



FIRST NEWS

Building Faith, Changing Lives, Sharing Christ

The March Toward Easter *Setting an Example*

Conrad Sharps is my friend, colleague, and mentor in ministry. He once wrote an article on the need for Christians to remember that we are responsible to "set an example" for others. The article began with this story of a little boy late for Sunday School.

A little boy was late for Sunday school one day. His teacher, seeing him slip in quietly, asked him why he was late. The youth pawed at the ground for just a moment, uncertain he should answer. Finally, he looked up and blurted out, "I started to go fishing, but my Dad wouldn't let me."

The teacher smiled and said, "That's great, your father was right in not letting you go fishing. Did he tell you why?" "Oh, yes, ma'am," said the son. "He didn't think there was enough bait for the two of us."

This is too often a familiar story. The example we set is often not the example we should set. It is more important than ever for Christians to set clear and faithful examples. Children know poor examples when they see them. Adults clearly know poor examples when they see them. We know in our own hearts, when we are living lives that are not exemplary of our faith.

February 18th is Ash Wednesday, the beginning of the season of Lent which guides us to the celebration of the Resurrection of Jesus, Easter. This Lent we need to ask ourselves some questions:

- When was the last time a child or an adult saw us pause for prayer?
- When was the last time a child or an adult has seen us taking an active lead in the ministry of the church?
- When was the last time someone saw us serving in a role of compassion and mercy and forgiveness?
- When was the last time we lived out the Christian faith as an example to others?

In the world in which we live, others learn the power of the faith through the example of others. I learned to build model airplanes by watching my father build model airplanes. I learned to bake biscuits by watching my mother bake biscuits. I learned the example of the Christian life by watching them both! They demonstrated how it was done!

This Lenten season, as we are led to the power of the Resurrection, let us remember, as those who follow Jesus, we are to emulate His love and we are to be examples of His love to the world, our world! Join our devotion of "example" this Lenten season!

May God bless!
Sincerely,
Pastor Tim

YOU ARE INVITED TO A

25 Year Celebration Dinner

Honoring Dr. Tim and Stephanie Womack

Sunday, March 8, 2026

4:00 pm - 8:00 pm in McAfee Hall

Complimentary Dinner, Live Entertainment,
Scheduled Program Presentation

Limited Seating

RSVP by February 15, 2026

lisaj@firstpresvero.org

772-562-9088



Optional Love Offering - Contact Kimberly Ball

First Presbyterian Church of Vero Beach
520 Royal Palm Blvd., Vero Beach, FL 32960

New Sanctuary Fund

The Interior Design Team has been working on the new Sanctuary for over a year and a half. This diverse group has made careful selections on finishes and made and proposals to the Facilities Development Committee for approval into drawings. Some of the more notable changes from the original architect's proposal include:

- Development of an open two-story Narthex with Dalle de Verre up top to save half of the Dalle that was proposed by the architect to be stored. (Original proposal was a one-story Narthex with a stairwell in the front corner.)
- Placement of the large Dalle de Verre windows in the Sanctuary instead of the Narthex.
- Carpet in the Narthex instead of ceramic tile to reduce noise and a slip hazard.
- Terrazzo tiling placed under seating instead of polished concrete and terrazzo flooring instead of the originally proposed maple Chancel platform. The terrazzo is similar to what was in the old Sanctuary under seating and the Chancel platform.
- A full-size Chancel platform instead of a stowable temporary front. Shortening the main platform stairs to make room for placement of the Communion table. Added an accessibility ramp for choir members and musical instruments.
- ADA compliance was achieved by specifying level flooring, an outdoor wheelchair ramp, and automatic door openers. (Churches are not required to be ADA compliant and these features were not in the original plan.)
- The Audio, Visual and Lighting control booth was relocated over the vestibule entrance instead of taking up floor space in the Breakout Room.
- The Women's restroom was moved closer to the Bridal Make-up room.
- Following suggestions from the congregation, these ideas were refined:
 - Diversified seating profiles in the sanctuary with additional seat padding.
 - A full kitchen in the Breakout room with a curtain to cover it during services.
 - A nearby storage pantry was added for the kitchen / Breakout room.

