

OCTOBER 22 CONGREGATIONAL MEETING

Immediately following worship, Sunday, October 22 in the sanctuary, we will have our fall congregational meeting. In addition to receiving a report from the 2017 Nominating Committee and electing new officers, there will be a conversation about changing dynamics within the congregation. There is a letter explaining what we hope to do. If you did not receive it, it can be read on the congregational website. Pat Montgomery

CHILDREN’S SERMON WORKSHOP October 25, at 6:00 p.m.

On Wednesday, October 25, at 6:00 p.m. Worship Committee and the worship planning team are offering training for those interested in giving Children’s Sermons. If you would like to learn more about giving a children’s message, please join us. There is a sign-up sheet in the church office.

MONTGOMERY OPEN HOUSE October 29, from 2-4 p.m.

Everyone is invited to join the Mongomerys at their house at 57 Wapiti Heights Drive on Sunday October 29 from 2-4pm. There will be warm apple cider, s’mores to make and snacks to enjoy while we fellowship together enjoying the great outdoors.

NEW MEMBER RETREAT! Saturday November 4

On Saturday November 4 we will be offering a New Member Class. The Class will be a one-day retreat at Pat and Debbie Montgomery’s. In the event of foul weather, we will have the retreat at the Church. If you would like to join the Church, or simply learn more about the First Presbyterian Church of Cody Wyoming, please register by either notifying the Church office, or emailing Pat at pmm@wavecom.net.

SAVE THE DATE - PW FALL FESTIVAL

Saturday, November 4, 9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Come to shop for homemade pies and frozen soup, craft items, cookies, candies and more. Stay to enjoy a complimentary cup of coffee and cookie. The Presbyterian Women welcome donations of baked goods and craft items from the congregation. Our profits support local charities and our annual scholarship.

MEN OF THE CHURCH

Men’s Group Organizational Meeting November 6

On Monday November 6, at 7:00 a.m. there will be a men’s breakfast in Buswell Hall to measure the interest in either a men’s study or fellowship group, here at the church. If you are planning to come let me know ahead of time and it will help me know how much food to make. Also if you want to help me cook that day, email or give me a call at either 587-2647 or pmm@wavecom.net. Thank you, Pat Montgomery.

Welcome Visitors!

We are glad that you are here this morning. Please sign and pass the attendance pad at the end of the pew. We would especially appreciate having your name, address, and phone number, because we would like to have a chance to thank you for being with us. We invite you to join us for coffee after the service.

Worshipping with children: While children are always welcome in worship, we are happy to offer a nursery, staffed by trained and loving caregivers. The nursery is located in the east wing of the church, about halfway down the hall. Please speak with an usher if you would like assistance finding the nursery.

Listening Devices: If you need an assisted listening device, please ask

2017 ELDERS

Building & Grounds	Luke Montgomery (18) Curt Scott (19)
Stewardship, Budget & Personnel	Ole Sondeno (18) Sandy Klomprens (19)
Clerk of Session	Cathy Aardema
Worship	Joan Quick (17) Cathy Aardema (17)
Evangelism & Missions	Sarah Thomas (18) Roy Holm (19)
Christian Ed	Bret Reed (17) Jack Atkins (18)
Congregational Life	Chris Bingley (17) Patty Brus (19)

2017 BOARD OF DEACONS

Kathy Wormald (17), Moderator	Joy Hall (17)
Janalyn Shultz (17)	Hugh Curah (18)
Amy Eckert (18)	Mary McDonald (18)
Ginny Donnelly (19)	Deb Clow (19)
Quincy Sondeno (19)	

First Presbyterian Church, Cody Wyoming

Sunday Worship Service: 9:30 am

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Contact Tammy Scott for more information.



MATURING IN CHRIST
come grow with us

First Presbyterian Church, Cody Wyoming

October 15, 2017
19th Sunday after Pentecost

Please print your name on the attendance pad
and pass it down your row.

Please turn off cell phones

PRELUDE

“Forever” (Praise Book #19)

WELCOME

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRAYER

CALL TO WORSHIP

Lord, you are my God; I will exalt you and praise your name,
for in perfect faithfulness you have done wonderful things,
things planned long ago.

