

## Adult Ministries

**Contact:** Pastor Liz – 760-757-3560x128

**Women's Bible Study** meets on Wednesday at 9:15 a.m. in the Fireside Room. Feel free to drop in as your schedule permits. For more information contact Pastor Liz at [ewilson@fpcceanside.org](mailto:ewilson@fpcceanside.org).

**Men's Bible Study** meets on Tuesday at 7:00 a.m. in Fellowship Hall. For more information, contact Bill Wagner at 760-643-1830.

**Presbyterian Women** is a national organization of the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.).

- **Circles** meet monthly for Bible Study from September through May on the second Tuesday morning.
- **Craft Group** meets from January through October on the fourth Friday of each month at 10:00 a.m. in Fellowship Hall.
- **Mission Stitches** meets on the first Saturday of each month at 10:00 a.m. in the Fireside Room to make warm items for mission organizations the church supports. Contact Maggy Johnson at 760-696-3678 or email [maggyj42@gmail.com](mailto:maggyj42@gmail.com).
- **Presbyterian Women's Gift Card Fundraiser: Gift Cards and Scrip** are now available **every Sunday** in Fellowship Hall. They make great birthday and special event gifts! Presbyterian Women make between 4% and 12% on each sale and all profits benefit upcoming church projects.

All women are invited.

For more information about Presbyterian Women, call Dorothy Bain at 760-231-6940.

## Belong

**Stephen Ministers** are ready to care for you! Stephen Ministers provide confidential, one-on-one Christian care to people who are experiencing a difficult time. For more information, contact Wanda Downer at 760-941-2841 or [bdowner@cox.net](mailto:bdowner@cox.net) or Pastor Liz at [ewilson@fpcceanside.org](mailto:ewilson@fpcceanside.org) or the Church Office.

**Calvin's Coffeehouse:** Join us each Sunday from 10:00 a.m.–12:00 noon for beverages in Fellowship Hall (east of the Sanctuary).

**Homebound Communion:** If you know of anyone who would like Communion at home, please call the Church Office at 760-757-3560. Thank you.

**Feeling Fit Club - It's Time to Get Moving:** This free exercise program meets every Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 9:00-10:00 a.m. in the Gym and is for active older adults & seniors. Exercises are designed to strengthen major muscle groups. In addition, this program will help to educate participants about the benefits of exercise, health and fitness. Please note that those with canes or in wheelchairs are welcome to participate.

## The Preschool

Our purpose is to serve the needs of young children and those responsible for their growth within a Christian setting. The first five years are the most formative ones in your child's entire development. Our curriculum is designed to meet the needs of children's developmental differences. We encourage your child to explore, to ask questions, to be creative and to make choices and decisions. We offer an environment in which your child will feel secure to practice social skills and to learn to solve conflicts constructively.



## Preschool Contacts

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## Contacts, Deadlines, etc.

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**After-Hours Pastoral Emergency:** Call the Church Office and press 5.

**Find Us on Facebook:** Go to [www.fpcceanside.org](http://www.fpcceanside.org) and click on the Facebook icon in the upper right.

**Visit our website at** [www.fpcceanside.org](http://www.fpcceanside.org).

## Publication Deadlines

**Send all requests to** [khillman@fpcceanside.org](mailto:khillman@fpcceanside.org).

**Weekly Announcements:** Monday at 9:00 a.m., for publication the following Sunday.

**Monthly Email Newsletter:** Please submit all articles for the email newsletter by the 25th of the previous month. To subscribe, send an email to [khillman@fpcceanside.org](mailto:khillman@fpcceanside.org).

**Website:** Articles should be concise and require a two-week lead time.

**All other publications** require a two-week lead time.

## Church Office Hours

**Monday–Thursday:** 9:00 a.m.–5:00 p.m.

## What's Happening at First Pres Spring 2017

At First Presbyterian Church we seek to be fully devoted followers of Jesus and to bless our community in the name of Christ.

