

This week at FPC

September 24— September 30, 2020

Big Tent Drive-In Event Stewardship All Saints Day Service

I have changed the name of our tent service to let you know of the three ways you can attend on November 1st at 10:00 am

- Come and bring your own chair and sit inside the tent with your mask on
- Come and bring your own chair and sit or stand outside the tent in the open air
- Stay inside your car and worship on your car radio FM dial (or crack the window)

We want to encourage as many of our members to come as possible! Still, I want you to know that having an outdoor service is a considerable expense for the church. We want to know if this is a viable way for us to worship during the pandemic. Church participation on November 1st will be a factor in whether or not we try this again at Christmas time.

For those unable to attend, we will be recording the service and putting in on YouTube on Sunday afternoon. We will not have our normal weekly broadcast that comes out Saturday afternoon on November 1st, but we will remind of you this as well.

Grace and Peace, Ron

First Presbyterian Church Ocala gives thanks for the life of Howard Tucker who joined the saints of light Sunday, September 20. So we ask that at this time you keep Marilyn her family and friends in your prayers. His funeral will be Sunday, September 27 at 11:00 a.m.



With believers of every time and every place, we rejoice that nothing in life or death can separate us from the love of God in Jesus Christ our Lord.

NOMINATING COMMITTEE LOOKING FOR POTENTIAL ELDERS & DEACONS

It is that time of year again when your Nominating Committee works diligently to find those people who will lead the church into the future as Elders and Deacons. In the July and August editions of The Spire we asked you to suggest persons in our congregation who you felt would be great candidates to become an Elder or Deacon. We ask if you have a suggestion of a person whom you feel would be suitable for one of these offices, please speak to that person first. Find out if they have any interest in being an Elder or a Deacon, and then contact the church office at office@fpcocala.org or you can mail your suggestions to FPC, 511 SE Third Street, Ocala, FL 34471, or drop your envelope into the mail slot at the church. Your Committee will take it from there!

SERMON BY PHONE

The Bible story and sermon by First Presbyterian's ministers is now available each week by calling a local Ocala number. If you can't join us in person, or view YouTube, you may call (352) 342-9814.

New sermons appear each Monday.

PRAYER LIST

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| <p>Claudia Markham-Ahl (recovering from surgery)
 Tom Alles (Peggy Wiechmann's brother)
 The Allsopp family (on the death of Marilyn)
 Jim Bennett (brother of John Bennett)
 Pam Butcher
 Andy Carlisle
 Ella Charnley (on the death of her brother Henry Gibbons)
 Donna Claus (recovering from surgery)
 Shirley Cochran
 Stewart and Diane Edwards
 Bill English (nephew of Pat Bishop)
 Maranell and Hank Fleming (Hank recovering from surgery)
 Ruth Fraser (recovering from shoulder surgery)
 Bill Green (friend of Richard Grosso)
 Barbara Gowie
 Dick Hancock
 Johnie Johnson (son of Tommy Johnson)</p> | <p>Brenda Jones and family
 Marsha Knepp
 Kathy Lance (daughter-in-law of Lois Lance)
 Lois Lance
 Grietje Lewis
 Renate Lipp (friend of Nita William)
 Sandra M (friend of Mary Beth Olsen)
 Celine Mack
 Eric Masterson (brother-in-law of Deb Cone)
 Skip McDonald
 Jessie Moseley
 Christian Myers (friend of Julia Wirono)
 Raul Nieves (brother of Mina DiGeronimo)
 Michael Rou (cousin of Dr. David Albright)
 Marilyn Tucker and the Tucker family (on the death of her husband, Howard)
 Nancy Wells (daughter of Shirley Wells)
 Nancy Wollett
 John Yorlando (recovering from cardiac surgery)</p> |
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Let us remember too in our prayers, the people and churches of the panhandle after the hurricane, and, the people of the west coast among the wildfires.

This Week's Daily Bible Readings

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<i>Sustained by God's Life-Giving Word of Wisdom</i>			Sunday	September 27	Proverbs 14:1-35
Thursday	September 24	Proverbs 8:1-36	Monday	September 28	Proverbs 15:1-33
Friday	September 25	Proverbs 9:1-18	Tuesday	September 29	Proverbs 16:1-33
Saturday	September 26	Proverbs 10:1-32	Wednesday	September 30	Proverbs 17:1-28