

## Announcements

### APRIL BIRTHDAYS

April 1 <sup>st</sup>	Dave Bensink
April 2 <sup>nd</sup>	Phil Bates
April 3 <sup>rd</sup>	Marko Skoric
April 4 <sup>th</sup>	Quincy Sondeno, Tim Schoessler, Jerry DeLano
April 5 <sup>th</sup>	Kate Mossman, Kathy Wormald
April 6 <sup>th</sup>	Allison Peters, Kay Soulek
April 8 <sup>th</sup>	Ole Sondeno
April 13 <sup>th</sup>	Jonene Geile
April 15 <sup>th</sup>	Gale Beers, Cary McWilliams
April 16 <sup>th</sup>	Liesel Hodecker, David Shultz
April 18 <sup>th</sup>	Doris Schofield
April 24 <sup>th</sup>	Oliver Horn, Oscar Henry, Greg Dimler
April 25 <sup>th</sup>	Twylah Leong
April 27 <sup>th</sup>	Larry Rickell

**Christian Education – Children’s Sunday School**  
May 4th in the Church Youth Room at 10:45am



CJ Clem with Camp Story will be visiting  
FPCC on April 27<sup>th</sup> to discuss  
information about Camp Story 2025!

There will be a brief presentation during  
worship service as well as a table in the  
Narthex with information!

## FPCC Deacons Outreach Ministries

### Prayer Requests

Contact Mary Mellinger (307-250-3896) or [marymell3@yahoo.com](mailto: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](mailto:cbeckmaier@gmail.com)

### Meal Train Meals for the

#### Acutely ill or Those Having Surgery

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

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

### Homebound Individuals Who would like Visitation

Contact Mary Mellinger (307-250-3896) or [marymell3@yahoo.com](mailto:marymell3@yahoo.com)

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

*For Hikers & Non Hikers!!!!*

**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.**



## Deacons – Outreach

Larry Rickell is in the Long Term Care Center at  
Cody Regional Hospital. He would love a visit!  
Room 219

Joanne would also love to see her church family,  
please call Joanne at 307-587-5707.

## Presbyterian Women Birthday Brunch Saturday, May 10<sup>th</sup> at Noon

Presbyterian Women and friends are invited to the annual  
Birthday Brunch. Please bring a dish to share.

We will be sharing our “Family Treasure”  
so bring an item such as a book, recipe card, flower vase, etc.

that has a special family memory for you.  
Be sure to join us for food, fellowship and fun!



**April 27<sup>th</sup>, 2025**

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

### Praise Music

“Nothing But the Blood”

“O To See the Dawn”

“Come People Of the Risen King”

### Prelude

### Welcome and Announcements

Camp Story Presentation

### Unison Call to Worship

Psalm 150

Praise God in His sanctuary;

Praise Him in His mighty heavens.

Praise Him for His acts of power;

Praise Him for His surpassing greatness

Praise Him with the sounding of the trumpet,

Praise Him with the harp and lyre,

Praise Him with timbrel and dancing,

Praise him with the clash of cymbals.

Praise Him with resounding cymbals.

Let everything that has breath praise the Lord.

Praise the Lord.

Invocation

Oh Lord God, you are worthy of all praise and honor. As we gather together this morning, we ask you to fill our hearts and minds with gratitude and praise. meet us today wherever we are and equip us through your word and your spirit. grant us sure and certain hope for the trials to come and the joys yet to be seen. may we cling to the hope of resurrection you give us in Christ, in whose name we pray. Amen

Hymn “10,000 Reasons” *Onscreen Only*

Unison Prayer of Confession

Awesome God, we confess the sin of failing to worship you as you deserve. We struggle to praise you when our strength is fading in the stresses of life. We doubt you and your promises. We blame you for not meeting our expectations, for allowing the trials in our lives. We fail to see you in the thousands of ways you reveal yourself every day. We have not surrendered our hearts and lives to you and your plan for us. Without you we are frozen in the harsh realities of life. Bring us back to life in you so that we can celebrate your reign and serve you and your purposes. Move us to that hope we pray, Amen.