We are a community of believers who encourage one another to:

**Worship:** Honor and connect with God

**Service:** Participate in God's ministry

**Mission:** Represent God as ambassadors of Christ

**Spiritual Growth:** Become more like Jesus

**Belong:** Care for each other

## First Presbyterian Church

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For information about our Preschool Program, see page 7.

## Special Events

Check the weekly bulletin, the church website and calendar for more information.

**Lenten Series & Potluck:** Wednesday, March 8, 15, 22, 29 & April 5 at 6:00 p.m. in Fellowship Hall

**Eyes Wide Open Youth Chapel:** Saturday, April 1 & May 6 at 7:00 p.m. in the Sanctuary

**Family Movie Night:** Saturday, April 8 & May 13 at 5:00 p.m. in Fellowship Hall

**Palm Sunday:** April 9; services at 9:00 and 10:30 a.m. in the Sanctuary; Children's Palm Branch Processional at both services

**Stations of the Cross:** Monday, April 10-Friday, April 14 in Fellowship Hall

**Good Friday Worship Service:** April 14 at 7:00 p.m. in the Sanctuary

**Easter Sunday:** April 16; services at 9:00 and 10:30 a.m. in the Sanctuary; Egg Hunt for the kids after both services

**Biola University Choral Concert:** Saturday, April 22 at 7:00 p.m. in the Sanctuary

**Annual Youth Rummage Sale:** Saturday, April 29 from 7:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m. in the Gym

**Spiritual Gifts Workshop:** Wednesday, May 3 & 10 from 6:30-8:30 p.m. in Fellowship Hall

**AGO Organ Recital:** Sunday, May 7 in the Sanctuary

**Congregational Meeting:** Sunday, May 14 at 10:00 a.m. in the Sanctuary

**Inquirer's Class:** Sunday, May 21 at 10:30 a.m. in Fellowship Hall

## Worship

**Contemporary Worship Service:** Sundays at 9:00 a.m. in the Sanctuary. This service features music from many of today's contemporary Christian artists with the same message as the traditional service.

**Traditional Worship Service:** Sundays at 10:30 a.m. in the Sanctuary. Our Traditional Service includes hymns, the chancel choir, organ music, confessions and liturgy.

**Childcare** is available at both services for children two and under in the Crib Room.

**Sunday School for Preschool through 5th Grade:** See **Families with Children** under **Spiritual Growth**.

**Sunday's service is available on CD** at no charge. Please fill out a form in the Church Office. Or you can listen to the sermon online - visit our website at [www.fpcoceanside.org](http://www.fpcoceanside.org).

## Music in Worship

**Chancel Choir:** (High School-Adult) The Chancel Choir sings traditional choral music at the 10:30 service. Rehearsals are Thursdays from 7:00-9:00 p.m. in the Choir Room. For more information, contact Robert Larson at 760-757-3560x122 or [rlarson@fpcoceanside.org](mailto:rlarson@fpcoceanside.org).

## Service

**Hospitalizations:** Please let the Church Office know whenever anyone in our church family is in the hospital. The pastors would like to visit them.

**First Saturday Work Party:** Join us the first Saturday of each month at 8:00 a.m. to work around the church on various projects. Contact Brian Maynard at 760-941-5706 or [brimormaynard@cox.net](mailto:brimormaynard@cox.net) for more information.

## Mission

**Contact:** Gail Lynn – [missions@fpcoceanside.org](mailto:missions@fpcoceanside.org)  
For a complete list of our Mission Projects visit [fpcoceanside.org](http://fpcoceanside.org) → **Our Ministries** → **Mission**.

**Join the Mission Ministry Team:** We would love to have you participate in ministry with us. The team meets on the first Tuesday of every month at 6:30 p.m. in the Conference Room.