It is an exciting time for all of us at First Presbyterian Church to see the start of building the new Sanctuary! Thank you for your contributions to the capital campaign.

- Mike Snyder



Interior Design Team

Front row - Raleighine Hoppe, Holly LoGudice;
Back row - Jerry Garrett, Mike Snyder, Jacob Craig.



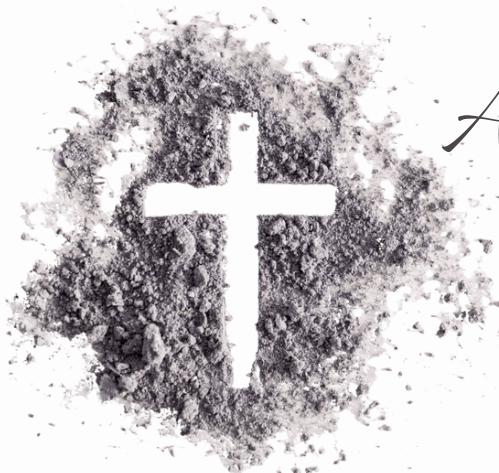
CONTACT Your New Sanctuary Awaits Capital Fund Committee Officers

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Worship



Ash Wednesday Service

February 18, 2026
7:00 PM

Communion & Imposition of Ashes
McAfee Hall

Con Brio String Quartet

Please join us Sunday, February 22, 2026
4:00 PM
McAfee Hall

Admission is free, \$10 suggested donation



SENIOR RESOURCE ASSOCIATION FOUNDATION

Presents the Silver Tones Valentine's Concert

**THURSDAY
FEBRUARY 12
10 am / 6 pm**

No charge. Donations welcomed.
Proceeds benefit essential support for seniors
such as Senior Resource Association's Day
Away and Meals on Wheels programs.

Senior Resource
ASSOCIATION FOUNDATION

First Presbyterian Church
520 Royal Palm Blvd
Vero Beach, FL 32960

2026 Lenten Devotional Discipleship in a Divided Age; A Lenten Journey through Matthew's Gospel

LIVING FAITHFULLY AMID DIVISION AND UNCERTAINTY

WRITTEN BY TERI McDOWELL OTT

The 2026 Lenten Devotions and Music Videos will begin on Ash Wednesday. This year we will focus on "Discipleship in a Divided Age: A Lenten Journey through Matthew's Gospel." To honor our friends and congregation we will not be sending the devotions out as a blanket e-mail. If you wish to participate you will need to e-mail Lisa Jeffra (lisaj@firstpresvero.org) or call the church office. You will be sent a weekly e-mail with the daily devotions throughout Lent. You also will be sent the weekly music video. Plan to take advantage of this special Lent Devotion as we journey toward Easter!

The 2026 Wednesday Lenten Luncheon Concert Series

First Presbyterian Church is excited to offer the 2026 Wednesday Lenten Luncheon Concert Series. This series is established to empower us on our journey through the season of Lent. As we march toward Easter, we will celebrate God's love for us as we celebrate sacred music and fellowship. The 2026 Wednesday Lenten Luncheon Series will be held in the choir room with the luncheon in the Resource Center outside the choir room. Dr. Jacob Craig will be leading each of the Lenten concerts assisting our own guest musicians.

February 25th at Noon: John Toohey

March 4th at Noon: Judy Garrett

March 11th at Noon: Churchill Cooke

March 18th at Noon: Rev. Dr. Sam Rutland

March 25th at Noon: Jonathan Miller

Each concert and luncheon is designed to last 50 minutes to an hour so that those who work can attend. Each luncheon will consist of a hearty soup and hearty sandwich with a companying beverage. Reservations are very helpful. Reservations may be made by e-mailing Lisa Jeffra (lisaj@firstpresvero.org) or by call the church office (772-562-9088).

