

# Prayer Requests

### Healing & Comfort

Mario Alberico	Carol Johnson — friend of Carolyn and Keith Schmidt
Laury Allen	Paul Juenger — friend of Marilyn Yantis
Pat Almblad	Jason Krigas
Ken Behm — brother of Leslie Crowe	Fred Langer — father of Laura Carlson
Jama Bickford	Helen Lawson — friend of Liz Armstrong
Jan Bierman — friend of Bill and Marilee Hamilton and Al Wilson	Bruce Leonard — brother of Debbie Klein
Wendy Bilen — friend of Joy Fick	Joe Lyon
Cathy Boll — friend of Bill Hamilton	Donna Manzella — cousin of Corinne Peterson
Jim Brown — friend of Bill and Marilee Hamilton	Quentin Mare’
Betty Lou Bukowski	Paula Ford Martin — daughter of Mary Ford
Jane Cassaro — friend of Beth Balow	Devin Minarik — grandson of Sue Minarik
Mary Clarbourn	Ruthann Normann
Sally Costello	Betty Page — sister of Bill Dillon
Jonathan Cranfill — nephew of Judy Hockenberry	Sawyer Peterson — grandson of Barrett and Corinne Peterson
Carolyn Dow	Tony Peterson — friend of Mario Alberico
Kenyatta Fletcher — friend of Dawn Simmons Bruce	Sandy Richardson
Steve Florio — friend of Toni Eaton	Michelle Rowley — daughter-in-law of Jody and Don Rowley
Bree Foley — cousin of Mario Alberico	Susan Scott
Beth Gardham — friend of Bill Hamilton	Joan Shripka — friend of Carolyn and Keith Schmidt
George Gerner — cousin of Kelsey Fuentes	Ed Slivovsky
Barbara Hayes	Je’Anna Paris Smith
Helen Gee — aunt of Elaine Chen	Carson Taylor — member of the Krigas family
Dorita and Houston Godfrey	Jewell Truskowski
Kit Graham — friend of Betty Sanders	Vasilios Tsironis — friend of Beth Balow
Rich Jacobs — son-in-law of Barbara MacDowall	Dan Tsutsumi
Marylyn Jirsa	Wes Upton — friend of Ralph Larsen
Daniella Johnson — friend of Hal Stern	Marilyn Votava — sister of Judy Ayers
	Yanice — friend of Dawn Simmons Bruce
	Brian Yantis

### Sympathy to:

**Tim and Marjorie Lock**, on the death of Tim’s brother, *David Lock*  
Bruce and **Linda Byus**, on the death of Linda’s brother, *Ray Caldwell*

### Serving in the Armed Services

AMN Charles Arthur Brousseau, Air Force — son of Liz Moses and Bob Wendling  
Geoffrey Martineau — brother of Lisa Martineau  
E5MM Marc Robert McGrath, Jr., Navy — grandson of Donald and Jacqueline Schultz  
Brandon Latuzek — brother-in-law of Elaine Chen  
Sergeant Benjamin David Schultz, Air Force — grandson of Donald and Jacqueline Schultz  
Colonel Gretchen Wiltse — sister of Vincent and Heidi Wiltse

# About First Pres

### STAFF

<b>Pastor / Head of Staff:</b> Alex Lang	<b>Director of Music and Worship:</b> Adam Hendrickson
<b>Associate Pastor for Pastoral Care:</b> Judy Hockenberry	<b>Associate Director of Music and Organist:</b> Christopher Urban
<b>Associate Pastor for Children, Youth, and Families:</b> TC Anderson	<b>Worship Technician:</b> James Thompson
<b>Pastor Emeritus:</b> Harry Thompson	<b>Business Administrator:</b> Debbie Walter
<b>Associate Pastor Emerita:</b> Dianne Shields	<b>Senior Administrative Assistant:</b> Mary Fino
<b>Director of Children’s Ministries:</b> Katy Allen	<b>Administrative Assistant / Receptionist:</b> Carol Vega
<b>Nursery Coordinator:</b> Beth Johnson	<b>Facilities Coordinator:</b> Michele Holifield
<b>Director of Parents’ Day Out:</b> Coleen Anzalone	<b>Coordinator of Volunteers:</b> Liz Armstrong
<b>Director of Communications:</b> Maria Wojtas	<b>Volunteer Librarians:</b> Bob Hanlon, Mary Hebden, Barbara MacDowall, Matt Meisterheim
<b>Director of Operations and Technology:</b> Brian Larson	

# Save the Date

Today	Summer Sunday School
August 18	Summer Sunday School
August 25	Summer Sunday School
September 2	Church Office Closed (Labor Day)
September 8	Kick Off Sunday

**PASTORAL CARE** — If you have a death in the family, an anticipated surgery, the birth of a new baby, or if you or a loved one are struggling, your pastors and church family want to be there to support you. Please contact Pastor Judy Hockenberry, at [judyhockenberry@firstpresah.org](mailto:judyhockenberry@firstpresah.org) or 847-255-5900, or call the church office to share your pastoral needs.

