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HAPPY INDEPENDENCE DAY FPC!



UNKNOWN FREEDOM

REV. DR. BOB FULLER

On July 4, 1776, the members of the Continental Congress signed the Declaration of Independence. Today we celebrate that day as a day of freedom. I am reminded of the words of President Ronald Reagan. In a letter, President Reagan wrote, “Our nation exists for one purpose only—to assure each one of us the ultimate in individual freedom consistent with law and order. God meant America to be free because God intended each man to have the dignity of freedom.”

As we round the corner from June to July, there is another important date we need to remember. As a new Texan, I have recently paid more attention to June 19th or “Juneteenth.”

On June 19, 1865—more than two years after President Abraham Lincoln issued the Emancipation Proclamation—General Gordon Granger landed at Galveston, Texas with news that the war had ended and that all those held in slavery in Texas and the Confederacy were free. Note that this was two and a half years after the Emancipation Proclamation became official on January 1, 1863. On that day in 1865, those who were held in bondage for generations discovered that they had been set free from their slavery.

That’s incredible, life-changing news. And yet, this news was not delivered to the slave community in Texas for two and a half years. For all that time they continued to live a miserable existence and it is heartbreaking to think that so many people died in those two years, not knowing that they were free.

“How can a slave know that he is free if he did not hear that he is free? And how would he hear that he is free if someone did not tell him?”

For the Christian, Juneteenth is a reminder of three things. First, it is a reminder that freedom is not a right that one person, or people, bestows on another. It is a God-given, unalienable right. As President Reagan wrote, “God meant America to be free because God intended each man to have the dignity of freedom.” As Christians, we stand boldly against any institution that dehumanizes people by the suffocation of their liberty. In the words of Fox News contributor Jeremy Hunt, “What made slavery unconscionable in the United States, even as it went largely unchallenged in some other parts of the world, was its unmistakable contradiction with

American ideals. The friction between our actions as a nation and the beliefs upon which we built our country prompted change.”

Second, Juneteenth is a reminder of our freedom in Jesus Christ, who abolished sin and freed us from the chains of its rule by His work on the cross. The liberation of Jesus Christ is not merely a symbol of human emancipation. It is a fact that has the power to change our lives right now and forever. When Jesus declared, “It is finished,” he was declaring an end to the slavery and tyranny of sin (Jn. 19:30). The Good News is that Jesus Christ has set us free, never to be enslaved again (Gal. 5:1). Reflecting on Juneteenth, Harrison Smith of Paradox Church (Fort Worth) writes that “In Jesus Christ, the shackles of our servitude to sin, rebellion and even death have been broken (Rom. 6). We are no longer obligated to go along with rage, anger, apathy, lust, idolatry, jealousy, addiction, guilt, shame or any other powers that demand our lives and loyalties.”

Third, Juneteenth reminds us that we have a mission: to tell people that they are free. Even though Jesus Christ won our freedom nearly 2,000 years ago, most people don’t know it yet. The Apostle Paul wrote, “How then will they call on him in whom they have not believed? And how are they to believe in him of whom they have never heard? And how are they to hear without someone preaching? (Romans 10:14)”

So many people live their lives weighed down by lies and obligations that undermine the life God made them to live. They are slaves to social pressures, financial burdens, political schemes, abusive relationships and lifestyle expectations. Our job is to offer them hope and to let them know that even though their challenges are real and present, the rumors of emancipation are true. God has the power to make a difference in your life and has proven his love for us by the life, death and resurrection of his son. He has a plan and purpose for your life—a place for you at his table and a position on his team. The mission of the church is to declare freedom in Jesus Christ. It is to tell the world, “You are free, even if you don’t know it yet.”