Special Announcement



FINANCIAL PLANNING SEMINAR

February 17, 2026 at 11:45 am / Lunch Provided
Center for Christian Life - McAfee Hall / Building D

RSVP: lisaj@firstpresvero.org / 772-562-9088

Fellowship

Wednesday Night Dinners

Sign up on realm or by calling Lisa in the Church Office

February 4

Tossed Salad
Ham and Cheese Slider
Chili and fixings (cheese, Frito's, sour cream, crackers)
Cornbread
Lemon Rice Soup
Pita Bread
No Bakes

February 11

Caesar Salad
Parmesan Marry Me
Chicken Pasta
Garlic Buttered Broccoli
Focaccia Bread
Toffee Bars

February 25

Cilantro Lime Slaw
Meatloaf
Mashed Potatoes
Corn
Death by Chocolate
Peanut Butter Cake

No Wednesday Night Dinner
February 18

Cottage Meetings: Fellowship & Vision for Our Church

Join us for fellowship, conversation and visioning for the future of our church.

Cottage Meeting Schedule (all meetings are scheduled for 5:30-7:30pm)

- Sunday, February 15 Hosts: Clyde & Susan Gordon | Area Served: Central Beach | Venue: The Twisted Lime. RSVP by 2/9 to Clyde Gordon 860-303-4797 or clydegordon@hotmail.com
- Sunday, February 22 Hosts: Jim & Connie Gambill and Jim & Andrea Armstrong | Area Served: The Island & A1A |Venue: Quail Valley "Boathouse". RSVP by 2/16 to Andrea Armstrong 732-673-7367 or andrea786asa@gmail.com
- Sunday, March 1 Hosts: Bob & Linda Masterson | Area Served: Sebastian & North County | Venue: TBD. 2/23 to Linda Masterson 949-637-6115 or lindamasterson1@gmail.com
- Sunday, March 8 **Celebration Sunday!**

Even as we look forward to these gatherings, our hearts remain focused on Consecration Sunday. This will continue to be a central time of thanksgiving as we honor the remarkable stewardship and generosity of this congregation. Together, we will celebrate the many ways God is at work among us including the extraordinary success of our Capital Campaign and the progress toward building our new sanctuary.

We encourage you to mark your calendars and join us for one of these special evenings. Your presence will enrich our conversations and strengthen our shared commitment to the mission and ministry of our church.

With gratitude for your faithful support, in Christ,

Rev. Tim Womack, D. Min. Senior Pastor

Youth Music

Hi! I'm Frantz Matador, a senior at Eau Gallie High in Melbourne, FL. I've been part of the Youth music program for a few years now, and I wanted to talk about the Disney Handbell Festival I got to be a part of this winter break. Going on this trip was definitely the highlight of my break!

Being part of a group that could perform such high-quality music while capturing the joy and excitement of musical expression on stage was a true treat. What made it even more special was that seven of our FPC Youth handbell ringers auditioned and were accepted into the advanced handbell ensemble for this event. It was a huge honor to play alongside such talented musicians.

This experience taught me not to let mistakes define a performance, because the true goal is not perfection, but connection; music is nothing without an audience to hear it. Our conductor, Mr. Kevin McChesney, was a pleasure to work under and truly made this experience unforgettable.

For those who might not know, Mr. McChesney is basically a rock star in the handbell world! He is a world-renowned composer and arranger with over 1,000 titles in print and was even named the "Composer of the Year" by Jeffers Handbell Supply. A huge highlight for us was getting to perform his most famous arrangement, "Now the Green Blade Riseth" (also known as "Sing We Now of Christmas"). We learned that this is actually the most purchased piece of handbell music ever written, so playing it under the baton of the man who wrote it was a once-in-a-lifetime experience.

He also showed us that meaningful performance requires genuine connection to the audience, even physically! In one song, we actually formed a kick line! It was not only a memorable performance, but also quite the workout with all the dancing we had to do, but that's Disney for you!

I thank FPC and everyone involved for allowing me to take part in such a magical experience. I will never forget it.



Save the Date

FPC YOUTH MUSIC Puerto Rico

BENEFIT DINNER

MARCH 28
5:30PM

Youth Music

A Weekend of Harmony: FPC Youth Shine at FMEA Conference

From January 14-17, Tampa was filled with the sounds of Florida's most dedicated student musicians as they gathered for the 2026 Florida Music Education Association (FMEA) Professional Learning Conference. We are incredibly proud to report that 8 of our very own FPC Youth and children were selected to perform in the prestigious All-State ensembles!

