

Fort Worth Presbyterian Church



June 15, 2025

To all who are spiritually weary and seek rest; to all who mourn and long for comfort; to all who struggle and desire victory; to all who sin and need a Savior; to all who are strangers and want fellowship; to all who hunger and thirst after righteousness; and to all who will come, this church opens wide her doors and offers a welcome in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ.

About FWPC



Visitor Registration



The front of the bulletin and the color of the minister's stole are currently red, which signifies the day of Pentecost – the day when the risen and reigning Jesus poured out His Spirit upon his people, thus forming the Church.

Fellowship (koinonia) is a Trinitarian experience; it is our share in God and it expresses what we share together, what we give as well as what we receive.

John Stott

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Courtesy walker and wheelchair are available at the main entrance.

Hearing Assistive Devices (FM Receivers) are at the back sound booth.

† Congregation standing

Order of the Worship of God

— June 15, 2025 —

Trinity Sunday

Welcome & Announcements

Prepare our Hearts for Worship

ENTERING GOD'S PRESENCE

The Gospel Greeting

Rev. Brandon Eggar

Pastor: Blessed is the Kingdom of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

People: Amen!

† The Call to Worship

Pastor: Grace and peace to you from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ.

People: Our Lord Jesus gave Himself for our sins to deliver us from this present evil age; according to the will of our God and Father, to whom be the glory forever and ever.

Pastor: Come, and in the power of the Spirit, let us give glory to the Holy Trinity, the God of our salvation. Christ is in our midst!

People: He is and ever shall be!

PRAISE TO THE LORD, THE ALMIGHTY

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty, the King of creation!
O my soul, praise Him, for He is thy health and salvation!

All ye who hear,
now to His temple draw near,
join me in glad adoration.

Praise to the Lord, who o'er all things so wondrously reigneth,
shelters thee under His wings, yea, so gently sustaineth!

Hast thou not seen
how thy desires e'er have been
granted in what He ordaineth?

Praise to the Lord, who doth prosper thy work and defend thee!
Surely His goodness and mercy here daily attend thee;

ponder anew
what the Almighty will do,
if with His love He befriend thee.

Praise to the Lord, who with marvelous wisdom hath made thee,
decked thee with health, and with loving hand guided and stayed thee.

How oft in grief
hath not He brought thee relief,
spreading His wings to o'ershade thee!

Praise to the Lord! O let all that is in me adore Him!
All that hath life and breath, come now with praises before Him!

Let the amen
sound from His people again;
gladly fore'er we adore Him.

† Invocation

† Psalm Reading

Psalm 8

Pastor: O LORD, our Lord, how majestic is Your name in all the earth! You have set Your glory above the heavens.

People: Out of the mouths of babies and infants, You have established strength because of Your foes, to still the enemy and the avenger.

Pastor: When I look at Your heavens, the work of Your fingers, the moon and the stars, which You have set in place,

People: What is man that You are mindful of him, and the son of man that You care for him?

Pastor: Yet You have made him a little lower than the heavenly beings and crowned with glory and honor.

People: You have given him dominion over the works of Your hands; You have put all things under his feet,

Pastor: All sheep and oxen, and also the beasts of the field, the birds of the heavens, and the fish of the sea, whatever passes along the paths of the seas.

All: O LORD, our Lord, how majestic is Your name in all the earth! Amen.

† Doxology

Red Trinity Hymnal # 731
OLD HUNDREDTH

Praise God, from Whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

Confession of Sin

Pastor: Let us now confess our sins together:

People: O Lord, when we keep silent concerning our sins, our bones waste away as Your hand lies heavy upon us. Therefore, we will acknowledge our sins to You. We will not hide our iniquity. We will confess our transgressions, trusting that You forgive the iniquity of our sin.

From Psalm 32:5

Silent Confession

Song of Confession

Heal us, Em-man-uel, here we are.

We long to feel Thy touch.

Deep wound-ed souls to Thee we fly;

O, Sav-ior hear our cry.

