# 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 March 30, 2025

Sunday, March 30 9:00 a.m. Adult Ed, Caring Assertiveness 10:30 a.m. Worship Tuesday, April 1 12:00 p.m. **Tuesday Sisters** 2:00 p.m. Organ Tuning Wednesday, April 2 FOON 12:30 p.m. 6:00 p.m. Youth Group 7:00 p.m. **Choir Practice** Thursday, April 3 10:00 a.m. Ladies Bible Study – Celebrating Sabbath Saturday, April 5 3:00 p.m. Family Promise Ice Cream Social Sunday, April 6 9:00 a.m. Adult Ed, Caring Assertiveness 10:30 a.m. Worship

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*Birthday this week:* Jeanette Beloit, Faye Nagler, Grant Stormo, Kieren Daley Laursen, Wendy Berrett

In our prayers: The work of our PNC

# ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THE WEEK OF March 30, 2025

#### LAEL CHAPEL SIDING REPLACEMENT UPDATE

Thank you to Lael Board members and volunteers who helped remove the old siding from Lael's chapel last weekend, and to those who installed insulation panels this weekend. We are making good progress! Additional work days will be scheduled as weather and facility rentals allow. Watch for announcements or contact Neal Wallen at <u>wallenhollow@msn.com</u> or 208-882-1859.



## TENEBRAE READERS NEEDED

On Good Friday, April 18, we will have our traditional Tenebrae Service of Darkness commemorating Jesus' passion and crucifixion as described in the Gospels. If you are interested in reading a scripture passage or two for this service, please contact Kathy by April 3 at <u>kathyp8623@twc.com</u> or 208-883-3015. So far, female volunteers outnumber males. How about it, men?

## SOUPS NEEDED FOR MAUNDY THURSDAY SUPPER & WORSHIP

As is our tradition, we will be gathering with our Methodist and United Church friends to commemorate Maundy Thursday at 6 p.m. on April 17 at the First United Methodist Church. This year we will supply crock pots of soup for the supper. If you would like to provide one pot of soup, please contact Nadine today at 208-882-2241. All types of soup are needed, including gluten free and vegetarian.

#### SAVE THE DATE

Verna Bergmann's memorial service will be held here on May 24 at 2:00 p.m.

# TAIZÉ AND POTLUCK APRIL 9

We will be having a Taizé service from 5:30-6:00 p.m. on Wednesday, April 9, which will be followed by a Wednesday Supper Fellowship potluck. Please bring a dish to share and join in the fellowship together!

#### CONTINUING OUR FAITH JOURNEY

Following today's worship, those interested will meet in the library area for the final "Continuing Our Faith Journeys" sessions. Resource copies for the previous sessions are still available.

#### DEACONS BENEVOLENCE OFFERING FOR MARCH

The March Benevolence Offering will be going to the Hope Center. Please make out your check to FPC, with March Deacons Benevolence in the memo line or on your offering envelope. You may also give online using the <u>Tithe.ly app</u> or the "Give" button on our website at <u>fpcmoscow.org</u>.

# Family Promise Opportunities for EVERYONE!

**Did you know?** Our church has been on board with Family Promise since its beginnings in 2013. We have multiple opportunities coming up in April to celebrate and support this involvement.

**Save the Date: Saturday, April 5, 3-5 p.m.** All are invited to an *Ice Cream Social* in the Upper Chapel Room to appreciate our wonderful Family Promise Volunteers and share information about upcoming opportunities. Join us for Ferdinand's Ice Cream and learn more about how you can be involved. We particularly welcome our volunteers who have served graciously over the years, and also everyone interested in learning more about the services Family Promise provides for the Pullman and Moscow Communities.

**Our Next Family Promise Host Week: April 27-May 4.** Watch for opportunities to sign up. Join us at the *Ice Cream Social* on April 5 to learn more about becoming a Family Promise Volunteer!

**Family Promise Annual Comfort Food Cook-Off!** FPC has a reputation for taking home the People's Choice award, and we hope to do so again this year. We are building our team of CHEFS now! Contact Celeste to join in. The Cook-Off will happen on Saturday, April 26, 5-7 p.m. at Trinity Baptist Church.

Talk to Mary Read or Celeste Brown for more information about any of these Family Promise Activities.

#### DONATE TOWARD EASTER FLOWERS

This year we will be trying something different with flowers for Easter. Rather than ordering a number of Easter lilies, we are planning to have two nice flower arrangements for the front of the sanctuary. Those who would like to help provide flowers for Easter Sunday will still be able to dedicate their donation to a friend or loved one. Dedications will be listed in the Easter bulletin.

Please return the form below to the church office with your check (made out to First Presbyterian Church, designated "Easter flowers") by April 13.

Your Name:

Suggested minimum donation \$10 Amount enclosed \$\_\_\_\_\_

"Dedicated to" or "In Memory of":