
SURPRISING MISSOULA WITH CHRIST'S ASTONISHING LOVE

first word

WORSHIP (Fellowship Hall) - 9:30 a.m.
COFFEE FELLOWSHIP (Fellowship Hall) - 10:30 a.m.

*The way we welcome children in church directly affects the way they respond to the Church, to God, to Christ, to one another.
 Let them know they are at home in the Church by welcoming their wiggles and participation in worship.*

NURSERY CARE provided for infants & toddlers up to age 3, 8:15 am - 12:15 pm in Rm 212 on the 2nd floor of the CE Bldg.
CHILDREN'S MINISTRY Pew bags and special bulletins are available for children from the ushers.

MIDDLE SCHOOL CANOE TRIP is August 2-5.

What an amazing trip this is that follows Lewis And Clark's journey down the Missouri River! We are in need of some supplies to make this trip happen. If you have any of these, may we please borrow them?

Supplies Needed:

Dry bags, coolers, 5 gallon water jugs, camping cook stove, bungee cords. If you have any of these items that you would be willing to lend, please contact Dayel Dunning 214-0018. Items will be needed by Monday **July 31st**. Thank you!

YOUTH SUMMER BBQ'S

This summer, we will be gathering all incoming 6th graders-high schoolers for fun in the park. We will meet at Elm's Park every Wednesday at **5:30 - 7:00 pm** for a bbq and games. We will gather again this Wednesday **July 19** and continue thru August 16th. Come join us for food and fun! Friends welcome!

OPENING OUR DOORS TO FAMILY PROMISE!

Our next week of hosting is coming **July 30th to August 6th**. This is a concrete and meaningful way to serve Missoula's families experiencing homelessness. Please consider participating in one of the following ways: *provide food items, connect with families as an evening or overnight host, or share your muscle strength to set up or take down the youth room for our guests.* We are grateful to the many who help make this important mission possible!

You may sign up to volunteer online at: <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/30e0b4fadac2ea1fe3-family5> This link is also found on the FPC website under the "What's New" section. We will have sign up sheets available during coffee/fellowship time on **July 16th and 23rd**.

Thank You from your Family Promise Coordinating Team,
 Rachel Robinson, Jane Hogan, Jan Hanson, Angie Tranel and Tracey Cravy

RIVER BAPTISMS will take place **August 27**

TODAY'S FLOWERS are given by Jennifer and Mark Kozubal in honor of Mickey and Carol Smotherman's 70th birthdays!

We are looking for **USHERS** for the 9:30 service. If you would like to help, contact Jo: youthdirector@fpcmissoula.org.

Thank you!

WELCOME TO FPC MISSOULA! We are SO GLAD you are here! We are an imperfect church with imperfect people seeking to experience the perfect love of Christ and live it out. Our hope is that you feel free to be yourself here and that you come to experience the riches of SURPRISING MISSOULA WITH CHRIST'S ASTONISHING LOVE. We invite you to fill out a Welcome Card (located on the kiosk in the Fellowship Hall) and place it in the offering plate so we can more fully welcome you and get to know you.

Monday, July 17

- 6:30 p.m. Stephen Ministry Meeting
- 6:00 p.m. Canoe Trip Prep Meeting

Tuesday, July 18

- 6:30 a.m. Tuesday Men's Group
- 9:30 a.m. Church Staff Meeting
- 1:00 p.m. Building Committee Meeting
- 6:30 p.m. Session Meeting

Wednesday, July 19

- 12:00 p.m. Resource Committee Meeting (Library)
- 5:30 p.m. Youth B-B-Q
- 5:30 p.m. WOW

Thursday, July 20

- 6:30 a.m. Men's Bible Study (Library)
- 1:00 p.m. Ruth (PW Circle Meeting)

Sunday, July 23

- 9:30 a.m. Worship Service (Fellowship Hall)
- 10:30 a.m. Coffee and Fellowship (Fellowship Hall)

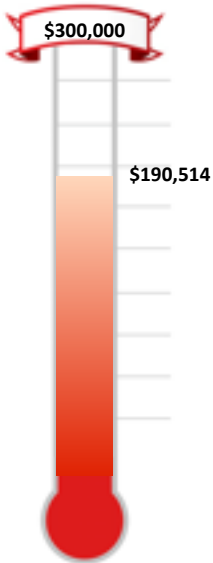


WE CELEBRATE with Becky and John Moody and big sister Marion on the birth of Adam Moody born July 2nd! Welcome to the world, we're glad you're here!

PLEASE DONATE NEW OR GENTLY USED BOOKS to help give Missoula's neediest children a strong start to the new school year. Holy Spirit Episcopal Church, as part of the **Missoula Interfaith Collaborative**, is collecting 1,200 books to give to preK-12 students attending this year's Back to School Bash, which assists local families in need with backpacks and school supplies. A bin for your donations will be in Fellowship Hall through **August 6**. Please be generous! Thank you.

PAID POSITION IN NURSERY

We have an opening for **nursery care provider** to work 2-4 Sundays every month, approximately 4 hours per Sunday, October - May and 2 hours June - August. If you are interested please contact Becky in the office: becky@fpcmissoula.org or 549-5144.



CAPITAL MAINTENANCE CAMPAIGN

If you have not received a commitment card for the 3-year Capital Maintenance Campaign, along with a summary of the Campaign and maintenance work, they are available at the church office and in the wall-mounts in the sanctuary and fellowship hall. The Capital Campaign Committee is hoping for initial contributions to be made ASAP so work can start immediately.

Thank you!

THANK YOU

Ushers: Martha Ripley, George & Robbie Lightner
 Coffee Fellowship Hosts: Penny McGill, Hailey Chabotte, Mickey & Carol Smotherman

BEA JOHNSON MEMORIAL SERVICE

Veteran's Cemetery (by Big Sky H.S.)
 July 26 at 10:00 a.m.
 You may send sympathy cards to:
 Steve Johnson
 108 Freedom Rd.
 Hamilton, MT 59840

PLEASE PRAY FOR

Bea Johnson's family, Mel Rice's family, Gary Kahl's family, Lois Puckett, Nancy DeSouza, Dave Farnham's family, Lynda Clegg, Barbara Jo Bitar, Ruby Schmidt, Kent Kinney, Steven Bricker, Lou and Jerry Power and family, Rousselin family, Betty Winchell family, Ross Stewart Andrew, Gary Barnett, Lupe Hilliard & family, Sharon Johnston, Carolyn Kinney, Jason Kirchner, Kelley Nicholson, Marge Shoup, Rev. Selwyn Samuel

LET US KNOW YOUR PRAYER REQUEST

Prayer support is as close as a phone call. We are blessed with individuals who are committed to pray over your concerns and give praise for your joys. Those serving in this ministry are also committed to respecting any confidential prayer requests. To let us know of a prayer request, contact the church office (549-5144). Or, during non-business hours, contact Mary Barnett (721-6667).