



News & Notes

October 31, 2024

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Noblesville, IN



ALL SAINTS DAY / COMMUNION

Message this Sunday...

“The Measure of Eternity”

Psalm 102

Pastor Eric Gale

[Click Here for the Live Service](#)

[Link to last Sunday's Service](#)



Daylight Savings Time Ends...

Don't forget to *set your clocks BACK 1 hour* on Saturday evening.
We don't want you to be **EARLY** for Church on Sunday!

September 2024 Income/Expense Report

	<u>2024 Budget</u>	<u>2024 Actual</u>	<u>2023 Actual</u>
Income:	\$238,007	\$240,659.24	\$216,109.11
Expenses:	\$238,007	\$255,803.42	\$233,370.16
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Did you know...the church spends around \$2,000 per month for utilities!

Remember in your Prayers...

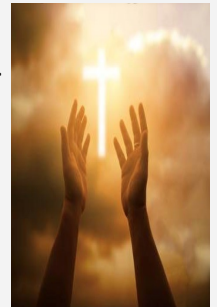
Dianne Baird, recuperating at home after a follow-up visit to the hospital.

Paul Wood, recuperating in Cardiac ICU Community Heart Hospital.

The Family of Carol Updegraff, upon her passing.

Cards and notes can be sent to her daughter:

Jane Foesch
4047 E. 400 S.
Kokomo, IN 46902



Services for Ruth Ann Nunamaker...

Visitation will take place at FPC, Saturday, November 9, 2024, 11 AM – 12 PM

Service begins at 12:00 PM

There will be a reception with refreshments following the service.

Prayers for all those who have been affected by recent Hurricanes.

Prayers for the unrest between Israel and its neighbors in the Middle East.

Prayers for those from FPC who have lost loved ones recently.

Prayers for the November election.

Send in your Prayer Requests

Please send your prayer requests to Pastor Eric (eric.gale@fpc-noblesville.org) by 3:00 pm on Friday.



Get out to Vote...

If you are interested in voting early and need a ride, call Judy Sauers 317-709-4608.

Funeral Planning Workshop Presented by Randall & Roberts Funeral Home

Wednesday, November 6, 2024 at 11:30 AM

In Fellowship Hall

Lunch will be included

RSVP to Janie, the Church Secretary, by 11 am, November 1, 2024!

Email: secretary@fpc-noblesville.org or call: (317) 773-2383

OCC Christmas Boxes...

Sunday November 3, before and after church, we will be making the boxes for the packing party Friday November 8! Please make a few boxes while you talk at the tables. Bring your toys! Thanks!



**The OCC packing party will join the famous chili contest on:
Friday, NOVEMBER 8th.**

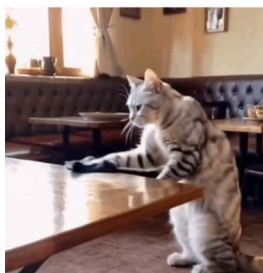
Fall Clean-Up...

Please join us for the **fall clean-up day: November 16th, 9 am - 12 pm.** We will be doing various projects inside and outside (weather permitting). Please plan on attending. If you have **questions, please contact Sue Jourdan (317-502-0688) or Jake Light (317-922-5290).**



Fall Clean-up Day!

Saturday, November 16th 9-12



Lunch Provided!

Anyone Can DO-IT!!



Bring your favorite cleaning tools

Questions? See Sue Jourdan or Jake Light



Sign up at Welcome Center

On-Line Giving

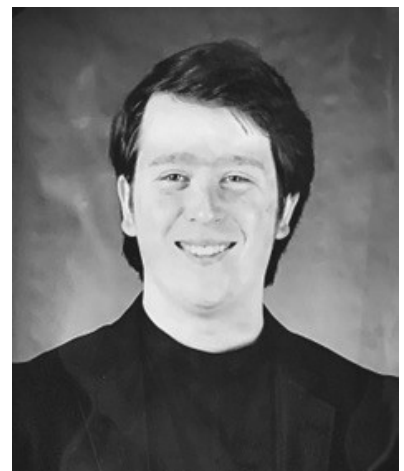
Our current Church Management Software (Servant Keeper) now offers on-line giving if we would like to implement it for our Church. We are reaching out to see if that is something we would like to offer to the congregation. We would basically be given an QR Code to scan and you will be able to give online through your phone or computer. ***There is a minimal fee, however, that is assessed, and we would request that the fee be paid by the giver.*** If this is something you would be interested in using, please contact Robin Story at 317.508.4411 or robin.story@fpc-noblesville.org.

