

The Bridge

First Presbyterian Church of Granbury

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From the pastor

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I am amazed at the things children say. I think we dismiss kids as, well, just kids, and we don't often grant them the attention they deserve. We don't listen to what they have to share. Kids not only say the "darnedest things" – sometimes they say the most profound things.

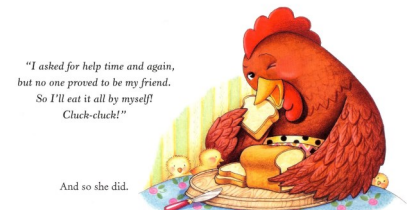
A recent Facebook memory from my eldest daughter reminded me of the conversation she and her then four-year-old daughter were having shortly after my mother died. Britton asked, "Gracie, what do you think Nanny is doing up there with God right now?" Gracie thought for moment and then responded: "I think she's dancing . . . while God strums a guitar." Gracie loved her grandmother and she understands a bit about the hope of the resurrection.

Then, again, at times kids aren't just profound – they are straight up honest! Today Britton posted a beautiful early morning shot of Pike's Peak. She apparently took the photo while she stood in the street waiting for the bus to arrive and pick up her youngest son. While she stood in traffic taking her shot, Declan yelled out to her saying, "MOMMMMMMM, you're going to get hit by a car and not be able to actually enjoy those pictures if you don't get out of the street!" I wonder where he might have heard that advice before? He was right, even if he was repeating information some adult had imparted to him. I love kids. We need to listen to them.

Going through a stack of children's books recently, I found an old and ragged copy of "The Little Red Hen." I haven't thought of that story in years. It's a kid's book, after all, and we haven't had kids around the house in a long time. Well, haven't had our own kids around the house. Grandkids get cooler books these days than our kids had!

Anyway – The Little Red Hen. Remember it? The little hen finds some seed and asks her friends – a dog, a cat, and a yellow duck – to help her plant. No one wants to help so she does it by herself. When the stalks of wheat grow, she asks her friends again to help her gather the grain. No one wants to help so she does it by herself. When it comes time to grind the grain to flour, again she asks her friends to help but she gets no takers. Once more, she does it all herself. She moves the sack of freshly milled wheat to the barn with no help from her friends. The little hen then decides to use the flour to bake a cake and asks her friends to help her bake. You guessed it, no one was willing to help her bake the cake.

When she pulled the delicious confection out of the oven, she turned to her friends and asked who would like to help her eat the cake. Each of them – the dog, the cat, the yellow duck – enthusiastically jumped to their feet and exclaimed that they'd love to help her eat the cake. The little red hen then reminded that no one wanted to help her do the work so she believed she wouldn't let them eat the cake – and she ate it all herself.



It's a children's story. It's not a very happy children's story, but the tale is spun for the benefit of children. Like some of the things kids say to adults, children's books can speak to our oldsters also. If you want a piece of cake, you have to do the work to see that the job gets done. The cake doesn't bake itself and there's a lot of prep work that goes on behind the scenes.

We Do Church Together. We adopted that as our unofficial motto around here a few years ago. It still holds true. We've always done the work of being the Church together. We're needing some help right now – to prepare for the Rummage Sale, to teach Sunday School to our children, to answer the call to serve as elders in our church. Think about pitching in so we can all enjoy the cake together. (I stole that last line from a kid.)

See you Sunday,

Worship

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The first Sunday in October is designated as World Communion Sunday, which celebrates our oneness in Christ with all our brothers and sisters around the world.

World Communion Sunday (originally called World Wide Communion Sunday) is a gift of the Presbyterian Church to the larger ecumenical church. The first celebration occurred at Shadyside Presbyterian Church in Pittsburgh, PA, in 1933. It was their attempt to bring churches together in a service of

Christian unity—in which everyone might receive both inspiration and information, and above all, to know how important the Church of Jesus Christ is, and how each congregation is interconnected one with another.