# Church Life

July 28, 2019

### Welcome to First Presbyterian Church of Arlington Heights!

We are glad you are here! We know that you have a lot of choices about where and how to spend your time on Sunday. We are happy that you chose to spend it with us this morning. We want you to feel special and welcome here. We are an open and inclusive congregation. Our hope is that as you worship with us, you will be inspired to choose love, be the light, and change the world. We invite you to participate in building the kingdom of God. Thank you for being here.



**SUMMER SUNDAY SCHOOL — Today / 9:00 am —** Preschoolers through 5th graders are invited to Summer Sunday School today! Join us at the garden boxes near Door 8 at 9:00 am for an hour of gardening fun. Mark your calendars for future Summer Sunday School dates: August 18 and 25. We hope to see you there!



**KICK OFF SUNDAY — Sunday, September 8 / Following 10:30 am worship and Sunday School —** Mark your calendar for our upcoming Kick Off Sunday to celebrate the beginning of the new program year! We will have food trucks, including Cheesy Toast, two taco trucks, and a doughnut truck! There will also be a dunk tank, games, and a bounce house for kids.

**FELLOWSHIP HALL IS CURRENTLY UNAVAILABLE** — During the heavy rains of July 17, we had water back up into a large portion of Fellowship Hall and the PADS area. This happened just 5 days before the start of a significant plumbing project from Trustees that was devised to prevent this from happening. Although carpeting was not salvageable, the other damage was minimal and flood sanitation is complete. Because the plumbing project involved breaking up the flooring, Trustees and the Facilities team were already finalizing plans to replace the aging carpeting with a vinyl plank floor tile that is better suited for our very busy space. The work should be completed by mid-August and any affected events have already been relocated.

### Sunday, July 28:

8:45 am – 11:45 am	Child care (infants – 4 years) — Room 209/211 (Red Room), Main Floor Christian Education (CE) Wing
9:00 am	Summer Sunday School — Loaves & Fishes Garden
9:00 am	<b>Worship</b> — Chapel
9:45 am	Adult Choir Rehearsal — Choir Auditorium
10:00 am	Coffee & Fellowship — Parlor, Narthex, Forum
10:30 am	<b>Worship</b> — Sanctuary
11:30 am	Coffee & Fellowship — Parlor, Narthex



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# Upcoming Events



**MEN’S MONDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY —** Meet the guys tomorrow, 6:30-7:30 am, in the Parlor. Read Hosea 11:1-11; Psalm 107; Colossians 3:1-11; Luke 12:13-21. Enter at Door 9 (St. James Street). Questions: Contact Bill Dillon at [crdillon@sbcglobal.net](mailto:crdillon@sbcglobal.net).



**JUST FRIENDS (adults 50+) — *Saturday, August 3 / 10:00 am*** — Join Just Friends for the Destination Asia Festival at the Morton Arboretum! This event features art, music, cuisine, and much more. The Morton Arboretum is located at 4100 Illinois Route 53 in Lisle. Lunch will be in the Ginkgo Café at the arboretum. Meet at the church at 10:00 am. ***For details and to RSVP to events:*** Contact Pam Miller.

***THE CHIMES — Deadline Monday, August 12*** — Do you have an article for the September/October 2019 edition of *The Chimes*? Please send articles to Mary Fino by Monday, August 12, at [maryfino@firstpresah.org](mailto:maryfino@firstpresah.org). No late entries will be accepted, but early submissions always are!



**SUMMER OFFICE HOURS —** The church office will close at 12:30 pm each Friday through August 30. Regular office hours will remain in effect Monday through Thursday: 8:30 am – 4:30 pm. To schedule Friday afternoon access to the church building (requests must be made in advance), please contact Michele Holifield at 847-255-5900 or [micheleholifield@firstpresah.org](mailto:micheleholifield@firstpresah.org).

