

# Fircrest Presbyterian Church

FPC Update April 17, 2024

Hello FPC,

Isn't it lovely to be greeted by the rows and rows of daffodils as we enjoy this beautiful spring weather! These lovely ladies reminded me of a favorite A .A. Milne poem:

## Daffodowndilly

She wore her yellow sun-bonnet,  
She wore her greenest gown;  
She turned to the south wind  
And curtsied up and down.  
She turned to the sunlight  
And shook her yellow head,  
And whispered to her neighbour:  
"Winter is dead."

Yes, spring brings so many new beginnings. If you were with us on Sunday you heard about our new family member. After years of (near constant) reminders from our daughter that no child's life is complete without a dog, we gave in and welcomed Moxie Morgan home! She is a 1 year old ball of energy and love:



This Sunday we will continue our journey in the letter of 1 John, as we contemplate how we shall now live in light of the resurrection.

Upcoming events:

April 27th, morning - start planting in the We Dig Fircrest Community Garden

April 27th, 2pm - Nancy Caughlan Memorial

May 4th, 10am - New Members Class, sign up on Sunday or email the office

May 5th, 7:00pm - Marty Solomon, BEMA

May these sunny spring days fill you with the hope of new creation,

Pastor Taeler

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### Phishing for Info



There is a new Phishing email being sent to members. Remember, Pastor Taeler will **NEVER** ask you to "**do her a favor**" and purchase and send pictures of gift cards for staff or fellow church members.

Also, please forward any emails asking for a copy of the directory by a "New Member" to the office.

### Opportunities / Events

#### New Member Class

Are you interested in becoming a member of FPC? A New Member Class will be held Saturday May 4, 2024 from 10am-1pm at Pastor Taeler's house. Please sign-up in the Narthex or contact the office.

Volunteer to lead the **kids JOY program** on Sunday morning: this is a great opportunity for the kids to get to know you better and it is a gift to families to experience the value of intergenerational relationships here at FPC. Sign up on Sunday morning!

#### We Dig Fircrest Presbyterian Church Community Garden

We will start digging Saturday April 27th at 9:00am. Our Garden committee is busy working on the watering system upgrade and this year's garden layout. We would love to have you join us. Watch for more information!

#### Worship

We worship each Sunday at 10:30 am both in person and via Zoom. If you would like to worship via Zoom, [click here to join Sunday morning worship](#). Or you can join worship by calling 253.215.8782 and using Meeting ID: 986 5172 9320 and Passcode: 423758.

#### Bookkeeper/Treasurer Email

Please use this email to contact Robin for any financial communications: **Bookkeeper/Treasurer email: [fircrestbooks@gmail.com](mailto:fircrestbooks@gmail.com).**

#### Church Calendar

You can find the church calendar [here](#). Please let us know if you have any problem accessing the calendar, and/or whether you have any updates for us to add.

### UPCOMING GATHERINGS AND EVENTS

**Wednesdays at 5:00pm:** Kids Group.

**Wednesdays at 6:00pm:** Youth Chimes Choir.

**Wednesdays at 6:30 pm:** Adult Bell Choir.

**Wednesdays at 7:10pm:** Adult Singing Choir.

**Saturday, April 27, 2024 at 2:00pm:** Memorial Nancy Caughlan.

**Saturday, May 4th at 10am:** New Member Class.

**May 5th, 7:00pm - Marty Solomon, BEMA**

**April Food Bank Donations:**

**Families Unlimited:** *Cereal, Pop-top Pasta Dinners, Canned Fruit, Pancake Mix, Baby Wipes.*

**Proctor Food Bank:** *Heavy plastic and paper bags.*

**Oasis:** *Individually packaged snacks.*

**We are still collecting egg cartons!**

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