

**\*The Lord's Prayer**

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread and forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

**We Go in God's Name**

**\*Sending Song 743**

"O God, You Are My God"

*STEP BY STEP*

**\*Benediction/Charge**

May the God who has overcome the world give you strength and courage to face and overcome the obstacles in your life. He who calls you is able. Go out in the power of the Spirit to wade into the waters and cross over on dry land. **AMEN. AMEN. AMEN.**

**\*Dismissal 305**

"Come Sing, O Church, in Joy!"

*DARWALL'S 148th*

Come sing, O church, in Joy! Come join, O Church, in song!

For Christ the Lord has led us through the ages long!

In bold accord, come celebrate the journey now and praise the Lord!

*(You are invited to keep this copy of the liturgy and take it home with you to share with another member of your family, or with a friend).*

*~Please remember these friends in prayer this week. ~*

*Jack, Janice, Joyce, Larry, Mary, Peter, Sandi, Sherry, Terry,*

*Carl Dinkel's family, Homebound, and Visitors God loans us*

**Rev. Angela will greet you by the exit doors outside the Sanctuary.**

**Visitors find your welcome sweet treat on the Communication Corner Table**

**If you wish to join this Faith Family, please let Elder Linda [lesomervill@charter.net](mailto:lesomervill@charter.net) or Rev. Angela know 620-388-5780**

**Communication Corner: West entrance**

(Hearing assistance devices, signup sheets, Daily Bread devotionals, and information about the church)

**Restroom near East Exit**

**Worship, Work, Life Together**

**Jan. 26** 6:00 pm, Al-Anon, Memorial Hall

**Jan. 27** 12:00 pm, Brown Bag Bible Lunch Group, Admin.

4:30 – 8:00 pm, Spiritual Leaders Training and Session Meeting, Fellowship Hall

**Jan. 28 10:00 am—Provide Lunch for Habitat for Humanity! Please bring your dish to the Church office by 10 am. Signup Sheet is in the communications corner.**

FUN Circle, Fort Worth Museum of Science and History

10:00 am, Habitat for Humanity drop food off at Admin.

**Jan. 30** Rev. Angela's Sabbath

**Jan. 31** 10:00 am, Granbury Writers Bloc, Fellowship Hall

10:00 am, Women's Way Out, Memorial Hall

**JAN. 31 11:00 am, RESCHEDULED DINKEL MEMORIAL SERVICE**

**FEBRUARY**

**Feb. 13** 6:00 – 9 pm Parent's Night Out, Fellowship Hall

**Feb. 15** Pancake Breakfast before Worship hosted by FPC Men

**Feb. 18** 8:30 am, Ash Wednesday Breakfast

11:30 am, Ashes to Go, under the Portico

**Feb. 22** Congregational meeting to receive approved 2026 budget and Annual 2025 Report



# First Presbyterian Church

Granbury, Texas

**January 25, 2026**

**3rd Sunday After Epiphany**

**P S A L M**

**THE LORD IS  
MY LIGHT  
AND MY  
SALVATION**

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**Sunday Worship Service: 10:00 am**

[fpcgranbury.org/live/](http://fpcgranbury.org/live/)

Rev. Angela Madden Scott

**Music**

Priscilla Allen, Music Director

Janet Everitt, Organist

**Nursery**

Jessica Roberson, Lead Nursery Attendant

Heather Albrecht, Nursery Attendant

**Photography**

Debbie Schneider

**Security**

Bill, Darin, Derek, Earl, Jack, Jerry, Jim,  
Kevin, Lawson, Richard, Scoash, Tim, Tom

**Admin Team**

Gail Deckert, Administrative Assistant

Glenn Goforth, Maintenance

**Office Hours M –Th. 8am -4pm  
202 West Pearl Street, 817-573-2337**

We welcome you to worship this morning at  
First Presbyterian Church!

Please Sign the Friendship Pad so your attendance  
may be recorded. If you are visiting, fill in your  
address so we may acknowledge your presence.

Nursery care is available in Fellowship Hall from  
8:30 am to after worship.

If you have questions about church or about  
membership, we'd love to hear from you. Please  
contact the church office at 817-573-2337,  
or visit our website [www.fpcgranbury.org](http://www.fpcgranbury.org).

*Videography for live-streaming is in process, and  
camera movements change throughout the service!*