Earning a spot in an All-State ensemble is one of the highest honors a student musician can achieve. These students auditioned alongside thousands of peers from across Florida, demonstrating exceptional skill, discipline, and musicality. Their selection places them among the "premier talent of Florida's students," a direct reflection of their hard work and the excellence fostered in our music ministry.

Throughout the conference, these talented young musicians rehearsed with world-class conductors and performed in concerts that celebrated the "Power in Our Profession" and the "Collective Impact" of music education. To have eight of our students represented on this state-wide stage is a testament to the vibrancy of our church's youth music program.



Janine Jones: 2026 Music Educator of the Year

We also have a monumental achievement to celebrate within our leadership team. Mrs. Janine Jones, a beloved music educator at our church and the Children's Choir Director at First Presbyterian Church, was named the 2026 FMEA Music Educator of the Year!

This award is a tremendous honor, recognizing an educator who embodies dedication, inspiration, and exemplary leadership. Janine's career spans over 45 years, with 40 of those years spent shaping young lives right here in Florida.

- A Lifetime of Dedication: Janine began her teaching career in New York before moving to Florida, where she has served as an elementary music educator at Osceola Magnet School for four decades.
- A Pillar of Our Church: At First Presbyterian, she serves as the Children's Choir Director, where she instills a love for music and worship in our youngest members.
- A Mentor to Many: Beyond the classroom and sanctuary, Janine is the Administrative Director of the PRIMO School of Music and has maintained a private flute studio for 45 years. Her students consistently earn superior ratings and, fittingly, often advance to play in All-State ensembles themselves.

Jacob Craig, our Director of Music and Arts, praised Janine as "one of the most outstanding individuals I have known," noting her ability to instill discipline and her "unparalleled" leadership across multiple roles. Her colleague Sherry St. Petery, who nominated her, described her as a "true team leader" whose passion is contagious.

Please join us in congratulating Janine Jones and our eight All-State student musicians. They are truly the "heartbeat" of our music ministry, and we are blessed to have them representing First Presbyterian Church!



Youth Music

A Star with a Servant's Heart: Wendell Remy Honored in Miami



We are overjoyed to share some incredible news regarding one of our own, Wendell Remy.

On January 5th, Wendell took the stage in Miami to perform as a National YoungArts Winner with Distinction. This is not just a local honor; it is widely considered the most prestigious award for young artists in the United States. To give you an idea of the scale of this achievement, thousands of students apply every year, but fewer than 1% are chosen for this top honor.

By receiving this award, Wendell joins the ranks of a very exclusive list of alumni who have gone on to shape American culture. He is now part of the same artistic lineage as household names like Josh Groban, Viola Davis, Vanessa Williams, and Kerry Washington—all of whom were once YoungArts winners.

While we are thrilled by his accolades, we are even more moved by his heart. Despite his demanding schedule and rising success, Wendell has remained deeply connected to his roots and his faith. Just this past month, while home on his break from college, he chose to spend his time serving with us. We were blessed to have him return to the youth choir, sharing his voice during both our Christmas Eve and Christmas Day services. It was a beautiful reminder that while his talent may be

taking him to national stages, his spirit remains grounded in gratitude and service. As a church family, we recognize that every good and perfect gift comes from above (James 1:17), but it is Wendell's willingness to give those gifts back to God and his community that truly inspires us.

Many of you will remember Wendell's faithful service in the FPC Youth Choir and Handbells, including the memorable youth music tour to Pittsburgh. A graduate of Indian River Charter High School, he is now attending the prestigious University of Michigan for Musical Theater—a dream made possible in part by the generous contributions from members of this congregation, which allowed him to travel to Chicago for his auditions.

We are incredibly proud of Wendell—not just for the awards on his shelf, but for the kindness in his heart. We can't wait to see where God leads him next!

Congratulations, Wendell!

Justice and Honor



Art and Music Festival

Sunday, February 1, 2026, 2-4 pm

Event is co-sponsored by First Presbyterian Church Justice and Honor team along with the Gifford Historical Museum and Cultural Center.

Barbecue by Carol Campbell, local artists and musicians are participating and all are guaranteed to provide a most delightful Sunday afternoon!