**Meals with a Message** meets every Friday from 6:30-8:30 p.m. in the Gym. Everyone is welcome for a free meal and a short message of hope to those in need. For more information or to volunteer, contact Becky at [cadwalladerb@gmail.com](mailto:cadwalladerb@gmail.com).

**Women's Resource Center:** Help build self-esteem for battered women. Donate unused blush, mascara, eye pencils, base make-up, eye shadow or make-up remover to women starting over at the Women's Resource Center. A basket is located in the Lobby.

**Brother Benno's** is non-denominational and 100% volunteer staffed (all donations go to the poor). They need new ladies' socks, women's hygiene items (pads and tampons), non-alcoholic mouthwash, baby powder & shampoo, disposable razors, diapers, new ladies underwear (size small).. A collection basket is located in the Lobby.

**Food Drive on the First Sunday of each month:** A grocery bag is available on the last Sunday. Return it the next Sunday with food items for Interfaith Community Services. A list of items you can donate is printed on the bag. Thank you for helping to feed the hungry in Oceanside!

**Open Door San Diego: Make a Home for Homeless Veterans.** First Presbyterian, in partnership with the Open Door San Diego, the City of Oceanside and nine other churches is doing our part to help end chronic homelessness for veterans. Our church has been asked to collect **NEW personal care items** for newly placed clients when they receive housing. See the list of items we are collecting on the basket marked **Veteran's Personal Care Items** in the Lobby. Gently used or new housewares and furniture can be dropped at St. John's Missionary Baptist Church the second and fourth Tuesday of the month from 1:00-4:00 p.m. For more information contact Pastor Liz at [ewilson@fpcoceanside.org](mailto:ewilson@fpcoceanside.org).

## Spiritual Growth Families with Children

**Contact:** Amber Montulli – 760-757-3560x101 or [amontulli@fpcoceanside.org](mailto:amontulli@fpcoceanside.org)  
[www.fpcoceanside.org/children](http://www.fpcoceanside.org/children)  
[www.facebook.com/firstpresocceansidechildren/](http://www.facebook.com/firstpresocceansidechildren/)

**Sunday School for Preschool through 5th Grade:**

**At 9:00 a.m.** children begin worship with their families. Following the Children's Time they are escorted to Sunday School in Rooms 105 & 106.  
**At the 10:30 a.m. service** children are invited to Rooms 105 & 106 for Sunday School.

**Mothers of Preschoolers:** MOPS International is dedicated to meeting the needs of every mother of preschoolers. Childcare is available.

• **The Morning Group** meets on the first and third Thursdays of each month at 9:15 a.m. in the Fireside Room. Contact Pastor Liz at 760-757-3560x128 or [ewilson@fpcoceanside.org](mailto:ewilson@fpcoceanside.org).

• **The Evening Group** meets on the third Thursday of each month at 6:00 p.m. in the Fireside Room. Contact Amber Montulli at 760-757-3560x101 or [amontulli@fpcoceanside.org](mailto:amontulli@fpcoceanside.org).

## Student Ministries

**Contact:** Ashley Masindet – 760-940-0622  
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**Student Ministries Sunday School** meets in Room 101 each Sunday during both services. The Youth remain in worship on the first Sunday of each month.

**FPC Middle School Youth Group** meets on Wednesday (except holidays) from 6:45 - 8:45 p.m. in the Student Ministries Lounge and Gym.

**Senior High Young Life Club:** First Presbyterian partners with **Young Life** for our ministries with Senior High. Young Life meets at Generation Church at 1106 Whalley St. in Oceanside on Monday from 7:17-8:45 p.m.

**Made Alive College Group:** Meets on the second Tuesday in Room 101 at 6:00 p.m. For more information, contact Becky Cadwallader at 760-707-3842 or [cadwalladerb@gmail.com](mailto:cadwalladerb@gmail.com)

**Eyes Wide Open – Youth Chapel:** Join us on the first Saturday of each month from 6:00 - 7:30 p.m. in the Sanctuary.