Celebration of World Wide Communion Sunday was adopted as a denominational practice in the Presbyterian Church in 1936. Churches in other denominations were invited to celebrate with us from the beginning, but it wasn't until 1940 when the Department of Evangelism of the Federal Council of Churches (a predecessor body of the National Council of Churches) promoted extending the celebration to a number of churches around the world that the practice became widespread.

Today, World Communion Sunday is celebrated around the world, demonstrating that the church founded on Jesus Christ peacefully shares God-given goods.

-Presbyterian Mission, PCUSA

The worship committee would like to thank those of you who have volunteered to read liturgy, bake bread for communion and livestream our worship services. We still need one person to livestream on either the second or fourth Sunday each month.

We will continue with one worship service at 10:00 a.m. through the end of this month.

Worship Attendance August and September

<i>October elder in charge</i> <i>Linda Allen</i>		<u>10:00 AM</u>	<u>On-Line Attendance</u>
	August 28	115	32
	September 4	93	34
	September 11	104	41
<i>October 2nd</i>	September 18	122	20
<i>World Communion Sunday</i>	September 25	106	36

Stewardship

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IT'S COMING! IT'S COMING! WHAT'S COMING?

What's coming is Consecration Sunday on November 13th when each of us as stewards of the gifts God has bestowed upon us will have the opportunity with prayerful thought to individually enjoy the experience of giving back a portion of those gifts with a financial pledge to help fund our church ministry and mission for the upcoming new year.

Consider what takes place in our very active and vibrant church. Every Sunday morning in our glorious historic sanctuary, there is joy and celebration during the divine worship services led by Pastor Drew, that spiritually enrich more than 100 congregants and visitors who regularly attend. In addition, there is the glorious biblically inspired music programs, stimulating Sunday School classes, the ever-growing nursery filled with delightful children, and the always enjoyable fellowship gatherings at Fellowship Hall.



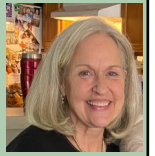
Of course, our Christian faith and love is evident in the myriad outreach and mission programs and initiatives that we eagerly participate in, as well as the congregational care we provide to those in need. We are able to welcome existing members and visitors to our church facilities with well-maintained buildings and grounds. We are also blessed to have the very active and devotional Presbyterian Women and F.U.N. Circle, as well as the various Bible Study and Christian Education groups. Of course, our dedicated office staff is awesome in organizing and maintaining the very efficient administrative operations of the church.



The good news about our church family is that when needs arise, many, if not most members respond quickly, generously, and with enthusiasm. With all of our extended opportunities for volunteerism, our members always answer the call by contributing countless hours of their time and talents that exemplify the true meaning of Christian stewardship in helping others.

To help fund our numerous activities in 2023 and to be able to sustain our ministry and mission at the same or even higher level than that in the current and past years, it is hoped that all of us will humbly feel within our hearts the spirit of gratitude for God's love and benevolence by returning a portion of His gifts with a financial pledge during our Consecration Sunday service. Christian stewardship involves our heart, mind, and soul. Together in our journey of faith and followers of Christ, may God continue to bless us all and may we respond as His faithful stewards.

“Like good stewards of the manifold grace of God, serve one another with whatever gift each of you has received.” (1 Peter 4:10)



Presbyterian Women

SEPTEMBER

- 6th @ 10 or 7 in FH - Bible Study
- 9th @ 10:30 in FH - General Meeting
Potluck, Planning & Music
- 20th @ 12 in FH - Sewing Circle
- 21st @ 10 in Admin - Book Club
Half Broke Horses
- 28th @ 10 in FH - F.U.N. Circle
Banner Making

OCTOBER

- 3rd @ 1 in FH - Bridge
- 4th @ 10 or 7 in FH - Bible Study
- 3rd - 6th in FH - Rummage Sale Setup
- 7th & 8th in FH - Rummage Sale
- 18th @ 12 in FH - Sewing Circle
- 19th @ 10 in Admin - Book Club
Caste: The Origins of Our Discontent
- 26th @ 10 in FH - F.U.N. Circle
Craft

