Moscow First Presbyterian Church

WEEKLY CALENDAR

SUNDAY, March 24th- Palm Sunday

9:15 A.M.- Wired Word Adult Sunday School class

10:30 A.M.- Palm Sunday Worship

4:00 P.M.- Difficult Questions Lenten Study

MONDAY, March 25th-

7:00 P.M.- Session

TUESDAY, March 26th-

12:00 P.M.- Tuesday Sisters Group

WEDNESDAY, March 27th-

10:00 A.M.- Men's Study

12:00 p.m.- FOON

5:30 P.M.- Taizé

7:00 P.M.- Choir Practice

THURSDAY, March 28th-

10:00 A.M.- Women's Study

3:30 P.M.- Praise Team

6:00 P.M.- Maundy Thursday Service @ the Methodist Church

FRIDAY, March 29th-

7:00 P.M.- Tenebrae Service in the Sanctuary

SATURDAY, March 30th -

10:00 A.M.- Easter Egg Hunt and Kids Activities

6:00 P.M.-8:00 P.M.- Sanctuary will be open for prayer and reflection

SUNDAY, March 31st-

7:30 A.M.- Lael Sunrise Service

9:00 A.M.- Easter Breakfast in Fellowship Hall

10:30 A.M.- Easter Sunday Worship

For more information, contact the church office.

Office Hours: Monday: 9 a.m.-11 a.m. Tuesday-Friday: 9 a.m.- 3 p.m.

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Announcements for the Week of March 24th

Birthdays this Week:

Barb Olsen, Andy Pope, Jeanette Beloit, Faye Nagler

DEACONS BENEVOLENCE OFFERING FOR MARCH

For the month of March the Deacons have chosen St. Vincent DePaul . The St. Francis of Assisi Conference of the Society of St. Vincent is a Catholic lay organization of men and women who join together to grow spiritually and offer person-to-person service to the needy and suffering in Latah County. In 2023, there were 2,023 client visits and 4,266 people helped. All donations directly assist local folks in crisis with housing, utility bills, food, clothing, and other needs. Checks should be made out to First Presbyterian Church with Deacon's March Benevolence in the Memo line.

Easter Breakfast on March 31st

Easter Breakfast from 9:15 to 10:15 in the Fellowship Hall. We will be having some 9 x 13 egg dishes, pastries, coffee, and juice. It is not a potluck, just come and enjoy.

THE CHOIR WOULD LOVE TO HAVE YOU!

The Chancel Choir meets for rehearsal every Wednesday at 7:00 p.m. The choir, under the direction of our new Music Minister, Rev. Sylvester Bullock, would love to have you join in helping to lead hymns and offer special music during Sunday and Special Services. For more information, contact Sly at slybullock75@aol.com.

YOUTH GROUP

We're excited to have youth group meetings twice a month this Spring. All middle school and high school students are welcome. If you have any questions, get in touch with Julie at familyministryjulie@gmail.com or text 208-882-0700.

SMALL PITCHERS NEEDED FOR MAUNDY THURSDAY

Pastor Norman will be presiding over communion at the Maundy Thursday service to be held March 28 at the Methodist Church. Communion will be shared at each individual table, and we are looking to borrow several

small pitchers, similar to the one Pastor Norman uses at our communion service, so that a pitcher of juice can be available at each table. If you have a quart-sized pitcher you would be willing to loan, please put your name on it and bring it to our church office by March 24. Contact Kathy Pendegraft for more info.

MOSCOW FOOD BANK

Food items requested at Moscow Food Bank include canned chicken, chunky soups, canned corn and green beans, tomato paste, and small packages of pasta. Paper towels and toilet paper are also in short supply.

Thank you!

FAMILY PROMISE COOKOFF!

If you would like to cook and/or serve for the Family Promise fund-raiser, please contact:

Nadine Morton email: nmmorton@frontier.com or 208-882-2241. The "Comfort Food Cookoff" will be March 23 at Trinity Baptist Church, 711 Fairview Drive, Moscow. A recipe and the food will be furnished to you for cooking. Food will be cooked in crock pots, and the church has several if you need to borrow one.

One Great Hour of Sharing

The One Great Hour of Sharing special offering will be received during the season of Lent (February 14th-March 31st). Around the world millions of people lack access to sustainable food sources, clean water, sanitation, education, and opportunity. The three programs supported by One Great Hour of Sharing-Presbyterian Disaster Assistance, the Presbyterian Hunger Program, and Self-Development of People- all work in different ways to serve individuals and communities in need. From initial disaster response to ongoing community development, their work fits together to provide people with safety, sustenance, and hope. Each gift helps to improve the lives of people in these challenging situations. The Offering provides us a way to share God's love with our neighbors in need. In fact, OGHS is the single, largest way that Presbyterians come together each year to work for a better world.

SUNDAY MORNING COFFEE FELLOWSHIP

Cookies/pastries needed for Sunday morning coffee fellowship time following the 10:30 worship service. Leave on the counter by the refrigerator - label <u>for church coffee time.</u>

Thank you.

Adult Education Opportunity

The Wired Word is back! Starting on Sunday's at 9:15 am, we will meet in the church library to discuss current events in a Scriptural context and how we might apply God's word in our daily lives. Please send your email contact to Celeste Brown (bioinfomom@roadrunner.com) if you're interested.

MISSION CATALOG

Looking to make a big difference in the world with a small gift? The new Presbyterian Giving Catalog is available next to the big red chair in the lower entrance to the Chapel Room. Share your gratitude for God's grace that moves us to join in God's Mission in the world, with ministries of love and justice, reconciliation, and Peace.

EASTER LILIES

Would you like to donate an Easter Lily in honor of or in memory of a friend or loved one? The lilies will brighten our sanctuary on Easter morning, and you will be able to take yours home after the service. Lilies are \$17 each and must be ordered by March 24th. Drop the form below in the offering plate or leave it on the desk in the church office along with your check (memo: Easter lily). Thank you!

Your Name:
How many plants at \$17 each Amount enclosed:
Dedicated to or in memory of: