# Moscow First Presbyterian Church

We are a welcoming, caring family of faith, called to love the Lord and our neighbors. We are growing in Jesus Christ through worship, teaching, fellowship, and service to others.

# CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK OF January 19, 2025

Sunday, January 19

9:00 a.m. Adult Ed class, "The Shock of Faith/ It's Nothing Like I Thought It Would Be" by David Brooks

10:30 a.m. Worship

Monday, January 20

Birthday of Martin Luther King Jr.

Tuesday, January 21

12:00 p.m. Tuesday Sisters

3:30 p.m. Prayer Shawl Meeting

6:00 p.m. Stephen Ministry

Wednesday, January 22

11:50 a.m. Early FOON

6:00 p.m. Youth Group

Thursday, January 23

10:00 a.m. Ladies Bible Study - What My Grandmothers Taught Me

Sunday, January 26

10:30 a.m. Worship

11:45 a.m. Annual Congregational Meeting

12:30 p.m. Potluck

#### Ecumenical Week of Prayer for Christian Unity January 18-24

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Birthday this week: Dave Savage, Greg Donohoe, Matt Telin, Moira Nealon, Manny

Sheibany, Sandra Harder, Zareen Dossey

In our prayers: Los Angeles fires and those who lost people and property

# ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THE WEEK OF January 19, 2025

## **DEACONS BENEVOLENCE OFFERING FOR JANUARY**

The January Benevolence Offering will be going to the Latah Recovery Center. The LRC works with people to enter and engage in recovery from addictions and behavioral health disorders through peer-to-peer interaction and evidence-based practices to promote a healthy community. Please make out your check to FPC, with January Deacons Benevolence in the memo line or on offering envelope. You may also give online using the <a href="Tithe.ly app">Tithe.ly app</a> or the "Give" button on our website at <a href="fpcmoscow.org">fpcmoscow.org</a>.

#### **ANNUAL REPORTS AVAILABLE**

The Annual Report is printed and available in the narthex. Review your copy this week before the congregational meeting next Sunday.

### **ANNUAL CONGREGATIONAL MEETING**

The Annual Meeting of the Congregation, Corporation, and Lael, Inc. will be on January 26 at 11:30 a.m., following the morning worship service. The congregation will vote on the election of Ruling Elders, Deacons, Nominating Committee, and Board members for Lael; and will receive the Session-approved budget and annual reports.

### **CONGREGATIONAL POTLUCK AFTER ANNUAL MEETING**

Our congregational potluck dinner will follow the annual meeting on January 26 in the Fellowship Hall. John Farbo has graciously agreed to provide trip tip steak and pork loin. Congregation members/attenders are asked to bring a salad, dessert, or side dish. There is a sign up on the bulletin board outside the office for dessert, salad, side dish or bread. There will also be someone in the downstairs kitchen to receive your food before church.

#### **ADULT EDUCATION**

Starting on February 2, the Adult Ed class will begin discussing a new book from Stephen Ministry: *Caring Assertiveness: Relating Directly, Honestly, and with Respect.* This is part of Stephen Ministry's **Building a Better World** theme. The book is easy to read and provides a lot of food for thought as well as practical skills. Please see Celeste Brown this Sunday to receive a copy of the book, or email her at <a href="mailto:bioinfomom@roadrunner.com">bioinfomom@roadrunner.com</a>. The class meets on Sunday mornings at 9 a.m. in the church library.