NOVEMBER

- 1st @ 10 or 7 in FH - Bible Study
- 7th @ 1 in FH - Bridge
- 11th @ 10:30 in FH - General Meeting
Rummage Sale Fashion Show
- 15th @ 12 in FH - Sewing Circle
- 16th @ 10 in Admin - Book Club
Last Bookshop in London
- 20th After Service in Sanctuary
DECK THE HALLS

DECEMBER

- 5th @1 in FH - Bridge
- 6th @ 10 or 7 in FH - Bible Study
- 9th @ 10:30 in FH -General Meeting
Christmas Luncheon
- 20th @ 12 in FH - Sewing Circle
- 2nd & 3rd - Candlelight Tour
- 11th - Cantata



2023 Dates to Remember:

- Undeck the Halls - January 7
- White Breakfast - February 22
- Rummage Sale - April 7-8

PW Moderator - Nancy Worcester, 817-578-0478

Group Leaders:

- Book Circle - Linda Somervill
- F.U.N. & Sewing Circles - Beverly McKusick
- Bridge Circle - Riann McHenry
- Bible Study - Nancy Bennett

But the *Fruit of the Spirit* is
love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness,
gentleness and self-control.

During the Session retreat, we examined how we glorify God and show the 'fruit of the spirit' within the works of our church. Each month, a different elder will write about his or her faith in action and what is being done within his or her committee.

Property Committee: Elder in charge - Derek Faulkner

The maintaining and caregiving of buildings when parts of them are 125 years old requires a love for what our forebears have constructed. In our historic community, our church is a "lighthouse" of faithfulness. My charge as the Property Elder is to oversee and coordinate general maintenance, repairs, replacement, and renovation of all Church buildings, structures, equipment and grounds. It is God's will and instruction to help to prepare a place that we can worship together.



I feel that though it is fine to have a nice, warm (or cool) building to worship in, that is not as important as the worship itself which is the most important. Property is always on its way out, dying, deteriorating, and has to be maintained to keep up, similar to our worship, faith in God which must be maintained with joy.

My committee and I strive to keep the air conditioners running, the grass mowed and to keep the rain outside. (And, if time allows, we also like things to be pretty.) It is a never-ending task, much like bailing water from a sinking boat, requiring patience. It is also a very rewarding position. When the roof doesn't leak, the atmosphere is comfortable to everyone (or nearly everyone), and the campus is clean and looks cared for, it is something we can all be proud of with the help of the Lord.

Christian Education

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We continue to work to employ a Lead Nursery and Nursery Attendant. If you know anyone who loves children and could use some extra income, please let us know. We now have a new CE sub-Committee for the Nursery / Children, chaired by Sherry Johnson and they are working diligently to have the Nursery staffed each Sunday this Fall, while we seek new Nursery Attendants. Please check your schedules and give Emily Graham a call to volunteer! The Sunday School curriculum is in place for both Children and Adult classes and they meet every Sunday at 9:00 in the Fellowship Hall.

The Library renovation project continues. Elder Derek Faulkner and his great committee, are working to come up with a budget for new book shelves, cleaning carpets, and painting the walls. They are coming up with a plan for the layout of the Library to make it an inviting part of our Church. In addition providing Pastor Drew a place to meet with staff and members privately.

Our most important part is the CE Committee's need for volunteers! What makes a church grow and develop is for members to become a part of the inner workings of the church. If you are interested in working on the Library project, or love children and could volunteer to help in the Nursery or Children's Sunday School, please contact me, and let's get started!

One thing I wanted to share with you from Vacation Bible School is the Thank You note (above). Our kids sent cards and notes to the Staff at Camp Gilmont, and we received this thank you back from Anita and the Gilmont Staff. What a great surprise and great lesson of love!

