

# Sharing the Life of the Church

**THE LORD IS IN HIS HOLY TEMPLE. IF WE ARE QUIET IN GOD'S PRESENCE, WHO KNOWS WHAT MESSAGE WE SHALL HEAR? CHERISH THIS TIME OF WORSHIP AND BE ASSURED THAT YOU ARE WELCOME.**

**Coffee** - Coffee is available in the Harris Room between worship services. If you would like to host a Coffee Hour, sign up outside the Harris Room, or call Joyce Boso at 304-488-1205 for more details.

**Valentine's Day Breakfast** - The Deacons invite one and all to breakfast next Sunday, **February 9, at 9:30** in the Harris Room. Please join them for some wonderful food and fellowship.

**Book Study** - Pastor Annie's book study of Eric Elnes's *Gifts of the Dark Wood* has begun. All are welcome to attend, in the Harris Room at **11:30 a.m.** and also at **6 p.m.** on Wednesdays. See Pastor Annie if you need to obtain a book.

**Souper Bowl of Caring** - We will collect cans of soup (pull tabs only) for local hunger relief efforts through **February 9**. You may leave your donations at the collection point outside the church office.

**Calendar Read-thru: Sunday, February 16** Immediately following 10:30 Worship that day the office staff and church committees will meet in the Harris Room to schedule church events and activities through August. It is imperative that one person from each committee or board be in attendance. That person should bring a list of proposed dates for their committee's events and meeting dates through August. This will assist in communication, scheduling and planning

as we fulfill the ministry and mission of the church. If you have questions, see Pastor Annie or call the office at 304-422-5426.

**Annual Meeting** - The church's Annual Congregational Meeting will be held on **Sunday, March 16**, in the Sanctuary immediately following 10:30 Worship. If you served as a committee chair or board moderator during 2024, you are asked to submit a year-end report, narrative and/or financial, to the church office no later than **Thursday, February 27**. Reports should be submitted electronically via email to: [office@fpcburgwv.org](mailto:office@fpcburgwv.org). If you would like to have a previous report for reference, call the office (304-422-5426) or email, and one will be provided to you. Thank you for getting your reports to us on time so that the meeting packets may be prepared and ready for distribution on March 9. If you have any questions you may contact the church office.

**2025 Per Capita Rate** - The 2025 Per Capita rate is \$30.30 per member, according to the church's membership in the most recently filed statistical report. With the total rate at \$30.30 per member, the Presbytery of West Virginia will keep \$17.46, sending \$10.44 and \$2.40 to the General Assembly and Synod of the Trinity, respectively. If you wish to help offset this expense for the church, make checks payable to the church and write "Per Capita" on the notation line. There are also special offering envelopes for Per Capita on the credenza outside the Sanctuary.

## THIS WEEK AT FPC

### Today, Sunday, February 2 *Communion*

- 9:30 a.m. COMBINED Worship Service - Sanctuary  
Ordination / Installation of Officers  
10:30 a.m. Coffee - Harris Room

### Monday, February 3

- 6:00 p.m. Deacons meet - Room 204  
6:00 p.m. KOM Knitters - Harris Room

### Tuesday, February 4

- 6:00 p.m. Worship/Discipleship Comm. - Harris Room

### Wednesday, February 5

- 11:30 a.m. Book Study - Harris Room  
6:00 p.m. Book Study - Harris Room  
6:00 p.m. Girl Scouts - Room 124

### Thursday, February 6

- 6:00 p.m. Cub Scouts - Room 123  
7:15 p.m. Troop 3 Boy Scouts - Scout House

### Saturday, February 8

- 12:00 p.m. HA Meeting - Room 204

### Sunday, February 9

- 8:30 a.m. Service of Morning Prayer - Chapel  
9:30 a.m. **Valentine's Day Breakfast** - Harris Room  
9:30 a.m. Confirmation Class - Room 201  
10:30 a.m. Service for the Lord's Day - Sanctuary



**Prayer List** – Please remember the following in your prayers:

Richard Hayhurst	Families of plane	Bobby Craig
Doug Anderson	crash victims	Carl Gheen
Dan Sombeck	California fire victims	Ken Stoller
Harriet Litteral	Mary Essenmacher	Ed Ball
Tyler Mackey	Ruth Ann Huddle	Kitty Brown
Derrick Sheppard	Pat & Ann Patterson	Brad Carter
Fleming Family	Homebound Members	Dan Ellis
	Troops – World Peace	