Grace and Peace,
Bob Fuller

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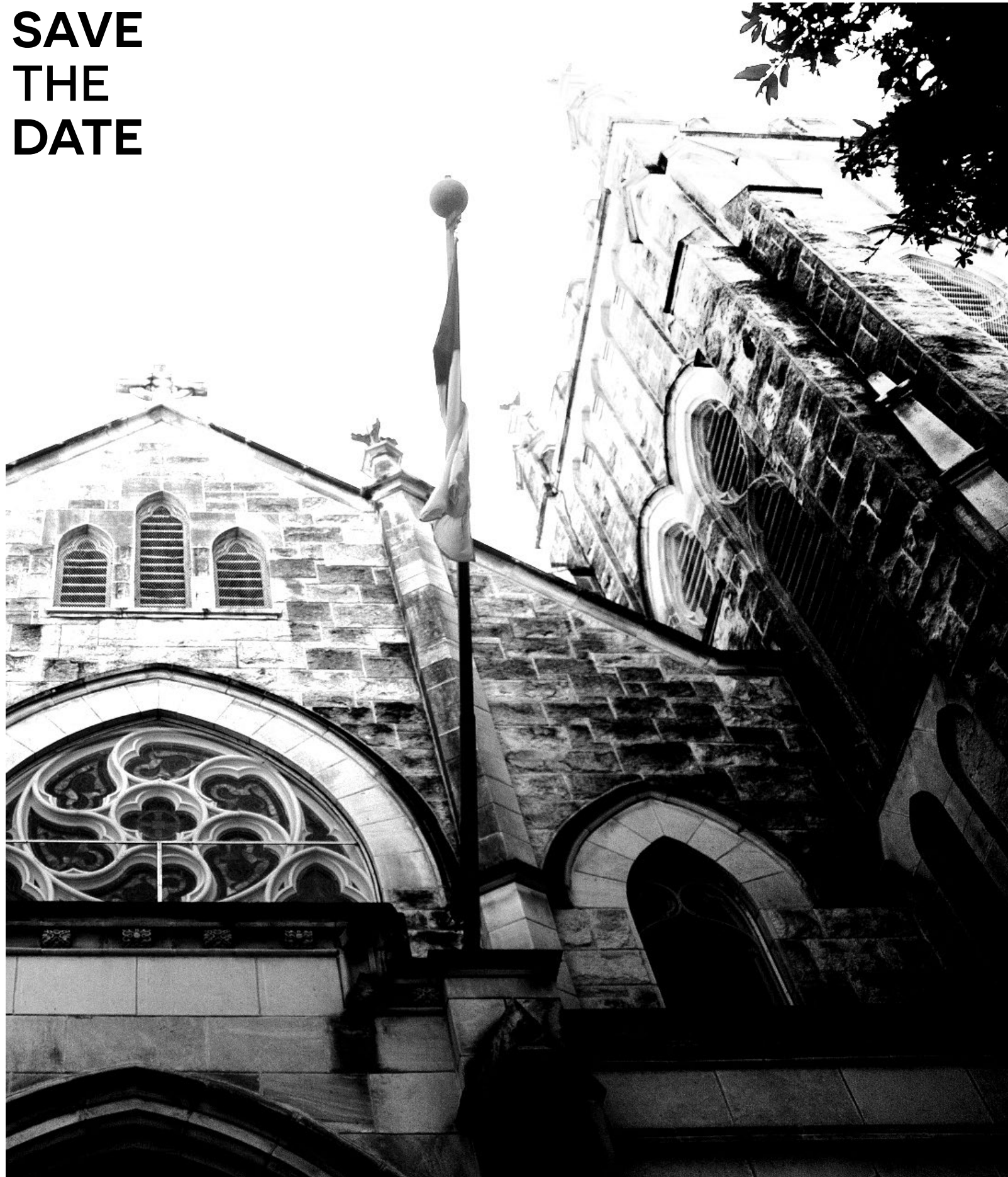
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SAVE THE DATE



LOAVES AND FISHES

JULY 28 • 9:30 AM • STUDENT CENTER

Loaves and Fishes is our monthly opportunity to welcome our under-resourced neighbors for lunch where they will be fed physically and spiritually. We will meet in the FPC Student Center on Saturday, July 28, at 9:30 AM for set-up. Training/orientation for our volunteers will be at 10:00 AM, haircuts offered to the homeless at 10:30 AM, lunch at 11:00 AM, and clean up at 12:30-2:00 PM. Please contact Lindsay Selli with questions and when you would like to serve (lindsays@fpcsat.org).

