

Fort Worth Presbyterian Church



August 9, 2026
Eleventh Sunday after Pentecost



Welcome

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.

Connect

We are grateful you've chosen to worship the Triune God with us today. Please take a moment before the liturgy begins to register your visit. We would love to know you were here. This link also provides next steps for getting connected.



About Us

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. Scan the code to learn more.



Ordinary Time

The front of the bulletin, the color of the ministers' stoles, and the Lord's Table linen are currently green as this is the time in the Christian Year known as ordinary time or the Sundays after Pentecost. Green represents life and growth in Christ.

Please turn off or silence all communication devices.

For free Wi-Fi, select network FWPCA.

Courtesy walker and wheelchair are available at the main entrance.

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

† Congregation stands

Order of the Worship of God

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ENTERING GOD'S PRESENCE

God invites us to enter His presence, where He welcomes us and we respond to Him with both praise and confession of our sins so as to be renewed by His grace.

The Gospel Greeting

Rev. Brandon Eggar

Pastor: Our help is in the name of the LORD!

People: For He is the Maker of heaven and earth!

† The Call to Worship

Isaiah 12:3-4

Pastor: Give thanks to the LORD, call upon His name, make known His deeds among the peoples, proclaim that His name is exalted.

People: Sing praises to the LORD, for He has done gloriously; let this be made known in all the earth. Amen!

† Hymn of Praise

Come People Of The Risen King



1. Come, peo - ple of the ri - sen King, who de - light to
2. Come, those whose joy is morn - ing sun, and those weep - ing
3. Come, young and old from ev - ry land, men and wo - men



bring Him praise. Come all, and tune your hearts to sing
through the night. Come, those who tell of bat - tles won,
of the faith. Come, those with full or emp - ty hands;



to the Morn - ing Star of grace. From the shift - ing sha - dows
and those strug - gling in the fight. For His per - fect love will
find the rich - es of His grace. O - ver all the world His



of the earth we will lift our eyes to Him, where stead - y
nev - er change, and His mer - cies nev - er cease, but fol - low
peo - ple sing; shore to shore we hear them call the Truth that



arms of mer - cy reach to gath - er child - ren in.
us through all our days with the cer - tain hope of peace.
cries through ev - 'ry age: "Our God is all in all."



Re - joice! Re - joice! Let ev - 'ry tongue re - joice!



One heart, one voice; oh, Church of Christ, re - joice!

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† Invocation

† Psalm Reading

Psalm 103:6-18
Rev. Travis Robnett

Pastor: The Lord works righteousness and justice for all who are oppressed.

People: He made known His ways to Moses, and His acts to the people of Israel.

Pastor: The LORD is merciful and gracious, slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love.

People: He will not always chide, nor will He keep His anger forever.

Pastor: He does not deal with us according to our sins, nor repay us according to our iniquities.

People: For as high as the heavens are above the earth, so great is His steadfast love toward those who fear Him.

Pastor: As far as the east is from the west, so far does He remove our transgressions from us.

People: As a father shows compassion to His children, so the LORD shows compassion to those who fear Him.

Pastor: For He knows our frame; He remembers that we are dust.

People: As for man, his days are like grass; he flourishes like a flower of the field.

Pastor: For the wind passes over it, and it is gone, and its place knows it no more.

All: But the steadfast love of the Lord is from everlasting to everlasting on those who fear Him, and His righteousness to children's children, to those who keep His covenant and remember to do His commandments.

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
praise Him, all creatures here below;
praise Him above, ye heavn'ly host;
praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Confession of Sin

