

MAKING DISCIPLES **CHRISTIAN EDUCATION**



WINTER/SPRING 2012

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
102 Ann Street, Fayetteville, NC 28301

LENTEN PREACHING SERIES 2012

“Were You There?”

Major Events Leading Up To and Following Christ's Death

February 22, 2012

Ash Wednesday

“Were You There When They
Plotted?”

Luke 21

Dr. Larry Toney, Associate Pastor
First Presbyterian Church

February 29, 2012

“Were You There When He Was
Betrayed?”

Matthew 26

Ms. Annelle Waldron, CLP
Peace Presbyterian Church

March 7, 2012

“Were You There in the Upper
Room When He Prayed?”

John 17

The Rev. Mark Armistead, Minister
Westminster Presbyterian Church

March 14, 2012

“Were You There in Jerusalem
When He Was On Trial?”

Matthew 26 & 27

The Rev. Shuford White, Minister
Galatia Presbyterian Church

12:30 p.m. Wednesdays
The Chapel

March 21, 2012

“Were You There in Jerusalem
When He Rode Into Town?”

Luke 19; John 12

The Rev. Earl Vaughan, Sr.
Honorably Retired
Presbyterian Minister

March 28, 2012

“Were You There When He
Carried a Cross Out of Town?”

Luke 23

Mr. Brett Johnson, CLP
Village Presbyterian Church

March 28, 2012

Holy Week

“Were You There in the Garden
When He Arose?”

Matthew 28

Dr. Donna Fowler-Marchant
Minister of Pastoral Care
First Presbyterian Church

Mission Conference 2012

March 16-18, 2012

Guest speaker: Dr. Sasan Tavassoli

Dr. Sasan Tavassoli is a former Shi'ite Muslim from Iran. In 1985, Sasan came to Christ with the help of American missionaries while he was in Portugal. He has devoted his life to spreading Christianity and the Presbyterian creed among Iranians. He is an ordained minister of the Synod of the Evangelical Presbyterian Church of Iran, a partner church of the PC(USA), and he works with the Outreach Foundation.



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From Your Pastor

Dear Friend,

“Christian Education” is one of the most important parts of the mission of First Church. This booklet shares with you information about this ministry, involving every age group. As well, you will find a calendar of various church events and worship opportunities. All of the items listed may be found on the church’s website - www.firstprez.com.

Spiritual growth is necessary for every follower of Christ. As Paul said, “Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly” (Colossians 3:16). Commit yourself to one or more of these classes. God bless you as you grow into Christ’s likeness.

Your Pastor and Friend,

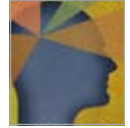
SUNDAY SCHEDULE

8:30 am	Worship - Chapel
9:45 am	Sunday School
10:40 am	Session Meets
10:55 am	Worship - Sanctuary
12:00 pm	Fellowship Time - Fellowship Building
6:00 pm	CRAVE Youth Ministry - Choir Room

WEDNESDAY SCHEDULE

5:15 pm	“Wednesday Together” Dinner - Fellowship Building
6:30 pm	Chancel Choir - Choir Loft and Sanctuary
6:30 pm	“Wednesday Together” Classes - Designated Rooms

See page 10 for beginning times of Children’s Ministry activities



CALENDAR

January

- 8 Officer ordination and installation
- 11 Wednesday Together kicks off with the Chili Cook-Off
- 13-16 Youth Ski Trip
- 21 Haiti Health Kit Day
- 22 Stephen Ministers Commissioning
- 29 Haiti Team Dedication
- 29 Annual Congregational Meeting



February

- 1-9 Haiti Mission Trip
- 5 Newcomers' Class
- 13-15 Registration for FirstSchool in the fall
- 26 First Sunday of Lent
- 29 Lenten Preaching Series



March

- 3 Presbytery Meeting at West End Presbyterian Church
- 4 Second Sunday of Lent
- 7 Lenten Preaching Series
- 11 Third Sunday of Lent
- 14 Lenten Preaching Series
- 14 Talent Show
- 16-18 Mission Conference with Dr. Sasan Tavassoli
- 17 Beans & Rice Day
- 18 Fourth Sunday of Lent
- 21 Lenten Preaching Series
- 25 Fifth Sunday of Lent





