



#### **Each Sunday Morning:**

**9:00 a.m.** – Prayer on the Patio in-person with Pastor Kennedy

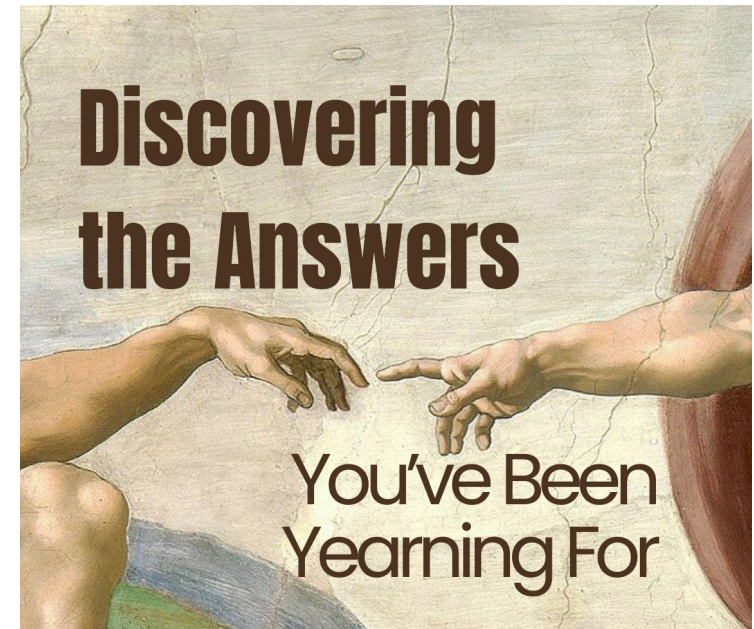
**10:15 a.m.** – In-person & Live Streaming of Worship Service

#### **Each Wednesday Evening:**

**4:00 p.m.** – Experience a serene moment of prayer and connection in our Sanctuary. Feel free to drop by anytime between 4 – 7 p.m. to pray, find solace, or receive the blessing of prayer from our community.

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**2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday after Christmas**

**January 18<sup>th</sup>, 2025**

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**Welcome to our Worship Service!**  
**We are so glad you are here!**

**Web: [FPCOH.org](https://FPCOH.org)**

## WELCOME & CALL TO REFLECTION

### PRAYER OF TRANSFORMATION

#### Praise and Worship

Join us in song

*Lyrics on screen*

1. Joyful, joyful, we adore Thee. 2. Great Are You, Lord.
3. Shine, Jesus, Shine. 4. As the Deer. 5. Our God Is an Awesome God.
6. God Is So Good.

### PRAYER FOR FORGIVENESS

#### A TIME OF SILENCE

### ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

*Baptism of Dan Vidal and his son, Adrian Vidal*

#### Open Our Eyes Lord

Open our eyes, Lord, we want to see Jesus, to reach out and touch Him,  
And say that we love Him. Open our ears, Lord, and help us to listen;  
Open our eyes, Lord, we want to see Jesus.

### THE NEWS OF THE COMMUNITY

Solo – Lord, Here am I

John Ness Beck

Randy Zinkus, Soloist

#### PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

Kennedy M. McGowan

Discovering the Answers You've Been Yearning For  
**The Freedom You Need Most**

#### SCRIPTURE READING – Genesis 3:8-21 (NRSV version)

*Scripture on screen.*

#### HE LORD'S PRAYER – Debtors version

OUR FATHER, WHO ART IN HEAVEN, HALLOWED BE THY NAME.  
THY KINGDOM COME, THY WILL BE DONE, ON EARTH AS IT IS IN HEAVEN.  
GIVE US THIS DAY OUR DAILY BREAD. FORGIVE US OUR DEBTS,  
AS WE FORGIVE OUR DEBTORS. LEAD US NOT INTO TEMPTATION.  
BUT DELIVER US FROM EVIL. FOR THINE IS THE KINGDOM,  
THE POWER AND THE GLORY FOREVER. AMEN.

## INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN STEWARDSHIP

Donations in support of the ministries of First Presbyterian Church  
may be made on-line through our website: [FPCOH.org](http://FPCOH.org) or in our app.

Find the link and QR Code on the insert of this bulletin.

You may also mail a check to:

**First Presbyterian Church, 1530 Hollywood Blvd,  
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#### Offertory – There is a Happy Land

George Shearing

#### OFFERING OF PRAYER

Adapted from the composer Brian Wren, b. 1936

Great God, your love has called us here  
as we, by love, for love were made.  
Your living likeness still we bear,  
Though marred, dishonored, disobeyed.  
We come, with all our heart and mind,  
your call to hear, your love to find.  
In your blessed name we pray. Amen.

#### HYMN – O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing

Hymn #466

*Verses 1 – 4*

#### Congregational Benediction

Doxology

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise Him all creatures here below;  
Praise Him above ye heavenly host;  
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

## CHARGE AND BLESSING

#### POSTLUDE – I Sing the Mighty Power of God

Albert L. Travis





## Events & Announcements

### Friday at First Carnival, January 23rd!

Savor global flavors from Mardi Gras to Brazil & the Caribbean. Join us to explore faith and fun in a whole new way!

### Souper Bowl, February 8th

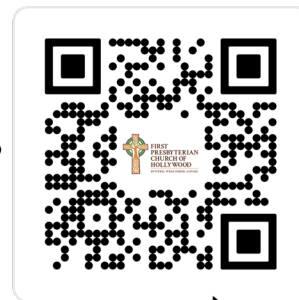
Join us for our annual Souper Bowl on Sunday, February 8th after the 10:15 service! Enter your best soup for a chance to win a \$50 Whole Foods gift card — or come taste and vote for your favorites. Sampling is free, and you can purchase as many votes as you like. Every dollar raised supports our local food pantry. Bring a friend, your appetite, and let's make a difference together!

## WELCOME VISITORS!

It is our hope that you will feel invited, welcomed, and loved as you worship with us! First Presbyterian Church is a family of faith committed to inviting and welcoming everyone into God's amazing love! For information, visit us on our website at: [FPCOH.org](http://FPCOH.org)

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### Women's Bible Study

**Sunday Morning's at 9 - 10 a.m.** – Jump right in and join us for an expository style study of the Gospels in chronological order. We take our time to understand the scriptures and to find the life application of Jesus' words and ministry. Come as you are, we provide refreshments and bibles. Located in the upstairs conference room at the end of the hall.

We'll see you there! Ages 13+

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