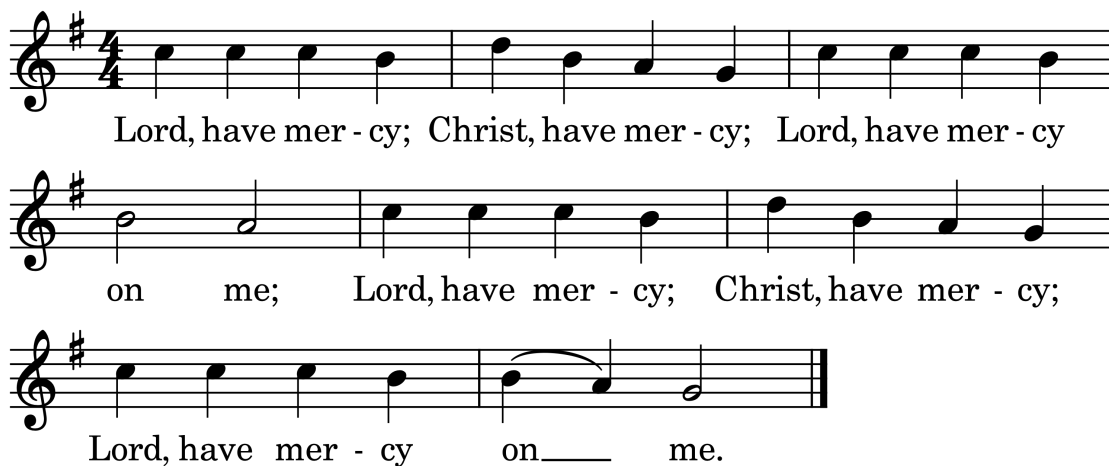
Adapted from Psalm 32

Pastor: Let us confess our sins together:

All: O Lord, in thought, word, and deed we have sinned against You and our neighbor. Therefore, we will acknowledge our sin to You and we will not hide our iniquity. Instead, we will confess our transgressions, trusting that You will forgive the iniquity of our sin, through Your Son and our Lord, Jesus Christ. Amen.

Silent Confession

Song of Confession



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† Assurance of Pardon

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

From Psalm 32:1

All: Praise and glory be to our merciful 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.



1. What love could re - mem - ber no wrongs we have done?
2. What pa - tience would wait as we con - stant - ly roam?
3. What rich - es of kind - ness He lav - ished on us.



Om - nis - cient, all know - ing, He counts not their sum.
 What Fa - ther so ten - der is cal - ling us home?
 His blood was the pay - ment, His life was the cost.



Thrown in - to a sea with - out bot - tom or shore;
 He wel - comes the weak - est, the vil - est, the poor;
 We stood 'neath a debt we could nev - er af - ford;



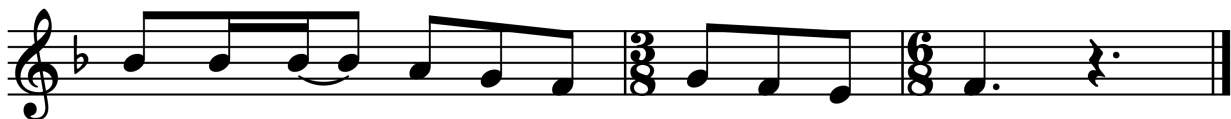
Our sins they are man - y, His mer - cy is more.



Praise the Lord! His mer - cy is more!_____



Strong - er than dark - ness, new ev - 'ry morn; Our



sins they are man - y, His mer - cy is more.

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COMMITTING TO GOD'S KINGDOM

*In light of being renewed by God's grace, we now join
our voices with the historical church in confessing our
common faith and seeking our God in prayer.*

† Confession of Faith

Adapted from Psalm 27:1-2, 4

Pastor: Christians, what do we confess?

All: We confess that the LORD is our light and our salvation; whom shall we fear? The LORD the stronghold of our life; of whom shall we be afraid? Though an army encamp against us, our hearts shall not fear; though war arise against us, yet we will be confident. Amen.

Prayer of Intercession

David Welch

Common Prayer

Elder: Let us now join our voices praying:

All: Almighty God, give us the increase of faith, hope and love as we rest in your promises. Cause us to love what you command; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

The Offering

Ushers will pass offering plates down each aisle, or you may give online using the QR code.



KIWI – Pre-K/Kindergarten & 1st/2nd Grade
*Children 4 years-old through 2nd Grade are invited to Kids in Worship
Instruction at this time. Teachers will meet them just outside the
sanctuary doors to take them to class. After the sermon,
they will return them to worship.*

LISTENING TO GOD'S WORD

*God speaks to us from the Scriptures in the power of
the Holy Spirit to show us Jesus that we might
respond to Him in faith, repentance, and obedience.*

The Reading of the Word

Ecclesiastes 11:1-6

Cast your bread upon the waters,
for you will find it after many days.

² Give a portion to seven, or even to eight,
for you know not what disaster may happen on earth.

³ If the clouds are full of rain,
they empty themselves on the earth,
and if a tree falls to the south or to the north,

in the place where the tree falls, there it will lie.

⁴ He who observes the wind will not sow,
and he who regards the clouds will not reap.

⁵ As you do not know the way the spirit comes to the bones in the womb of a woman with child, so you do not know the work of God who makes everything.

⁶ In the morning sow your seed, and at evening withhold not your hand, for you do not know which will prosper, this or that, or whether both alike will be good.

