PEW PADS NOW HAVE TITHE.LY

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FALL CLEANUP DAY

Join us Saturday, November 14, from 9:00 a.m. to noon as we spruce up our church inside and out! We'll tackle windows, windowsills, leaves, and a few other small tasks. Bring your helping hands and a cheerful spirit! **The Deacons will be providing lunch**, so come ready to work and stay for a bite. Many hands make light work—and lunch makes it even better!

ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL

Today, the Adult SS Class viewed the 30-minute, **Session 3 of the DEBORAH DVD series by Sandra Richter, PhD, entitled: "The Cycle of the Judges".** The class will continue their exploration of Deborah; the only female judge in the book of Judges. Everyone is welcome to join.

HOLIDAY CHEESEBALLS ARE COMING SOON!

Roll into the holidays with the FPC Mission Team's Annual Holiday Cheese Ball Sale! Perfect for parties, gifts, or just treating yourself, our homemade favorites are back: Classic Bacon & Onion, Vegetarian, and the sweet Chocolate Chip Dessert.

Sample during Fellowship Hour on Nov. 1, pre-order Nov. 1–15, then pick up on Nov. 22 after church. Still just $12 each, frozen, and ready when you are. Every cheeseball supports FPC mission projects.

URGENT: HELP CARE FOR OUR RIVERWOOD NEIGHBORS

We need your help! If you would be willing to prepare meals, volunteer your time, purchase a $20 gift card to a local restaurant, or assist in coordinating this ministry, **please contact Sue Jourdan.**

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD SHOEBOX MINISTRY

We still need a few specific items for the shoeboxes. **Please check the list of items needed in the current News and Notes. We could use a little help today during Fellowship Hour to assemble the shoe boxes.** They will be on the tables – assemble as many as you would like.

CHILI COOKOFF AND OCC PACKING PARTY

This coming Friday, November 6 at 7:00 pm is the annual Chili cook-off and Shoebox ministry packing party. Bring your best chili with your secret ingredients and your most convincing explanation of why your chili is the BEST. Then we will switch gears and pack as many Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes as we can. **RSVP to secretary@fpc-noblesville.org and sign up to bring a Chili!**

FELLOWSHIP HOST NEEDED

We need a host … or two… or three for **Fellowship hour on Sunday, November 15.** If you and a few of your friends would like to host, please see Catherine Byrnside.

"THE CHOSEN" SMALL GROUP

Bob and Trish Moore are hosting a Small Group in their home based on the popular television series "The Chosen". We are now on Season 2. We will watch an episode and then follow with discussion. The meetings will be held on Tuesday evenings at 7:00pm. New members are welcome to join us at any point in the series! If you are interested in joining, please email bobtrishmoore@sbcglobal.net for more information.

SEPTEMBER 2026 BUDGET PERFORMANCE REPORT

	2026 Actual	2025 Actual
Operating Income:	$ 227,608.68	$ 244,019.81
Operating Expense:	$ 239,651.39	$ 235.410.50
(Deficit)/Surplus:	$ (12,042.71)	$ 8,609.31

GIVE ONLINE THROUGH TITHE.LY:

Attendance Last week: In Sanctuary —97; Households Online — 18

NOVEMBER 1 THROUGH NOVEMBER 8, 2026

TODAY	*9:00 am*	*Adult Sunday School*
	10:00 am	*Worship*
	11:15 am	*Fellowship hour*
	11:15 am	*Worship Committee*
Monday	*9:00 am*	*Shepherd's Center*
Tuesday	***6:00 am***	***Election Day***
Wednesday	*8:30 am*	*Women's Great Banquet Reunion Group*
	8:30 am	*Men's Great Banquet Reunion Group*
	6:30 pm	*Historical Society Meeting*
Thursday	*7:00 pm*	*Choir Rehearsal*
Friday	***7:00 pm***	***Chili Cook-off and OCC Packing Party***
Saturday	*8:30 am*	*Aerobics*
	9:00 am	*PWCT Malawi Packing*
Sunday	*9:00 am*	*Adult Sunday School*
	10:00 am	*Worship*
	11:15 am	*Fellowship Hour*
	11:15 am	*Deacon's Meeting*

