Sharing the Life of the Church

NO MATTER OUR CIRCUMSTANCES, "[OUR] HELP COMES FROM THE LORD, WHO MADE HEAVEN AND EARTH" (PSALM 121:2, NRSV). WE GATHER TO WORSHIP OUR LOVING CREATOR, WELCOME.

Coffee Hour - Join us at 10 a.m. in the Harris Room for light snacks and fellowship. Today's Coffee Hour is hosted by **Becky and Jim McGinnis**.

Lenten Book Study - Pastor Annie has begun a Lenten book study based on Philip Yancey's book What's So Amazing About Grace? If you'd like to attend, let her know. It will be held each Wednesday at 6:30 p.m.

Memorial Service - A memorial service for Jody Kanalz will be held in the Sanctuary on **Saturday, March 18**, with a reception in the Harris Room to follow.

Congregational Meeting - Our annual meeting is scheduled for Sunday, March 19. On that day we will combine both worship services, meeting at 9:30 a.m. in the Sanctuary, and our meeting will follow at 10:30. Please mark your calendars now for this change in our regular schedule.

Snack Drive - The Mission Committee is collecting snack items for Children's Listening Center, Children's Home Society and Family Crisis Intervention Center. Each organization works with children and families during stressful times, and the snacks are used to make everyone feel more comfortable. Check the display outside the Sanctuary for a list of requested items.

Community Easter Egg Hunt - On Saturday, April 1, the Mission Committee

is hosting a community egg hunt at Friendship Park, beginning at 1 p.m. They are asking for donations of plastic eggs, individually-wrapped candy and monetary donations. Donations can be left at the collection point outside the church office.

Volunteer Recognition - The Session will again recognize a church volunteer for the quarter ending March 31. If you'd like to nominate someone for this honor, fill out a Nomination Form (located in the foyer) and return it to the church office no later than **Sunday, April 2.**

Easter Flowers - It's time to order flowers for Easter Sunday worship. If you would like to dedicate a flower in memory or honor of a friend or loved one, fill out the form in today's bulletin and return it with your payment to the offering plate or to the church office no later than Monday, March 27.

Daylight-Saving Time Begins Next Sunday - March 12th

Don't forget to set your clocks ahead one hour so you won't be late for church!

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Hymn writer Augustus Toplady, who penned the classic 18th-century hymn "Rock of Ages," also wrote these words:

My name from the palms of his hands Eternity will not erase Imprest on his heart it remains In marks of indelible grace.

THIS WEEK AT FPC

Sunday, March 5 Second Sunday in Lent / Communion

8:30 a.m. Service of Morning Prayer - Chapel

10:00 a.m. Coffee Hour - Harris Room

10:15 a.m. - Coffee with the Pastor

10:30 a.m. Service for the Lord's Day - Sanctuary

Monday, March 6

6:00 p.m. Deacons' meeting - Room 204 6:00 p.m. KOM Knitters Guild - Harris Room

Wednesday, March 8

5:30 p.m. The Gathering meal - Harris Room

6:30 p.m. Lenten Book Study / Pastor Annie - Room 204B

Seamless Bible study / Amy Rogers - Room 204A

Thursday, March 9

3:00 p.m. Bylaws Committee - Room 204 7:15 p.m. Troop 3 Boy Scouts - Scout House

Saturday, March 11

8:30 a.m. Saturday Stewards - Harris Room

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

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10:00 a.m. Coffee Hour - Harris Room

10:15 a.m. - Coffee with the Pastor

10:30 a.m. Service for the Lord's Day - Sanctuary