Reader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

The Preaching of the Word

Pastor Brandon

LIVING AMIDST UNCERTAINTY

The Word of History

Our Reaction to Uncertainty

Living Amidst Uncertainty

A Helpful Word

Discussion Questions:

1. What's your typical response to uncertainty? Why is this?
2. The Convener says that in the face of uncertainty, we're to live with bold generosity. How can you do this and how would you explain this to another? What's the power that enables us to live with a bold generosity amidst uncertainty?
3. Read and ponder 1 Timothy 6:17-19. From these verses, how can we learn to live generously with our time, possessions, and the whole of our lives?

FEASTING AT GOD'S TABLE

*God shows us His hospitality by inviting
us to eat at the Table of Jesus.*

The Celebration of Communion

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:

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!

Coming to the Table

Communion, also known as the Lord's Supper or the Eucharist, is a family meal. Therefore, all baptized Christians who trust in Jesus are invited. This is not a meal for people who have it all together but for those who belong to Him who has promised to put them back together in His grace. This is a meal for those who know they need Jesus and desire to follow Him however imperfectly. This morning, bread and wine/grape juice will be passed down the aisles. Please do not rush but receive this meal in a spirit of meditation.

If you are not a Christian, or if you are not ready to share in Communion, we encourage you to pray the prayers on the following page. Seek Jesus, and if you have any questions about the gospel, please seek out one of the pastors or elders of our church.

Children who have been baptized and whose profession of faith has been accepted by the Session of this church or the leadership of another church are welcome to participate in this meal. We invite parents of children who are ready to make a public profession of faith in Christ to complete the Communicants Handbook, available on the book table, and arrange a meeting with the elders so as to become “communing members” of this church.

Communion Bread

Gluten free bread is available in a center container.

Communion Wine

Wine is in the clear cups, and non-alcoholic grape juice is in the purple cups.

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 of 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.

Communion Song

Jesus Paid It All

I hear the Savior say,
"Your strength indeed is small,
child of weakness, watch and pray,
find in me your all in all."

Refrain:
Jesus paid it all,
all to him I owe;
sin had left a crimson stain,
he washed it white as snow.

Lord, now indeed I find
your power, and yours alone,
can change the leper's spots,
and melt the heart of stone. *[Refrain]*

For nothing good have I
whereby your grace to claim —
I'll wash my garments white
in the blood of Calv'ry's lamb. *[Refrain]*

And when, before the throne,
I stand in him complete,
"Jesus died my soul to save,"
my lips shall still repeat. *[Refrain]*

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Pastor: Let us pray:

All: Father, we thank You for nourishing us at this Your Son's table. Through it and in the power of Your Spirit, increase our gratitude for His sacrifice on the cross. We also pray that through this meal, our communion as Your family would be deepened. Amen.

GOING OUT WITH GOD'S BLESSING

*God sends us out with His blessing to be part
of His mission in the greater Fort Worth area.*

† Song of Sending

God Is For Us

We won't fear the battle
We won't fear the night
We will walk the Valley with You by our side
You will go before us
You will lead the way
We have found a refuge only You can save

Chorus

*Sing with joy now our God is for us
The Father's love is a strong and mighty fortress
Raise your voice now no love is greater
Who can stand against us if our God is for us*

Even when I stumble
Even when I fall
Even when I turn back still Your love is sure
You will not abandon
You will not forsake
You will cheer me onward with never ending grace (*Chorus*)

Neither height nor depth can separate us
Hell and death will not defeat us
He who gave His Son to free us
Holds me in His love (*Repeat*)

Chorus

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† The Sending

Pastor: As we now go into the world:

All: May our eyes be fixed on Christ.

Pastor: When we struggle, fear, or fail:

All: May we cast ourselves on the cross of Christ.

Pastor: As we encounter neighbors and co-workers:

All: May we speak and show Christ, for His name's sake.

† The Blessing

Pastor: May the God of all grace, who has called you to His eternal glory in Christ, restore, confirm, strengthen, and establish you.

People: To Him be the dominion forever and ever. Amen.

Deacon of the Day

Johnny Tassin – August 9

Chris Jordan – August 16

Cody Bailey – August 23

Save the Date

Sun, Aug 23, 9 am – Christian Formation classes return

Wed, Sept 2, 7 pm – The Fort Youth Group returns

Wed, Sept 9 – Women's Bible Study begins

Sat, Sept 12, 8:30 am – Men's Breakfast

Tues/Wed, Sept 15/16 – Men's Bible Study begins

Sun, Sept 20, 5 pm – Jiusi Zhang Piano Concert

Information & Events

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

Christian Formation classes are held Sundays at 9:00 a.m. during the school year. They will return for all ages (children, youth, and adults) on Sunday, August 23. Three adult options will be offered: *Exploring the Gospels* in the Lecture Hall, *Lived Theology* utilizing the Westminster Shorter Catechism in Room 201, and a *Newcomers Class* in Room 205.

