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OFFICE HOURS;
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Have you considered including the church in your will or as a beneficiary on your life insurance policy? It is a beautiful way to leave a lasting legacy for future generations of worshipers at First Presbyterian Church.

Online giving available at www.fpceden.org

Age requirements for our nursery – The nursery will serve infants and toddlers age birth to three years of age. Parents please do not bring children if they have any symptoms of illness such as sniffle, cough, fever, etc.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

*582 Southwood Drive
Eden, North Carolina 27288*

Sunday, February 14, 2021

Where Christ is FIRST in all things!

Peter N. Smith – Pastor

Bird McSwain – Elder of the Month

Chris Carter – Elder of the Month

9:00 am Sunday School
10:00 am Worship Service

Welcome Visitors & Guests!

*In essentials, unity
In nonessentials, liberty
In all things, charity.*

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE Cindy Gauldin

CALL TO WORSHIP Psalm 63:1-5

Leader: O God, You are my God, earnestly I seek You;

People: My soul thirsts for You, my body longs for You, in a dry and weary land where there is no water.

Leader: I have seen You in the sanctuary and beheld Your power and Your glory.

People: Because Your love is better than life, my lips will glorify You.

Leader: I will praise You as long as I live, and in Your name I will lift up my hands.

People: My soul will be satisfied as with the richest of foods; with singing lips my mouth will praise You!

* PRAISE SONG Celebration and Congregation
My Life Is in You, Lord
Prayer of Adoration
O How I Love Jesus

CHILDREN’S SERMON Jennifer Shafer

PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS Celebration, *Redeemed*

* DOXOLOGY AND PRAYER OF DEDICATION

* HYMN Verses 1, 2, and 4
Jesus, Lover of My Soul

SCRIPTURE READING Hosea 2:14-23

SERMON Peter N. Smith
“Through the Desert”

SACRAMENT OF THE LORD’S SUPPER
Invitation and Consecration
Institution and Distribution
Prayer of Thanksgiving

* HYMN Verses 1-3
He Leadeth Me

* BENEDICTION AND RESPONSE *Threefold Amen*

POSTLUDE Cindy Gauldin

THIS WEEK’S ACTIVITIES

Sunday 9:00 Sunday School

(Feb 14) 10:00 Worship

Wednesday 6:00 Bible Study

Thursday 6:30 Celebration practice

Sunday 9:00 Sunday School

(Feb 21) 10:00 Worship



Tuesday is the deadline for getting information in the bulletin.

New Members Class

The pastor will lead a series of three New Member Classes during the Sunday School hour (9:00 to 9:45 am) starting Sunday, March 14 and concluding March 28. Anyone interested in becoming a member of First Presbyterian Church will be invited to meet with Session on Tuesday, March 30 at 7:00 pm, and will be introduced to the congregation on Easter Day (April 4). Please speak to the pastor if you are interested in attending, and encourage others to join as well. It is a great opportunity to make new friends, get to know each other, ask questions, and learn about our church. We will meet in Room D-08, second floor of the Education Building.

Lenten Sermon Series

The Christian season of Lent begins on Ash Wednesday (February 17) and continues for forty days until April 1 (Maundy Thursday). It is traditionally observed as a time of repentance, contrition, self-denial with fasting, prayer, and meditation on God’s forgiving grace in Jesus Christ. We will spend the season of Lent in worship exploring and examining Romans 8 – one of the greatest chapters in the entire Bible – ending with Paul’s great declaration of victory in Romans 8:31-39 on Easter Day (April 4).

February 21	Romans 7:21 to 8:4	“Split Personalities”
February 28	Romans 8:5-11	“Two Kinds of People”
March 7	Romans 8:12-17	“Inherit the Lord!”
March 14	Romans 8:18-25	“Why Bad Things Happen”
March 21	Romans 8:26-27	“Backseat Drivers”
March 28	Romans 8:28-30	“Knowing and Being Known”
April 4 (Easter)	Romans 8:31-39	“God’s Last Word”

