

Living Faith Together... We're Glad You're Here! Sunday, January 19, 2025 10:00 am

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| Prelude                                  | FPC Praise Band                |
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| Musical Call to Worship: Come and Listen |                                |
| Welcome                                  | Pastor Will Wilson             |
| *Call to Worship                         |                                |
| *Opening Hymn: Here is our King          |                                |
| *Prayer of Confession                    | Pastor Ben Ehrets              |
| *Hearing the Good News of God            |                                |
| *Passing the Peace                       |                                |
| Children's Moment                        | Melissa Schall                 |
| Moment for Mission: Love in Action Day   | Julie Cable, Mission Elder     |
| Today's Scripture Reading: Mark 8: 31-38 | Pastor Will                    |
| Sermon                                   |                                |
| *Affirmation of Faith                    | Pastor Ben                     |
| Offertory & The Gift of Giving           |                                |
| *Doxology: Praise God, from Whom All Ble | essings Flow, <b>Hymn #592</b> |
| Life at FPC                              | Pastor Ben                     |
| Joys and Concerns                        |                                |
| Prayers of the People and Lord's Prayer  |                                |
| *Closing Hymn: Here I Am, Lord           |                                |
| *Benediction                             | Pastor Will                    |
| *Postlude                                | FPC Praise Band                |

\*Congregation is invited to stand at this time.

## **Call to Worship**

Your steadfast love, O Lord, extends to the heavens, your faithfulness to the clouds.

Your righteousness is like the mighty mountains; your judgments are like the great deep; you save humans and animals alike, O Lord.

How precious is your steadfast love, O God!

All people may take refuge in the shadow of your wings.

## **Prayer of Confession**

Lord, we believe in thee, help thou our unbelief; we love thee, yet not with perfect hearts; we serve thee, yet not with all of our strength. Accept our lives as imperfect, earthen vessels and fill them with thy forgiving mercy. What is cold do thou kindle, what is lacking do thou supply, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

-Malcolm Spencer (d. 1950)

### The Confirmation Journey begins today!

Please pray for Ezrah, the students who are participating in this journey, and the mentors that will be supporting and encouraging them during this time.

- Gianna Caldwell and Liz Weller
- Jackson Rosenstock and Tim Lerdahl
- Mia Praksti and Chez Phelps
- Naomi Lewis and Angela Himegarner

#### We want to pray for you.

Please send your prayer request via email to prayerlist@myfpc.org. It will be passed along to the Pastors and, if you would like, included in the FPC weekly prayer list.

We are a Stephen Ministry Church. If you would like to talk with a trained listener, please contact the church office at 608-949-9445 or info@myfpc.org.

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#### Welcome to Sundays at FPC

- **9AM** Sunday School age 3-Adult. Available from September to May
- **10AM** Worship Service: Communion is served on the first Sunday of each month.
- 11AM Following worship, join us for Fellowship and Coffee

#### Parents:

Help yourself to the **red Busy Bags** in the Lobby for our younger worshipers.

**The Wiggle Room** is available for any youngster needing it. It is located on the other side of the oneway glass and equipped with toys and books where you can also hear the sermon.

**The Nursery** (0-3 years) is available during service from 10-11am in room 200.

#### All are welcome here!

#### **Pastor Will Wilson**

Pastor Ben K. Ehrets

## January 19, 2025 What's Happening at FPC



• Explore the many groups and activities FPC offers beyond Sunday mornings! Whether it's Bible studies, game nights, or service opportunities, there's a place for you here. Build meaningful connections, grow your faith, and join the fun-scan the QR code for more info!

- The FPC Church office will be closed TOMORROW, January 20 in observance of Martin Luther King, Jr. Day.
- Annual Congregational Meeting will take place following worship next Sunday, January 26.



• Get ready for an evening of fun and prizes at FPC's Bingo Night! Join us on Wednesday, January 29, at 6 PM in Fellowship Hall. All ages are welcome—bring your family and friends for an unforgettable night of fun and excitement! Sign-up with the QR code!



 Save lives by giving the gift of life! Join us for FPC's Red Cross Blood Drive on Friday, January 31, from 12:30-5:30
PM. Scan the QR code to reserve your spot today every donation counts!



• Join FPC Waunakee as our Full-Time Director of Children and Family Ministry! Love working with kids and families? Bring your energy and creativity to lead an awesome program that inspires joy and growth. Full-time, hybrid position with competitive salary and

benefits. Scan the QR code for more information!

## Joys and Concerns

- **Peg Jones** had right hip reconstructive surgery on Friday at St. Mary's Hospital. They are also trying to track down an unknown body wide inflammation. Please pray for good outcomes and a speedy recovery.
- Allie Devine requests prayers for all those affected by the LA wildfires. Family friends, **Trisha and her girls** lost their home. Prayers of strength as they navigate the devastation.

## Annual Congregational Meeting

## Sunday, January 26

Immediately following worship.

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