

For the righteous will never be moved; they will be remembered forever. They are not afraid of evil tidings; their hearts are firm, secure in the Lord. Their hearts are steady; they will not be afraid; in the end they will look in triumph on their foes.

They have distributed freely; they have given to the poor; their righteousness endures forever; their horn is exalted in honor.

Hymn *Praise Ye the Lord, the Almighty - #482*

Prayer of Confession

The more we know God's holiness, the more we can sense our distance from our Creator. With humble hearts, let us confess our brokenness, our selfishness and our sin.

Gracious God, we confess that it is harder to do than we expected, this life of faith. You call us to be salt of the earth and to live lives of righteousness and love. But our lives become busy. Following what others do is just easier. And sometimes the cost for doing what is right seems too high. One day, perhaps, we will commit more fully, but the status quo works better for us right now. Forgive us, we pray. Startle our senses and disrupt our routines. Renew in us the passion for doing what is right in your eyes and inspire us to be sources of your light in the world. May we, like the prophets and the saints, act by faith no matter how high the cost.

Take a moment for silent personal confession and reflection.

Assurance of Pardon

God hears us, knows us, and still God's love and grace comes to us. Through Christ our sins are forgiven, and we have new life. **Thanks be to God! Amen.**

Today

Adult Sunday School – 11:30am in Calvin Lounge (and on Zoom). This week is a review & discussion of a 24-lecture Great Courses course on The City of God. Join Zoom with Meeting ID: 831 6855 5529, [click here](#), or scan the QR Code:



Worship Next Sunday will be at 10am (also available online on our Facebook page, website, app, and YouTube channel).

Upcoming

Lunch with Pastor Alan – tomorrow (Monday) at noon in the library.

Priscilla Circle – Monday, February 9th at 11:30am in Calvin Lounge. All women are welcome to come and discuss chapter 6 in our study book. You may bring a lunch.

Thursday Bible Study – February 12th. Join Zoom with Meeting ID: 858 8957 8184, [click here](#), or scan the QR Code:



Men's Breakfast – Saturday, February 14th at 8:30am in Stocker Hall. All men are invited to attend this time of fellowship and Bible study.

Scrabble – February 18th at 1:00pm in Westminster Hall. The north door will be open from 12:50pm to 1:00pm.

Announcements

Join the Choir!

Calling all singers, past and present, to join the choir. Rehearsal is on Sundays from 11:15 am to 12:45 pm. The choir is open to all people who want to grow in their faith and lead our congregation in glorifying God. If you have questions, please talk with Lorilee, our Director of Music Ministry, for more information.

Lay Leadership

On Sundays, we are blessed to have wonderful people guide us in worship through the leading of the call to worship, prayer of confession, and other parts of our service. If you'd like to be added to this list to lead, please talk with Pastor Alan or scan his QR Code. No experience necessary, just a willing and open heart.



"The Choppers Brass Quintet"



Sunday, February 15 – 3:00 PM

Everett First Presbyterian Church

Admission by suggested donation at the door:
General : \$20 - Senior/Military: \$15 - Students 14 older: \$5
or donate as you wish. Everyone is welcome.

www.portgardnermusic.org

Concert Sponsor: Worship Music Consultants

Calling New Members

Are you interested in joining the First Presbyterian Church of Everett? Want to learn more about our congregation and our organizational structure? We want membership to be accessible, fun, and a way to deepen your faith. If this seems like where you are and what you'd like to explore, then scan Pastor Alan's QR Code or talk with Pastor Alan.

Catch a Sunday Worship Rerun

Did you know that our Sunday worship services are recorded? You can watch past worship services on our FPCE website, mobile app, YouTube channel, and Facebook page. Links to all these channels can be found on our website at: www.firstpreschurch.com.





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Wednesday

SUPPER & SERVICE

"Remember that you are dust,
and to dust you shall return"

FEBRUARY 18, 2026

Simple Supper:

5:30 pm

Worship:

7:00 pm

2936 Rockefeller Ave.
Everett, WA 98201

Please Pray for...

Bill Grosse's memorial is March 14th at 3:00 pm. Please keep **Sarah, Sharon, and Suzanne** in your prayers.

Janet Kelly's memorial is April 4th at 2:00 pm. Please keep her family in your prayers.

Alan Villesvik, who has difficulty swallowing and is now on a liquid diet. Prayers for continued strength and energy.

Jean Kanter, for God's healing, happiness and protection.

Jaden, nephew of Ben & Dezi, who has been diagnosed with leukemia. Pray for healing and peace.