October Birthdays

October 1st Diliberto Gutierrez, Patric Neiters October 2nd Mary Mellinger, David Neihart

October 3rd Tom Horn, Nick Ward

October 6th Jacque Nielsen

October 7th Sean Murray

October 8th Sara Murray

October 10th Sarah Nielsen

October 11th Marilyn Faber, Vayda McNeil

October 12th **Eunice Watson** October 13th Linda Jones

October 15th Joan Wright

October 16th Doris Andrews, Kurt Mellinger,

Conrad Tausend

October 17th Jan Bensink, Connie Fisher

October 18th Sue Consolo-Murphy

October 20th Sheldon Leong

October 22nd Joni Seuferer

October 23rd Daniel Solie

October 27th Bev Reisch

October 30th Bill Reisch

Weekly Events ✓

- **Boy Scouts Meet** (6th Grade +) Monday in the Basement 6:30pm -7:30pm
- **↓ Cub Scouts Meet** (1st 5th Grade) Wednesday in the Basement 6:30pm-7:30pm
- **Wednesday Night Dinner** − 5:30pm in Buswell Hall
- **Session Meeting** Wednesday in the Parlor at 6:00pm
- **♣ Wednesday Confirmation −** 6:00pm-7:00pm
- Food 4 Kids Packing Meet Thursday in the Parlor 6:00pm-7:00pm
- **Food 4 Kids Food Delivery** Friday in the Parlor 8:30am – 9:15am
- Prayer Group Sunday Morning in the Sanctuary 8:45am
- **Adult Study Group** Sunday in the Parlor 11:00am-12:00pm. The Chosen Season 2 Study

Mandatory Fall Congregational Meeting

Purpose of Meeting:

- Approve the slate of new officers for Session 2026
- Review of Sexual Misconduct Policy
- Approve Pastoral Terms of Call

Meeting Date: October 19th, 2025 after Worship



- Mom's Group
- Joanne Currah Recovering from Hip Surgery
- McCall Family Recovering from Blood Clot in Billings Hospital
- Comfort for Jenny and Betty dealing with end-of-life changes
- Comfort for Jen who lost her husband to cancer
- Jason dealing with life choices
- Steve dealing with a stroke
- Steve receiving care from an accident, pray the brain bleeds will cease

Prayer requests will be kept on the prayer list for one month unless specified or removed beforehand

Presbyterian Women: Fall Festival

Mark your Calendars!



Saturday, November 1st, 2025

9:00 am - 1:00 pm



Proceeds benefit local non-profits

Cody Cupboard October Items

Hamburger Helper Pancake Mix Cooking Oil Crackers Hot Chocolate Mix Coffee

FPCC GOAL IS 100 ITEMS FOR THE **MONTH OF OCTOBER**



Goal Reached: 32 out of 100

First Presbyterian Church, Cody Wyoming Sunday Worship Service: 9:30 am

Office: 307-587-2647 fpcc@fpcc.email | CodyFirstPresbyterian.org 2025 23rd Street Cody, Wyoming Office hours: Tuesday - Friday 8:30am - 1:30pm











October 12th, 2025

Please fill out an attendance form and pass it along your row

Praise Music

"In Christ Alone "Lord. I Need You" "Shout To the North"

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Responsive Call to Worship

The heavens are shouting out the glory of God.

Everything on the earth is an awesome display of your handiwork. Words can't describe it! Voices can't capture it! In silence we hear your unspoken truth.

You are revealing yourself to us!

We can see it now. The signs are everywhere. Your law is perfect, it revives us. Your testimony is sure; it makes sense of everything. Your directions are right; they point the way to joy. Your commands are pure; they open our eyes. Your laws are true; they lead us to right living. We worship you in the name of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. Amen!

Opening Hymn "We Have Come To Join In Worship" *Onscreen Only*

Confession and Forgiveness

Lord, you are holy. Open our eyes to see you as we worship. Open our hearts to be receptive to your will and your ways. Open us to believing in the power that is greater than sin. We are open to believing that you can restore what sin has shattered. We are open to believing that you can take the broken pieces of our life and bring them together in a new way. God, hear our honest confession as we admit our need for a new beginning.

Sin has shattered your intentions for us. Sin has broken apart what once was held together. Sin has separated the relationship between us and one another. Forgive our sin. Come and bring healing to our broken life and our broken world.

