Announcements APRIL BIRTHDAYS

April 1st	Dave Bensink
April 2 nd	Phil Bates
April 3 rd	Marko Skoric
April 4 th	Quincy Sondeno, Tim Schoessler, Jerry D

DeLano

April 5th Kate Mossman, Kathy Wormald April 6th Allison Peters, Kay Soulek

April 8th Ole Sondeno April 11th Kim Fletcher April 13th Jonene Geile

April 15th Gale Beers, Cary McWilliams April 16th Liesel Hodecker, David Shultz

April 18th **Doris Schofield**

April 24th Oliver Horn, Oscar Henry, Greg Dimler

April 27th Larry Rickell

Christian Education – Children's Sunday School TODAY in the Church Youth Room at 10:45am



Christian Education Adult/Teen Study TODAY

Meeting in the Parlor from 11:00am to 12:00pm.

PW Garage Sale SATURDAY. APRIL 12 8:00am - 12:00pm



Lots of bargains & treasures with some free stuff. Proceeds benefit local missions. If you're spring cleaning PW is accepting donations (no books or clothing, please).

Presbyterian Women: Circle meetings

Wednesday, April 9 at 1:30 pm and 6:00 pm Please read Lesson 8 before the meeting. Jan Jones will lead the evening discussion and Sandi Yager is the lesson leader for the afternoon circle.

Want to take a hike with your fellow church-goers in YNP?

Look No Further!

DATE: May 17, 2025

FPCC Provides: Full Day Hike, Guided

Please Bring (not provided):

Water Bottle & Sack Lunch Meet at the church at 7am to carpool up.

Sign-up sheet in Narthex.











Would you like to receive online links to our services, bulletins and alerts about church news and events?

If so, please email our church secretary and you can be added to our email list. We do not sell your information and only send out pertinent church information. fpcc@fpcc.email

FPCC Deacons Outreach Ministries

Prayer Requests

Contact Mary Mellinger (307-250-3896) or marymell3@yahoo.com

Grief Resource Regarding the Loss of a Loved One from Stephen's Ministry

Contact Coletta Kewitt (307)-272-7369 or cbeckmaier@gmail.com

Chuckwagon Meals for the Acutely ill or Those Having Surgery

Contact Mackenzie Scott at (307)-899-7939 or mackenziescott540@gmail.com

Homebound Individuals Who would like Visitation

If you would like to volunteer to make meals, please contact Mackenzie Scott

Contact Mary Mellinger (307-250-3896) or marymell3@yahoo.com



April 6th, 2025

Please fill out attendance form and pass it along your row

Praise Music

"You're Worthy Of My Praise" "Amazing Grace (My Chains Are Gone)" "Come, Now Is the Time To Worship"

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Responsive Call to Worship

Come to rejoice together; God is present with us. Sing praises to God, all you faithful ones.

> We are restored to life morning after morning. We will extol our God, who lifts us up.

Come to be washed and cleansed, forgiven and freed. Renew your commitment to the One who calls us.

> We have come to listen for God's word to us. We will give thanks to God's holy name.

Come to enter the race for an imperishable goal. Proclaim the joy of serving in God's name.

> We are here to find where God will send us. We are ready to serve in Christ's name.

Invocation

We come to you, gracious God, as a community of people who realize all is not well with us. We come longing for a wholeness that eludes us. At times, we flee from you. We are afraid to let you get too close. But today we dare to enter your presence with the intention of letting you heal us and draw us close. Hear us. O God, and be gracious to us. O God, be our helper. Turn our mourning into dancing, so our souls may praise you and not be silent. Touch us with your love. Amen.

Hymn "Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee" *Hymn* #464

Unison Prayer of Confession

As Jesus chose to heal the leper, God chooses to forgive and reconcile us to our best selves. We can take off our sack-cloth to put on garments of joy, for God turns our mourning to dancing. God's favor rests on us and strengthens us. We are cleansed and made whole. Give thanks to God, whose welcome is for each one of us, and for all of us together.

Silent Prayers of Confession

Assurance of Pardon

Friends, believe the good news of the Gospel!

In Jesus Christ we are forgiven. Amen

Gloria Patri

Offertory

"Wonderful, Merciful Savior" Jennifer Chanley and Wendy Corr

Doxology

Prayer of Dedication

Children's Time

Hymn "Have Thine Own Way, Lord" *Onscreen Only*

Scriptures Jeremiah 18:1-6 (NIV) Ephesians 1:3-10 (NIV)

Message "Forgiving Yourself" Shane Harwood

Prayers of the People and The Lord's Prayer

Order of Communion

Unison Prayer of Thanksgiving

Closing Hymn "There's A Wideness In God's Mercy" Hymnal #298

Benediction & Blessing

Postlude

Ushers: Phil & Peggy Farman
Worship Leader: Wendy Corr
Accompanist/Choir Director: Tim Schoessler
Message: Shane Harwood

Bio – Shane Harwood



Shane Harwood is passionate about inspiring growth and transformation in others, both spiritually and personally. With a strong background in organizational leadership and a deep commitment to ministry, Shane has dedicated his

life to helping people discover their God-given potential. Whether working with youth, guiding families, or mentoring individuals, he finds joy in encouraging others to mature in their faith and chase after their dreams. Known for his relational approach, Shane often shares his struggles and victories, creating a safe space for others to grow and thrive.

As a father of three and married to Lindsey since 2012, Shane understands the challenges and joys of balancing family, faith, and leadership. His passion for serving extends beyond the church walls, as he actively builds community through youth ministries, small groups, and outreach. With a heart for counseling and a strategic mindset, Shane strives to empower others to walk in their purpose and develop systems for long-term success. His greatest desire is to see lives transformed by God's love and grace, one relationship at a time.

Scriptures

Jeremiah 18:1-6 (NIV)

- ¹This is the word that came to Jeremiah from the LORD:
- ² "Go down to the potter's house, and there I will give you my message."
- ³ So I went down to the potter's house, and I saw him working at the wheel.
- ⁴ But the pot he was shaping from the clay was marred in his hands; so the potter formed it into another pot, shaping it as seemed best to him.
- ⁵Then the word of the LORD came to me.
- ⁶ He said, "Can I not do with you, Israel, as this potter does?" declares the LORD. "Like clay in the hand of the potter, so are you in my hand, Israel.

Ephesians 1:3-10(NIV)

- ³ Praise be to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us in the heavenly realms with every spiritual blessing in Christ.
- ⁴ For he chose us in him before the creation of the world to be holy and blameless in his sight. In love
- ⁵ he predestined us for adoption to sonship through Jesus Christ, in accordance with his pleasure and will—
- ⁶ to the praise of his glorious grace, which he has freely given us in the One he loves.
- ⁷ In him we have redemption through his blood, the forgiveness of sins, in accordance with the riches of God's grace
- 8 that he lavished on us. With all wisdom and understanding,
- ⁹ he made known to us the mystery of his will according to his good pleasure, which he purposed in Christ,
- ¹⁰ to be put into effect when the times reach their fulfillment—to bring unity to all things in heaven and on earth under Christ.