



SUMMER 2009

**Worship and
Special Events Schedule
for June, July, and August**

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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MAY

MAY 17, 2009

SUNDAY WORSHIP

SERMON BY: DR. COKER

8:30 a.m. - Chapel • 10:55 - Sanctuary

“The Joy of Sameness”
Surprised by Joy - 3

Philippians 1:27-2:4

MAY 24, 2009

SUNDAY WORSHIP

SERMON BY: DR. COKER

8:30 a.m. - Chapel • 10:55 - Sanctuary

“Who is Minding the Store”
Surprised by Joy - 4

Philippians 2:3-11

MAY 31, 2009

SUNDAY WORSHIP

SERMON BY: DR. BREMER

8:30 a.m. - Chapel • 10:55 - Sanctuary

“Power Beyond Measure”

Ephesians 1:15-23

YOUTH CRAVE DRAMA

The Book of James; Abridged

7:00 p.m. • Fellowship Building

JUNE

JUNE 7, 2009

GRADUATE RECOGNITION SUNDAY

COMMUNION

SERMON BY: DR. COKER

8:30 a.m. - Chapel • 10:55 - Sanctuary

8:30 a.m.

“Resolution!”

2 Chronicles 31:20-21

JUNE 10, 2009

PW SUMMER BIBLE STUDY

SERMON BY: DR. BREMER

10:00 a.m. • Parlor

“The Lord Bless You and Keep You”

Numbers 6

JUNE 13, 2009

SUMMER SERVE

8:00 a.m. - Noon • Various Locations

JUNE 14, 2009

SUNDAY WORSHIP

SERMON BY: DR. COKER

8:30 a.m. - Chapel • 10:55 - Sanctuary

“The Light of Your Life”
Surprised by Joy - 5

Philippians 2:12-18

CHILDREN’S SUMMER SUNDAY SCHOOL BEGINS

9:45 a.m.

JUNE 17, 2009

SWIM DAY AT DARK BRANCH

Preschool - fifth grade • Cost \$3.00 (for details go to: www.firstprez.com/children)

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

JUNE 21, 2009

SUNDAY WORSHIP

SERMON BY: DR. COKER

8:30 a.m. - Chapel • 10:55 - Sanctuary

“A Daring Duo”
Surprised by Joy - 6

Philippians 2:19-30

JUNE 22 - 26, 2009

DISCOVERY CANYON VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Rising kindergarten, first, & second grade children (www.firstprez.com/children)

9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

FRIDAY, JUNE 26, 2009 • 11:45 • CELEBRATION AND FAMILY PICNIC

First Church invites families to attend the VBS closing ceremony and family picnic.

JUNE 28, 2009

CELEBRATION FREEDOM SUNDAY

SERMON BY: DR. COKER

8:30 a.m. & 10:55 - Sanctuary

“From Trash to Treasure”
Surprised by Joy - 7

Philippians 3:1-11

JULY

JULY 5, 2009

SUNDAY WORSHIP

SERMON BY: DR. COKER

8:30 a.m. - Chapel • 10:55 - Sanctuary

“Time for a Change”

Philippians 3:7-16

Surprised by Joy - 8

JULY 11, 2009

SUMMER SERVE

8:00 a.m. - Noon • Various Locations

JULY 12, 2009

SUNDAY WORSHIP

COMMUNION

SERMON BY: DR. COKER

8:30 a.m. - Chapel • 10:55 - Sanctuary

8:30 a.m. and 10:55 a.m.

“What About Worry”

Philippians 4

Surprised by Joy - 9

JULY 14-16, 2009

MUSIC CAMP

9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

For rising kindergarten, first grade, and second grade children

(for details go to: www.firstprez.com/children)

JULY 15, 2009

PW SUMMER BIBLE STUDY

SERMON BY: MR. FOLEY

10:00 a.m. • Parlor

“God of Hope”

Romans 15:13

JULY 17-20, 2009

BRIDGING THE GAP YOUTH CAMP

Fort Bluff Camp, Dayton, Tennessee

JULY 19, 2009

CHRISTMAS IN JULY

6:30 p.m.

Join us for a party and sing through “The Many Moods of Christmas” which will be presented by The Chancel Choir, First Praise, and Orchestra in December

JULY 27, 2009

ELEMENTARY FUN DAY

10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

For rising second, third, fourth, & fifth graders • Cost \$9.00

(for details go to: www.firstprez.com/children)

SUMMER MISSION



SUMMER SERVE is a one-day mission opportunity for the entire congregation. Mark these dates on your calendar. Each of these Saturdays will offer God's love through many mission events in the community.

June 13, 2009 • July 11, 2009 • August 15, 2009

SUMMER SERVE “Collectibles” (Please begin collecting now and bring to the church office.)

- Non-perishable breakfast food of all kinds (*Operation Blessing*)
- Campbell's Soup labels and General Mills Box Tops (*Thornwell Children's Home*)
- Grocery store coupons (Can be outdated up to 4 months) (*Troops in Europe*)

Watch *First Press* and the church bulletin for more mission opportunities this summer.

Contact First Church (483-0121) or Lynette Ehler (435-0950)

AUGUST

AUGUST 2, 2009

SUNDAY WORSHIP

8:30 a.m. - Chapel • 10:55 - Sanctuary

COMMUNION

8:30 a.m.