Special Events



CALENDAR

April

- 1 Palm Sunday - Confirmation Class received by the church
- 4 Lenten Preaching Series
- 4 Easter Rally Day
- 5 Maundy Thursday Communion Service
- 8 Easter Sunday
- 25 Church family event and last Wednesday Together of the season
- 29 Youth Sunday

May

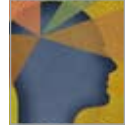
- 18-20 Marriage Retreat at Fort Caswell
- 21 Presbyterian Women Annual Gathering



June

- 25-29 Vacation Bible School





ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL

All Sunday School classes meet from 9:45 a.m. to 10:40 a.m.

Fellowship Class	Uniform Bible Lesson	Chapel
Friendship Class	Study of the Old Testament	Room 209
Covenant Class	Uniform Bible Lesson	Room 211
Calvin Class	Uniform Bible Lesson	Rankin Building
The Seekers	Sermon of the day	Room B1.5 (Basement)

Dr. Coker's Class **Mary McQueen Room**
"The Sermons" – Dr. Coker will conduct an in-depth exploration of his sermons for September through December. The class will include scriptures from the four Gospels, as well as Corinthians, Malachi and Isaiah. The class meets in the Mary McQueen Room in the church's Fellowship Building.

Dr. Toney's Class **Fellowship Building**
"The Book of Acts: Turning the World Upside Down" – Acts is the book in the New Testament that provides us with the dramatic history of the earliest church. The class will see how the Holy Spirit moved in those Christians and the early church. God's actions in the church were frequently miraculous. This study will help us to see how God is moving in us, the church, and the world in 2012. The class meets in the Fellowship Hall by the stage.

YOUTH SUNDAY SCHOOL

Middle School Sunday Class **Room 207**

Why does the Bible have so many numbers? Doesn't God know numbers give us headaches? The class will look at the numbers in the Bible like 40, 12, 6, etc., because God used those numbers for a reason. We will be learning the significance of these numbers and what they mean to scripture.

High School Sunday School **Youth Ministry Office**

It's more than just words. Charlie King and the Senior High Sunday School class will focus on the challenges young people face as active Christians. It is difficult in today's society to live a life that reflects the love Christ has for us. The class will examine what the scripture says about these conflicts.

Sunday Night CRAVE **Fellowship Building**

Sunday Nights 6:00-7:30 pm

CRAVE is a time for our youth to worship, play, find fellowship, eat, and study the Word. We will be talking about the different "things" in our lives that we crave/place in front of having a relationship with Christ, while growing together as a group and sharing the love of God with others.



Sunday School

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CHILDREN'S SUNDAY SCHOOL

All classes 9:45 a.m.-10:40 a.m.

(Infant Childcare Available - Room 108)

First Steps

Room 107

Toddlers (12-24 months) • Children become aware how Jesus grew and began to help people through His miracles. In the spring, children learn how God provides for daily needs, and about the hope of His resurrection.

Bible Thumbprints

Room 106

Two-year-olds • These lessons help children discover how Jesus loves them and what wonderful things He can do. Jesus is special and children celebrate His love and become more aware of His wonderful world.

Bible Fingerprints/Handprints

Goodwill Room A

Three- & four-year-olds • Students explore becoming a Disciple and following Jesus. Their faith grows as they hear about the good things Jesus did. The spring lessons help children celebrate Jesus' resurrection, appreciate God's wonderful world, and value all the good thing He provides for them.

Bible Footprints/Steps

Room 205

Kindergarten & First Grade • Students discover how God used Moses to lead His people and how God loved David. What wonderful parables and miracles Jesus shared! How do you tell others about Jesus? Children enjoy colorful take-home papers.

Bible Trails


Room 208

Second & Third Grades • Learning about Jesus, His young life and His good friends. Children discover how He can do powerful things. Children celebrate Jesus' resurrection through drama, and explore how the Holy Spirit helps them.

