

SCHEDULE CHANGES

During Holy Week, Monday March 26 through Friday March 30, we will have worship each evening starting at 5:30 p.m. On Wednesday March 28, there will be no Wednesday night dinner or program, only the 5:30 pm worship service. On Easter morning (April 1st), in addition to the normal worship time of 9:30 a.m., there will also be a 6:45 a.m. sunrise service at Lion's Park at Beck Lake.

Because the Cody Schools have spring break the 1st week of April, we will also have no Wednesday night programming of any kind on Wednesday April 4.

On Wednesday April 11, we will begin our new meeting schedule with the Wednesday night meal and activities starting at 5:30 p.m., as well as all Deacon and Session committees meeting in the sanctuary starting at 6:15 p.m.

2018 PER CAPITA

If you wish to help our congregation with the per capita amounts, we would gladly welcome it as we just sent off a check for \$10,457.43. Please write "Per Capita" on your check or the envelope. For those who were granted relief of conscience requests, only the amount to the Presbytery was remitted. Below amounts are per-person:

Presbytery	31.82
General Assembly	7.73
Synod	3.50
Total:	\$43.05

ONE GREAT HOUR OF SHARING: A gift to One Great Hour of Sharing enables the church to share God's love with our neighbors-in-need around the world by providing relief to those affected by natural disasters, provide food to the hungry, and helping to empower the poor and oppressed. Our church is collecting offerings through the fish banks that the children received in Sunday school, as well as the envelopes provided in the pews. **Please return offerings by Palm Sunday, March 25.** Visit the table outside the sanctuary for more information or visit www.presbyterianmission.org/oghs.

CARING FOR JOAN A Calendar has been set up on line where people can sign up to bring Joan Quick a meal. If you would like to help please log on to carecalendar.org and enter 267615 for the Calendar ID and 2472 for the security code. You will then be able to access the calendar and fill as needed. If you have any questions or would like to help but don't have a computer, please contact Tammy Scott or Rae Eckley in the office.

SAVE-ONE ABORTION HEALING BIBLE STUDY IS STARTING SOON!

A SaveOne Abortion Healing class will begin in April. Perhaps you, or someone you know is struggling, either from personal experience or from a close relationship with someone who had an abortion. There is no need to carry feelings of shame and humiliation of a past abortion. Let us help you find deliverance through God's abundant grace. Call Serenity today and ask about our confidential and FREE abortion healing study [307-213-5025](tel:307-213-5025).

Welcome Visitors!

We are glad that you are here this morning. Please sign and pass the attendance pad at the end of the pew. We would especially appreciate having your name, address, and phone number, because we would like to have a chance to thank you for being with us. We invite you to join us for coffee after the service.

Worshipping with children: While children are always welcome in worship, we are happy to offer a nursery, staffed by trained and loving caregivers. The nursery is located in the east wing of the church, about halfway down the hall. Please speak with an usher if you would like assistance finding the nursery.

Listening Devices: If you need an assisted listening device, please ask one of the ushers and they will be happy to help you.

2018 ELDERS

Building & Grounds	Curt Scott (19)
Stewardship, Budget & Personnel	Ole Sondeno (18) Peggy Farman (19)
Clerk of Session	Cathy Aardema
Worship	Jonene Geile (20)
Congregational Life and Education	Jack Atkins (18) Patty Brus (19) Connie Fisher (20) Mary Phillips (20) Vieune Revolinski (18)
Evangelism and Mission	Sarah Thomas (18) Roy Holm (19)
2018 BOARD OF DEACONS	
Amy Eckert (20), Moderator	Judy Bates (19)
Hugh Currah (18)	Karen Snyder (20)
Mary McDonald (18)	Chris Beers (20)
Ginny Donnelly (19)	Jan Bensink (20)
Quincy Sondeno (19)	

First Presbyterian Church, Cody Wyoming

Sunday Worship Service: 9:30 am

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Contact Tammy Scott for more information



MATURING IN CHRIST
come grow with us

First Presbyterian Church, Cody Wyoming

March 18, 2018
5th Sunday in Lent

Please print your name on the attendance pad
and pass it down your row.

Please turn off cell phones

PRELUDE

"My Hope is Built on Nothing Less" (Hymnal #379)

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS
One Great Hour of Sharing

PRAYER

CALL TO WORSHIP

We delight to draw near to you, gracious God.

We rejoice in the many gifts you have given us.

