

Worship Together

February 02, 2025 11am

*Congregation, please stand.

Please turn off the sound on all electronic devices.

Elementary Sunday School Children will join their families for 11am Worship in the Sanctuary and will be dismissed for Sunday School after the Passing of the Peace, to the Preschool Building, 1st floor.

Pre-Service Music Robert Carpenter, Pianist

Prelude Dr. Kimo Smith, Organist
TBD - TBD

Choral Call to Worship Cathedral Choir
Dr. Ariel Quintana, Conductor
With a Voice of Singing - Martin Shaw

Welcome, Announcements, and Opening Prayer
Elder John Safoyan

***Songs of Praise**
Mighty To Save - Ben Fielding and Reuben Morgan, © 2006 Hillsong Publishing, CCLI Song # 4591782, CCLI License # 30110

Jesus Paid It All - Alex Nifong, Elvina M. Hall, John Thomas Grape, © 2006 Pay Me Please Publishing | sixsteps Music | w orshiptogether.com songs, CCLI Song # 4689508, CCLI License # 30110

Prayer of Confession/Assurance of Pardon Elder John Safoyan
Our God, we praise You for the being the God of Truth. By Your very nature, You determine what is right and wrong, what is real and what is fake, what is the truth and what is a lie. You call us to be like Yourself – that there would be no difference between our words and actions. Please forgive us for those times when we have not been honest. Please forgive us for those times when we have misled others or when we have tried to cover up the things we should not have done. Help us not to deceive ourselves, but to admit where we have failed, and where we need Your grace and Your mercy. Amen.

Choral Prayer Response Cathedral Choir
What a Wonderful Savior - Elisha Hoffman

Introduction of New Members Elder John Safoyan

The Sacrament of Baptism Rev. Dr. Clark Cowden

Tithes & Offerings Elder John Safoyan

Offertory Cathedral Choir
Jesus Paid It All - Elvina M. Hall

***Doxology**

***Scripture Reading** Toni Deaver, Actors Co-Op
Luke 19:1-10 page 849 in the pew Bible

***Passing of the Peace** Toni Deaver
(The children are dismissed at this time to go to their Sunday School classes)

Sermon Rev. Dr. Clark Cowden
"Jesus and the Cost to Save the Lost"
Luke 19:1-10

***The Sacrament of The Lord's Supper** Rev. Dr. Clark Cowden
Hymn #567 *Here, O My Lord, I see Thee Face to Face*
Verses 1, 2 & 4

***Benediction** Rev. Dr. Clark Cowden

Postlude Dr. Kimo Smith, Organist
TBD - TBD

Please remain seated during the Postlude.
Elders and Deacons are available for prayer after the Service.

Sermon Notes

Sunday Bible Classes & Fellowship

***Coffee Time**
Sundays at 10:30am, outside Wylie Chapel Booth.

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***Christian Education Director Terri Knox**
Email: tknox@fpch.org, or call direct: (323) 606-5213

***Reaching for the SON – Sunday School Times**
Nursery Hours 9:30am-12:15pm
Preschool/Kindergarten Sunday School 11:00am-12:15pm
The Elementary Sunday School students start in the 11am worship service and then are dismissed to their class at the "Passing of the Peace".
Kids Connect (preschool - elementary) meets from 9:30-10:00am
The elementary Children's Choir meets from 10:00-10:40am

***Jr. High & High School Students** (Youth Group) meets Sundays, 9:30-10:45am; Middle Terrace. Email Richard Gomez: Rgomez@fpch.org

***City Lights** (FPCH Young Adults) meets every Sunday @ 12:20-1:30pm in the Studio (top floor-Grey Missions house behind the Sanctuary)
Email Terri Knox for more information: tknox@fpch.org

***Berean Bible Study** taught by Elders Jesse Corti and John Safoyan for everyone in Mears 1 & 2, at 9:15am, with bagels & coffee and Thursdays at 7pm through Zoom. Email: jsafoyan@gmail.com