Bible Guide

Room 210

Preteen - Fourth & Fifth Grades • How does the church grow? Who is the Holy Spirit? Who is Jesus? What can we learn from Jesus' death, resurrection, and ascension? Student resources include magazines, journals, comic books, trivia cards, and various other materials.

Preschool and Elementary Classes enjoy music time in their class rooms. 

CHILDREN'S CHURCH

Children's Church in Room 205 is available for preschool, four-year-old and kindergarten students during the 10:55 a.m. service. Volunteers rotate leadership responsibilities.

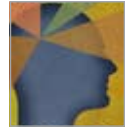
CHILDCARE

Childcare is available every Wednesday evening (5:00 p.m.-7:30 p.m.) and Sunday morning (8:00 a.m.-12:15 p.m.)

- **Crib:** 0-12 months - **Room 108**
- **Toddler:** 12-24 months - **Room 107**
- **Preschool:** Two year old students - **Room 106**
Three year old students - **Room Goodwill A**

There is nursery care for Chancel Choir Rehearsals, Diaconate, Session, and Wednesday committee meetings. To request childcare for your committee meetings, please call the church office at 483-0121.

Christian Education Opportunities



MISSION OPPORTUNITIES

Haiti Mission Trip

February 1-9, 2012

Supplies for this mission can be donated practically throughout the year and include everything from basic hygiene items to school supplies and toys for the children. **Saturday, January 21, 2012**, has been set aside for **Haiti Health Kit Day** so members of the congregation can package items for the mission.

Beans and Rice Meals

March 17, 2012 • 9:00 a.m.

First Presbyterian Church continues its support for STOP HUNGER NOW. Everyone will package beans and rice meals as part of the program. The goal is to provide 40,000 meals (or more) to help feed the world's hungry. This weekend is part of **Mission Conference** (March 16-18), which will feature Dr. Sasan Tavassoli as the guest speaker.

Fellowship Building

PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN SERVICE PROJECTS

January – Care Clinic – *Diet and regular canned soda*

February – Operation Inasmuch – *Stamps, office paper, pencils, hot chocolate, coffee*

March – Agape Pregnancy Support Services – *Baby bottles, blankets, diapers, wipes, baby shampoo*

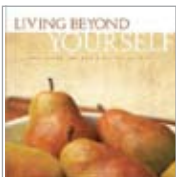
April – City Rescue Mission – *Personal hygiene items (travel- or regular-sized)*

May – Second Harvest Food Bank – *Food pantry items*

EDUCATION

Tapestry Women's Bible Study

Mary McQueen Room



Begins January 12, 2012. Thursdays 9:15-11:45 a.m.

Tapestry will be employing two Beth Moore curriculums for the Winter and Spring. The first is an 11-week DVD study called "Living Beyond Yourself: Exploring the Fruit of the Spirit." After Easter, Tapestry will venture into a 6-week book study called "Living Free: Learning to Pray God's Word." Register for Tapestry at the church office. For more information on the Winter/Spring semester, contact Maxine Anders at blairandw@aol.com or 910-433-2483.

Marriage Retreat

Oak Island, N.C.

Friday through Sunday, May 18-20, 2012

First Presbyterian Church is holding a family friendly Marriage Retreat at Fort Caswell on Oak Island. Fort Caswell is a Baptist Retreat Center with bed & breakfast-like accommodations and views of the water. Dr. Toney will lead the retreat. Childcare and children's activities will be provided during sessions. A goal will be to make the retreat affordable. Space is limited. For information contact Lisa in the church office at programsec@firstprez.com or 901-483-0121.