**You have been a refuge for the poor, a refuge for the needy in
their distress, a shelter from the storm and a shade from the heat.**

On this mountain the Lord Almighty will prepare a feast of rich food for
all peoples, On this mountain he will destroy the shroud that enfolds all
peoples, he will swallow up death forever.

**The Sovereign Lord will wipe away the tears from all faces;
In that day we will say, “Surely this is our God;
we trusted in him, and he saved us.**

Let us rejoice and be glad in his salvation.

“You Have Been Good” (Praise Book #76)

UNISON PRAYER OF CONFESSION

God of all mercy, you have invited us to a banquet of salvation, to share in the everlasting celebration of your glory. We intend to follow you, to grow deeper in relationship with you, but life is busy, and our responsibilities are many. We confess that we do not put you first, that we do not love you with all our heart, soul, mind, and strength, and we do not really love our neighbors as ourselves. We return to you now O Lord, to ask your mercy and forgiveness. Open us to hear your word, and strengthen us to do your will, whatever it takes. Amen.

GLORIA

KIDS’ THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

Exodus 32:1-14 Page 137

OUR GIFTS IN ACTION

Congregational Life

OFFERING

DOXOLOGY

CHOIR “I Thank You Lord”

SCRIPTURE

Matthew 22: 1-14 Page 1534

MESSAGE “It’s Not About the Clothes”

Supplemental Reading: Exodus 32:1-14 Page 137

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD’S PRAYER

“Be Thou My Vision” (Hymnal #339)

BENEDICTION

SCRIPTURE READER: Roy Holm

USHERS: Michael and Sarah Thomas

NURSERY: Jeanette Hunter and Kathy Wormald

MUSIC ACCOMPANIST: Tim Schoessler

WORSHIP LEADERS: Jonene Geile and Wendy Corr

GUEST PASTOR: Miki Law

PLEASE INCLUDE THE PERSONS LISTED BELOW IN YOUR PRAYERS:

(Please notify us if specific prayer concerns need to be extended beyond two weeks)

Marla Herman

Tony and Audrey Bork

Bob and Jill Wolf Family

Dennis Walker

Marvin Stamback

Carolyn Kearns

The Phillips’ Family

Committee Meeting Schedule

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| • 5:15 pm | 1 st Monday | Christian Education |
| • 4:30 pm | 1 st Monday | Congregational Life |
| • 6:00 pm | 2 nd Monday | Worship |
| • 6:00 pm | 2 nd Monday | Deacons |
| • 5:15 pm | 2 nd Monday | Stewardship, Budget and Personnel |
| • 6:30 pm | 3 rd Monday | Session |
| • 5:00 pm | 4 th Monday | Building & Grounds |
| • 6:30 pm | 4 th Monday | Mission & Evangelism |

This Week’s Calendar

Sunday, October 15

9:30 am	Worship Service
10:30 am	Fellowship
(Following Worship)	Choir Practice
11:00 am	Sunday School

Wednesday, October 18

9:00 am	MOPS
5:30 pm	Wednesday Night Program

Sunday, October 22

9:30 am	Worship Service
(Following Worship)	Congregational Meeting
(Following Meeting)	Fellowship
(Following Meeting)	Choir Practice
11:00 am	Sunday School
1:00-4:00pm	Yellowstone Harmony Concert

HURRICANE DONATIONS / ASSISTANCE

Several folks have asked about sending relief money to the Texas area in response to Hurricane Harvey. Because the Session has not met to consider this matter, the congregation is not taking up a specific offering at this time, but feel very free to donate to the already established Presbyterian Disaster Relief fund. This fund is very well managed and your money goes directly to help people, not to administrative fees. I called Bill Cottman, a former intern with our congregation who serves a Presbyterian Church in Mission Presbytery (one of the presbyteries hardest hit by Harvey). His congregation was not severely impacted by Harvey, but many neighboring congregations were. Bill felt that donating to Presbyterian Disaster Relief was still the best way to target money in response to the storm. Information necessary for giving to Presbyterian Disaster Relief/Hurricane Harvey is as follows...

Pay to the Order Of: Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.)

Memo Line:

Disaster Relief – U.S. Hurricane Response, DR000169

Mail to:

Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.)

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