Dear FPC - Granbury,
My name is Anita, a staff member at Camp Gilmont. I wanted to send this thank you letter to show mine and the rest of the staff's appreciation for the letter you sent back in June. It was very sweet and a nice surprise for all of us. It is always nice to see how our work affects others. Again, thank you very much for the letters, prayers, and good thoughts that you have sent our way! Please continue to send your thoughts as the summer wraps up.

Thank You!!

Anita & Gilmont Staff

Have a great October

Outreach and Mission

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**HABITAT FOR HUMANITY
OF HOOD COUNTY**

Since 1996, 111 homes have been built largely through the shared work of volunteers and the recipient families.

Starting in September 2022, they resumed their building schedule in Granbury. As a church, we will continue to provide lunch for the volunteers on the third Wednesday of the month.

Look for the sign-up sheet in the narthex again in October.

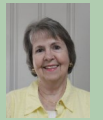
There are also two volunteer opportunities:
Building and Serving Lunch

If you'd like to volunteer to help work on the houses, go to their website <https://habitatofhoodcounty.org> for more information and to complete a safety course.

If you'd like to help SERVE lunch to the volunteers two hours each Wednesday and/or Saturday to help set out and serve the donated lunches, please contact Kathy Gwinn at 817.296.9809.

Prayer of the Month

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The Serenity Prayer was written by Reinhold Niebuhr about 1933. There are many versions, but the one most familiar to me is the first 4 lines. I remember reading it many times on a keep-sake which sat on my mom's dresser.

Serenity prayer God grant us the...

Serenity to accept the things we cannot change,
Courage to change those we can, and the
Wisdom to know the difference.
Patience for the things that take time.
Appreciation for all that we have, and
Tolerance for those with different struggles.

Freedom to live beyond the limitations of our past ways, the
Ability to feel your love for us and our love for each other and the
Strength to get up and try again even when we feel it is hopeless.



Keep sake from my mom's dresser.

F.U.N. Circle

Bev McKusick
F.U.N. circle coordinator



October is one of my favorite months of the year. I love the fall colors, the weather starts cooling down (hopefully), and I love decorating for fall and Halloween. We have a wonderful agenda for our October meeting. We have Kay McMillan showing us how to make greeting cards and sharing the other fabulous things she makes with paper. It will be an amazing and very fun meeting. Please join us on October the 26th at 10 am in Fellowship Hall. We will have a potluck after the meeting. The theme of the potluck is FALL. Bring one of your favorite food for fall. Hope to see you there.



SEWING CIRCLE

The sewing circle has been working on a new banner for the sanctuary. If we have not finished by our October meeting we will be finishing that up. I also would like to make some cloth pumpkins. They are very cute and a lot of fun to make. There is also very little sewing involved so join us for a fun afternoon. The meeting is on October 18th at noon. Bring a brown bag lunch if you would like and after lunch we will start on our project.

C C'S CARRYON'S

C C's Carryon's is an organization that supplies 1st night bags to children that have been taken from their homes and placed in foster care. Usually they have no items with them when they leave their home. Unfortunately this has been a bad year and their supplies of the 1st night bags are very depleted. Our FUN Circle has supplied them with 1st night bags for several years. The FUN Circle will be collecting items and making 1st night bags in January. If you are out shopping and come across some great sales take advantage of them. We have a spot in the admin building where you can drop these items off if you don't want to keep them at your house.

Items we will need for 0 to 12 months:

Diapers, Pajamas, Socks, Pacifier, Small soft toy/taggy blankets, Interactive toy, and Teether toy

For 2T to 3T:

The list is basically the same as above with the exception of pull ups instead of diapers. When purchasing stuffed animals and toys please remember all of this must fit in a gallon size storage bag so think small.

The next group I would like for us to help with again is the 10-15 year old group:

T shirts, Soft shorts, Underwear, Socks, and Stuffed animals.

Toiletry bags:

Deodorant, Toothbrush, Toothpaste, Shampoo, Conditioner, Soap, Lotion, Lip balm, Flashlight, Comb/hairbrush, Shower sponge, Nail clippers, and Emery board.