PATHWAYS TO HOPE CONFERENCE

AUGUST 24-25 | TOBIN CENTER FOR THE PERFORMING ARTS

Third annual Pathways to Hope Conference, focusing on mental health and including speakers from across the community and nation, will once again be held at the Tobin Center. The goal of the conference is to continue to break the stigma of mental illness, and to discover how faith communities can provide support for people and families affected by mental illness. Attendance is free. For more information on the event and keynote speakers, or to register (required), visit www.pathwaystohope.net.

THE COLLEGE COLLECTIVE

JULY 12, JULY 26, AUGUST 9 | 6:30 PM | THE PEARL

If you're a college student and are looking for fun and fellowship this summer, we want you to join FPC and other church groups across the city! Join us on Thursdays, July 12, July 26, and August 9 with dinner at the Pearl Food Court at 6:30 PM, worship/Bible study at the Pearl Amphitheater at 7:00 PM, and small groups to follow. Contact Alex Solorio (alexs@fpcsat.org) with any questions.

4TH OF JULY PRAYER

BLESSED IS THE NATION WHOSE GOD IS THE LORD (PSM. 33:12)

“I pledge allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America and to the republic for which it stands, one nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.”

We thank you Lord our God for this nation. We lift our arms in praise for those who left homes in distant lands with the vision of a new life of freedom, and for the sacrifices they made for us. We praise you for the wisdom and knowledge you gave our founding fathers as they wrote the Constitution of the United States of

America. Thank you for the blessings and prosperity you have poured over this country throughout our history.

Jesus, Our Lord, we humbly remember the sacrifices of all our armed forces throughout our history who have made the ultimate sacrifices to defend and preserve our freedoms. We pray for those who continue to serve and ask you to cover them with your strength, protection and peace. Bless their families as well.

Jesus, at this time in our nation’s history, where we have divisions and even hatred among us; we pray for our leaders, both those we agree with and even those with whom we disagree. May you bless us and bring us to unity and love for our neighbors. Your Word says, “But I tell you, love your enemies and pray for those who persecute you, that you may be children of your Father in heaven.” Help us all stand

strong in faith, with love and peace in our hearts. Our heavenly Father, encourage us and stimulate our hearts to a high sense of patriotism as we celebrate the Fourth of July. May all that this day symbolizes renew our faith in freedom, our devotion to democracy, and redouble our efforts to keep a government of the people, by the people, and for the people truly alive in our world.

O BEAUTIFUL FOR SPACIOUS SKIES

O beautiful for spacious skies, for amber waves of grain,
for purple mountain majesties above the fruited plain!
America! America! God shed His grace on thee,
and crown thy good with brotherhood from sea to shining sea!
O beautiful for pilgrim feet, whose stern, impassioned stress
a thoroughfare for freedom beat across the wilderness!
America! America! God mend thine every flaw,
confirm thy soul in self-control, thy liberty in law!
O beautiful for heroes proved in liberating strife,
who more than self their country loved,
and mercy more than life!
America! America! May God thy gold refine
till all success be nobleness and every gain divine!
O beautiful for patriot dream that sees beyond the years
thine alabaster cities gleam, undimmed by human tears!
America! America! God shed His grace on thee
and crown they good with brotherhood from sea to shining sea!

URBAN PLUNGE 2018!

MIDDLE SCHOOL MISSION TRIP RECAP

One of the highly anticipated perks of being a middle school student at FPC is being eligible to go on Urban Plunge, our mission trip just for middle schoolers! This year did not disappoint, we had a group of pumped up students who were so excited about hanging out with their friends, sleeping at the church, playing under ground church, going tubing, and of course, serving at various non-profits and ministries around San Antonio!

This is not a mission trip for the faint-hearted, it is hard work and tiring, yet the students never complained and were always willing and happy to do more, serve longer, and love harder. Throughout the week, the groups of students are exposed to the reality of so many others in San Antonio, and how their life of comfort and ease is not how many live. Many are fighting for those basic human necessities we take for granted. And many are in desperate need of the redemptive and accepting love of Jesus.

