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Dear Beloved Congregation,

As we stand at the threshold of an exciting new chapter in the life of First Presbyterian Church, Mesa, we invite you to join us in a transformative journey. With the guidance of the Holy Spirit, we have embraced a new mission, vision, and values—an invitation for each of us to reach up and out in faith and love. We believe this builds on the best of who we are, while responding to what Jesus is beckoning us to lean into.

Our Mission: “Reach up and out in faith and love.”

This mission calls us to deepen our connection with God and one another while inviting others to join us, embodying the love of Jesus in our daily lives. As we look toward 2030, we envision a vibrant community where every individual feels welcomed, valued, and empowered. Together, we can make this vision a reality!



Imagine FPC Mesa being a church where:

- Everyone feels embraced by the love of Jesus. A place where all ages gather, uplifted by a spirit of joy and acceptance grounded in the person and work of Jesus.
- Faith infuses everyday life. Our campus is alive with energy, bustling with purposeful activities throughout the week and the year.
- Our children and youth thrive. We nurture their spiritual journeys, supporting families as they disciple their children in faith, so all have a closer walk with Jesus.
- We meet the needs of our neighbors. Our outreach initiatives provide vital support to all ages—physical, emotional, spiritual, and educational.
- Worship is a dynamic celebration of faith. We explore new, creative ways to praise God, using our diverse talents to enrich our community.
- Lifelong learning and fellowship flourish. We offer meaningful opportunities for growth and connection, strengthening our bonds as a church family as we are apprentices of Jesus.





Our Values:

Worship: A celebration of our faith that brings us closer to God and to each other.

Fellowship: A commitment to inclusivity, ensuring every person feels valued and loved.

Outreach/Evangelism: Putting our faith into action through service, inviting our neighbors into a relationship with Christ.

Discipleship: Nurturing our walk with Jesus

through study, worship, and mutual support.

Now, we need your help to bring this vision to life.

Your support, whether through financial contributions, volunteering your time, or sharing your unique gifts—will be crucial as we move forward together. Every act of generosity, no matter what the size, helps us expand our ministries and deepen our impact in the community.



This is not just about funding programs; it's about investing in our shared mission to be a beacon of hope and love in Mesa. Imagine the lives we can touch, the families we can support, and the community we can transform. Your participation can help make this vision a reality!

Let's prayerfully commit to this journey together. Join us in creating a flourishing future for First Presbyterian Church, where all are invited to experience the love of Christ and the joy of community.

Thank you for being an essential part of our church family.

Together, let's take bold steps forward in faith.

With love and gratitude,

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