Our faith is fee-ble we con-fess,

We faint-ly trust Thy word;

But will you pi-ty us the less?

Be that far from you, Lord!

† Assurance of Pardon

Pastor: Blessed is the one whose transgression is forgiven, who sin is covered.

Psalm 32:1

All: Thanks be to God!

† The Greeting of Peace

Pastor: The peace of Christ be with you!

People: And also with you!

At this time, please greet those around you with the peace of Christ.

† Song of Renewal

KING OF KINGS

In the darkness we were waiting
Without hope without light
Till from Heaven You came running
There was mercy in Your eyes
To fulfill the law and prophets
To a virgin came the Word
From a throne of endless glory
To a cradle in the dirt

*Praise the Father
Praise the Son
Praise the Spirit three in one
God of Glory
Majesty
Praise forever to the King of kings*

To reveal the kingdom coming
And to reconcile the lost
To redeem the whole creation
You did not despise the cross

For even in Your suffering
You saw to the other side
Knowing this was our salvation
Jesus for our sake You died (*Chorus*)

And the morning that You rose
All of heaven held its breath
Till that stone was moved for good
For the Lamb had conquered death

And the dead rose from their tombs
And the angels stood in awe
For the souls of all who'd come
To the Father are restored

And the Church of Christ was born
Then the Spirit lit the flame
Now this Gospel truth of old
Shall not kneel shall not faint

By His blood and in His Name
In His freedom I am free
For the love of Jesus Christ
Who has resurrected me (*Chorus*)

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COMMITTING TO GOD'S KINGDOM

Sacrament of Baptism

Reid William Foley (Covenant Child of Mike and Betsey)

Prayer of Intercession

Tim Watt

Common Prayer

Elder: Let us now join our voices praying:

All: Almighty and everlasting God, You have given us Your servant's grace by the confession of a true faith to acknowledge the glory of the eternal Trinity, and in the power of the divine majesty to worship the unity – we ask You, that through the steadfastness of this faith, we may be evermore defended from all adversity. Amen.

Morning Offering & KIWI Release

*Children Pre-K through 2nd grade can now be dismissed for KIWI
(Kids In Worship Instruction).*

Teachers will meet the children in the foyer to take them to class.

*After the sermon, their teachers will return them to worship where they may come directly to
you, or you may meet them at the back of the auditorium.*



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LISTENING TO GOD'S WORD

The Reading of the Word

Acts 2:42-47

⁴² And they devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and the fellowship, to the breaking of bread and the prayers. ⁴³ And awe came upon every soul, and many wonders and signs were being done through the apostles. ⁴⁴ And all who believed were together and had all things in common. ⁴⁵ And they were selling their possessions and belongings and distributing the proceeds to all, as any had need. ⁴⁶ And day by day, attending the temple together and breaking bread in their homes, they received their food with glad and generous hearts, ⁴⁷ praising God and having favor with all the people. And the Lord added to their number day by day those who were being saved.

Reader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

A SPIRIT-FILLED CHURCH

A Worshipping Church

A Loving Church

A Missional Church

Discussion Questions:

1. In what ways is FWPC reflecting the Spirit-filled community we see in this passage? In what ways are we not, and why do you think this is?
2. Would you describe yourself as one who is addicted (devoted) to the worship of God on the Lord's Day?
3. How is worship to shape our life together?
4. How is our Spirit-filled community to be a witness to those who don't know Jesus?

FEASTING AT GOD'S TABLE

The Celebration of Communion

The Great Thanksgiving

Pastor: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Pastor: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them up to the Lord.

Pastor: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: It is right to give Him thanks and praise.