**Event is held at Gifford Community Center
4855 43rd Ave
Vero Beach, Florida**

Hospitality

COMMUNION AT HOME

If you are unable to attend our monthly Communion Sunday Worship Service, we will bring communion to your home, hospital or rehab center. On the first Sunday of each month, members of your Church Family will bring communion to you in order that you can practice the Spiritual Habit of "Spending Time with God". If you are interested in participating, please contact Anne Adams in the Church Office, ext.115.



FIRST FRIENDS

Help in welcoming new members "settle in" to our Church Family. First Friends is a friendly group of seasoned members who will stand along side our new members as they acclimate themselves to all the ministry and fellowship opportunities that FPCVB has to offer. If you are interested in participating in this important ministry please contact Anne Adams, ext. 115.



SUNDAY BRUNCH

Join us when we gather for brunch at The Wave Kitchen in the Costa d'Este Beach Resort & Spa. You'll enjoy meeting Single Seniors, excellent food and the ambiance of one of Vero's top restaurants! We will meet, on the beach, at the restaurant on Sunday, February 22nd, at 11:00am. The address is: 3244 Ocean Drive, Vero Beach. Seating is limited - valet parking available. RSVP on REALM or contact Lisa Jeffra, ext. 122.

HOLD THE DATE!

Bring your pet to Church for the "Blessings of the Animals" event, on Friday, April 10th at 4:00pm in the McAfee Hall Parking Lot.

The whole family will enjoy treating their pets to Dr. Tim's special blessing, treats and prizes. A cook out, sponsored by the Hospitality Talent Committee chefs will top off this fun event! RSVP on REALM or contact Lisa Jeffra, ext.122.



Discipleship



Universal Studios Takeover: Our Night at Rock the Universe

Our youth group definitely made some noise this past Friday! A crew of 35 students and chaperones headed to Universal Studios for Rock the Universe, and the vibe was incredible from start to finish. The night was all about the music and the connection. Whether we were gathered at the Music Plaza Stage for Forrest Frank and Switchfoot or catching the high-energy sets from KB and Hulvey, the best parts of the night happened in those moments between the songs. There's something special about 35 people from our community bonding with each other and getting to know new friends.

By the time the event wrapped up at 12:00 AM, we were all exhausted, but the energy of the night stayed with us. It wasn't just about the artists on stage; it was about the chance for our youth to bond and experience something huge together.

A massive thanks to the chaperones who kept the energy up all night and the discipleship committee for sponsoring this event! It was a Friday night we won't forget anytime soon.



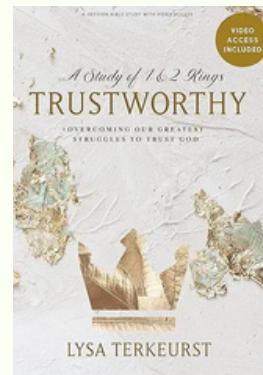
**SUPER BOWL
OF CARING
SUNDAY
FEBRUARY 8, 2026**



**FIRST
PRESBYTERIAN'S**

**BOOK
CLUB**

TO SIGN UP, EMAIL REBECCA AT:
BECCAPALM@GMAIL.COM



**Mondays | 5:30 PM
Starting February 16, 2026**

**Upstairs in the Earnshaw Room
Mondays at 5:30
First Presbyterian Church,
Vero Beach**

Mission

Sunset Apartment Food Distribution

Food is brought from the Treasure Coast Food Bank to the Gifford Youth Achievement Center, packaged by our volunteers and distributed to the 36 Sunset Apartments (a subsidized housing complex mainly for elderly adults). The distribution usually takes place on the last Wednesday of the month with occasional changes in the date (see below).

Our mission is to reach out to our neighbors and form a Christian bond of friendship and care. By delivering groceries to these individuals we have gotten to know their names, their faces and their needs. This has enriched our lives and hopefully theirs. We encourage volunteers as we need many hands to help with packaging and delivering. The apartments are single floor and occupied by only one individual and only a short distance from the GYAC. We load our cars and drive to the apartments for delivery.

