

## First Presbyterian Church of oklahoma city

## Newsletter

# July 2020

### **Patriotic Concert**

#### Sunday, July 5 | After 11:00 a.m. service

Following worship on Sunday, July 5, you are invited to remain seated to enjoy a patriotic mini-concert, featuring Linda Millier Bosteels on the flute and piccolo accompanied by John L. Edwards. The concert will last approximately 25 minutes.

#### **Program:**

- "Scars and Scrapes Forever!" (Sousa) Kenneth Laufer
- "Shenandoah" American Folksong/Arranged by Phillip Keveren
- Fantasy on "When Johnny Comes Marching Home" Robert Starer
- "Stars and Stripes Forever"
  John Phillip Sousa

## **Online Services**

We are still livestreaming our services on our website (<u>fpcokc.org</u>) and <u>Facebook page</u>. If you miss a service, you can watch it at another time in either location. On Facebook, go to the video tab. On our website, click the "Worship" tab.

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## **Children & Youth**

### Camping Trip - July 13-16

The HS Youth will depart for Beavers Bend State Park on July 13 and explore all the area has to offer.

There are a host of activities available, including canoeing, hiking, swimming, fishing and much more. Dan MacLemore has offered to provide fly fishing instruction to those interested.

# Presbyterian Women (PW)

### Priscilla - Tuesday, July 14 | 10:00 a.m.

Zoom Link (no password) Meeting ID: 879 1654 4739

For more information about how to use Zoom or access the meeting, please contact your Circle leader or Blake Barrett (blake@fpcokc.org).

## Deacons' Back-to-School Lunch

#### Sunday, July 19 | After 11:00 a.m. Service

The Deacons are hosting our traditional Back-to-School lunch and school supply drive benefitting The Urban Mission, but with a slightly different twist this year. Because of COVID-19, we will not be able to gather in Watchorn Hall for a catered lunch. Instead, we will provide a delicious togo boxed lunch prepared by Junebug Catering.

On Sunday, July 19, please bring your school supply donation with you to church, drop it off after service, and we will provide you and your family with a to-go lunch. We are also accepting donations through Venmo (write "back to school" in the memo) as well as the traditional cash and check methods. **Continued on next page...** 

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If you're not comfortable attending church at that time, you can pick up your to-go lunch in a designated drive-thru area behind Watchorn Hall.

With COVID-19 affecting so many families in our community, our Backto-School drive will be more important than ever. We look forward to your continued participation and support!

Click <u>here</u> for the online lunch sign-up. You can also call the church office (405-525-6584) by July 15 and let us know that you will be participating. This will help Junebug Catering prepare accordingly.

### Needed school supply items:

- spiral notebooks
- wide-rule notebook paper •
- pens/pencils
- markers

- crayons
- folders •
- hand sanitizer

# **July Birthdays**

### Happy birthday to all!

- **01:** Jakob Bakhtiari
- 02: Chloe Flanagan 03: Betty Bourn,
- Larry Kerr, Fran Smith
- **05:** Elizabeth Garrett, Dan MacLemore

**06:** Ken Brown, Larry Nichols, Kathy McCraw, Asa Brittan

- **08:** Walter Winfree,
- Brian Broderick **09:** Emily Etherton

- 11: Jim Borgstadt, Kathleen Romans
- 12: Becki Walden, Sheila Lindell, Claudia Borquaye
- 14: Carolyn Papineau, Brandon Tyler
- 16: Alan Nelson, Mia Winfree
- **17:** Suzanne Followwill-Kidd
- 20: Kate Collins
- **21:** Paula Hirschler. John McKinnon

- 22: Terry Good
- 23: Puffer Jones, Gabriel Lusby, Debra Vermilyea
- 24: Kathy Horn, Leigh Miller
- **25:** Zane Black
- **26:** Becky Osmond, Harold Namminga, Barbara Namminga
- **27:** Jacob Seagraves
- 28: Bill Robinson
- **29:** Caroline Kahoe
- **31:** Tina Atwood, Katie Davenport

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For more information, please contact the church office at 405-525-6584 or email office @fpcokc.org

# Vacation Bible School

#### July 29 | 5:30-8:00 p.m. | Alan & Jean Nelson's Backyard

Come join us for a family-style, social-distanced VBS! While COVID-19 has changed many of our summer plans, we still wanted to get together in a safe and responsible way. We will be pulling out all the stops for one full night of fun.

Our theme for the summer is "Invitation – Joining God's Work in the World." We will be bringing back some favorite family crafts from the past. We will also be playing family games, singing lots of songs and learning how to be the kind of neighbors that God calls us to be. This fun night will be held outside and dinner will be provided.

Register online by clicking <u>here</u> or by emailing Leigh (leigh@fpcokc.org).

Please register by Sunday, July 26, so we can be ready for you!