Pastor: It is good, right, and our delight that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, O Lord, Holy Father, Almighty, Everlasting God. Therefore, with angels and archangels and with all the company of Heaven we praise and magnify Your glorious name evermore praising You and singing:

The musical score is written for a single voice part in treble clef, with a key signature of two flats (B-flat and E-flat) and a time signature of 3/4. The melody is simple and hymn-like, with lyrics written below the notes. The lyrics are: "Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow - er, God of might, heav - en and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho - san - na in the high - est, Bless - ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est, ho - san - na in the high - est." The score consists of six lines of music. The first line ends with a comma, the second with a period, the third with a comma, the fourth with a period, the fifth with a comma, and the sixth with a period. The final note of the sixth line is a whole note, followed by a double bar line.

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow - er,
God of might, heav - en and earth are full of your glo - ry.____
____ Ho - san - na in the high - est,_____
Bless - ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.____
Ho - san - na in the high - est,____ ho - san - na in the
high - - est.

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Prayer of Consecration

Words of Institution

The Confession

Pastor: Christ our Passover has been sacrificed for us!

People: Hallelujah!

Pastor: Let us proclaim the mystery of the Faith:

People: Christ has died.

Christ is risen.

Christ will come again. Hallelujah!

Pastor: And now our Holy Master, that with boldness and without condemnation, we dare to call upon You, the Heavenly God, as our Father, and say:

All: Our Father, who art in Heaven, hallowed be Your name, Your kingdom come, Your will be done on earth as it is in Heaven. Give us this day, our daily bread, and forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who sin against us, and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil; for Yours is the Kingdom and the Power, and the Glory forever. Amen.

Pastor: The holy gifts of God for the holy people of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you and feed on him in your hearts by faith and with thanksgiving. Let us now partake of the feast!

*(Clear cups are wine and purple cups are grape juice,
Gluten/Dairy free wafers are individually wrapped)*

Statements for Communion:

“The body of Christ for you.”

“The blood of Christ for you.”

“You have new life in Christ.”

“You have full forgiveness in Christ.”

Understanding Holy Communion

“For Christ our Passover has also been sacrificed for us, therefore, let us celebrate the feast.” – 1 Corinthians 5:7-8

Because we believe the Table belongs to the Lord, it is vital that you come this morning on His terms:

1. You must be in communion with Jesus Christ by faith and repentance, trusting Him alone for your salvation.
– *1 Corinthians 11:27-29*
2. You must be in communion with your brothers and sisters in Christ.
– *Matthew 5:23-24; Ephesians 4:1-6*
3. You must be in communion with the church (any Bible-believing church) as a baptized member in good standing.
– *Matthew 18:15-18; Hebrews 13:17*
4. Because we seriously heed Scripture's admonition in 1 Corinthians 11:28-29, we invite children who are ready to make a public profession of saving faith to complete the Communicants Class materials available at the book table, arrange a meeting with the elders, and thus become regular “communicants” at the Lord’s Table. Contact Rebecca York at rebecca@fortworthpca.org.

*"But let a man examine himself, and so let him
eat of the bread and drink of the cup."
– 1 Corinthians 11:28-29*

Prayers for Those Not Communing

For those searching for truth: Lord Jesus, You claim to be the way, the truth and the life. If what You claim is true, please guide me, teach me, and open to me the reality of who You are. Give me the ability to follow You no matter what it might cost me. Give me an understanding for You that is coherent, convincing, and leads to the life that You promise. Amen.

For those who desire to profess faith in Christ: Lord Jesus, I admit that I am weaker and more sinful than I ever believed, but through You, I am more loved and accepted than I ever dared hope. I thank You for paying my debt, bearing my punishment on the cross and offering forgiveness and new life. Knowing that You have been raised from the dead and are now representing me at the Father's right hand in heaven, I turn from my sins and receive you as my savior. Amen.

A prayer for those struggling against sin: Lord Jesus, give me the ability to see in You the fulfillment of all my needs and desires, and help me to turn from every false source of satisfaction to feed on You, the true and living bread. Enable me to lay aside the sin that clings so closely to me, and run with perseverance the race that You have set before me, looking only to You, the author and perfecter of my faith. Amen.