NOVEMBER 1, 2026

Audio / Video Team:	Brian Wuerch & Rick Mayhew
	11/8 – Clint Gingerich & Brian Wuerch
Nursery:	Barb Runyon & LeeAnn Stein
	11/8 – Jennie Auble & Ann Green
Lay leader:	Kregg Swanson
	11/8 — Diane McNabb Rodriguez
Fellowship hour:	**Mission Team – Cheeseball SAMPLES**
	11/8 — Birthday & McCaw Family
In the office:	Nov: Barb Runyon
	secretary@fpc-noblesville.org

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

- **Grace Wolf, granddaughter of Dan & Marsha Coats,** was injured in the deck collapse. She has had two surgeries and is now 'home' with her mom at Dan and Marsha's home until she is strong enough to return to New Hampshire.
- **Gretchen Fortune,** starting to decline, at 94.
- **Bob Bill,** fell and broke his hip, had surgery, and is in rehab at Riverwalk.
- **Bob Zabel,** after surgery is getting better, but still a long recovery.
- **Judith Drysdale,** making progress on her recovery from knee replacement surgery, also continued therapy on her hip.

Continue to remember those who are at home or in health care facilities:

Wendy Bittle
Barbara Landes
Verna Merrell
Rachel Morgan
Dorothy Etchison—*Independence Village*
Joe McGinley – *Hamilton Trace*
GG Nash – *The Crossings of Noblesville*
Carol Stough—*The Crossings of Noblesville*

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NOVEMBER 1, 2026
23RD SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
FESTIVAL OF ALL SAINTS

SESSION		DEACONS
Laurie Szabo	Christian Education	Anne Burress
Barb Runyon	Evangelism	Jill Casper
Mark Wisely	Finance	Cheryl Ditzler
Jennie Auble	Mission	Brenda Christian
Bob Moore	Planning	Clint Gingerich
Peggy Deakyne	Personnel /Nom.	Andrea Joines
Steve Runyon	Properties	Linda Melton
Rick Mayhew	Worship	Gail Ratliff
Karen McCord	Clerk	Robin Rufatto
Ken Locke	Moderator	Quinn Teague
		Debbie Wilson

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
NOVEMBER 1, 2026
23rd Sunday After Pentecost
FESTIVAL OF ALL SAINTS

As you arrive for worship, greet each other with a smile and soft words, but please remember there are those who cherish a time of quiet before worship.

We Gather Together

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

RINGING OF THE BELL

PRELUDE *"Amazing Grace"* (Lani Smith) Cheryl Mayhew, Organist

† CALL TO WORSHIP Lay Leader: Kregg Swanson

L: What kind of love has God given us?
P: A love that proclaims we are God's very own.
L: What kind of promise has God given us?
P: God will wipe away every tear from our eyes.
L: What kind of future has God given us?
P: God will lead us to springs of life-giving water.
L; Blessing and glory,
P: wisdom and thanksgiving,
L: honor and power and might
P: be to our God, forever and always!
L: Beloved, let us worship God together.

† OPENING HYMN *"All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name"* #43

† CALL TO CONFESSION

L: It is hard to believe that a day will come when there will be no more hunger or thirst, no more tears or death.
P: As we remember our loved ones, we cannot help but doubt.
L: But God is bigger than our doubt, and so we bring our doubts, our faults, and our sins to God.

† PRAYER OF CONFESSION

P: God of eternal life, we gather in gratitude for all the saints of the ages and our lives. We also confess our sorrow as we ache from their absence. We hear you call us blessed when we mourn, but we do not find the comfort you promise. Be with us in our remembrance and strengthen us until the day we join them, singing your praises in the great multitude. God, forgive us. Lord, hear our prayer.

(Time for Silent Confession)

† WORDS OF ASSURANCE

L: See what love our Creator has given us: we are children of God.
P: Christ is our brother and the Holy Spirit is our constant companion.
L: In their great mercy we are forgiven and restored to the way we ought to be.
P: All thanks and praise to thee, our God. Amen.

† PASSING OF THE PEACE

L: Being at peace with God, let us also be at peace with one another. The peace of Christ be with you.
P: And also with you!

