

SCHEDULE CHANGES

During Holy Week, Monday March 26 through Friday March 30, we will have worship each evening starting at 5:30 p.m. On Wednesday March 28, there will be no Wednesday night dinner or program, only the 5:30 pm worship service. On Easter morning (April 1st), in addition to the normal worship time of 9:30 a.m., there will also be a 6:45 a.m. sunrise service at Lion's Park at Beck Lake.

Because the Cody Schools have spring break the 1st week of April, we will also have no Wednesday night programming of any kind on Wednesday April 4.

On Wednesday April 11, we will begin our new meeting schedule with the Wednesday night meal and activities starting at 5:30 p.m., as well as all Deacon and Session committees meeting in the sanctuary starting at 6:15 p.m.

Holy Week: Monday March 26 – Friday March 30

5:30 pm Worship service each evening.

Wednesday March 28:

No Wednesday night dinner or program. Only the 5:30 pm worship service.

Easter Morning - April 1st:

6:45 am - Sunrise Service at Lion's Park at Beck Lake

9:30 am - Regular Worship Service

(Easter Egg Hunt following regular worship service)

NO – Sunday School

Wednesday April 4:

NO – Wednesday night programming of any kind.

Sunday April 8:

Sunday School resumes

Wednesday April 11:

We will begin our new meeting schedule with the Wednesday night meal and activities starting at 5:30 pm, as well as all Deacon and Session committees meeting in the sanctuary starting at 6:15 pm.

NURSERY SUPERVISOR We are currently looking for an individual to fill this paid position within in our church. The current wage is \$12 per hour. Application packets with additional information are available in the church office. Questions? Please visit with Peggy Farman or Ole Sondeno

GOOD FRIDAY READERS NEEDED

We need volunteers to be readers at ecumenical Good Friday services at Brookside and the Long Term Care Center. Services are at 10am and 2 pm, you can volunteer for one or both services. If interested, please contact Tammy Scott.

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 one of the ushers and they will be happy to help you.

2018 ELDERS

Building & Grounds	Curt Scott (19)
Stewardship, Budget & Personnel	Ole Sondeno (18) Peggy Farman (19)
Clerk of Session	Cathy Aardema
Worship	Jonene Geile (20)
Congregational Life and Education	Jack Atkins (18) Patty Brus (19) Connie Fisher (20) Mary Phillips (20) Vieune Revolinski (18)
Evangelism and Mission	Sarah Thomas (18) Roy Holm (19)

2018 BOARD OF DEACONS

Amy Eckert (20), Moderator	Judy Bates (19)
Hugh Currah (18)	Karen Snyder (20)
Mary McDonald (18)	Chris Beers (20)
Ginny Donnelly (19)	Jan Bensink (20)
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

March 25, 2018
Palm / Passion Sunday

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

Please turn off cell phones

PRELUDE

“We are People On a Journey” (On Screen Only)

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRAYER

CALL TO WORSHIP

Come to prepare yourselves for this trying week.

Watch and pray with One who was betrayed.

Our times are in God's hands.

Surely God will deliver us from this terror.

Awake from your sleep; God is asking for your best.

Remain alert: much will be required of you.

We want to be faithful in our work and witness.

We seek to honor Christ in worship and service.

God offers you the tongue of a teacher.

God sustains you with the strength of Christ.

We will listen for God's word.

We will speak on behalf of justice and truth.

“I Will Call Upon the Lord” (Praise #34)

UNISON PRAYER OF CONFESSION

O God, you know how we have pretended to be strong as we follow ways of the world. We have put our trust in “wisdom” that has no lasting value. We invest our energies for things that delight us today but are obsolete tomorrow. We neglect relationships with you and one another that have enduring quality. We are so busy with our busyness that we devote little time to you. So your way has appeared foolish to us, the cross is a stumbling block, and sacrifice is to be avoided. Save us O God, from our fear-filled ways. Amen

CHILDREN’S MESSAGE

MESSAGE “Messiah!”

GOSPEL

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PRESENTATION OF PALMS AND OFFERING

Choir “Prepare Ye the Way of the Lord”

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND LORD’S PRAYER

“Hosanna, Loud Hosanna” (Hymnal #89)

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

SCRIPTURE READER: Roy Holm
USHERS: Jack Eckley and Craig Barsness
NURSERY: Mina Holm and Nancy Horn
MUSIC ACCOMPANIST: Tim Schoessler
WORSHIP LEADERS: Jonene Geile and Wendy Corr
Pastor Pat Montgomery

JOAN’S CARE CALENDAR

Thanks to all of you who took the time to bring Joan food or gave her a ride to an appointment. Your help and concern has been greatly appreciated. As Joan is feeling better, we will wrap up the food delivery this last week of March and will not continue it into April. Joan is trying to return containers to folks who have brought food. If you are one of those folks, please check the kitchen to retrieve you containers and receive a thank you card.

CALLING ALL ACTIVE AND NON ACTIVE DEACONS

In an effort to assist the current active Deacons in their outreach communion ministry to the residents of Brookside and Long-term care, we are asking non-active Deacons to help. The signup sheet is on the bulletin board in the entry way, please check your schedule and sign up when you can help or contact Amy Eckert.

NURSERY VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR APRIL

The signup sheet can be found on the bulletin board in the entryway. Please check your schedule and sign up to help when you are available.

2018 PER CAPITA

If you wish to help our congregation with the per capita amounts, we would gladly welcome it as we just sent off a check for \$10,457.43. Please write "Per Capita" on your check or the envelope. For those who were granted relief of conscience requests, only the amount to the Presbytery was remitted. Below amounts are per-person:

Presbytery	31.82
General Assembly	7.73
<u>Synod</u>	<u>3.50</u>
Total:	\$43.05

EMPOWERED TO CONNECT, SIMULCAST APRIL 13 & 14

8:00 am – 4:00 pm each day The content is ideal for adoptive and foster parents, those considering adoption or foster care, and those who are serving and supporting others, including social workers, agency professionals, church staff and ministry leaders, counselors, and therapists. Contact Patty Brus for more information 307-272-0832. \$25 Registration fee. To learn more about the event: <https://empoweredcody.eventbrite.com>

PW GARAGE SALE, Saturday, April 21, 8:00 a.m. - Noon

MOPS GARAGE SALE, Saturday, April 28, 8:00 a.m.

SUMMER AT CAMP STORY!

Summer camp for our kids 5th-12th grades will be at Camp Story, our Presbyterian camp near Story, Wyo. Contact Vieune for more information. 899-5979.

PLEASE INCLUDE THE PERSONS LISTED BELOW IN YOUR PRAYERS:

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

Marvin Stamback
Carolyn Kearns
Karen Ritscher

Tony and Audrey Bork
Dennis Walker

Committee Meeting Schedule

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

This Week’s Calendar

Sunday, March 25 (Palm Sunday)

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

Monday, March 26

5:30 pm Holy Week Service
6:30 pm Mission and Evangelism Meeting

Tuesday, March 27

5:30 pm Holy Week Service

Wednesday, March 28

5:30 pm Holy Week Service
NO Wednesday Night Program

Thursday, March 29

5:30 pm Holy Week Service
(To be Determined) Building and Grounds Meeting

Friday, March 30

5:30 pm Holy Week Service

Sunday, April 1 (Easter)

6:45 am Sunrise Service at Lion’s Park at Beck Lake
9:30 am Worship Service
(After Service) Easter Egg Hunt
NO Sunday School