Wednesday Together

CALENDAR

January

- 11** Wednesday Together resumes with Chili Cook-Off; classes begin
- 18** Dinner & Classes
- 25** Dinner & Classes

February

- 1** Dinner & Classes
- 8** Dinner & Classes
- 15** Dinner & Classes
- 22** Ash Wednesday; dinner, no classes
- 29** Dinner & Classes

Dinner • 5:15 pm
Fellowship Building

Classes • 6:30 pm
Designated Classroom

March

- 7** Dinner & Classes
- 14** Talent Show; dinner, no classes
- 21** Dinner & Classes
- 28** Dinner & Classes

April

- 4** Dinner and Classes (PRISM has their Seder Meal instead of classes)
- 11** Easter break (no activities)
- 18** Dinner & Classes
- 25** Dinner & Classes

MEAL RESERVATIONS

To be on the permanent “meal” reservation list, call the church office (483-0121), email (programsec@firstprez.com) or complete the reservation form below and return it to the church. Weekly reservations can be made by calling the church before noon on Tuesdays. Thank you!

When: 5:15 p.m. - Evening Meal

Where: Fellowship Building

Cost: Adults: \$5.50 Children: \$3.00 Family: \$17.00 (cap)

Weekly menus for “Wednesday Together” meals can be found in *First Press*, the Sunday bulletin, by calling the church office (483-0121), or online at www.firstprez.com.

Wednesday Together Permanent Reservation Form for Meals

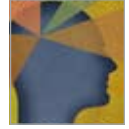
Name(s): _____

Number of Adults: _____

Number of Children: _____

Return this form to the church office. Your name will be added to the permanent list. Please call in advance if you are going to be absent. For more information, call the church office (483-0121).

Wednesday Together



ADULT CLASSES

Adult classes begin at 6:30 p.m.

“Ground Rules for God’s Kingdom”

The Chapel

Led by Dr. Coker

The Christian Life According to Jesus – If you are going to play the game, you have to know the rules! What about life and faith? Jesus’ “Sermon on the Mount” still brings to you the “ground rules” of what it means to be a Christian. Jesus really does understand who you are, the challenges you face and what you need to live life as his followers. Line after line, you are provided with a Christian value-system, ethical stands, guides for spiritual devotion, money, ambition, lifestyle, and relationships. This class provides the opportunity to examine Jesus’ “Sermon on the Mount” found in Matthew 5-7.

“Bible Tour: The First Five Books”

The Rankin Building

Led by Dr. Toney

Dr. Toney will look at significant passages from the Pentateuch – the first five books of the Bible. We will study the account of the first sin by Adam and Eve in Genesis which resulted in the fall of humankind. We will examine the call of Moses in the book of Exodus. Likewise we shall look at the panic experienced by the former Hebrew slaves when they got to the edge of the Promised Land in the book of Numbers. In the class, we’ll use those passages to reflect on a range of issues from how sin affects us and our relationships to how we struggle to respond to God’s call in our own lives.

“From Prodigal Son to Savior”

Room B1 (basement)

Led by the Rev. Dr. Fowler-Marchant

This class will continue its study of Henri Nouwen and his book “The Return of the Prodigal Son.” Combining scripture, art, and personal experience, Nouwen illustrates the unconditional love that is ours through Jesus Christ. A special class for Lent begins February 15. The 7-week study “Call Him Savior” offers both opportunity and challenge as we journey with Jesus to Jerusalem. We will witness anew the passion of Jesus. As we take our place at the foot of the cross and share the wonder at the empty tomb, we will strengthen our own faith in the power of Christ’s resurrection.

YOUTH CLASSES

Wednesday Together Youth Classes

Choir Room

Led by Marshall Steinle

We will study the works of God through Moses and the Israelites. We will learn about the plagues on Egypt, the Ten Commandments, and God’s Promised Land. In the Book of Exodus, God reveals His glory and demonstrates His love for His chosen people. The Bible shows how God loves us and is continually revealing himself to us today.

Nightly schedule

6:00-6:45 p.m. Music, games and team building

6:45-7:00 p.m. Praise and worship

7:00-7:30 p.m. Devotion and prayer



Wednesday Together

CHILDREN'S CLASSES (PRISM)

Offered Wednesday evenings

Children's Ministry Mission Statement

"Our mission for children and their families is to provide Christian growth by nurturing their personal relationship with Jesus Christ through education, service to others, and fellowship."



