

JULY 28th, 2024

### **Worship with FPC | July 28<sup>th</sup>, 2024 | Matthew 5:21-26**

*“You have heard it said to those of ancient times, ‘You shall not murder’; and ‘whoever murders shall be liable to judgment.’ But I say to you that...if you are angry with a brother or sister...if you insult a brother or sister... if you say ‘You fool,’...you will be liable to judgment.” – Matthew 5.21-22*

If you told most people that Jesus is out to prevent murder, they would hardly be surprised. If you told most people what *constitutes* murder for Jesus, they would be shocked: Nursing anger. Spewing insults. Relishing contempt.

What if the Lord cares as much about killing people off in our hearts as taking their lives?

Prayer: *Lord, we do not congratulate ourselves for stopping short of physical violence. We pray for hearts healed of animosity, for souls quieted by your reconciling peace, for spirits humbled by your love...Hear our prayers....*

We will be together in the Fellowship Hall for worship this Sunday at 9:30am.

You can also click this link **to live-stream** our worship service (or view it afterward):

<https://youtube.com/live/n-EjNqiU7WE?feature=share>

**To listen by phone** to the live 9:30am worship service on Sunday via Zoom, call 253-215-8782. You will be asked to enter three codes:

Meeting ID: 84025131691 (then #)

Participant ID: (just press #)

Password: 658627 (then #)

You will also be able to join worship by clicking the link on FPC’s web page at [www.fpcmissoula.org](http://www.fpcmissoula.org), or find it on Facebook at ‘First Presbyterian Church Missoula.’

### **All-Church Campout! August 23<sup>rd</sup>-25<sup>th</sup>, Glacier Camp on Flathead Lake**

Registrations are open for FPC’s All-Church Campout! We will be at Glacier Camp on Flathead Lake August 23<sup>rd</sup>-25<sup>th</sup>. For sleeping, there are options – tent, cabin, RV/trailer. Persons of all ages are welcome and encouraged to join. This is a great time to be together and build connections outside of Sunday worship. We would love to have you there!

### **A House United Books**

We have ordered more copies of our summer series book, *A House United*, but unfortunately, our order has been repeatedly delayed. You are welcome to order your own physical or electronic copy of the book by clicking [here](#), or you may wait until our order comes in (hopefully within the next week or two).

### **Casas Por Cristo 2024 Trip Slideshow**

If you wish to view the Casas Por Cristo 2024 Trip slideshow, click [here](#) (can be found on FPC’s website as well).

### **Facility Steward Position**

A warm welcome to Robert Miller as he accepted the role of becoming our new Facility Steward. Robert's schedule is Sunday morning and Tuesday through Friday with varying hours. Robert is currently not set up to receive emails, you can reach him by phone at (406 546-5972).

### **FPC Care Team Informational Meeting: Sunday, July 28<sup>th</sup>, Following Worship, FPC Library**

Do you have gifts for caring, encouragement, and listening? If so, please prayerfully consider becoming part of the FPC Care team. We will be having an informational meeting on Sunday, July 28<sup>th</sup>, after church in the library. If you are interested in joining our care team but have questions or just aren't sure, please come and find out more.

### **Flowers for Fellowship Hall**

As the warm weather continues and gardens are in bloom, we invite you to bring cut flowers from your garden for the Fellowship Hall.

## **Returning Building Fobs**

As the summer continues and we prepare for fall we ask that anyone who has a building access fob that they are no longer using to please return said fobs to the church office.

## **Presbyterian Women at Glacier Camp: August 16-18th, 2024**

The annual PW Glacier Camp retreat is coming up fast! The cost breakdown for this year's retreat is as follows:

### Food

Cost for meals (5 meals in total) \$70

### Lodging (2 nights at Glacier Camp)

2 people to a room rate - \$64 per night \$128 total (\$198 with cost of meals)  
3 people to a room rate - \$43 per night \$86 total (\$156 with cost of meals)

Applications are available in the church office, for information on scholarships available to help pay for your trip, contact Sally Wright at (406) 214-2890. Please return applications to Sally Wright or the church office by Friday, August 2nd.

## **Online Course Offering with Pastor Allen Hilton**

Beginning July 29, in collaboration with Princeton Theological Seminary, Allen Hilton, author of *House United: How the Church Can Save the World*, will be offering a 4-week online course called 'Bridging Divides: Being Christian In An Election Year.' You can access the registration information by clicking [here](#).

## **Upcoming Dates for FPC Gatherings:**

### **July:**

- FPC Care Team Informational Meeting: Sunday, July 28<sup>th</sup>, Following Worship, FPC Library
- Discussion of *A House United* book: Tuesday, July 30<sup>th</sup>, 6:30pm, Elms Park

### **August:**

- All-Church Campout: August 23<sup>rd</sup>-25<sup>th</sup>, Glacier Camp on Flathead Lake

## **Announcement Guidelines and Office/Staff Hours**

Announcements for FPC's Friday News Emails and for Sunday Worship must be sent to [secretary@fpcmissoula.org](mailto:secretary@fpcmissoula.org) and [emma@fpcmissoula.org](mailto:emma@fpcmissoula.org) by Wednesday.

- FPC Office Hours: Tuesday - Friday, 9am - 3pm, 406-549-5144
- FPC Staff Meeting: Tuesdays, 9:30am - 11:30am
- Pastor and Ministry Directors (Dan Cravy, Emma Thackston, and Austin Graef) work Mondays; unavailable Fridays
- Operation Manager (Becky Kress) and Secretary (Haleigh Adair) work Tuesday - Fridays; unavailable Mondays
- Program Support Administrator (Jo Ruby) typically works Tuesdays & Thursdays

## **Helping Hands**

For questions related to emergency assistance, please contact our Helping Hands Team: Jan Everett ([jeverett53@gmail.com](mailto:jeverett53@gmail.com)), Jane Hogan ([2jhogan@gmail.com](mailto:2jhogan@gmail.com)) or Krista Hellem ([kristahellem@yahoo.com](mailto:kristahellem@yahoo.com)).