All of these supplies should be small. This is a good time to get rid of all the hotel bottles that you brought home from a trip and never used. Everything should be travel size.

We will have more information as the time gets closer but wanted to give you the list so you can start looking for items. Thank you so much for your support.

Congregational Care

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| 1 | Jerry Davis | 14 | Mary Lee McCarthy | 2 | Tim and Nancy Bennett |
| | Marla Caraway | | Joe Peters | 4 | Nick and Laura Duecker |
| 2 | Janna Sullins | 17 | Frank Hengels | 5 | Greg and Pam Gifford |
| 3 | Charles McKusick | 18 | Mary Hayden | 14 | Joe and Felicia Peters |
| | Jack Dapogny | 19 | Margaret Gulinson | 15 | Curt and Debbie Armstrong |
| | Kathryn Hogue | 20 | Lachlyn McPhie Goody | 30 | Jerry and Pepper Davis |
| 4 | Dana Reinke | 25 | Marjorie C. Wherry | | |
| 6 | Betty Smith | | Roger Deeds | | |
| 9 | Jane Seley | 28 | Mary Hattox | | |
| 11 | Judy Butler | 29 | Virginia Conner | | |
| 14 | Christian Leursen | 31 | Robert Silvestri | | |

AT HOME AND/OR RECEIVING TREATMENT—Edith George, Bill Lowe, JD Finlay, Dave Barnett, Rita Hart, Rene Metcalf, Sheila Higgins, Theda Deaver, Bill Wood, Sharon Wilemon, Lorraine Schmitz, Peggy Losher, Gardner Davis, and Carol Gadbois.

CONCERNS FOR OUR CHURCH FAMILY

- Marina Kuyl** as she receives treatment from a stroke.
Jim Sanders as he recovers from knee surgery.
Gardner Davis as he battles multiple health issues from long-term COVID.
Dave Barnett as he deals with multiple health issues.
Ann Mitchell as she recovers from E Coli.
Rita Hart as she deals with the effects of her brain tumor.
Maureen Walker as she continues to recover from hip surgery.
Carol Gadbois as she awaits medical treatment.
Claire Mitchell Copeland who has multiple health issues.
Lorraine Schmitz as she receives Hospice care at home.
Marla Caraway as she deals with health issues.
Richard McCarthy as he seeks treatment for eye care.
Susan Higginbotham as she recovers from foot surgery.
Bill McMillan as he deals with health issues.
Donna Callahan as she recovers from a mini-stroke and receives speech therapy.
Larry Walker who is awaiting a biopsy of a tumor.
Betty Werbung as she recovers from a health incident at Granbury Care Center
Sherry Johnson who fractured her pelvis after a fall.
JD Finaly as he tries to regain his strength and health.
David Southern as he deals with health issues.
Betty Simpson as she recovers from knee surgery.



