E-Blast News

Dec 20 to Dec 27, 2020

Church Prayer List

FPC MEMBERS

Tom & Arlene Anderman, and Wayne Gallant.

FPC – FAMILY / FRIENDS

Alan Adams, Victoria Cross, Pam and Rick Dodd, Carrie Evans (Judie Neeley's daughter), Heidi Evans (Bill Stander's cousin), Roger Evans, Terri Harrison (Shelby Bremer's mother), Carol & Sam Henry (Dana Holloman's parents), Alfred King, Hanna Joy Lepianka (Rich & Jean Borsmann's granddaughter), Keith Markey, Bobby O'Neal (Edith's friend), Ruth Ann Smith, JoLynn Wright (Bill Stander's cousin) and Landon Yoder.

Note: We have purged the prayer list. Please let us know if we have removed a name that should still be on the list.

MILITARY LIST

Julian Davis, Sean Davis, Ryan Maassen, and Cole Overcash

Homebound Members

We have members who are sick or haven't been outside due to the Covid-19 and You know they would love to have some cheer. How about sending out a card or two and let them know they are still loved and missed.

Jerry Anderman: 1013 E. Gibson St. Arcadia, FL 34266

Bob/Shirley Cullom: 807 W. Imogene St. Arcadia, FL 34266

Peggy Dees: 2692 NE Hwy 70 #747 Arcadia, FL 34266

Norma Fisher: 1013 E. Gibson St. Arcadia, FL 34266

Wayne/Marilyn Gallant: 2692 NE Hwy 70 # 626 Arcadia, FL 34266

Robert Treadwell: 2052 NE Floridian Circle Arcadia, FL 3426



Christmas is coming......

The poinsettias will be placed in the sanctuary on December 18 for the season and may be picked up *after* the Christmas Eve Candlelight Service on Dec. 24.

If you would like to purchase poinsettias in memory or in honor of a loved one, please call the church office and we will fill out the order form for you and you may send your donation to the church office **no later than December 18**th The order forms and donations may also be dropped in the offering plates on Sundays, mailed, or brought to the church office. You may still purchase a

poinsettia after December 18th, but your memorial/honor may not be listed until the following Sunday. Order early!! We just have a few ones left.



Last day for collecting money for Christmas Joy is December 20th.

Just a reminder we will be taking down the Christmas decorations on Sunday, January 6th following the worship service.

If you are in need of offering envelopes please call the church office.



Notes from Genie:

Christmas is coming!!

We are ready and excited about our upcoming music on Dec 20th at the 11:00 o'clock service.

The Handbell Choir has been having 2 practices a week to get ready for such a big part of the service. Lots of really great music even jazz! You won't be disappointed!

Please put this on your calendar!



A special Thank You to the Congregational Team and your thoughts and prayers. Sue and Ron Overcash

First Presbyterian Church Paper Angels



Paper Angels... will begin Jan 11th and will continue every 2nd Monday of the month. The Congregational Team has developed a new way to get involved with our community. We will be supplementing items that Trinity Methodist food pantry

does not provide. We have met and come up with a list of items that are needed and we will also greatly appreciate volunteers. These are the items we are starting off with and we may add more items to the list.

Bar soap, small liquid soap, tooth brush, toothpaste, toilet paper, feminine hygiene products (tampons, napkins), paper towels, travel size (body lotion, shampoo, and body wash) wipes and hand sanitizer.



Mark your Calendar....

December 2020

20th th	9:45 am	No Sunday school for Jill or Children classes		
	11:00 am	Christmas Program/Children Coins		
21 st	10:00 am	Monday Morning Ladies		
	5:30 pm	Session Meeting/Pfrangle		
22nd	2:30 pm	Woman's Bible Study/Duplex		
24^{th}	6:00 pm	Christmas Eve Candlelight Service		
27th	11:00 am	Worship		

Attendance/Offering

Offering Last Sunday: \$9,401.50 Year to date: \$189,480.26



December – Birthdays

8 Judy Bremer, 9 Hmingi Browne & Kay Holloman, 11 JoAnn Burtscher, 15 Lindsay Knoche, 20 Donnie Knoche, 21 Marion Townsend, 24 Stephen Winhoven, 26 Robb Adams.