We lift up our hearts and voices in praise.

We humble ourselves before the God of all worlds.

We gather to remember God's commandments.

We seek for ourselves the wisdom God imparts.

The wisdom of God is not like any other.

It draws us away from the world's agenda.

God sends us into the world with new priorities.

We are grounded in the Spirit that we might be discerning.

We are filled with the mind of Christ.

We are already citizens of God's realm.

“Humble Thyself in the Sight of the Lord” (Praise Book #28)

UNISON PRAYER OF CONFESSION

O God, you call out to us, saying, “Here I am,” but we do not listen. You pour out on us spiritual gifts, but we do not discern them. You call us to build a more just society but we cling to our advantages. Forgive us, we pray, and help us to change. Help us to know and understand Jesus Christ that we might reflect the God of glory in our daily living. Create in us a generosity that reflects your own. Pour out your spirit on this congregation that we might understand and use it to build and repair and restore. Amen

CHILDREN’S MESSAGE

Micah 6:8 Page 1447

OFFERING

CHOIR “House of the Lord”

SCRIPTURES

1 Peter 5:1-11 Page 1892

MESSAGE “Maturing in Christ”

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD’S PRAYER

“In Christ Alone” (Praise Book #37)

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

USHERS: Bret and Mary Reed
NURSERY: Bryan and Stacey Skoric
MUSIC ACCOMPANIST: Tim Schoessler
WORSHIP LEADERS: Jonene Geile and Wendy Corr
Pastor Pat Montgomery

EMPOWERED TO CONNECT, SIMULCAST APRIL 13 & 14

8:00 am – 4:00 pm each day The content is ideal for adoptive and foster parents, those considering adoption or foster care, and those who are serving and supporting others, including social workers, agency professionals, church staff and ministry leaders, counselors, and therapists. Contact Patty Brus for more information 307-272-0832. \$25 Registration fee. To learn more about the event: <https://empoweredcody.eventbrite.com>

PW GARAGE SALE, Saturday, April 21, 8:00 a.m. - Noon

Mark your calendars for the Presbyterian Women's Garage Sale. As you start your Spring cleaning and organizing closets please save any items you wish to donate (no clothes please). Proceeds of this biannual event support our numerous local and world wide missions. For additional information please contact Nancy Horn, Joan Wright or any Presbyterian Woman.

MOPS GARAGE SALE, Saturday, April 28, 8:00 a.m.

SUMMER AT CAMP STORY!

Summer camp for our kids 5th-12th grades will be at Camp Story, our Presbyterian camp near Story, Wyo. Five theme-based camps will be held through the summer. Brochures are in the entryway. Contact Vieune for more information. 899-5979.

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5:30 pm Worship service each evening.

Wednesday March 28:

No Wednesday night dinner or program. Only the 5:30 pm worship service.

Easter Morning - April 1st:

6:45 am - Sunrise Service at Lion’s Park at Beck Lake

9:30 am - Regular Worship Service

(Easter Egg Hunt following regular worship service)

NO – Sunday School

Wednesday April 4:

NO – Wednesday night programing of any kind.

Sunday April 8:

Sunday School resumes

Wednesday April 11:

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PLEASE INCLUDE THE PERSONS LISTED BELOW IN YOUR PRAYERS:

(Please notify us if specific prayer concerns need to be extended beyond two weeks)

Marvin Stamback
Carolyn Kearns
Karen Ritscher

Tony and Audrey Bork
Dennis Walker

Committee Meeting Schedule

- 5:15 pm 1st Monday Christian Education
- 4:30 pm 1st Monday Congregational Life
- 5:15 pm 2nd Monday Stewardship, Budget and Personnel
- 6:00 pm 2nd Monday Worship
- 6:00 pm 2nd Monday Deacons
- 6:30 pm 3rd Monday Session
- 5:00 pm 4th Monday Building & Grounds
- 6:30 pm 4th Monday Mission & Evangelism

This Week’s Calendar

Sunday, March 18

9:30 am Worship Service
(After Service) Choir Practice
10:30 am Fellowship
11:00 am Sunday School

Monday, March 19

6:30 pm Session Meeting

Wednesday, March 21

9:00 am MOPS
5:30 pm Wednesday Night Program

Sunday, March 25 (Palm Sunday)

9:30 am Worship Service
(After Service) Choir Practice
10:30 am Fellowship
11:00 am Sunday School