Mission Focus: Reformed University Fellowship (RUF), the college ministry of the Presbyterian Church in America (PCA), reaches students with the hope of Jesus Christ through Bible study, discipleship, and authentic community. Through RUF International, students from around the world have the opportunity to hear the gospel while studying in the U.S. Pray that students would come to faith in Christ, grow as His disciples, and return home equipped to serve as faithful witnesses around the world.

Young Adults: This month's lunch is **today, 12:15 pm**, at the Birbari Home – 6459 Sumac Road, Fort Worth, TX 76116. To receive notifications about Second Sunday Lunches and other events, download the Church Center app and join the Young Adults group.

Women's Covenant Groups: Mom's Groups meet monthly during the school year for fellowship, prayer, and discussion. **Women-to-Women Groups** of mixed ages and stages meet monthly year-round for prayer, book study, and mutual encouragement. Regular-attenders of FWPC, committed to living in community with us, are invited to participate. Scan the QR code to complete an interest form by August 31



WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

The Gift of the Gospel in
ROMANS
in View of God's Mercies

WEDNESDAYS
September 9-November 18
January 20-April 7

MORNINGS
9:30-11:30 at FWPC
with childcare

EVENINGS
7:00-8:30
at FWPC

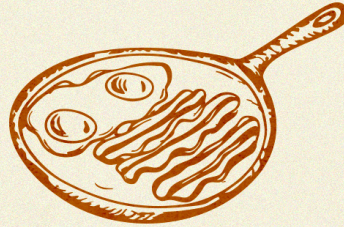


Register at fortworthpca.org.





men's breakfast



SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 12
8:30AM

BE CHALLENGED BY THOUGHTFUL
TEACHING, CONNECT AND BUILD
FRIENDSHIPS, BREAK BREAD
TOGETHER.

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6251 OAKMONT TRAIL, FORT WORTH, TX 76132

MEN'S BIBLE STUDY

PAUL'S LETTER TO THE ROMANS

FWPC LECTURE HALL
Tuesdays, 7:00 p.m.
Wednesdays, 6:30 a.m.

September 15-November 18
January 19-April 7



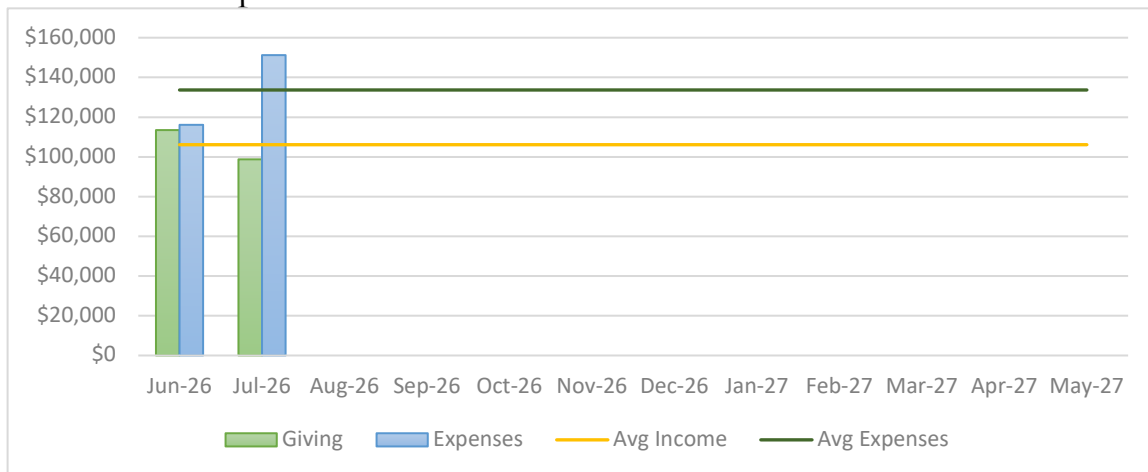
Fiscal Year 27 – June-July

Highlights

- Increase in giving over last year 34%
- Alms funds available \$5,434
- Capital funds available \$242,156
- 2026 average attendance (11% growth from 2025) 421
- Average month giving \$106,120
- Average month expenses \$133,673

As always, we are thankful for the ways that you joyfully answer our Lord's call to give to His work. Your giving is a beautiful picture of God's gracious way of providing for His children through His church and seeking to bring the light of the Gospel to the world.

Income to Expenses



Financial Position

<i>June thru May</i>	<i>This Year</i>	<i>Last Year</i>
Income	\$213,604	\$159,936
Expenses	\$267,346	\$268,611
How we did	\$-53,742	\$-108,675

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