**AT CARE/RETIREMENT
FACILITIES**

Courtyards at Lake Granbury Maureen
Walker, Sheila Higgins

Waterview at Lake Granbury
Ted Dolan, Nita Collinsworth

Quail Park
Dolores Groom, John Cheney

The Oaks
Betty Werbung

Prestonwood Court, Plano
Linda Reed

Town Village Crossing, Arlington
Linda Bowlin

Rosemont, Humble TX
Betty Dean

**Martin Crest, Assisted Living
Weatherford**
Dee Holt

Bridgewater Memory Care
Bill Lowe

Lewisville Estates:
Fran Smith

**CONCERNS FOR OUR EXTENDED CHURCH
FAMILY**

- **Sharon Owens**, daughter of Louise Murray, as she recovers from hip surgery.
- **Janis Thronton**, daughter of Juanita Morgan, as she seeks cancer treatment.
- **Kent and Lora Reeves**, son and daughter-in-law of Peggy Loshier, as he recovers from multiple surgeries and gun shot wounds.
- **CJ Cluck**, grandson of Beverly McKusick, on his continued cancer recovery.
- **Jim Dean's** parents and sister as they navigate multiple health issues.
- **Earnestine Sutherland**, who is having cancer treatments.
- **The Ukrainian family** that has been part of Marla Caraway's daughter's life, as they shelter from the siege.
- **Bill**, son-in-law of JD Finlay, as he deals with throat cancer.
- **Karen Fox**, sister of Max Jewell as she faces surgery to remove a melanoma on her cheek.
- **Joan Smethers**, sister of Max Jewell as she seeks treatment for lung cancer.
- **Miles**, grandson of the Jewell's as he tries to get medicine approved for the severe pain from gastroparesis.
- **Ted Gollar**, who has a brain tumor.
- **Wesley**, the son of Wanda Moon, who had stents for a weakened heart.
- **Family of Dan Roman**, nephew of Susan Younk-Kidd, who died of colon cancer at the age of 35.



SPECIAL BLESSINGS: Tom Sykes is doing well and has recovered from heart issues after receiving stents.

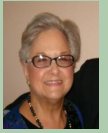
For those hurting and in pain, we ask your blessing and your healing. We also ask your blessing for the caretakers, struggling to help their loved ones with patience and perseverance. Give them strength for the days ahead and help them to feel your love and grace. In Christ we pray.



We mourn the passing of our beloved members Jean Haight and Jim Deaver. We pray for God's comfort and peace for family and friends. Cards of sympathy can be sent to the family of Jean Haight at the following address: Laurie Fimpter (daughter) Ron Haight (son)
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Fellowship

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Here we are at the end of summer. Kids and teachers head back to school and the church gears up for fall activities. One of our fall events is our **Flu Shot Clinic**. It is scheduled for Sunday, October 9th. Ron's Pharmacy will be in Fellowship Hall after church to administer flu shots and also COVID boosters should anyone need it. If you have Medicare, be sure and bring your card for their records. There will be a sign-up sheet in the Narthex.



There is a new round of **Small Group Dinners** starting. It will be for September through November. We normally skip December because it is so busy. If you missed the sign-up, you can still text Linda Allen (432-290-3506) and let her know you want to join. All of our members know how much fun they are and, for our new members, don't miss this opportunity to get to know everyone and enjoy great food. Get-togethers can be dinner, breakfast, brunch, or lunch in your home or at a restaurant, whatever works best for you and your group.

I just found a new crockpot recipe and it was so easy and delicious! You might want to try it.

Crockpot Salisbury Steak

4 pre-formed hamburger patties – place in bottom of crockpot

Add salt and pepper, a little Montreal Steak Seasoning, 1/2 cup chopped onions, and 1 cup sliced mushrooms. (If you don't have fresh mushrooms, add canned ones when meat is almost done.) Mix 1/4 cup flour with 1 cup beef broth and stir or shake till well mixed. Pour this over the top of the meat. Cook on high 4 hours.

The dates have been set for the Fall Rummage sale. The sale will be on **Friday October 7th and Saturday October 8th**. We will need volunteers starting October 2nd after church, with setting up tables and clothing racks and then throughout that week with sorting and pricing sale items and, of course, volunteers during the sale. This is a great time to start cleaning out those closets and hopefully soon it will be cool enough to work in the sheds and garages.

We do not have the storage space at the church so *please* keep your items at home until October 2nd thru 6th. Drop off times will start after church on Sunday and then each day at 8 am to 2 pm. We cannot accept large heavy furniture, large appliances (including microwaves), mattresses, bedframes, tv's, computers, and printers. If you need to have items picked up please contact Beverly McKusick 512-538-5966 to schedule a pickup time. We cannot pickup anything outside of a 10 mile radius except Pecan Plantation and we will have only one pick up day for that community. **WE ALSO NEED VOLUNTEERS** all of that week.

Lots of work but so much fun and it is the main fun raiser for PW. The money we make helps many charitable organizations.