Silent Confession

Healing, restoring God, your power has redirected us, revived us, and restored us. The saving actions of Jesus Christ on the cross have saved us, redeemed us, and healed us. We are your thankful people who are open to all that you can do in us and through us in Jesus' name. Amen!

Gloria Patri

Choir Anthem "Bring It All"

Call to Give

Because of God's great love and forgiveness we are moved to live with open hands instead of clenched fists. We give a blessing into this world. Let us give to our Lord's mission and ministry now.

Offertory "What the Lord Has Done In Me" Wendy Corr

Doxology

Prayer of Blessing

God, bless these gifts and use them in your kingdom work to bring healing and wholeness to all who need your healing touch. Make the church an instrument of your love and mercy. Make us your open, honest people who seek to create a new and different world in the name of Jesus Christ. Amen!

Children's Time

Hymn "I Need Thee Every Hour" Onscreen Only

Scripture James 5:13-20 (NIV)

Message Beyond Belief...Honest Confession!

Joys and Concerns

After each prayer request, we will pray: "Lord, hear our prayer."

Loving God, You are our Creator and Sustainer. When You open Your hand, You satisfy the hunger and thirst of every living thing. And so we look to You whenever we are in need, trusting in Your love and Your abundant goodness. As You once fed the hungry crowds with five loaves and two small fish, we ask that You again fill those who are empty this day.

Pour out Your Spirit on all who hunger and thirst. We pray for those who are physically hungry—whose stomachs are empty. We think especially of the people in Nigeria, Afghanistan, Gaza, who are facing critical food shortages; who are suffering the effects of malnutrition and starvation; and watching helplessly as loved ones die.

Lord, in Your mercy, open Your hand.

Pour out Your Spirit, so that they may be filled.

We pray for those who are empty emotionally, who are lonely and long for companionship and love, who are caught in the grip of depression, or overwhelmed with grief.

Lord, in Your mercy, open Your hand.

Pour out Your Spirit, so that they may be filled.

We pray for those who are spiritually empty—who are troubled, but don't know where to turn; who long for purpose and meaning, but don't know where to look; who need You, but do not yet know You.

Lord, in Your mercy, open Your hand.

Pour out Your Spirit, so that they may be filled.

God, we praise You for Your abundant gifts in our lives. Pour out Your Spirit on us as well. Fill us with Your compassion and love, so that we would willingly share some of our abundance with those who have need.

Lord, in Your mercy, open Your hand.
Pour out Your Spirit, so that they may be filled.

We pray in the name of Jesus Christ, who came so that all of humanity might come to know the abundant life that comes from You. Amen.

The Lord's Prayer

Closing Hymn "Love Lifted Me" Onscreen Only

Benediction and Blessing

Go and live in the healing touch of God. Go and love one another with the love of Jesus. Go and serve one another through the power of the Holy Spirit. Go in peace and serve the Lord.

Postlude

Ushers: Rod & Kay Soulek
Worship Director: Wendy Corr
Accompanist: Pam Kuhens
Message: Gregg Miller

Next Steps:

- How do you feel about others praying for you? What would be different if they prayed over you?
- What keeps you from honest confession to someone other than family members?
- Ask God to help you this week to understand what you are missing from what James shared at the end of his letter.

James 5:13-20 (NIV)

- ¹³ Is anyone among you in trouble? Let them pray. Is anyone happy? Let them sing songs of praise.
- ¹⁴ Is anyone among you sick? Let them call the elders of the church to pray over them and anoint them with oil in the name of the Lord.
- ¹⁵ And the prayer offered in faith will make the sick person well; the Lord will raise them up. If they have sinned, they will be forgiven.
- ¹⁶ Therefore confess your sins to each other and pray for each other so that you may be healed. The prayer of a righteous person is powerful and effective.
- ¹⁷ Elijah was a human being, even as we are. He prayed earnestly that it would not rain, and it did not rain on the land for three and a half years.
- ¹⁸ Again he prayed, and the heavens gave rain, and the earth produced its crops.
- ¹⁹ My brothers and sisters, if one of you should wander from the truth and someone should bring that person back,
- ²⁰ remember this: Whoever turns a sinner from the error of their way will save them from death and cover over a multitude of sins.



IMO – Highway Cleanup



Date: October 26th, 2025
Departing FPCC after Worship
Bring gloves and a water bottle

If you have any questions, please contact Betheny Nieters at 307-899-3505.

Christian Education: Raincheck Deadline



Please fill out and return raincheck for the book "The Boy Who Wore Blue" into the office, or to a CE member to receive your book!

Deadline is October 19th!