A prayer for covenant children who have not yet made a profession of faith: Lord Jesus, thank You for giving me the opportunity to grow up in a Christian family where I am surrounded by the good news of the gospel. Help me to grow in my understanding of who you are and what you have done for me on the cross. Help me learn what it means for me to turn from my sins and trust in you alone for my salvation. Teach me what it means to follow You as one of Your disciples. Amen.

HOW SWEET AND AWESOME IS THE PLACE

How sweet and awesome is the place
with Christ within the doors,
while everlasting love displays
the choicest of her stores.

While all our hearts and all our songs
join to admire the feast,
each of us cries, with thankful tongue,
"Lord, why was I a guest?"

"Why was I made to hear Your voice,
and enter while there's room,
when thousands make a wretched choice,
and rather starve than come?"

spread the feast
that sweetly drew us in;
else we had still refused to taste,
and perished in our sin.

Pity the nations, O our God,
constrain the earth to come;
send Your victorious Word abroad,
and bring the strangers home.

We long to see Your churches full,
that all the chosen race
may, with one voice and heart and soul,
sing Your redeeming grace.

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Pastor: Let us pray:

All: Lord Jesus, we thank You that in the power of Your Spirit You meet with us and minister to us at Your Table. Use this meal to bind our hearts together in love and service to You our gracious Lord. Amen.

GOING OUT WITH GOD'S BLESSING

† Song of Sending

REJOICE

Rejoice in the Lord now and always
Sing it again we rejoice
Delight in the love He has shown us
Gratefully lift up your voice
His gentleness among us
Will join our hearts with praise
We gather in His goodness
A family of grace

Chorus

*With each breath He's given praise the Lord
In these times we live in we will praise the Lord
Throughout every season I am sure
We have every reason to praise the Lord*

Rejoice and be anxious for nothing
Praying for all that you need
Come with a song of thanksgiving
Lay your requests at His feet
His peace will fall upon us

To guard our hearts and minds
In Christ who reigns eternal
Shepherd of our lives (*Chorus*)

Rejoice in the Lord now and always
Tell of the good He has done
Worship the Lord to remember
All of the joy yet to come
The hope that burns within us
The dark cannot destroy
With praise that's never ending
We say again rejoice

*With each breath He's given praise the Lord
In these times we live in we will praise the Lord
Throughout every season I am sure
We have every reason to praise the Lord
We have every reason to praise the Lord*

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† The Sending

Pastor: All our problems, struggles, fears, and anxieties:

All: We send them to the cross of Christ.

Pastor: All the devil's works:

All: We cast them on the cross of Christ.

Pastor: All our hopes:

All: We set them on the risen Christ.

Pastor: The call we have received to follow Christ:

All: We rest in the reigning Christ and the power of His Holy Spirit who dwells in us.

† The Blessing

Pastor: The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with us all. Christ is in our midst!

People: He is and ever shall be!

Deacon of the Day

Cody Bailey – June 15

Kris Keffer – June 22

Chris Jordan– June 29

Save the Date

June 15, 11:30 am –VBS Volunteer Training, Lecture Hall

Information & Events

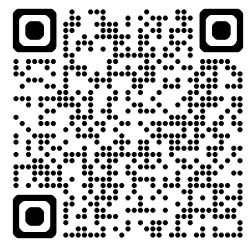
Visitors: Pick up visitor information at the visitor kiosk in the Fellowship Hall immediately following morning worship.

VBS Craft Prep Night is **Tuesday, June 17**, 7:00 p.m. at the Diamantopoulos home: 6121 Kenwick Avenue, Fort Worth, TX 76116. We will be cutting, sorting, and preparing materials. Please join us if you can! Call/text Sarah with any questions at 713-818-2908.

Bridge Builders Seminars will each offer two presentations that explore where our faith and science meet and conclude with a discussion of thought-provoking questions designed to “build bridges” with others in our working communities. On **Saturday, June 21**, we will consider COVID-19 and the periodic table. Join us from 9:00-10:30 am in the Lecture Hall. Breakfast is provided. Questions? Contact Bob Schwartzbeck.

