

## About Us

First Presbyterian Church in Derby is a place where people can meet Jesus, engage in life-giving community, and everyone is welcome to come and hear the true Word of God. We believe in creating a space where people can have authentic encounters with Christ, discover their gifts and use them for God's glory.

## OUR MISSION STATEMENT

*Christ's church in the community,  
for the community, serving the community*

## VISITOR INFORMATION

### Kafe Keating

Join us every Sunday morning between our two services in the Fellowship hall. This is a great opportunity to chat and meet new people. We'd love for you to stop by so we can get to know you!

### Wednesday Night Dinners

The Fellowship Ministry will be preparing and serving dinner on the

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**Our Military and First Responders:** Craig Burney, Tyler Davis, Logan Denis, son of Sandy and Brian Denis, Eric DePriest, Sierra Dopfel, Nathan Franey, Jasmine Florio, Abby Kersting, Nickolaus Kersting, Adam Mark, Jesse Mark, Eric Schumacher, Quinten White.

**First Responders:** Ken Evans-Police Department, Andrew Herring-Fire Department, Abe Kersting-Fire Department, Will Sawhill-Fire Department, Adam Wiley-EMS and our Derby PD/FD.

## WEEKLY EVENTS

### Sunday, November 27

9:00am Traditional Service  
10:15am Sunday School  
11:15am Contemp. Service  
11:30am Blood Drive

### Monday, November 28

1-4:00pm Youth Rms Resv.  
4:00pm eBell articles due  
5-10:00pm Kitchen/FH Res.

### Tuesday, November 29

7:30pm College/YA Class

### Wednesday, November 30

3:30pm H.O.W  
5:30pm YoFam  
6:00pm KidFam Rehearsal  
6:30pm Bible Study  
6:45pm Choir Practice

### Thursday, December 1

10:00am Sew Thankful

Saturday, December 3  
7:30am-12:00pm Kit/FH Res.  
1:-6:00pm Kitchen Res.

### Sunday, December 4

9:00am Traditional Service  
10:15am Sunday School  
11:15am Contemp. Service

## Prayer Requests

Tom Davidson  
Gary Evans  
Lana Schlegel  
Randy Watkins

## Preparing Our Hearts

### Gathering for Worship

"They saw him from a distance, and before he came near to them, they conspired to kill him." Gen. 37:18

### Worship Song

*With Lifted Hands*

### Children's Message

### Advent Candle

Aj & Lana Schlegel

### Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

Lord, today we begin a season of preparation. We want to make ready our hearts for Your coming. We must confess, however, that we are so intent on celebrating Your Advent so long ago, and speculating on when You will return, that we forget You are ready to come to us now. Forgive our blindness, awaken us to Your presence, and come into our hearts now, Lord Jesus.

### Worship Song

*Lord I Need You*

### Scripture Reading

Genesis 37:12-28

### Message

"Hope"

Pastor Ben

### Worship Song

*Christmas Day*

Commission "...but store up for yourselves treasures in heaven, where neither moth nor rust consumes and where thieves do not break in and steal." Matthew 6:20

## Continue Healing & Strength

Betty Gutzmer Interim Hospice at home, Eldon & Esther Kater, Lola Fritzler-Homestead, Colleen Hamlett-Homestead, Edith Powell-Fountainview, Rose Hill, Darlen Rose-Homestead, Lillian Roles-Derby Assisted Living.


KIDFAM & YOFAM UNITE  
TO PRESENT

# KIDFAM CHRISTMAS PROGRAM

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 11  
4:00PM  
FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH  
324 BALTIMORE

*\*LIGHT REFRESHMENTS TO FOLLOW\**

Reminder:  
Next eBell  
Deadline, Monday  
November 28  
at 4:00pm



BLOOD *Drive*

*Nov. 27*

*11:30a-4:30p*

## Happy Birthday!

Oswald Nicholson	11/26
AnnElise Irick	11/28
Abe Herring	11/29
Greg Parson	12/01
Levi Preedy	12/03

Happy Anniversary to  
Matt & Misty VanBoening 12/1/12

-----Join us in prayer-----  
Adoration--Confession--  
Thanksgiving—Supplication

Mondays 8:30pm

Zoom Meeting id: 569 717 8645

Passcode: 851760

**PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN:Christmas Tins**

For many years during the Advent/ Christmas season, Derby Presbyterian Women have prepared and delivered tins of goodies to our shut-ins, church staff and those who have experienced the death of an immediate family member in the current year.

We will be filling the tins beginning at 9:30 a.m. on Thursday, December 8<sup>th</sup> and ask that your donations be delivered to the church kitchen any time from Sunday, December 5<sup>th</sup> through Wednesday, December 7<sup>th</sup>. Place them on the kitchen counter with a "PW tins" note on the container.



*First*  
**PRESBYTERIAN**  
*Church*

DERBY, KANSAS

November 27, 2022



# Welcome to Worship