December – Anniversaries

14 - Jeff and Nancy Adams

27 – Don and Shelia Knoche

29 – Tom and Arlene Anderman

Church Mailing Address is:

First Presbyterian Church

20 N. Orange Ave.

Arcadia, FL 34266

SESSION

2020: Dave Bremer, Johnny Maassen, Mac Martin, Mary Ann Treadwell

2021: Beth Liszak, Mitzie McGavic, Skip West

2022: Judy Kirkpatrick, Don Knoche, Jill Maassen, Bill Stander

2023: Jeff Adams, Ann Pepper, Ellie Sutphin, Edith Wildt

ELDERS EMERITI

Margaret Way

David Holloman

Be sure to sign up for our Facebook page and **like** our page. Each day we post a scripture verse and we put up live services and events. We post pictures as well.

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

INSTRUCTIONS FOR WEBSITE

- 1. Type in <u>www.firstpc.church</u>
- 2. You will see the sermon on the main page now so just click on it.

Poinsettias

<u>Placed By:</u> <u>In Loving Memory/Honor Of:</u>

Jeff, Nancy, Robb & Logan Adams Charles & Joyce Harman

Our grandparents

Anonymous Genie Martin & Will Browne

Anonymous Jane Campbell

Rích & Jean Borsmann Our Parents, Roberta Mann

Bill Richards, Rita Banks, Charles Dirr & Harold lebbert

Dave & Judy Bremer Mr. & Mrs. Clinton Bremer

John Z. Randall, Sr

Clara Bremer Mary C. Randall

Lew & Liza Cassels Dad & Granddaddy Calvin Martin

Bill & Dorothy Williams &

Phyllis Bishop

Max Fitzpatrick Lois Rachel Fitzpatrick

Charles & Lola Fitzpatrick Harry & Dorothy Hamilton Perry & Dorothy Biggs

Addison & Caidyn Gill Jimmy & Christie Gill

Díanne Hagan William & Nell Díshong

Jane Rayborn Ella & J. L. Díshong, Sr.

> John L. Díshong, Jr. & Terry Rayborn

Muriel Hall Allison Hall Nelson

Margaret Hays Judge & Mrs. Gordon Hays

Susan Head & Famíly John & Ruth Yama

Darryl Head

Nancy Yama Turner

Rodney & Linda Hollingsworth Mr. & Mrs. A.P. Hollingsworth

Mr. & Mrs. J. P. Lewis

Mr. & Mrs. Bert Hollingsworth

Ann Blocker

David & Kay Holloman Mr. & Mrs. A. P. Holloman

Dr. & Mrs. J. M. McNair

Roy & Judy Kirkpatrick Our Parents

Don & Sheila Knoche Our Parents and our infant child

Margaret Bell

Donnie, Knoche Family Susan Head, Darryl Head

Don & Sheila Knoche

Maybelle Lebbert Harold F. Lebbert - husband

carl Lebbert - son

Janet LoPorto Harp/LoPorto Famílies

David & Debi Maassen Lonnie Gunter, John Maassen

Kathryn Maassen & Lois Creech

Edward & Jill Maassen John & Kathryn Maassen

Norene Maassen

Norman & Barbara Eilertsen

Jack Eilertsen

Johnny & Sue Maassen our precious family and wonderful friends who have

passed

Hugh Martin &

MaryAnn Treadwell Hugh and Marion Martin

Genie Martin Dr. & Mrs. Gordon McSwain

Dr. Calvin W. Martin

Genie Martin & Chancel Choir Charles Dirr

Theodore Zolkos

Mac & Mary Pete Martin Loved ones

Mítzie McGavic Hal White, Rodger White &

Bill McGavic, Sr. & Ruth Ann McGavic

Jerry Nathe David Nathe, Sr., Sean Winhoven

Our Parents

Ellie Sutphin In Memory of Charles Dirr

Robert & Cherie Thomas Ruth & Robert Thomas

Grace & Bill Neal

Marion & Laverne Townsend Matthew or Matt Townsend

Carol Treadwell Kay Heaton - Sister

Margaret Sowers - Sister

MaryAnn Treadwell & Family John "Red" Treadwell

Margaret Way Amos & Amy Way

The Wildt & Esposito Families Jim Wildt, Mr. & Mrs. John York

Joseph & Helen Wildt

Marlou & Ted Zolkos, Judye Moore,

Kenneth McGraw, Charles Dirr