This year featured work groups volunteering at SAMM, Servant Partners, the New Braunfels and San Antonio Food Bank, CAM, SA Heals and Mission Road, to name a few. They helped plan and put on a VBS, organize donated clothes that will be dispersed among our homeless friends, as well as organize donated food at the food bank. Many students got to participate in a prayer walk for the first time, walking around a neighborhood, lifting

up those families to the Lord in prayer.

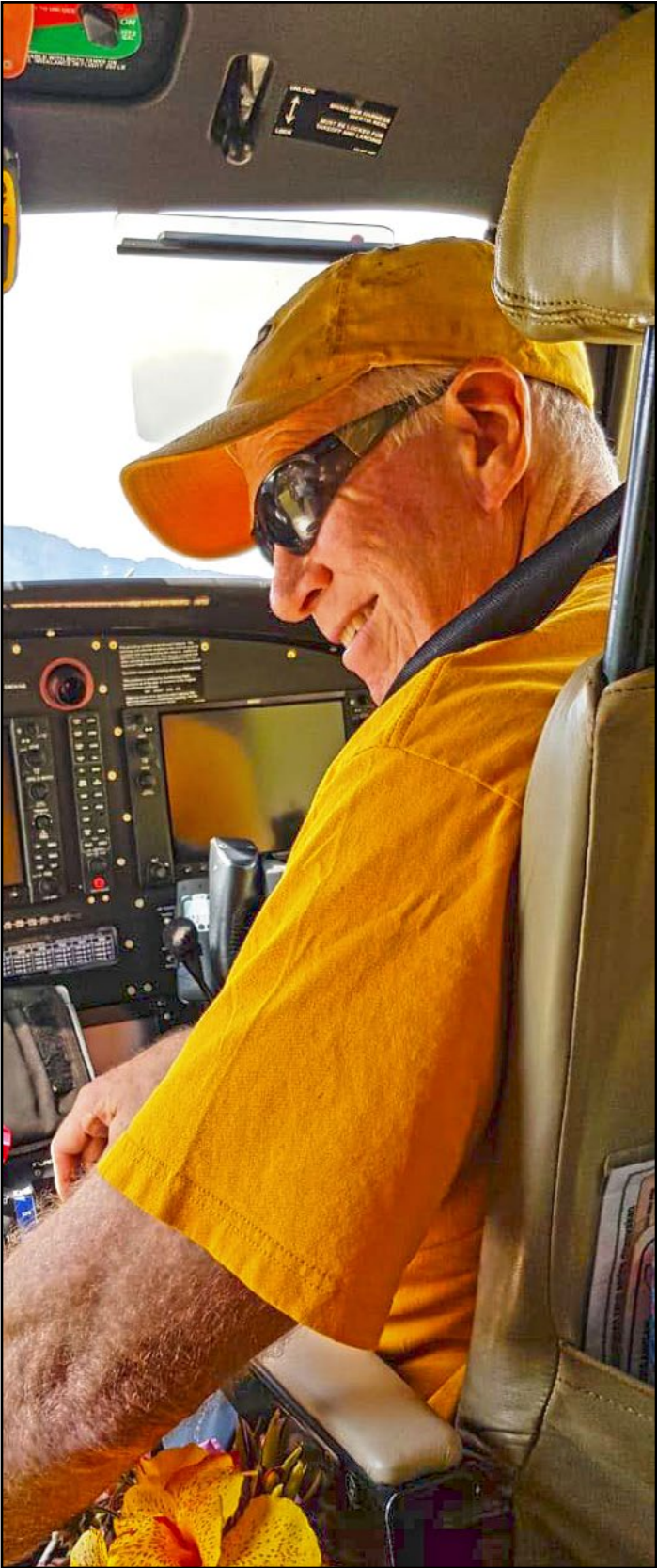
At night our students worshipped together before learning about how God gives us the strength to face our fears head on. In fact, we should run straight into them knowing God holds us in the palm of His hand! They learned what true friendship looks like and how sometimes God's plan for our lives means waiting for His timing. The middle school students were able to connect what they learned at night to what they experienced during the day. One of the favorites amongst the students and leaders is Mission Road, an organization that focuses on providing a safe and fun space for men and women with developmental or mental disabilities. Every year our students return from spending the day there and cannot stop gushing about their new friends, the ways God broke down any nervousness or fear they had about meeting this group of people that have a different life than they. This year was no different and the group came back raving non-stop about the joyful residents, how they saw God working in their lives, and how God gave them the courage to overcome their fears of getting to know someone with a disability.