PRISM - Praise - Rhythm - Instruments - Spirit - Movement

For Preschool children three and four years of age (by August 31, 2011) and elementary children, kindergarten through grade five.

"Building a strong, Christian faith through God's gift of music, Bible study, fun and fellowship!"

"Body, mind, spirit, voice - it takes the whole person to sing and rejoice!"
- Helen Kemp

PRISM GROUPS' WEDNESDAY SCHEDULES

Group	Room	6:00-6:45 pm	6:50-7:30 pm
Cherubs (3s) and Joyful Praise (4s)	Goodwill A	Bible Exploration	Music Time
Promises (K-1st)	Room 208	Preparation for Worship	Bible Exploration

Group	6:00-6:15 pm	6:15-6:30 pm	6:30-6:45 pm	6:45-7:30 pm
Rejoice 2nd & 3rd grades	M&M Zone Room 205	Create with instruments	Sing-A-Brate Room 210	Bible Exploration Room 209
Preteen 4th & 5th grades	Create with instruments	M&M Zone Room 205	Sing-A-Brate Room 210	re:form Room 211



CHILDREN'S CLASSES (PRISM)

Offered Wednesday evenings

Children are totally involved through music, drama, movement, instruments, creativity and games. PRISM ministry and leaders encourage children to know Jesus Christ and to serve Him through participation in worship, special services, programs and mission.

Cherubs • 6:00 p.m.

3-year-olds: Enjoy singing, playing rhythm instruments, and movements. Explore Bible stories with “VeggieTales.”

Joyful Praise • 6:00 p.m.

4-year-olds: Through Bible Exploration, children learn to be disciples and learn how Jesus surprises us. Crafts, snacks, drama, and games relate the Bible truths to everyday life. Enjoy music time with the Promises 6-6:45 p.m., in room 208.

Promises • 6:00 p.m.

Kindergarten & First Grade: Singing, games, and instruments introduce children to the joy of worship through music. Children meet John the Baptist, Nathaniel, and learn how Jesus demonstrates His authority. Games, snacks, projects, and surprise stations help children apply Bible truths to their lives daily.

Rejoice • 6:00 p.m.

Second & Third Grades: Enjoy quiet and active games in M&M Zone. Children are introduced to printed music and a variety of pitched and non-pitched instruments with movement, choral speaking, and singing. Discovering Jesus’ miracles and special relationships in the New Testament is challenging for these students.

Preteen • 6:00 p.m.

Fourth & Fifth Grades: Preteens enjoy a variety of activities in the M&M Zone, and exciting music experiences with instruments, songs, and movements. What do they believe and why? Students are totally involved in research to answer these questions.

PARTICIPATION, SPECIAL EVENTS

Preschool children participate occasionally in services and programs, and the elementary and preteen children participate regularly in worship and special services.

In observance of the Lenten Season, the children participate in a Seder Meal April 4.

Children will help plan and host the Grand Finale Celebration April 25.

PRISM Choirs participate in the 10:55 a.m. Palm Sunday Service, April 1, 2012, as well as the Ash Wednesday Service, 6:30 p.m., February 22.



Music Ministry

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YOUNG ADULT ENSEMBLES



Pure in Heart

Sundays, 3:45 p.m.

9th-12th Graders: This is a high school treble chorus sponsored by First Presbyterian Church. The choir is comprised of girls from different schools as well as local churches. Pure in Heart participates in worship services at First Presbyterian Church and throughout the community. Pure in Heart is directed by Sharon Coker. Contact Sharon Coker at 483-9606 or scoker3@nc.rr.com.

Faithful Hearts

Sundays, 5:15 p.m.

6th-8th Graders: This is a middle school treble chorus. Faithful Hearts is led by Sharon Coker. Contact Sharon Coker for more information, 483-9606 or scoker3@nc.rr.com.

Chorus Opportunity

6th-12th Graders: Betty-Neill Parsons is looking to form a music group involving middle and high school men. For more information, contact Parsons at 483-0121 and musicdirector@firstprez.com

ADULT ENSEMBLES

If you would like more information regarding any of the choirs below, please contact Betty-Neill Parsons, Interim Director of Music, 910-483-0121 or email musicdirector@firstprez.com.