(Please share the Peace of Christ with those around you)

† GLORIA PATRI

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost: As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be. World without end. Amen. Amen.

CHORAL ANTHEM *"Hymn of Praise"* (Mary McDonald) Chancel Choir

God's Word is Proclaimed

TIME WITH CHILDREN

(Children are dismissed to Sunday School)

SCRIPTURE READING

Scripture Lesson: **Revelation 7:9–17** NT pg. 249--250

HOMILY "Everyday Saints" Pastor Ken Locke

We Respond to God's Word

SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

L: Blessed are you, O Lord our God: You are enthroned in glory; salvation belongs to you! You have given your Lamb to be our shepherd, to guide us to the water of life, and wipe away our tears.
P: Blessed is Jesus Christ, our Savior: Jesus taught the way of faithfulness and blessedness: to be merciful and meek, peaceful and pure in heart—to such as these the kingdom of heaven belongs.
L: Remembering your goodness and grace, we offer ourselves to you with gratitude as we share this joyful feast. Pour out your Holy Spirit upon us and upon this bread and cup; make us one in the body and blood of Jesus Christ our Lord.
P: You call us your children; and that is what we are. Let your will and your way be revealed in us, as you come into the world to reign in glory.
L: Through the Lord Jesus Christ, in the unity of the Spirit, we bless you, God of glory, now and forever. Amen.

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

COMMUNION OF THE PEOPLE

-Servers: Paul Auble, Kregg Swanson, Sue Jourdan, Dick Zeiler

PRAYER

L: God of glory, in this holy feast you have made us one with Christ and with that great multitude of the faithful—those who hunger and thirst no more and worship night and day in your temple.
P: Lead us in the paths of righteousness and guide us to the springs of the water of life, until we join the choir of the redeemed, singing: Salvation belongs to our God who is seated on the throne, and to the Lamb: Jesus Christ our Lord, who taught us when we pray to say, Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day, our daily bread, and forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil, for Thine is the kingdom, the power and the glory forever. Amen.

OFFERING

OFFERTORY *"What a Friend We have in Jesus"* Arr by Robert J. Hughes Cheryl Mayhew, Organist

† DOXOLOGY Words on screen

Praise God from whom all blessings flow. Praise Him all creatures here below. Praise Him above ye heavenly hosts. Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

† PRAYER OF DEDICATION

LITANY FOR ALL SAINTS

L: Today we remember the saints who have gone before us, both those of old and those we have personally loved and lost.
P: No person is an island, entire unto itself. Each is a piece of the continent, a part of the main.
L: With thanksgiving, we remember the saints of this community – members, friends, former members, those close to our hearts - who have departed our company this past year. ***John Thomas, Michael Rogers, Carolyn McGinley, Mary Clark, Don Bellis, Ray Faust, Mike Maloney, Tim Nash.***
L: Each person's death diminishes each of us, for we are all part of the great continent of humanity. Therefore, ask not for whom the bell tolls; it tolls for you, and you, and you, and me.
Death: be not proud, though some have called you mighty and dreadful, yet you are not so.
P: For those whom you think you can overthrow die not, poor death — nor yet can you kill me. One short sleep past, we wake eternally, and death shall be no more; death, you will die. Amen.

(Adapted from "For Whom the Bell Tolls" and "Death Be Not Proud" by John Donne, 1572-1631)

† CLOSING HYMN *"For All The Saints"* #767

† BENEDICTION

L: Let all God's people say,
P: Alleluia, Amen!

POSTLUDE **"***With Sounding Timbrel"* (Chester Nordman) Cheryl Mayhew, Organist

†Please stand if you are able

Join us in Fellowship Hall following the service for coffee and refreshments

* Please sign and date the attendance pad.
* Be sure to silence your cell phones.

MISSION STUDY SURVEY #2

The Mission Study Team has developed two surveys for our congregation to complete. These surveys are an important part of helping us understand who we are as a congregation and where God may be leading us in the future. **Every member's input is important. Please take a few minutes to complete the SECOND survey** and prayerfully share your thoughts. Your participation will help shape the future of our church. **Survey #2 is attached to TODAY'S Live Sunday Service email. There are paper copies of survey #2 at the Welcome Center.**