A special shout out to everyone who played a role in making Urban Plunge 2018 a success – we were blessed with so many helpers in so many ways, THANK YOU! We could not have done it without you.



FROM YOUR FPC MISSIONARY IN INDONESIA

BY REV. DR. RON SCATES



Back in 1960, my third grade Sunday School class at The Presbyterian Church Of The Atonement in Silver Spring, Maryland, made a year-long project of collecting money for “Regions Beyond” missionaries in Papua, Irian Jaya. For some reason, I was made treasurer, which meant that I collected our offering each week, and then sent it to the missionaries every month, along with a hand-written letter. I knew nothing about Irian Jaya, Papua, or the Regions Beyond Missionary Union, so that meant getting out the “I” volume of the “World Book,” and writing to RBMU and asking for info. I learned a lot. But after that year—and for the next 58 years—all of that pretty much dropped completely off of my radar.

Fast-forward to two weeks ago—May 2018—and I find myself on a three-day trip into the interior of Papua, Indonesia (formerly Irian Jaya), which is certainly still one of THE most remote mission fields on the planet. I zoomed around in Mission Aviation Fellowship single-prop planes and visited numerous just-stepping-out-of-the-Stone-Age-and-into-the-Kingdom villages. Here are some of my most lasting impressions:

— Five hours in the air by commercial jet from Jakarta...and we’re still in Indonesia? This place is way bigger than Texas!

— Glad I’m a “morning person” as we are out the door everyday at 5:00 AM—scrambling to get in a QT and some breakfast before we leave each day.

— Cool! I get to spend about ten hours in the co-pilot’s seat of our MAF plane.

— Drop-dead gorgeous scenery as we fly between (and real close to) 12,000-foot mountains, over zillions of acres of jungle.

— No way!! We’re landing on short, dirt, vertical landing strips on the sides of mountains!! I will never, ever be intimidated by a roller coaster again.

— Meeting THE most dedicated, Christ-loving, long-term missionaries in THE most remote villages, transforming lives for the Kingdom. I am humbled to be in their presence.

— Sitting down with an RBMU missionary who’s been there for decades and hearing him tell the story of the day, back in 1968, when his Dad was martyred not far from where we sat. Over 100 arrows went in his body, and then he was eaten by his killers. I am not worthy to be here. “The blood of the martyrs waters the seeds of faith.”

— Most poignant moment: It dawns on me that I am in the exact place where we sent our third grade Sunday-School offerings 58 years ago!! I am seeing part of the literal fruit of those meager gifts with my own two eyes!!

— My new best friend is MAF veteran pilot, Mike Brown. After hours of sitting next to him in the cockpit, I realize that I have been in the presence of one of the most skilled, kind, and gracious human beings that the Lord ever created. He taught me well how to pretend that I was flying the plane.

— Where did all these wonderful, Godly, really neat people come from that made up our group of 12? I’ve got a whole bunch of new “Kingdom friends!”

— I was spiritually stretched, encouraged, disciplined, and challenged (twice I had the privilege to preach in villages—on 5 minutes notice. “Always have a sermon ready to go....” (Thank you, Louis).

— Never dreamed that a long, strategically-placed gourd could make such a fashion statement!! Ask Mitchell Moore to translate.

Thank you, Almighty God, for a once-in-a-lifetime missionary memory-building experience—an experience that has truly tied the earlier and later parts of my life together, deepened my walk with Jesus, and further Spirit-ignited my allegiance to The Great Commission.

May it all be to your glory; through Jesus Christ, our Lord.

Amen.

+ Ron Scates



KEYS

BY JOE MOORE, OLDER ADULTS DIRECTOR



Summer has gotten off to a great start. We all enjoyed the Painted Churches and our June birthday lunch at Blanco BBQ. July brings our annual Church 4th of July Picnic along with a birthday lunch at Chester's Hamburgers. Plan on joining us for Lunch and a Movie to view Wonder, the heartwarming story of a 5th grader who learned to celebrate his differences.