Chancel Choir

Wednesday, 6:30 p.m.

The Chancel Choir sings weekly for the 10:55 am Service of Worship as well as for other special services throughout the year. Repertoire consists of a wide variety of styles from classical and traditional to spirituals and contemporary. Participation is open to high school students through adults. Childcare is available.

Chapel Choir

2nd & 4th Sundays, 8:00 a.m.

The Chapel Choir sings on the second and fourth Sundays for the 8:30 a.m. Service of Worship in the Chapel. Rehearsals are at 8:00 a.m. on the Sunday the choir is singing. Anthems are simple in nature and in a wide variety of styles. Betty-Neill Parsons directs the Chapel Choir.

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ADULT ENSEMBLES (continued)

First Praise

2nd, 4th & 5th Sundays, 6:00 p.m.

First Praise sings on the first Sunday of the month for both Services of Worship (8:30 and 10:55 a.m.) and other special services. Our repertoire is more blended and contemporary in nature. Membership is open to all. First Praise is directed by Linda Huff. She can be reached at 910-483-9591.

Choir for Special Services

(As needed)

This choir will consist of individuals willing to be called upon to lead the music for funerals and memorial services. One may be a member of another choir or just willing to help out when needed. Call or email Betty-Neill Parsons if you are willing to be contacted when there is a need for this choir.

Class Participation in the Music Ministry

The Music Director would enjoy working with Sunday School Classes who might be interested in singing during worship services 3 or 4 times a year. Please contact Betty-Neill Parsons at 483-0121 or musicdirector@firstprez.com with ideas, questions, etc.

HANDBELLS

Youth/Canticle Handbell Ringers

Sundays, 5:00 p.m.

Adult, College, and High School : This group is for adults and high school students who enjoy fun and fellowship while enjoying the art of handbell ringing. Musical ability is desired but not required. This group rings for Services of Worship and other programs.

Revelation Ringers

Mondays, 12:30 p.m.

Adults: This is a group of handbell ringers who want more! These ringers will explore the art of ensemble handbell ringing. (Ensemble ringing requires fewer ringers than a regular handbell choir.) They will ring for Services of Worship and other programs. Music reading ability and prior handbell experience is required for this Ensemble.

ABOUT THE HANDBELL PROGRAM

The *Handbell Choirs* of First Presbyterian Church utilize up to 4 1/2 octaves of Schulmerich® Handbells and 3 octaves of Malmark® ChoirChimes. Members learn the art of handbell ringing and sharing in fun through a ringing fellowship.