The PCA Unity Fund was established in 2016 to help raise up future generations of godly, reformed, African American and other minority Ruling Elders and Teaching Elders. Scholarships supported by these designated gifts are also used for individuals of diverse minority backgrounds recommended by a church session to serve on staff in a non-ordained role where advanced education will be beneficial to the church, its community, and the Kingdom. A special offering is being taken **today through next Sunday**. Please note PCA Unity Offering on the memo line of your check or give online at continuetogive.com/unitypca.

Capital Campaign: You can help us steward our beautiful, aging church building well. Our goal is to raise \$200,000 to replenish the facility maintenance fund that has recently covered new sanctuary air-conditioning units, a new front door, flood and roof repairs, drainage correction, and new carpeting. Please prayerfully consider how you can give generously.



New Covenant Child: Congratulations to Kris and Gabbie Shafer on the birth of their son Lantz Ernest James Shafer. He came into the world on May 25, at 9 lbs, 2 oz. and 22". Praise be to God for this good and perfect gift!



Women's Summer Social

Monday, June 23, 7:00 pm

Katie Wade's

6328 Curzon Avenue
Fort Worth, TX 76116

Desserts will be provided, and Sarah Sexton will share her testimony.

FORT WORTH PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

TRUE NORTH VBS

WHERE GOD GUIDES AND PROVIDES



REGISTRATION



YOUTH



ADULTS



JUNE 23-26

AGE 4-6TH GRADE | 9AM - NOON

3-YEAR OLD CLASS AVAILABLE FOR FWPC MEMBERS



Bluebonnet Sessions

RAMOTH-GILEAD
SUNDAY, JUNE 29, 5 PM

SOULFUL GOSPEL MUSIC CONCERT

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FORT WORTH PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
6251 Oakmont Trail | fortworthpca.org/concerts

TICKETS

Summer with

TUESDAYS

- July 8 – Phoenix Commons Mini Camp Prep, 10 a.m.-1 p.m.
- July 15 – Phoenix Commons Mini Camp, 9:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m.
- July 22 – Worship Night at Robnetts, 7-9 p.m.
- July 29 – H.S. Dinner & Board Games at Robnetts, 6 p.m.

WEDNESDAYS

- June 4, July 2 – Field Day at FWPC, 7-8:30 p.m.
- June 18 – Sand Volleyball at TCU, 7-8:30 p.m.
- July 9 – Movie Night at FWPC, 7-9 p.m.



THURSDAYS

- June 5 – Phoenix Commons Service Project, 10 a.m.-2 p.m.
- June 19, July 3-31 – Breakfast & Bible Study, 10-11:30 a.m.



Full Calendar & Signup Links: fortworthpca.org/youth

Financial Report

Fiscal year June 2024-May 2025

<i>June-May</i>	<i>This Year</i>	<i>Last Year</i>
Income YTD	\$1,471,380	\$1,384,908
Expenses YTD	\$1,429,380	\$1,425,236
How we finished FY25	\$43,847	\$-41,804

Capital Campaign (as of 6/3/25)	\$ 103,104
Needed for Capital Goal	\$96,896
Current Capital Reserve (including campaign giving)	\$162,643

Ministry done thanks to your generosity:

- \$12,800 in Alms funds distributed
- \$11,110 paid for counseling
- \$14,403 providing for congregational needs
- \$5,504 to partner agencies helping people get out of poverty
- \$7,938 to Oakmont ministries
 - Super Wednesday
 - Kids Hope
 - Student of the Month
- \$44,280 for RUF ministries
- \$23,280 to US missions
- \$97,501 to world missions

Thank you for your amazing generosity and faithfulness to God's work over the last year. Because of your giving we have finished the fiscal year in very good standing.

Fort Worth Presbyterian Church

By God's grace and all for his glory, Fort Worth Presbyterian Church exists to gather for biblically saturated worship, grow together in the life of the gospel, and go out to bear witness to the reign of Christ in all things.

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