***Mariners** meets Sundays 9:30am in Mears 3 & 4 Email Elder Tom Clark: Thomas_clark_98@yahoo.com

***Prayer Gathering** a sacred and joyful time of prayer, Wednesdays at 7pm over Zoom. Email Tom Hartshorn: thartshorn@fpch.org

***Women's Bible Study** for all women of FPCH. The Women's Bible Study is on Wednesdays, 9:30-11am through Zoom. Email Elder Andrea Knox: andrea1knox@gmail.com

***Women's Book Club** meets 7:00pm on Zoom, for more information: Email: wandaaa@pacbell.net

""The Bridge"" Taught by Elder Julietta Corti.
Training in the Essentials Doctrines of Christian Faith
Sundays at 9:15am in Mears 4
This class is for:
**New Christians who took "The Alpha Course"
**New Members who haven't attended a Bible Study at FPCH
**Long Time Members who wish to refresh or share their faith in a cogent and thoughtful way and gain a solid Biblical Foundation. This will help them "Bridge" to any more advanced Bible Study Classes at FPCH.

SUNDAY PREACHING SCHEDULE

February 2 – Jesus and the Cost to Save the Lost, Luke 19:1-10

February 9 – Love the City, Jeremiah 29:4-14

February 16 – Jesus: You are the Spice of Life,

Matthew 5:13-16

Ordinary Time

Theme: Ordinary time is not “plain, boring time,” but rather “counted” time. Different traditions include many celebrations during ordinary time, such as Trinity Sunday, Christ the King Sunday, All Saints Day, and so forth. The themes of ordinary time include the basic elements of the Christian life.

When: Times during the year when there is not a special day or season. Ordinary time begins the day after Epiphany and extends until the day before Lent (Mardi Gras, Fat Tuesday). Ordinary time begins again after Pentecost, extending until the day before Advent.

Meaning of the Color Green: For Life and Growth.

Thanks to Rev. Dr. Mark D. Roberts, Senior Strategist, Max De Pree Center for Leadership and has article on “**The Christian Year: An Introduction**”



We believe God is calling us to be a praying and worshipping community in the city. Trusting in God’s grace, centered on Jesus Christ, and equipped by the Holy Spirit, we desire to proclaim the good news of Christ with our words and lives. We want to be a blessing to our community and the world.

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Announcements

The Lord’s Supper will be served Sunday, February 2nd.

***Annual Congregational Meeting – Right after the service today**, we will have our Annual Congregational Meeting. This is a time to review our ministries, events, activities, and finances from the past year. It is a time to rejoice at what God has doing in our midst. The meeting will begin right after the worship service. Please plan to stay and learn more about the life of our church.

***Young Professionals Network Bible Study - Today after service**, is the last week of the Young Professionals Network Bible Study. This is a four-week pilot project that will meet after worship, over lunch, starting at **12:30 pm in the Mears Center**. Please see Sheena Devadoss or Terri Knox for more information.

***Winter Refuge Shelter** - Our Winter Refuge Shelter is now open from **January 13 to March 21**. If you’re interested in serving with guests, share a meal or an activity, please contact Rev. Amie Quigley at aquigley@fpch.org or at 323-606-5270

***Wednesday Night Bible Study** - Our Wednesday night Bible study in the book of James continues this week. This will be a five-week series to look at some practical ways to live out our faith. It will meet from **7:00 – 8:15 pm in Mears 1 and 2**. You are also welcome to come for a **potluck meal at 6:00 pm**.

***The Children’s Library** - OPEN upstairs in the preschool Building. Books are available for children and adults. Open 10:15-11:00am and 12:15-1:00pm Sundays.

***Sanctuary Flowers** – Donate in memory or commemorate a special event. Worship Office 323-606-5227.

***Musicians/Praise Band/Choir/Instrumentalist**

Contact Mary Whittemore in the music office for more information: 323-606-5216, mewhitt@hotmail.com

Carol/Sonshine Choir (Pre-K-5th) Mrs. Walsh:

tow@sonshinemusic.com

Heaven Bound/Teen Bells (6th-12th) Mrs. Pachalian:

mbelen34@hotmail.com



Luke 19:1-10 NIV

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