Silent Prayers of Confession

Assurance of Pardon

Friends, believe the good news of the Gospel!  
**In Jesus Christ we are forgiven. Amen**

Gloria Patri

Choir “All Heavens Declare”

Gifts In Action            Congregational Life

Offertory “How Deep the Father’s Love For Us” *Wendy Corr*

Doxology

Prayer of Dedication

Hymn “My Hope Is Built On Nothing Less” *Hymn #379*

Scriptures Luke 24:13-35 *Bret Reed*

Children’s Time

Message "Resurrection Hope”

Prayers of the People and the Lord’s Prayer

Closing Hymn “In Christ Alone” *Onscreen Only*

Benediction & Blessing

Faith is being sure of what we hope for and certain of what we do not see.  
Hope is the confident assurance that we can entrust our lives to the one who holds the future.

**We will focus our eyes and minds and hearts on God**

**We will surrender our hearts to God**

Hope is a God-secured, God-infused, God-glorifying present and future. Because God’s promises are always true, we can have hope.

**We will hold tight to the hope we have in Christ Jesus.**

**We will anchor our hope on his promises.**

Grace to you and peace from God and Jesus Christ.  
Know that God is faithful and Christ walks with you and his spirit guides you. Amen  
**Amen**

Postlude

**Ushers:** Vieune Revolinski & Khloe Grimm  
**Worship Leader:** Wendy Corr  
**Accompanist/Choir Director:** Tim Schoessler  
**Message:** Kathy Reed

Luke 24:13-35 (NIV)

<sup>13</sup> Now that same day two of them were going to a village called Emmaus, about seven miles from Jerusalem.  
<sup>14</sup> They were talking with each other about everything that had happened.  
<sup>15</sup> As they talked and discussed these things with each other, Jesus himself came up and walked along with them;  
<sup>16</sup> but they were kept from recognizing him.  
<sup>17</sup> He asked them, “What are you discussing together as you walk along?” They stood still, their faces downcast.  
<sup>18</sup> One of them, named Cleopas, asked him, “Are you the only one visiting Jerusalem who does not know the things that have happened there in these days?”  
<sup>19</sup> “What things?” he asked.  
“About Jesus of Nazareth,” they replied. “He was a prophet, powerful in word and deed before God and all the people.  
<sup>20</sup> The chief priests and our rulers handed him over to be sentenced to death, and they crucified him;  
<sup>21</sup> but we had hoped that he was the one who was going to redeem Israel. And what is more, it is the third day since all this took place.  
<sup>22</sup> In addition, some of our women amazed us. They went to the tomb early this morning  
<sup>23</sup> but didn’t find his body. They came and told us that they had seen a vision of angels, who said he was alive.  
<sup>24</sup> Then some of our companions went to the tomb and found it just as the women had said, but they did not see Jesus.”

<sup>25</sup> He said to them, “How foolish you are, and how slow to believe all that the prophets have spoken!  
<sup>26</sup> Did not the Messiah have to suffer these things and then enter his glory?”  
<sup>27</sup> And beginning with Moses and all the Prophets, he explained to them what was said in all the Scriptures concerning himself.  
<sup>28</sup> As they approached the village to which they were going, Jesus continued on as if he were going farther.  
<sup>29</sup> But they urged him strongly, “Stay with us, for it is nearly evening; the day is almost over.” So he went in to stay with them.  
<sup>30</sup> When he was at the table with them, he took bread, gave thanks, broke it and began to give it to them.  
<sup>31</sup> Then their eyes were opened and they recognized him, and he disappeared from their sight.  
<sup>32</sup> They asked each other, “Were not our hearts burning within us while he talked with us on the road and opened the Scriptures to us?”  
<sup>33</sup> They got up and returned at once to Jerusalem. There they found the Eleven and those with them, assembled together  
<sup>34</sup> and saying, “It is true! The Lord has risen and has appeared to Simon.” <sup>35</sup> Then the two told what had happened on the way, and how Jesus was recognized by them when he broke the bread.

Bio: Kathy Reed



April 2025

Kathy grew up in the First Presbyterian Church in Cody. She became a member after a confirmation class taught by Reverend Buswell. She and her husband Joe were married in Buswell Hall in 1965 before the sanctuary was built. They are blessed with 4 children, 10 grandchildren, and 4 great grandchildren. They own a farm 5 miles outside of Cody. Kathy has served as a deacon, elder, youth and adult Sunday School teacher and is currently serving on the Christian Education committee. Also as an outreach from the church, she taught the Bible to community women through Bible Study Fellowship for 27 years.