Johnathan Baker Recital...

Please Join Us For a Special Vocal Recital by
Johnathan E. Baker, baritone
November 17th at 4pm
in Our Church Sanctuary.

Student of Cynthia Fremling.
Emily Block, Accompanist
Special Appearance by
Cameron Craig, baritone.

Refreshments will be served.



Poinsettia Orders



Poinsettias purchased in memory or in honor of loved ones are placed in the sanctuary on the Sunday before Christmas and left through the Christmas Eve Service. You may take your plant(s) home after the service on Christmas Eve.

If you would like to purchase a poinsettia, fill out the form on the table in the back of the sanctuary and place it in the offering plate or give it to Jim Story. You can place your order, and pay later, if you don't have the \$10 today. Make checks payable to *First Presbyterian Church* and put *Poinsettia* on the memo line. The last day for orders is Sunday, December 1, 2024.

Health Education Program...

We're excited to introduce a new program at First Presbyterian Church: Health Education, or "Health Ed" for short! Twice a year, we'll be offering different programs focused on health and wellness.

The nurses in our congregation will lead these sessions, providing valuable education and hands-on demonstrations to help promote a healthy lifestyle.

Our first program will take place on Sunday, November 17, 2024, following the church service. Stay tuned for the agenda, which will be announced soon. We look forward to seeing you there!

Ladies Luncheons

The dates for the next luncheons are: **Monday November 18 and Monday, December 16.** *We will meet at 11:30 AM at Perkins on Noble Creek Drive.* A sign up sheet will be at the welcome desk. Your phone number is requested in the event the luncheon is canceled. If you bring a friend please sign them up also so we have an accurate count for the restaurant. All are welcome. **Remember it's free pie Monday.**

Adult Sunday School...

We begin a 5 week study Sunday, October 27, 2024.

A video and study guides on *Guardrails* by Andy Stanley.

Hurricane disaster relief...

Thank you for all your donations! We sent checks for \$4,315 to Samaritan's Purse, and \$500 to Presbyterian Disaster Assistance. PW also donated \$1,000 to Samaritan's Purse. *You can still donate directly, if you wish, by clicking on the images below.*



Mission Moments...

Let's Get Cheesy!!



The mission team annual holiday cheeseball fundraiser is back for your all your holiday gatherings or giftings. Samples of the Classic Bacon, Vegetarian Cheese, and Chocolate Chip Dessert Cheeseballs will be available during fellowship hour on **Nov.10th**.

- In person Orders will be taken before and after church on **Nov.10 and Nov.17**
- Online Orders available at <https://forms.gle/5LEcp7MX3BAGwf8n6>
- Cheeseball Pre-Sale Orders - Sunday, **Nov. 10-17th**
- **\$12 per Cheeseball** – please pay when ordering
- Cheeseball Order Pickup - Sunday, **Nov. 24th** (or Monday Nov. 25th 9-12)

Our home-made cheeseballs can be frozen and enjoyed later. The sale of these handmade cheeseballs helps fund many FPC mission projects!

Food Pantry Needs

This month we are hoping to pack the pantry with Thanksgiving staples. Did you know that a boxed cake can be made with just one ingredient, a can of soda??

ALLRECIPES SODA AND CAKE MIX BAKING GUIDE

MIX TOGETHER ANY 12-OUNCE CAN OF SODA WITH A STANDARD BOX OF CAKE MIX AND FOLLOW THE BOX'S BAKING INSTRUCTIONS. THE END RESULT IS A LIGHT AND FLUFFY CAKE.

- COCA-COLA + CHOCOLATE CAKE MIX
- SPRITE + YELLOW CAKE MIX
- CANADA DRY GINGER ALE + CARROT CAKE MIX
- DR PEPPER + RED VELVET CAKE MIX
- BARQ'S ROOT BEER + SPICE CAKE MIX
- A&W CREAM SODA + VANILLA CAKE MIX
- MOUNTAIN DEW + LEMON CAKE MIX
- STRAWBERRY FANTA + STRAWBERRY CAKE MIX
- SIERRA MIST + BUTTER PECAN CAKE MIX
- 7-IT UP + DEVIL'S FOOD CAKE MIX



- stuffing
- yams
- potatoes
- rice
- canned meats
- vegetables and fruits
- dessert items
- snacks