INSTRUMENTALISTS

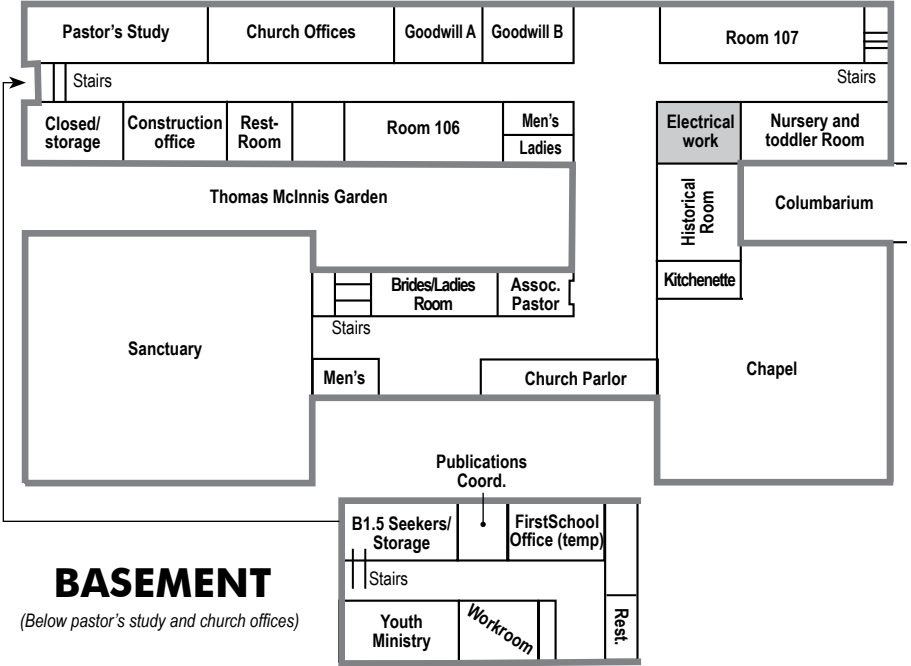
Instrumentalists

We always have a need for instrumentalists to be involved in the music life of First Church. Instrumentalists accompany choirs, play solos, or participate in ensembles. If you play an instrument and would like to participate in any manner, please contact Betty-Neill Parsons, 910-483-0121 or email musicdirector@firstprez.com.



Maps: Chapel and Sanctuary

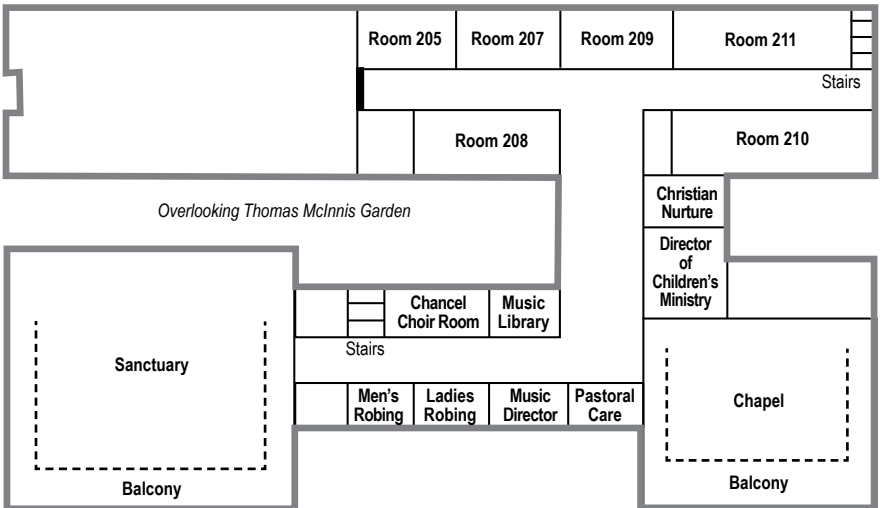
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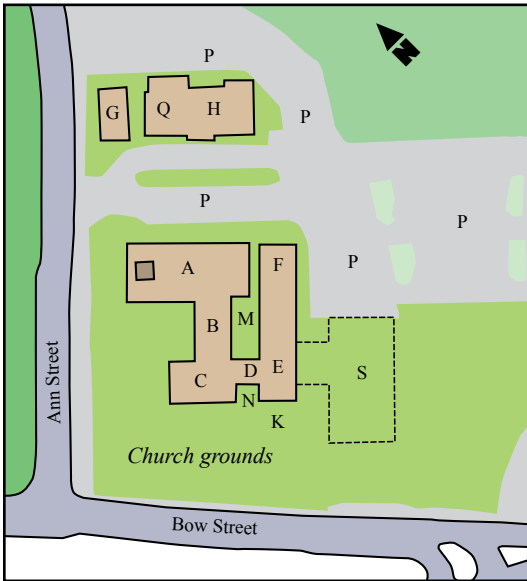
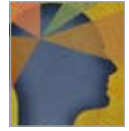
BASEMENT

(Below pastor's study and church offices)

SECOND FLOOR



Maps: Church Buildings & Grounds



LEGEND

- A. Sanctuary
- B. Church Parlor and Lounge
- C. Chapel
- D. Historical Room
- E. Fuller Memorial Building
- F. Sunday School and Administration Building
- G. Charles Rankin Memorial Building
- H. Recreation/Fellowship Building
- K. Playground
- M. McInnis Garden
- N. Columbarium
- Q. Mary McQueen Room
- S. New Education Building
- P. Parking