BRIDGE AND MAH JONGG CONTINUES FOR THE SUMMER

For the Bridge and Mah Jongg players, there is opportunity to play on the 2nd and 4th Fridays of the month from 11:00 AM to 3:30 PM. Bring a lunch and join in on the fun!! New players are welcome and someone will help you learn the game. If you have other games that we could play, then let us know and we will see that you have a place to enjoy.

UPCOMING BIRTHDAY LUNCHES:

July 20: Chester's Burgers

August 17: Hyatt River Walk Pasta Bar
\$12 per person, unless it's your birthday, then lunch is on us!!

JULY 27 LUNCH AND A MOVIE!

Based on the New York Times bestseller, "Wonder" tells the inspiring and heartwarming story of August Pullman. Born with facial differences that, up until now, have prevented him from going to a mainstream school, Auggie becomes the most unlikely of heroes when he enters the local fifth grade. As his family,

his new classmates, and the larger community all struggle to find their compassion and acceptance, Auggie's extraordinary journey will unite them all and prove you can't blend in when you were born to stand out. Lunch will be served at Noon and Movie will begin at 1:00 PM. \$8 per person make your reservations with Stephanieg@fpcsat.org.

AUGUST 8 HEB LUNCH AND LEARN

We will be returning to the HEB Central Market Cooking School on Wednesday, August 8 at Noon. The cost is \$25, which includes Lunch along with a demonstration on how to prepare what we will be enjoying. The menu will be "Lunch in the Herb Garden" with Grilled Chicken Breast, stuffed with Prosciutto, Fontina and Herb pesto; Lemon and Herb Risotto Cakes; Asparagus with Tarragon Aioli; and for desert Bay Laurel Pound Cake. Make your reservation with Stephanieg@fpcsat.org.

AUGUST 26 HELLO DOLLY AT THE WOODLAWN THEATER

Note: This is on a Sunday.

The blockbuster Broadway hit Hello, Dolly! bursts with humor, romance, high-energy dancing, and some of the greatest songs in musical theater history. The romantic and comic exploits of Dolly Gallagher-Levi, turn-of-the-century matchmaker and "woman who arranges things," are certain to thrill and entertain our audience. Show Time is 3:00 PM. Tickets are \$24, Limited parking on Fredericksburg Road in front of the theater, additional parking behind All Four Seasons Flowers off of Lynwood Avenue and Beal Street. A Van Shuttle is available from FPC Parking lot leaving at 2:00 PM.

SA READS

SA Reads needs your help to sort, categorize, and clean donated books that are used in local schools to provide reading material to children who may not have the opportunity to own books of their own.

Jane Warren (210-493-5187) is the person to contact with any questions about this program. The work is done at Firstmark Credit Union, 10730 Gulfdale Drive, on the first Tuesday of each month. Join in on this great service project as well as the fellowship of working together.

KEEP MOVING FITNESS

Keep Moving Fitness is offered every Friday, except for the third Friday when we celebrate birthdays. This is a program designed for 55 and Betters, often sitting in a chair. Linda Osborne has been our instructor for years and designs our sessions to fit our needs. Most participants express how much better they feel after each week. Join us at 9:30 AM on the second floor of the Student Center, and you will not regret it. There is no charge for this class.

LOOKING AHEAD:

September 11: Will Kick-off KEYS regular Friday Luncheons with the Fire On The Mountain Cloggers of San Antonio, Texas: a clogging and percussive dance team promoting the old time traditional aspects of clogging, offering beginner classes, intermediate lessons and fast-paced performances! Mark your calendars now!!!

October 12: KEYS and The Literature Circle will host a joint meeting with Louis Fisher, author of "Maverick—The American Name That Became a Legend." The San Antonio Express News says, "In this fascinating, well-illustrated work, Fisher outdoes all his prior literary output in style and verve with a book that not only lets the real Sam Maverick stand up and be counted, but puts him in a historical and cultural context that reveals why he and his family name have become such archetypal features of the American psyche." You can find the book in the FPC library and most public libraries, or online in print or electronic copies. Pick it up now and get ready to spend quality time with the author.