# Serving, Giving, and Growing



**VETERANS EXITING HOMELESSNESS THANK YOU —** Here at First Pres, we supported an organization called Veterans Exiting Homelessness from Memorial Day through the 4th of July. This organization collects new basic household goods such as kitchen utensils, cleaning supplies, and personal hygiene items, and then donates them to veterans that have secured housing through the Department of Veterans Affairs. The response to our request for donations was overwhelming! Cash donations also received will be used to purchase a mattress, box spring, frame, and more. Thank you for your generous spirit of giving and for helping veterans fill their home.

**VBS AND MISSIONFACTORY VOLUNTEERS THANK YOU —** From July 8-12, we had over 180 kids join us for VBS and MissionFactory. The week was full of fun, learning more about our faith, and the importance of helping those in need. We could not have had such a successful program without the help of our amazing volunteers! Thank you to everyone for your time, hard work, and dedication! No job was too small, and everything you did created a memorable experience that the kids will remember for years to come. We can’t wait to see you all again next year!



**MANE EVENT — *Friday, August 2 / 5:00-9:00 pm*** — The Congregational and Community Life committee would like to invite all church members to stop by our booth at the Mane Event in downtown Arlington Heights on Friday, August 2, anytime between 5:00-9:00 pm. The event happens on Vail Avenue and Campbell Street. This is a fun event that the whole family can attend! We are going to be giving away pop sockets which have the church logo on them that attach to your phone. More importantly, this is an opportunity for us to reach out to the community to promote the worship, mission, and educational programs of First Pres. We need volunteers to help with set-up, break down, and to run the table during the event. Contact Susan Kogan if you are interested in volunteering.

# Worship Next Sunday

**August 4, 2019: 8th Sunday after Pentecost**

**9:00 am — Worship with Holy Communion** (Chapel)  
*Music:* Compass

**10:30 am — Worship with Holy Communion** (Sanctuary)  
*Music:* Jazz with Bruce Blanck and Friends

*Preacher:* Rev. TC Anderson

**LIVE WEBCAST & WORSHIP RECORDINGS —** Worship services are webcast each Sunday on the church website, [firstpresah.org](http://firstpresah.org). You can view these services live or at a later time. Access these webcasts directly through the Home page. If you need help with technical problems, please send an e-mail to [webcasting@firstpresah.org](mailto:webcasting@firstpresah.org). Sermon videos are available at [firstpresah.org/media/sermons](http://firstpresah.org/media/sermons). Sermon podcast archives are available at [firstpresah.org/media/podcasts](http://firstpresah.org/media/podcasts). To subscribe to the weekly sermon podcast, search your podcast app for “First Presbyterian Church of Arlington Heights” or “The Word @ First Pres.”

## More News

If you give electronically but would like to put something in the offering plate, we invite you to use the laminated bookmarks available in the pew rack in front of you. We will be keeping you abreast of your generosity.

### Extra giving opportunity and explanation of use:

Bookmarks	\$ 717.00
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The bookmark funds will be used for the Mary and Martha Lending Closet.

### Introducing the Mary and Martha Lending Closet

Today’s society has accumulated a lot of items in our homes. Much of it is used only once or twice and then put away for safe keeping (just in case we may need it again). What if instead of always purchasing what we need, we could borrow it and then share with the next person?

The Mary and Martha Lending Closet at First Pres would provide a way for church members and the larger community to borrow items that they need for home entertaining/hospitality. The modest income that is generated by the Lending Closet will be used by First Pres to grow our outreach and hospitality ministry.

Money donated through the bookmark program will be used for set-up/initial purchasing of items for the Lending Closet. If you would like more information on the mission of the Mary and Martha’s Lending Closet, please contact Michele Holifield ([micheleholifield@firstpresah.org](mailto:micheleholifield@firstpresah.org)) or Amy Hempleman.

Mary  
AND  
Martha’s  
LENDING CLOSET

### A Note From the Director of Communications:

To the members of First Presbyterian Church of Arlington Heights, I am writing to inform you that I am leaving my position as Director of Communications at First Presbyterian Church of Arlington Heights as of Wednesday, July 31. I have accepted a position back in the museum field in Elgin, museum studies being what I earned my Master’s Degree in. It has been a pleasure working with the staff and members of the congregation at First Presbyterian over the last two years. I would like to thank you all for the privilege of working with you and this wonderful church. Wishing you all many blessings, Maria Wojtas.