**GYAC location:
4875 43rd Ave, Vero Beach, FL 32967**

**We meet at the GYAC at 8:30 am on the following Wednesdays. Please volunteer. For more information call or text Carol Smoyer (772-538-8795)
email: clsmoyer@bellsouth.net**



Dates of Distribution for 2026

January 28	July 22
February 25	August 26
March 25	September 23
April 22	October 28
May 27	November 18
June 24	December 9



Presbyterian Men

Our Annual Sweetheart Luncheon

February 14, 2026
By Phil LoGiudice

Each year, the Presbyterian Men's Fellowship plans and hosts a Sweetheart Lunch for Valentine's Day. This year, we will honor the ladies of our church with a delicious lunch prepared by Carol Campbell and her team. This year, we will serve lunch on Valentine's Day, February 14, 2026!

As always, the meal honors all our ladies. The single women of the church are invited as our guests and treated to a fine meal. This event is not a Men's Fellowship fundraiser. Our efforts are meant to show our love and respect for the ladies. Planning begins months before the special day. Volunteers include the men, along with help from the Presbyterian Women and volunteers from the FPC community. Everyone interested is invited.

Our meal begins with an introduction from the Men's Fellowship welcoming everyone. The day's delights will be announced. Reverend Lisle Kaufmann will delight everyone with an invocation. Jerry Garrett again graciously serves as the Master of Ceremonies and will provide some very enjoyable entertainment.

We wanted to do something different for lunch this year and decided that a "bevy of hors d'oeuvres" would be a sumptuous treat! Carol Campbell and her team will prepare our food. We start with a shrimp cocktail, followed by a vast array of hors d'oeuvres served buffet-style. Finally, a delicious dessert table will please everyone. Coffee, tea, and water will be served as well. The FPC Youth will be our servers.

After lunch, Pastor Tim will send us on our way home with a benediction.

We always try hard to contact the single ladies so we can invite them to our affair. It is sometimes difficult, and in many cases, we must leave a message. So please, we urge anyone who wants to attend to call Glenn or Phil and let us know! You can also call the FPC office. We rely on the Realm database for our contact information, so please help us keep it up to date. If your address or telephone number has changed, please contact the FPC office and advise them. Of course, couples and anyone else who would like to attend are welcome and will enjoy this wonderful affair.

Contact Glenn Conn at 740-803-3519 or Phil LoGiudice at 772-766-3448.



Presbyterian Women

2026 Officers

Co-Moderators: Laurie Peterson & Cyndi Johann

Treasurer: Shirley Douglas

Secretary: Joyce Murphy

Corresponding Secretary: Nancy Morgan



Thank you!

**Our 71st Annual Christmas Tree Lane
raised \$16,709.45**

**Whether you donated an item,
moved a chair,
baked a cookie or two.**

**Our event was a success,
In part for all each of you do.**

**It takes our entire congregation,
To make Christmas Tree Lane a success
And we hope all of you know
That we feel truly blessed.
The Presbyterian Women**

Just Desserts

**Enjoy a relaxed night of desserts, coffee, and fellowship—a sweet way
to connect and build community.**

**This evening option is perfect for busy moms, working women, or
anyone who can't always make daytime meetings but still wants to
be involved in PW.**

**Please join us Tuesday, February 24th at 7:00 PM
in the CLC Lobby**

Just Dessert dates for 2026 are April 28th, September 29th and November 17th.

Honorary Pin 10/18/25 Shirley Douglas

The Presbyterian Women in the Presbyterian Church USA honors those members who are recognized for their commitment to Christ and the mission of the church. We offer these individuals our thanks for their faithful service and in doing so, we present them with an Honorary Life Membership which includes a certificate, pin and donation in their name. Our Honorary Membership Committee has selected an outstanding member of our Presbyterian Women and today we will honor her for her service and dedication. Today's honoree is an active Presbyterian Woman who has served FPC wearing many hats. She and her husband became members in 2002. She was a Deacon and Elder. In 2012 after volunteering in the church office, she was asked to be the FPC Financial Administrator, a job she kept for 5 years. After the death of her husband, she retired and joined the choir, became treasurer of the PW's Christmas Tree Lane, was an active member of the Mission committee and chaperoned youth trips to Africa, Cuba. She served on the Preschool Board, is a faithful member of the choir and staunch supporter of the Music program. We know her as the treasurer for the Presbyterian Women! Her commitment to Christ and the mission of the church in the VB community, extends to her volunteering with the Sheriff's Dept. and Red Cross disaster, setting up kitchens. For 20 years, she served as treasurer of the Scottish Society. She facilitates the Douglas Society along with her extended family. She is an outstanding member of the Presbyterian Women. We thank Shirley Douglas with an Honorary Life Membership.