December 13: Our Christmas Lights River Cruise! We have reserved a 35-passenger barge this year for an opportunity to see the Lights on the River Walk. The trip is from 6:00-7:00 PM which gives opportunity to meet for dinner before or after. More details as it gets closer.

FPC DEACONS

According to the ECO Polity document, "Deacons lead ministries that nurture fellowship and caregiving within and beyond the congregation. Deacons may also be asked to preach and teach. The congregation shall determine the manner in which they are selected for service. The session shall oversee and direct the ministry of the deacons."

Deacons nurture fellowship and caregiving in several ways:

- **Hospital and Rehabilitation Facility Visitation.**
Deacons visit members in medical facilities, when requested by the members or members' families through the Care and Concern Line.
- **Home Visitation.**
Deacons visit members at home, when requested by members, to help all members to feel a part of our congregation.
- **Grief Ministry.**
Deacons walk alongside members who have experienced a death of a close loved one by following up with them with contacts and visits.
- **After Worship Prayer.**
Deacons are available to pray with members after each worship service.
- **Seasonal Flower Delivery.**
Deacons deliver seasonal flowers (Poinsettias and Easter Lilies) to certain members, including those who have experienced a recent loss, those being visited at home, and members over 90 years old.
- **Prayer.**
Deacons pray for members, as requested in the Care and Concern Line and as other concerns are shared with them.


If you or someone you know could benefit from our deacon ministry, please contact Rev. Scott Simpson, Associate Pastor for Congregational Care, at scotts@fpcsat.org or 210-226-0215, ext. 212, or Lisa Snow, at lisas@fpcsat.org.

FIRST CUP READINGS JULY, 2018

Dear Family in Christ,

First Cup is designed to assist you in the habit of daily Bible reading and prayer. The name is to remind you that as you reach for your first cup of morning coffee or tea, reach also for your Bible and prayer list. The prayers at the beginning of each week are taken from hymns, sometimes found in obscure hymnals in our libraries. They are intended to be read as your beginning prayer, to focus your mind on the daily readings that follow. May this spiritual discipline strengthen you as you face each day.

Blessings and love in Christ, Sandy Sturch and Claire Averyt



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Let the morning bring me word of your unfailing love, for I have put my trust in you. Show me the way I should go, for to you I lift up my soul.— Psalm 143:8

*New every morning is the love our wakening and uprising
prove; Thru sleep and darkness safely brought, restored to life
and power and thought. New mercies, each returning day, hov-
er around us while we pray; New perils past, new sins forgiven,
new thoughts of God, new hopes of heaven. If, on our daily
course, our mind be set to hallow all we find, New treasures
still, of countless price, God will provide for sacrifice. Only, O
Lord, in Thy dear love, fit us for perfect rest above, And help
us, this and every day, To live more nearly as we pray. Amen.
(The Hymnbook, No. 45)*

- 1 Jeremiah 31:27-34; Romans 11
2 Lamentations 1; Isaiah 1; 2 Chronicles 7:13-14
3 Lamentations 2; Matthew 23; 2 Timothy 4:1-5
4 Lamentations 3:1-36; Matthew 5:39; 2 Corinthians
6:1-10; Psalm 123
5 Lamentations 3:37-66; Job 30; Psalm 37
6 Genesis 19:1-29; Lamentations 4; Jeremiah 19:9;
Matthew 24:1-35
7 Lamentations 5; Isaiah 49; 1 Thessalonians 4:13-5:11

Great is Thy faithfulness, O God my Father! There is no shadow of turning with Thee; Thou changest not, Thy compassions, they fail not: as Thou has been Thou forever wilt be. Pardon for sin and a peace that endureth, Thine own dear presence to cheer and to guide; strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow—blessings all mine, with ten thousand beside! (Hymns for the Family of God, No. 98)