<b>Order for the Lord’s Day</b> <i>Please silence your phone during worship</i> <b>We Prepare to Worship God</b>		
<b>Introit</b>	Revive Us Again	
<b>Welcome/Our Life Together</b> This is the day the Lord has made! <b>Let us rejoice and be glad in it!</b>		Rev. Angela Madden Scott
<b>Ringing of the Church Bell</b>		Major Scott
<b>Sharing of Announcements and Words of Welcome</b>		
<b>Prelude</b>	"A Swedish Melody"	E. R. Larson
<b>*Call to Worship</b> ( <i>responsive</i> ) Based on Psalm 27		Julie Dean
<i>Leader: As we gather together this morning, a warm welcome is extended to all, especially those who are Worshiping at First Presbyterian Granbury for the first time or who have returned after an absence.</i>		
<b>People: Your presence enriches the Faith Family worshipping together.</b>		
<i>Leader: The Lord is our light and our salvation; whom then shall we fear?</i>		
<b>People: The Lord is the strength of my life; of whom then shall I be afraid?</b>		
<i>Leader: The Lord is our light and our salvation; whom then shall we fear?</i>		
<b>People: My heart says, “Your face, Lord, will I seek.” Do not hide your face from me.</b>		
<i>Leader: The Lord is our light and our salvation; whom then shall we fear?</i>		
<b>ALL: In God’s tent are sounds of great gladness. Let us sing and make music to the Lord.</b>		
<b>*Hymn 720</b>	“Jesus Calls Us”	<i>GALIEE</i>
<b>*Call to Confession</b>		Julie Dean
We know that we have not lived according to God’s desires for us. The brokenness in the world, and the sin and despair in our hearts, threaten to consume us as a mighty flood. Yet God is our hope and our firm foundation. Let us confess our sin before our gracious God.		
<b>*Prayer of Confession</b> (unison)		Julie Dean
<b>Faithful God, we thank you that you have given us your promise, and we know that you will never go back on it. We can count on you to be there for us in any difficulty and in every joy. You have brought us through the storms of adversity and given us the perspective to enjoy the goods of the earth as gifts from you, not as items we deserve. In your Son’s name, we pray.</b>		
<i>(A time of silence to contemplate these words and how they apply to us personally and as a community of faith)</i>		
<b>*Silent Prayers of Confession/Kyrie</b>		
<b>Lord, have mercy upon us; Christ, have mercy upon us; Lord, have mercy upon us.</b>		
<b>Assurance of Grace</b>		Julie Dean
<i>Friends, hear this good news. Jesus Christ is our ark! His power is unequalled, his grace is unrestrained, his strength is steadfast, and his embrace is sufficient to carry all that we are and hope to be. Friends, believe the good news! In Jesus Christ we are forgiven.</i>		
<b>*Gloria Patri 581</b>		
Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, amen.		

\*Please rise in body or spirit  
\*\* Recycle Bins are located by the exit doors.

<b>*Sharing the Peace</b>		Rev. Angela Madden Scott
<b>Song for Illumination 288</b>	“Spirit of the Living God”	<i>LIVING GOD</i>
<i>Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me. Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me. Melt me; mold me; fill me; use me. Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me.</i>		
<b>Prayer for Illumination</b> (unison)		Julie Dean
<b>Heavenly Father, as we begin to look into your Word, we ask you to open our hearts And minds to the message you’re speaking to us today. Let us see your words in a new light, and may our heart’s desire be to follow in obedience. Above all, let us see you more clearly and respond with the worship you so greatly deserve. Thank you for meeting us in this place. Amen.</b>		
<b>We Listen to God’s Word</b>		
<b>First Lesson</b>	I Corinthians 1:1-18	Julie Dean
The Word of the Lord. <b>Thanks be to God.</b>		
<b>Anthem</b>	“Jesus Calls Us”	by Joy Patterson
<b>A Moment with the Children</b>	“Jesus Loves Me” <i>Please sing as the children gather</i>	Rev. Angela Madden Scott
<b>*Hymn 761</b>	“Called as Partners in Christ’s Service”	<i>BEECHER</i>
<b>Second Reading</b>	Psalm 27:1, 4-9	Rev. Angela Madden Scott
The Word of our Lord: <b>Thanks be to God.</b>		
<b>Sermon</b>	“Fox Hole Monologue”	Rev. Angela Madden Scott
<b>*Affirmation of Faith/UNISON</b> 9.19 of the Confession of 1967		
<b>Out of Israel, God in due time raised up Jesus. His faith and obedience were the response of the perfect child of God. He was the fulfillment of God’s promise to Israel, the beginning of the new creation, and the pioneer of the new humanity. He gave history its meaning and direction and called the church to be his servant for the reconciliation of the world.</b>		
<b>We Respond to God’s Call</b>		
<b>Call to Offering</b>		
<b>Faithful God, faithful witness. Sovereign Lord, thank you for holding our lives, and the lives of all peoples, in your hands. Let there be peace on Earth and let it begin with me. Amen.</b>		
<b>Offertory</b>	“Change My Heart, O God”	Eddie Espinosa
<b>*The Doxology 606</b>	Praise God, from whom all blessings flow: praise God, all creatures here below; Praise God above, ye heavenly host: praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.	
<b>*Prayers of the People and the Lord’s Prayer</b>		
God of creation, with trumpets of blessing, we praise you for the gift of our world. You caused water to run in deep rivers and oceans to gracefully lap the shore. You made the earth’s warm seeds into fragrant roses and delicate orchids. You sent invisible winds to bounce the leaves, cool the nights and carry birds to soaring heights. You gave fire to light our way, to fuel our labors and to dazzle our eyes.		
And in your great joy, you delighted to make us in your own image and breathed life into us so that we might notice the miracle that we are, see the wonder of another person, take pleasure in the fact of life itself, taste the glory of sun-blessed food, thrill at a dazzling sunset, and marvel at each new dawn. God of Creation, we praise you. Again and again. Amen.		