HAPPY BIRTHDAY



1. Karen Deigl, Marta Schneider, Pete Smith
2. Dorothy Flynn, John Klasing
3. Suzanne Churney, Ted Fuller, Holly Ann LoGiudice
4. Art Irvine, Alice McKenna
5. Melissa "Cookie" Cooke, Harry Offutt, Gloria Raines, Henry Ray
6. Cynthia Judd, Gerry Marvin, David Stuhler
7. Tiffany Carlsen, Cindy Rogers
8. Kathy L. Melick, Roger Wagner
10. Marilyn Bauknecht, Ryan Capone, Bob Lang, Harriet Moore
11. Donald Guisto
12. John Barley, Vernon Daniel, Emelie Horsley
13. Barry Berg, Susan Hofstetter, Susan McGarry
14. Elly O'Connor
15. Dale Peirce, Michelle Way
16. Sally Dussing, Alan Wolford
17. Debbie Farnung, Patti Frantz, Nikki Kaufmann
20. Lyn Smith
21. Lona Bang-Olsen, Yolanda Whitney Carter, Robert Gallagher, Gail Murdough
22. Carol Campbell
23. RoseBelle Broeffle, Rachel Horowitz
25. Stanford Erickson, Monny Gasche, Richard Springmyer
26. Peggy Clarke, John Lindsey
27. Pam Dolby, Joe Moore
28. Susan Taylor

What's Goin'On - February at FirstPresVero

Here are some recurring activities, meetings or classes that you might like to attend
Everyone is welcome.

Group/Class	Day	Weekly	Monthly	Time & Place	Chair/Contact details
Men's Discussion	Monday	Yes		3:00PM Youth Wing	Frank Iodice (772) 778-3437 email: lfrankbi@cs.com
Book Club	Monday	Yes		5:30PM Earnshaw Room	Rebecca Palmer (772) 538-0957 email: Beccapalm@gmail.com
Men's Fellowship Breakfast	Tuesday	Yes		7:30AM McAfee Hall	Glenn Conn (740) 803-3519 email: gconn@msn.com
Bible Study	Tuesday	Yes		10:30AM Schumann	Dr Tim 772-562-9088
Fellowship Dinner	Wednesday	Yes		5:00PM McAfee Hall	Lisa Jeffra (for reservations) 772-562-9088
PW Bible Study Grace Circle			2nd Monday	11:30-12:30	Ann Faunce (303) 947-7984 email: bafaunce@gmail.com & Jane Millar (732) 600-5118 , email: jvm75@aol.com
FPV PW social/luncheon	Friday		3rd Friday	11:30AM Olive Garden	BJ Fisher 678-481-3835 email: harrysally11262@gmail.com

Sunday Worship

February 2026

8:15 AM - Mighell Chapel

9:30 AM - McAfee Hall

11:00 AM - McAfee Hall

Childcare available at all services



February 18, 2026 at 7:00 PM in McAfee Hall

Communion & Imposition of Ashes



February Sermons

February 1 Micah 6:1-8 “Doing the Lovely Walk”	February 8 Isaiah 58:1-12 “The Day Acceptable to the Lord!”
February 15 Matthew 17:1-9 “Revealed in Crisis”	February 22 Luke 4:1-13 “Trust Your Compass”

Church Leadership & Staff

Rev. Dr. G. Timothy Womack, Senior Pastor

Dr. Sam Rutland, Theologian in Residence

Dr. Holly Adams, Theologian in Residence

Dr. Jacob Craig, Director of Music & Arts

Peter Mahtani, Associate Director of Music & Arts

Ginny Bauer, Senior Administrative Assistant to the Pastors

Kimberly Ball, Financial Administrator

Lisa Jeffra, Administrative Assistant

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Roger Wagner, Facility Coordinator

Kayla Chaples, Communications Coordinator

Elders

Class of 2026 Anne Posey*, Judy Garrett*,

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Jonathan Miller, Phil Schwin

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