- 8 Luke 1:1-25; John 1:1-34
9 Matthew 1:18-25; Luke 1:26-56; Genesis 17:19;
Psalm 132:11-18; Galatians 3:16
10 Luke 2:1-20; Colossians 1:15-23; Isaiah 43:1-3; 45:22
11 Leviticus 12; Luke 2:21-40; Isaiah 42:1-9; 8:13-17;
John 10:11; Psalm 23
12 Micah 5:1-5; Matthew 2
13 Luke 2:41-52; Proverbs 3:1-6
14 Luke 3:1-22; Matthew 3:13-17; Mark 1:1-11; 16:15-16;
Acts 1:5, 2:38-41

*Come, Thou long expected Jesus, born to set Thy people free.
From our fears and sins release us; let us find our rest in Thee.
Israel's Strength and Consolation, Hope of all the earth Thou art;
Dear Desire of ev'ry nation, Joy of ev'ry longing heart! Born Thy
people to deliver, born a child and yet a King, born to reign in us
forever, now Thy gracious kingdom bring. By Thine own eternal
Spirit Rule in all our hearts alone; by Thine all sufficient merit,
raise us to Thy glorious throne. (Worship in Song, No. 181)*


- 15 Luke 3:23-4:13; Deuteronomy 6:13-19; Hebrews 2:10-18;
4:14-16; 1 Peter 5:5-10
- 16 Isaiah 40:1-11; 52:7; 61:1-3; Luke 4:14-21; John 16:13-15
- 17 Luke 4:22-30; 10:13-16; John 1:9-14; 15:18-16:4
- 18 Luke 4:31-37; Deuteronomy 32:17; Isaiah 14:12-15;
Luke 10:18; John 12:27-50
- 19 Luke 4:38-44; Psalm 103
- 20 Luke 5:1-11; John 12:20-26; 1 Peter 2:11-15; Psalm 32
- 21 Numbers 12; 2 Kings 5; Luke 5:12-26; Psalm 147:3
- Out in the highways and byways of life, many are weary and sad. Carry the sunshine where darkness is rife, making the sorrowing glad. Tell the sweet story of Christ and His love; tell of His power to forgive. Others will trust Him if only you prove true every moment you live. Give as 'twas given to you in your need; love as the Master loved you. Be to the helpless a helper indeed; unto your mission be true. Make me a blessing, Make me a blessing, Out of my life may Jesus shine; Make me a blessing, O Saviour, I pray, make me a blessing to someone today. (Worship in Song, No. 342)*
- 22 Luke 5:27-32; John 15:18-27; 2 Corinthians 5:16-21;
James 4:4; 1 John 3:13-15
- 23 Luke 5:33-39; Leviticus 16:29-31; Joel 2:12-14;
Nehemiah 9:1-3; Matthew 6:16-18
- 24 Genesis 2:1-3; Exodus 16; Deuteronomy 5:12-15;
Matthew 5:17-20; Luke 6:1-11
- 25 Psalm 7; Luke 6:12-36; Proverbs 16:7; Romans 12:17-21
- 26 Luke 6:37-45; Romans 2; 14; James 4:11-12;
Matthew 18:15-35
- 27 Luke 6:46-49; James 2:14-26; John 15:1-17
- 28 1 Kings 17; 2 Kings 4:1-37; Luke 7:1-17;
Jeremiah 32:17-27; Psalm 107:20-22

Come, ye sinners, poor and needy, weak and wounded, sick and sore; Jesus ready stands to save you, full of pity, love, and pow'r: He is able, He is able, He is willing; doubt no more. Let not conscience make you linger, nor of fitness fondly dream; All the fitness He requireth is to feel your need of Him: This He gives you, this He gives you; 'Tis the Spirit's glimmering beam. Come, ye weary, heavy laden, bruised and mangled by the Fall; If you tarry till you're better, You will never come at all; Not the righteous, not the righteous; Sinners Jesus came to call. (The Baptist Hymnal, No. 241)

- 29 Psalm 38; Luke 7:36-50; Psalm 32
30 Luke 8:1-18; Psalm 119:1-16; 89-112; James 1:22-25
31 Psalm 119:33-88; Luke 8:19-21; John 14:15-21

FIRST CUP PRAYER LIST

In the same way, the Spirit helps us in our weakness. We do not know what we ought to pray for, but the Spirit himself intercedes for us with groans that words cannot express. (Romans 8:26).



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