MORE EDUCATION RESOURCES

First Presbyterian Church offers several venues for getting information about the church and church programs, and educational resources outside the physical walls of First Church. Some of these resources are:

www
firstprez
.com

Church publications available online:

- How to Become a Church Member (Introduction)
- First Church Wedding Booklet
- "Making Disciples" Christian Education Brochure
- The Witness to the Resurrection (Funeral Planning Guide)
- The Columbarium
- First Presbyterian Annual Report (2010)
- Presbyterian Women Annual Report (2010-11)
- Third Century Project (upcoming) January 2012 Progress Report

Available at the church:

First Press – The church's weekly newsletter is mailed to members and is available in racks located throughout the church and online at www.firstprez.com.

Bulletin – The Bulletin contains information about the service and upcoming events and is distributed every Sunday.

News racks – Various publications of interest to church members and visitors are available on racks located throughout the church.

Church Library – The church maintains a small library of resource books – most of them related to the Books of the Bible and Presbyterian worship – on the second floor of the church.

Available online:

www.firstprez.com – The church's Web site is updated weekly and offers a variety of resources, including calendars, descriptions of special events, upcoming sermons and related Scriptures, an audio library of recent sermons, photos and video of recent church events and projects, and links to church publications and other Web sites of interest to Presbyterians.



Confirmation Class 2012

Sunday, March 4, 2012

Sunday, March 11, 2012

Sunday, March 18, 2012

12:30 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.

Rooms 208 & 210

Lunch will be provided

Friday, March 9, 2012

7:15 p.m. • Fellowship Building

Wednesday, March 21, 2012

Confirmation Class will be
received by the Session

7:30 p.m. • Parlor

Sunday, April 1, 2012

Confirmation Class will be
presented to the Church
at the 10:55 a.m. Service

Parents are asked to please come to class on **Sunday, March 18, 2012**, at 1:45 p.m., for rehearsal of the presentation to the Session on Wednesday, March 21.

You may register for the class by calling (483-0121) or e-mailing Dr. Toney (larrytoney@firstprez.com). **Please register by Sunday, February 19, 2012.**

TWO SERIES OF SERMONS BY DR. COKER

"To Follow Jesus"

January 8, 2012

"Take A Look"

To Follow Jesus - 1

Jude 1-2

January 15, 2012

"A Peculiar Treasure"

To Follow Jesus - 2

Jude 3-4

January 22, 2012

"What Really Matters"

To Follow Jesus - 3

Jude 5-16

January 29, 2012

"World Changers"

To Follow Jesus - 4

Jude 17-23

February 12, 2012

"Glorifying God"

To Follow Jesus - 5

Jude 24-25

"Who Is Jesus? Who Is the Christ?"

February 26, 2012

Lent 1

"Jesus, You Are My Son"

Who Is Jesus? - I

Mark 1:9-15

March 4, 2012

Lent 2

"Jesus: The Holy One
of God"

Who Is Jesus? - II

Mark 1:21-28

March 11, 2012

Lent 3

"Jesus: A Son and Brother"

Who is Jesus? - III

Mark 3:13-35

March 25, 2012

Lent 5

"Jesus: The Messiah"

Who is Jesus? - IV

Mark 8:22-9:1

April 1, 2012

Palm Sunday

"Jesus: Coming in
the Name of the
Lord"

Who is Jesus? - V

Mark 11:1-11

April 5, 2011

Maundy Thursday

"Jesus: Bread and
Cup, Body and
Blood"

Who Is Jesus? - VI

April 8, 2012

Easter

"Sunday's
Children"

Who Is Jesus? - VII

Mark 16:1-8



THE THIRD CENTURY PROJECT UNDER CONSTRUCTION!

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- **New Educational Building will include 16 classrooms and meeting areas.**
- **Parking will be improved with more fluid ingress and egress to the church campus.**
- **Entire facility will be ADA compliant.**
- **The security and fire systems will be greatly improved.**

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