SERMON BY: DR. COKER

“Second is First”
Women of Faith - 1

Exodus 2:1-10; 15:19-21

AUGUST 4-5, 2009

SUMMER SPECIAL PRESCHOOL

10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

For Preschool 2s, 3s, and 4s (for details go to: www.firstprez.com/children)

AUGUST 9, 2009

SUNDAY WORSHIP

8:30 a.m. - Chapel • 10:55 - Sanctuary

SERMON BY: DR. COKER

“Out of the Shadows: Rahab”
Women of Faith - 2

Joshua 2:1-21; Hebrews 11:31

AUGUST 12, 2009

PW SUMMER BIBLE STUDY

10:00 a.m. • Parlor

SERMON BY: DR. COKER

“God of Peace Who Brought Back from the Dead”

Hebrews 13

AUGUST 15, 2009

SUMMER SERVE

8:00 a.m. - Noon • Various Locations

AUGUST 16, 2009

SUNDAY WORSHIP

8:30 a.m. - Chapel • 10:55 - Sanctuary

SERMON BY: DR. COKER

“Two Fools and God’s Servant: Abigail”
Women of Faith - 3

I Samuel 25

AUGUST 23, 2009

SUNDAY WORSHIP

8:30 a.m. - Chapel • 10:55 - Sanctuary

SERMON BY: DR. COKER

“Here to Stay: Esther”
Women of Faith - 4

Esther 3:8-11; 4:8-16

AUGUST 26, 2009

SUMMER MELTDOWN

6:30 p.m. - Fellowship Building

SPECIAL EVENTS

CELEBRATE FREEDOM SUNDAY

SUNDAY, JUNE 28, 2009

8:30 a.m. & 10:55 a.m. • *The Sanctuary* - God Bless America! Come to an Independence Day celebration featuring patriotic music!

HAITI MISSION “HEALTH KIT DAY”

SATURDAY, AUGUST 15, 2009

You can help now with Haiti Mission 2010! Bring items for the health kits to the church office.

SUMMER MELTDOWN

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 26, 2009

6:30 p.m. • *The Fellowship Building* -Retro back to the 50’s when the Soda Shoppe reigned supreme. Indulge in some ice cream and dance to 50’s music from the Juke Box!

RALLY DAY

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 2009

9:30 a.m. • *The Fellowship Building* - Celebrate Christian Education Sunday! Children will be promoted to new Sunday School Classes at 9:45 a.m.

MEXICO MISSION

OCTOBER 18-24, 2009

Mexico Mission Rescheduled! The Mexico Mission Planning Committee in coordination with the Witness Committee and Faith Ministry has decided to reschedule the 2009 Mexico Mission trip. First Church will continue to support the construction projects this summer through Faith Ministry but will delay the physical support until October.

ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL

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



FELLOWSHIP CLASS

Topic: Uniform Bible Lesson

Chapel

COVENANT CLASS

Topic: Uniform Bible Lesson

Parlor

CALVIN CLASS

Topic: Uniform Bible Lesson

Rankin Building

DISCOVERY CLASS

Room 209

The emphasis is on open discussion of topical issues considered from a Christian viewpoint.

KOINONIA CLASS

Room 211

Getting to know God's truth through the study of the Bible, one book and chapter at a time.

DR. COKER'S CLASS

Mary McQueen Room

"Presbyterian 101" or "Can You Spell 'Presbyterian?'" Who are Presbyterians and what do they believe? What about baptism and communion for Presbyterians?

These questions (and many others) are often raised by folks curious about the Presbyterian Church. People from other church backgrounds or no church background will greatly benefit from the class. AND even if you have been a Presbyterian for years, you will find PRESBYTERIAN 101 encouraging to your growth as Christians!

YOUTH SUNDAY SCHOOL

MIDDLE SCHOOL SUNDAY SCHOOL

Room 207

Learn how to be a Christian in the "Middle School World."

SENIOR HIGH SUNDAY SCHOOL

Stephen Ministry Room

A more mature look at the principles God reveals in his word.

CHILDREN'S SUNDAY SCHOOL

Begins June 14, 2009 • 9:45 a.m. - 10:40 a.m

PRESCHOOL CLASSES

Toddlers and Two year olds • Room 107

Three and Four year olds • Room 106

Bible stories that help children discover how God created the world.

ELEMENTARY CLASSES

Kindergarten, First and Second • Room 208

Third, Fourth, and Fifth • Room 210

Living in the Light: Jesus speaks words of hope to us all.

CHANCEL CHOIR REHEARSAL SCHEDULE

June

Wednesdays • 6:30 p.m.

Sunday Mornings • 10:30 a.m.

July

Wednesdays *The Chancel Choir will take the a break during July.*
Sunday Mornings • 10:15 a.m.

August

Wednesdays • 6:15 p.m.

Sunday Mornings • 10:30 a.m.

Summer is a good time to try singing in the choir. Just come join us whenever you are in town.

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FALL EVENTS

RALLY DAY

September 13, 2009

WEDNESDAY TOGETHER RESUMES

September 16, 2009

CALVIN LECTURES

October 10-11, 2009

MEXICO MISSION

October 18-24, 2009

TRUNK OR TREAT

October 28, 2009

MILITARY APPRECIATION NIGHT

November 4, 2009



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