

E-Blast News

September 6, 2026– September 13, 2026

Dear Saints,

Last Sunday was the 128th birthday anniversary of our church. The years pass but God's presence is still with us. Thanks be to God. We remembered it in worship and we had cookies for our coffee hour with "128th" written on them (in Presbyterian blue, of course!).

It was nice to hear a child making noise in church. We celebrate that among our official 85 members we have a place and welcome for children. Sometimes children are just being themselves but other times they are paying more attention than we would credit. Mitzie stumbled over one of the Biblical names in the scripture readings I had chosen. A small but perceptive voice called out, "Oh-oh!"

This Sunday is our September Communion or "Eucharist" or 'sacrament of thanks' Sunday. God is good to us and we have much to be grateful for.

We hope you will be able to join us in person or on-line for Communion.

Yours in Christ,

Will

A treasurer's request

All general offerings should be a separate check by itself to the church. Any other offerings such as Per Capita, Christmas Joy, or Samaritan's Purse can be on one check. This is so your donations can be correctly and accurately tracked.

Thank you,

Edward, Treasurer

Look what's coming...

Sunday	September 6	10:30 Choir practice 11:15 Worship Service Bill's Paper Angels
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Wednesday	September 9	12:30 Bible study
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Friday	September 11	TBA
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Sunday	September 13	10:30 Choir practice 11:15 Worship Service
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If you are interested in joining First Presbyterian Church of Arcadia, we would love to have you do so.

Please speak with Rev. Dr. Will Browne or Clerk of Session Mitzie McGavic

Contact information

Homebound members' addresses

For those sending cards...

Jackie Combs	9408 Rochester Rd., Minerva, OH 44657
Peggy Dees	1346 NE Hansel Ave., Arcadia, FL 34266
Norma Fisher	1013 E. Gibson St., Arcadia, FL 34266
MaryAnn Treadwell	11741 Lake Aston Court, Apt 113, Tampa, FL 33626
Skip & Terry West	1224 SW Scott Dr., Arcadia, FL 34266

Military

CM1 Ryan Maassen	13972 Shields Bridge Rd., Belle Haven, VA 23306
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Church prayer list

FPC - MEMBERS: Becky Delahunty, Brian Harris, Jackie Harris.

FPC - FAMILY/ FRIENDS: Charlaine Adams, Lance Andrewsen, Dan Bailey, Debbie Collins, Esther Harvell, Ernie Hewett, Bjorn Jiskoot, Donna Jones, Lisa Letson, Pastor Sam Letson, Thomas & Jane Mooney, family of Lucky Muse, Amanda Nunez, Julie Nunez, Sharon Shatney and family of Cindy Trawick.

FPC - CONTINUING CONCERN: Ellen Abraham, Tom & Arlene Anderman, Barbara Bennett, family of Joan Brady, Marsha Browning, Shirley Cullom, Peggy Dees, Mary Dow, Sue Fender, Earl & Kay Frierson, Jane Hayward, Gina Green, David Kersey, Ted Land, Jimmy Lanier Jill Logan, Keith Markey, Cary Mercer, Dan & Gail Morgan, Kenny O'Neal, Judy Onofri, Jim Reinhart, Stephanie Rohling, Gene Scott, Robert & Judy Smith, Emmie Titus, MaryAnn Treadwell, Debbie Webb, Terry West, Margaret White and Laurie York.

MILITARY LIST: Julian Davis, U.S. Army Medical Corps; Sean Davis, U.S. Army Medical Corps; E6 Curtis Johnson, U.S. Navy Medical Corps; CM1 Ryan Maassen, U.S. Navy Seabees ; Airman Roland Phelps.

Missions at work

Bill's Paper Angels

Collection for Bill's Paper Angels is the 1st Sunday of the month.

Sept. 6 (next collection date) Sept. 14 (next distribution date)

NEEDED: plastic grocery bags

Arcadia Center for the Needy

Collection for Arcadia Center for the Needy is the 3rd Sunday of each month.

Next collection date: September 20, 2026

NOTE: You may donate at any time. If donating by envelope, please put Arcadia Center for the Needy in the memo section. We also collect cans with pop up tops. These can be dropped off at the office.

Church information

Attendance/Offering

Attendance: 17
Offering:

Viewed on Facebook: 18
Year to Date: **\$98,710.44**

Session

2026: Jeff Adams, Ellie Sutphin, David Maassen, Don Knoche
2027: Jackie Harris, Donnie Knoche, Tyler Maassen, Edith Wildt
2028: Dave Bremer, Becky Delahunty, Sue Maassen, Mitzie McGavic

Catch us on Facebook

Be sure to sign up for our Facebook page and **like** our page.

Also, visit our website www.firstpc.church we have information, pictures, services that you can listen to if you can't make it to church. If you have questions, or problems call the office. 863-494-4434.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR WEBSITE

Type in www.firstpc.church

You will see the sermon on the main page now, so just click on it.

Celebrations



September birthdays

September 4—Paulette Raschella

September 8— Mary Ann Treadwell

September 9— Linda Hollingsworth

September 13—Edith Wildt, Maybelle Lebbert

September 22—Kenny Pepper