of War, Musical Chairs, 3-Legged Race,
and many more exciting games for adults and kids...!!!**

Please sign-up to attend ASAP

Registration

fmarin@fpcoh.org

For more info: (954) 922-8558 | Visit us: fpcoh.org

SIGN-UP SHEET

SUMMER FAMILYFEST

August 4th, 11:00 a.m.

So we can plan food and beverages,
if you will be attending Familyfest on August 4th,
please sign and return this page to Pastor Kennedy.

NAME: _____ Phone: _____

E-mail: _____

Number of children: _____ Number of adults: _____