

# **The Home Page**

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**United Harvest volunteers are needed** on Saturday, February 25! We need your help to keep our new ministry going strong! Volunteers should report to the Annex and can help in one or both ways:

- Help unload and organize the food (8:00-9:15 a.m.)
- Help distribute the food (9:15-11:30 a.m.)

\*We especially need volunteers who can carry boxes of food from the Annex to recipients' vehicles (9:15 - 11:30 a.m.).

Contact Kili Wenburg at 402-462-5147 or kili@fpchastings.org. Thank you for your service!

The fourth Sunday of each month is designated for the collection of diapers for **Happy Nappy**. Please bring a box to place in

The basket outside of the Hands Around the World Store. They are distributed to those in need in the community, currently thru Catholic Social Services. The congregation is encouraged to bring diapers to help those most vulnerable.

There has been a **change in the Child Protection Policy Training dates**. They are as follows:

- Saturday, February 18 @ 9:00-10:00 am
- Thursday, February 23 @ 7:00-8:00 pm
- Sunday, February 26 @ 1:00-2:00 pm

Sunday, February 19 @ 1:00-2:00 pm will not be held

Please contact Stephanie Brader at 402-462-5147 or <u>steph@fpchastings.org</u> if other arrangements need made.

**Mission Committee members delivered** 99 diapers/nappies to Catholic Social Services last Thursday as part of the Happy Nappy program. Thank you for donating to some of the most vulnerable.

**FPC remitted** February 15<sup>th</sup>: \$410.00 to Healthy Beginnings for January communion offering, \$130.00 to Hastings Food Pantry, and \$186.19 to PC(USA) Hunger Fund. Glory be to God!

#### Could you "adopt" a couple college students?

FPC is once again seeking to support college students through the "adopt-a-student" program. Students will be assigned in pairs to adoptive individuals or families. Those serving as "adopters" are asked to pledge to offer tangible signs of support to their assigned students on at least a monthly basis (invite them out for lunch after worship; send them cookies in the mail; have them over for a home-cooked meal; hand-deliver a care package (and a hug!) during finals week; and so on). Contact Kili to sign up!

Know a college student or young adult in need of **a summer job**? Highlands Summer Camp in Allenspark, Colorado, is the perfect place for those interested in working with kids, serving as program leadership, preparing delicious meals, and helping maintain facilities. Applicants must be at least 19 years old and be available to work from May 29 to July 31. Applicants can email Summer Camp Director, Steven Bohn at registrar@highlandscamp.org or apply online at www.highlandscamp.org. Benefits include salary, room and board, paid training and experience to last a lifetime!



# Jr. High Youth

Friday, March 17, 6:30pm thru Saturday, March 18, 8:30am

## Sr. High Youth

Friday, March 31, 6:30pm thru Saturday, April 1, 8:30am



Registration/Consent forms are available on the glass shelves by the church office. Forms <u>must be completed and returned to</u> <u>Stephanie before March 12.</u>

### **CONGREGATIONAL LIVES**

**Need a ride to church on Sundays?** Request a ride by calling Jeanne Hastings, Deacon Moderator, at 402-462-8460 or the church office at 402-462-5147.

The **radio broadcast** airs Sunday @ 10:30a.m. during service on KICS 1550 AM.

**Sunday's service will be broadcast** on Channel 181 Tuesday, 1:00 p.m., and Sunday at 9:00 a.m.

For those living at Good Samaritan Village, Sunday's service will be broadcast on Channel 3 on Sunday at 12:00 noon and on Tuesday at 9:00 a.m.

**Prayers** for Lynn Barrows, Al Behl (Sharon Brooks' father) Celia Ganow, Darleen Howard, Larry Nowka, and families.

In Loving Memory of Art Langvardt, 01/24/1944 – 02/18/2017 Services were Tuesday, February 14th with a private family burial in Parkview. Pastor Don Canady and Kili Wenburg officiated.

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A copy of any Sunday service is available on DVD disc upon request at no charge. Call Tarci in the office at 402-462-5147 if you'd like a copy to pick up or be mailed.

**2017 Directory** is available as a bound booklet or as an insert packet for the picture directory. Feel free to stop in 6a.m – 6p.m. to pick up yours from the Memorial Room greeters' stand, or call Tarci in the office if you'd like to have it mailed.

**2017 Ushers, Greeters, and Communion Servers schedules** are available at the greeters' stand in the Memorial Room and on a glass shelf in front of the church office.

#### **UPCOMING FORUMS**

"Immigrant"? "Refugee"? February 19: View and discuss Sonia Nazario's September 2016 lecture at the Lied Center. "Sonia Nazario is a Pulitzer Prizewinning journalist whose stories [Wall Street Journal, Los Angeles Times] have tackled some of this country's most challenging problems, including hunger, drug addiction, and immigration. Her bestselling book Enrique's Journey relates the story of a Honduran boy's struggle to find his mother in the U.S." (quote from the E.N. Thompson Forum website).

## "Our Father, Which Art in Heaven..."

**February 26:** Having led a six-week Bible study on the Lord's Prayer last spring, Joe Black came to deeper understanding of these familiar words and will share his insights, which invite all pray-ers to experience the Lord's Prayer freshly, mindfully, personally.

#### Sunday, February 19, 2017

9:15a.m. Sunday School (All Ages Welcome) 10:30a.m. Worship Message by Pastor Don Canady

#### 2017 Directory Correction:

**SESSION** (p.6) 2019: Mary Fisk – remove home number 402-462-5485 & change email to: <u>maryjanefisk@gmail.com</u>.

**CONGREGATIONAL LIFE** (p.11) Moderator: Kraig Lofquist; Session Rep: Jessica Meeske

**GLOBAL MISSION** (P.14) Mary Fisk - remove home number 402-462-5485 & correct email to: <u>maryjanefisk@gmail.com</u>.

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**Publishing Guidelines**: The *Home Page* is a weekly publication (bi-weekly June & July) for the people and mission of First Presbyterian Church.

The newsletter seeks to inform, instruct and challenge its readers to become engaged in the ministry of FPC.

**Articles** will be accepted by Friday of each week. Submissions may be edited for length and suitability. You may send articles to the church office: tarci@fpchastings.org or call 402-462-5147.

#### **Correction**

Jan. 29th	<sup>1</sup> 10:30a.m. Worship Attendance	326
Feb. 5 <sup>th</sup>	10:30a.m. Worship Attendance	209

### Financial Corner

February 5, 2017

General Fund (2016)	\$600.00
General Fund (2017)	\$14,432.00
Plate Collections	\$117.00
Per capita (2017)	\$90.75
PC (USA) Hunger Fund	\$23.07
Christian Ed Sunday School	\$5.50
Communion-HH Food Pantry	\$856.00
Memorials	\$25.00
Coffee Donations	\$12.55

#### Thanks be to God!

And God is able to provide you with every blessing in abundance, so that by always having enough of everything, you may share abundantly in every good work.

-2 Corinthians 9:8