

E-Blast News

June 08, 2025 to June 15, 2025

This Sunday is Pentecost Sunday - 50 days after Jesus' resurrection at Easter. For those of listening in on what was happening from the distance of 2,000 years ago, things seem strangely quiet. And the quiet was at Jesus' direction. Pray, worship, read scripture, care for one another, wait for Jesus sending the Holy Spirit. The minor actions in those 50 days were actions of simple obedience by Jesus' followers, doing what they were told, and the incidental formation of a new fellowship. The major action of those days was the action of God - Father, Son and Holy Spirit - especially the Holy Spirit! Surely those 50 days gave the followers at least a brief time to come to terms with the startling new development of Jesus alive, speaking, teaching.

We celebrate by a focused worship service, the wearing of red and lighting of red candles and by listening again to story of the Spirit coming upon all of Jesus' followers. We will hear hymns, the scripture read, prayers for the church - for all of you that together are the church. We get to relive the birth of the church from different perspectives. And we must be open to God sending new people to be a part of who we are - followers of Jesus.

I love the church and especially look forward to seeing you who are the living heart of this church.

Yours in Christ's Service,

Will

Church Prayer List

FPC MEMBERS:

Tom and Arlene Anderman, Jean Borsmann, Shirley Cullom, Ellen Davis,
Marilyn Gallant, Murial Hall, MayBelle Lebbert, Jerry Nathe,
MaryAnn Treadwell and Edith Wildt.

FPC – FAMILY / FRIENDS

Bobby & Charlaine Adams, Wayne Adams, David Allen, Diane Brantley, Amy Deming,
Earl & Kay Frierson, Tripp Johnson, Donna Jones, Jimmy Lanier,
Lisa Letson, Jacquelyn Lopez, Jill Logan, Ian & Sandra McLaughan, Keith Markey,
Wayne & Judy Onofri, Jim Reinhart, **Stephanie Purvis Rohling**, Bob and Pam Simmons,
Donna Stakey, Jerry Waters and Margaret White.

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

Senior Airman Roland Phelps

Look what's coming.....

Sunday Jun 08 9:45 No Sunday School

10:30 Choir Practice

11:15 Worship Service

Please wear Red for Pentecost and bring a RED candle

Wednesday Jun 11 12:30 Bible Study/Duplex

Friday Jun 13 12:30 Men's Luncheon/Reef & Beef

Sunday Jun 15 10:30 Choir Practice

11:15 Worship Service/Pentecost

Collection for the Center for the Needy

If you are interested in joining First Presbyterian Church of Arcadia, we would love to have you do so. Please speak with Pastor Will Browne or Clerk of Session Jill Maassen

Church Plates for Sale

I have 4 church plates for sale.

2 - of the old First Presbyterian Church

2 – of the new First Presbyterian Church

If you are interested, please stop by the office.

Price is \$10.00 each.

Special thank you to all those who helped with the celebration of life for Wayne Gallant:

The food and kitchen angels: Nancy Ambler, Judy Bremer, JoAnna Hewitt, Jan LoPorto, Debi Maassen, Jill Maassen, Sue Maassen, Genie Martin, Mary Presson, Ellie Sutphin, and Marlou Zolkos. If we missed you we apologized and please let us know.

Homebound Members Addresses

For those who are sending cards...

Jackie Combs	9408 Rochester Rd, Minerva, OH 44657
Peggy Dees	2692 NE Hwy 70 #747 Arcadia, FL 34266
Norma Fisher	1013 E. Gibson St. Arcadia, FL 34266
Muriel Hall	1013 E. Gibson St. Arcadia, FL 34266
MaryAnn Treadwell	11741 Lake Aston Court, Apt 113 Tampa, FL 33626
Frank & Terry West	1224 SW Scott Dr. Arcadia, FL 34266

Military Member

CM1 Ryan Maassen	13972 Shields Bridge Rd, Belle Haven, VA
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Bill's Paper Angels

News

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

Distribution will be on **Monday June 9, 2025.**

Arcadia Center for the Needy

A special collection for Arcadia Center for the Needy is the

June 15, 2025

However, you may donate at any time. If donating by check please put Arcadia Center for the Needy in the memo section. We also collect cans with pop up tops. The cans can be dropped off at the office.

Church Information

Attendance/Offering

Attendance Last Sunday: 28

Via Facebook: 43

Offering Last Sunday: \$

Year to Date: \$ 77,233.41



June Birthday's

Jun	02	Roy Kirkpatrick
	03	Tyler Maassen
	07	Peggy Latimer
	08	Skip West
	11	Marlou Zolkos
	16	Genie Martin
	24	Will Browne
	26	Ron Overcash
	29	Liza Cassels

Church Mailing Address is:

Office Hours: 9:00 am to 3:00 pm

First Presbyterian Church

Dr. Rev. Will Browne 941-928-7504

20 N. Orange Ave. Arcadia, FL 34266 Phone: 863-494-4434

SESSION

2025: Dave Bremer, Jill Maassen, Mac Martin, Terry Presson

2026: Jeff Adams, Ellie Sutphin, David Maassen, Don Knoche

2027: Jackie Harris, Donnie Knoche, Tyler Maassen, Edith Wildt

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 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 give me a call at the office. 863-494-4434.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR WEBSITE

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