PRAYER REQUESTS

Please remember these people in prayer

Elliot Fifer asks for continued prayers as Elliot faces the stress and anxiety of a new school and the move from Abbott House in Mitchell to Sioux Falls. Please also pray for residents at Abbott House as they need a little extra support and guidance from others.

Please pray for **Kylie Bosch** who continues to have neck pain and headaches.

Terry Keill gives prayers of thanks to the FPC prayer warriors for offering up prayers for her daughter, **Lindsey**, as she went through testing for a mass. It was determined to be benign. Praise the Lord!

Earl Kemp asks for prayers on behalf of the "Ambassadors for Christ" group for the people of Gaza where on Thursday, a hospital was bombed, killing a surgeon, his patient and four other people, and wounding 28, thereby shuttering most of the last medical services in the region.

The **FPC Office Volunteers** ask for prayers for **Rose De Jager,** who died earlier this week**,** and her children **Danielle De Jager Loftus** and her family, **Heather Juszczyk** and her family and **Myles De Jager** and his family. Please keep all of them and her extended family in your prayers.

Please also continue to keep these people in your prayers

Larry, Dan, Marilyn, Jessica, Eva and Marge.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Welcome

November 22, 2026 9:30 a.m. Rev. Scott Phillips

Ushers: Pam Ephgrave, Con Schliinz and Ken & Rebecca Schliinz

Bold indicates Congregation response
* Indicates points of the service where the Congregation stands in body or spirit.
Please complete the "Connection" insert and place it in the offering plate.

GOD'S PEOPLE GATHERING

Prelude arr. P. Manz, "Now Thank We All Our God" Dan Graber, Organ

arr. M. Compton, "Rejoice, the Lord Is King" Bell Chorale

Welcome and Announcements Rev. Scott Phillips

*** Call to Worship**

Leader: God calls us together to one table from many places;
People: We come as best we can, with both joy and pain in our hearts.
Leader: God hears both our shouts of celebration and cries of exhaustion;
People: We come with gratitude, and with grief.
Leader: The One who healed the lepers on the road still calls us by name.
People: We come to give thanks, for every good gift is from God.
Leader: In the plenty and in hesitation, God has been with us.
People: In joy and in sorrow, God is still ours today.
Leader: Let us lift up our hearts and bring thanks to the Lord.
All: Let us worship God!

***Opening Hymn** #643 "Now Thank We All Our God" NUN DANKET ALLE GOTT

PREPARING FOR THE WORD OF GOD

*** Prayer of Confession**

Gracious and merciful God, you have given us life, provision, and the gift of one another. We confess that we often receive your gifts and hurry on our way without consideration. We forget to turn back and give thanks.

You have seen our times of plenty when we trust in what we have stored up. You have seen our times of anxiety when want doubt that you are near. Through it all we obsess about ourselves, passing by neighbors who stand at a distance. We keep count of what we lack and lose count of what we have been given. Forgive us, Lord, and renew our compassionate hearts. Help us to return to you, praising with loud voice and sharing your gifts with open hands. Through our provider and example, Jesus Christ, we pray.

Amen.

*** Assurance of Forgiveness**

*** Sharing the Peace of Christ**

*** Response to Forgiveness** #581 – "Glory Be to the Father" GLORIA PATRI

Anthem arr. S. Eithun, "Come, Ye Thankful People, Come" Bell Chorale

RECEIVING GOD'S WORD ANEW

Scripture Reading NT: Luke 17:11-19
OT: Deuteronomy 8:7-18 Claire Gillaspey

Time with Children Kathie Douma

Sermon Countless Gifts of Love

RESPONDING TO THE WORD

Call for the Offering

Offertory "No Outsiders" Praise Band

Prayers of the People and The Lord's Prayer

*** Closing Song** "Counting Every Blessing" Praise Band

*** Benediction**

Postlude "Because of Your Love" Praise Band

Adult Education	Following worship in the Lounge at 10:40 a.m. Grab a coffee and come join in the discussion
Children's & Youth Sunday School	10:30 – following worship

Please remember to check the Connection/Welcome Room for the Sign-Ups Board to sign up for FPC Events

First Presbyterian Church Calendar
11/22/26 – 11/29/26

Sunday—11/22
Adams Scholarship Bake Sale – 8:00 (Chapel)
Sunday Worship – 9:30 (Sanctuary)
Fellowship Coffee – 10:30 (Chapel)
Adult Education – 10:30 (Sanctuary)
Children Sunday School – 10:30 (Rm 108,109,110,111,112)
Youth Sunday School – 10:30 (Rm 201)
Monday—11/23
Women's Study Group – 11:00 (Rm 204)
Men's Bible Study – 6:00 (Welcome Rm)
Tuesday—11/24
Kingdom Kids – 8:30 (Covenant Center/Gym, 115)
Staff Meeting – 8:45 (Rm 204)
Organ Practice – 11:00 (Sanctuary)
Peaceworks – 12:00 (Rm 212)
Worship Planning Meeting—1:30 (Rm 204)
Praise Band Rehearsal – 5:45 (Sanctuary)
Pickleball – 7:00 (Covenant Center/Gym)
Wednesday—11/25
Organ Practice – 3:00 (Sanctuary)
PNC – 5:30 (Rm 204)
Kids Club – 6:30 (Kid Min Rm)
Choir Rehearsal – 7:30 (Choir Rm)
Mom's – 8:00 (Welcome Rm)
Thursday—11/26
FPC Closed
Friday—11/27
FPC Closed
Sunday—11/29
Sunday Worship – 9:30 (Sanctuary)
Fellowship Coffee – 10:30 (Chapel)