**IMPORTANT
REMINDER**

Please remember to **lock all doors**, if you are the last person to leave any of the FPC buildings. For all our safety!

October 2022

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
25 9:00am Sunday School 10:00am Worship Service - Live Stream and Facebook 11:15am - 12:15pm New Member Lunch - FH	26 11:00am - 12:00pm Funeral Service for Jean Haight 6:30pm - 7:30pm AI-Anon	27 5:30pm Session - Admin Building	28 12:00pm - 1:00pm Men's Study - Admin Building 4:30pm - 6:00pm Choir Practice - Memorial Hall 6:00pm - 7:00pm Handbell Rehearsal - Fellowship Hall	29 10:00am - 12:00pm Melody Belles - MH	30	1 9:30am - 11:30am Women's Way Out- MH
2 Fellowship Hall Closed for Garage Sale Set Up World Communion Sunday 9:00am Sunday School 10:00am Worship Service - Live Stream and Facebook	3 Drew - Continuing Education - Out of the Office Fellowship Hall Closed for Garage Sale Set Up 1:00pm - 4:00pm Bridge Circle - MH 6:30pm - 7:30pm AI-Anon	4 Drew - Continuing Education - Out of the Office Fellowship Hall Closed for Garage Sale Set Up 10:00am - 11:00am PW Bible Study - Admin Building 7:00pm - 9:00pm PW Bible Study - Admin Building	5 Drew - Continuing Education - Fellowship Hall Closed for Garage Sale Set Up 12:00pm - 1:00pm Men's Study - Admin Building 4:30pm - 6:00pm Choir Practice - Memorial Hall	6 Drew - Continuing Education - Out of the Office Fellowship Hall Closed for Garage Sale Set Up 10:00am CE Committee Meeting - Admin Building 10:00am - 12:00pm Melody Belles - MH	7 Drew - Continuing Education - Out of the Office Fall Rummage Sale	8 Drew - Continuing Education - Out of the Office Fall Rummage Sale 9:30am - 11:30am Women's Way Out- MH
9 Drew - Continuing Education - Out of the Office 9:00am Sunday School 10:00am Worship Service - Live Stream and Facebook 11:00am Flu Shot Clinic and COVID booster Shots	10 Drew - Continuing Education - Out of the Office 9:00am - 12:00pm Granbury Knitting Guild - FH 9:00am Monthly Property Meeting - Square Cafe 1:00pm - 3:00pm Memorial Hall - Pecan Bookmarks 6:30pm - 7:30pm AI-Anon	11 Priscilla out of the office 9:00am - 12:00pm Granbury Knitting Guild - FH	12 Priscilla out of the office 10:00am - 12:00pm PEO Meeting - FH 1:00pm - 1:00pm Men's Study - Admin Building 1:00pm - 2:00pm Staff Meeting - Admin Building 4:30pm - 6:00pm Choir Practice - Memorial Hall 6:00pm - 7:00pm Handbell Rehearsal - FH	13 Priscilla out of the office 10:00am - 12:00pm Melody Belles - MH 11:00am Outreach and Mission	14 Priscilla out of the office	15 Priscilla out of the office 9:00am - 12:00pm The Bridge Street History Group - Sanctuary 9:30am - 11:30am Women's Way Out- MH
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The church office is open Monday — Thursday, 7:30 — 4:30.



Celebrating Birthdays

To celebrate your birthday (or that of a family member or friend), and in thanksgiving for God's gift of grace, please consider making a gift of your own, in the amount of \$1 for each year of your (or your honoree's) life, to sustain the permanent endowment funds of the church.

Please notify the church office when you make your gift that it is a birthday offering. If honoring someone else, please so note. If giving online, please provide this information in the "Notes."

**Any announcements for inclusion in the bulletin need to be received by Wednesday noon.
The *Bridge* deadline is the 20th of each month.**

**IMPORTANT
REMINDER**

**One service on Sundays
at 10:00 a.m.**

To:

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