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THIS SUNDAY IS

WORLD COMMUNION SUNDAY



This Sunday, October 6, our members will gather at Christ's Table along with millions of Christians around the globe as we celebrate our unity in Christ on World Communion Sunday.

OLDER ADULT RETREAT

Specifically designed for 55 and up, spend a relaxing day retreat at Cedarkirk, **Tuesday, October 15, from 10 a.m. - 3 p.m.** This day will include an inspirational speaker, a home-cooked lunch, music program, camp tour, games, rocking on the porch, and fellowship with new and old friends.



You get all this for just \$12. Please call the office at 294-3121 or e-mail to office@firstpreswh.org to reserve your spot.

We will take the bus, or you can drive your own car. We depart from the church at **8:30 a.m.**



Church calendar

Sunday, October 6
World Communion

8:50 a.m. Worship
9:30 a.m. OJ Fellowship (MH)
9:45 a.m. Sunday School-Children & Youth
10:00 a.m. Sunday School-Adults
11:00 a.m. Worship
5:30 p.m. HSYG (SC)

Monday, October 7

8:45a.m. MOM
6:00 p.m. Worship and Music (UR)

Tuesday, October 8

9:00 a.m. Staff Meeting (MCR)
12:00 p.m. **Men's Lunch**
6:30 p.m. Personnel (MCR)

Wednesday, October 9

8:45 a.m. MOM
12:00 p.m. Buildings and Grounds (MH)
3:00 p.m. Christ Kids
5:30 p.m. MSYG (SC)
6:00 p.m. Financial Peace (GR)
6:15 p.m. Chancel Bells
7:30 p.m. Chancel Choir

Thursday, October 10

6:00 p.m. **Women's Bible Study (EA)**
7:00 p.m. Chapel Bells

Friday, October 11

8:45 a.m. MOM
6:30 p.m. Movie/Game Night (MH)

Saturday, October 12

2:00 p.m. Soup Kitchen Prep (Kitchen)
4:00 p.m. Soup Kitchen (737)



Remember in prayer

members

Anna Marie Barton
Michele & Neil Berger
Win Bertrus
R. Otis Bice, Jr.
George Chambers
Sylvia Chambers
Carl Cheatham
Peggy Chun
Norma Conner
Charles Curtiss
Don Dinger
Eunice Dishman
Jerry Dugger
Jeanne Estes
Dawn & David Fellows
Mary Firment
Lois Frakes
Phyllis Gilbert
Kathy Girouard
Marge Goodman
Ed Gorsky

Ken Hawk
Doris Hill
Ranell Hillman
Camille Howe
Scott Irvin
Dorothy Johnson
Wiley Koon
Dena Lancashire
Anne LeMacks
Fred & Dot Lenfestey
Pete & Judy Lindsay
Steve & Kim Lockhart
Spike Lucia
Elaine Maltese
Jim Manor
Rita Marcacci
Matt McGaffigan
Joan Murphy
Nancy Neale
Joe Oriani
Dee Palmore

Judy Partian
Dave Ryan
Dorothy Ryan
Bill Siegel
Harvey Snively, Jr.
Jeff & Lisa Snyder
Nell Speer
Myrtice Stolz
Lucy Jackson Teeter
Hazel Thomas
Dick & Julia Trachy
Ed Threadgill
Meg Tucker
Penn Tucker
Shirley Turner
Jennifer Vibrat
Max & Betty vonHahmann
AnneWindham
Retha Wright



Military service

Aaron Ashley
James E. Baker
Ben Clark
Deborah Clark
Tim Davis
Michael Dobler
Leah (Doty) Fuscia
Eddie Gray
Beau Gresham
Chris Hagen
Sean Harp
Coree Jones
Terry Jones
Jackie Jung
David Knowles
Timothy Lee
John Marotti
Kaitlin Marotti
Adam McPhail
Andrew Stapor
Brigitte Thompson
Keaton Thompson
Chris Turner
Jacob van Zandt

Friends and family

Yvonne Bates
Tom Bleauskas
Elena Cedeno
Michael Dobler
Marilyn Dorsey
Jill Dumont
Catherine Frank
Selma Griffith
Gloria Hedge
Bryan Howard
Al Irvin
Mark & Michaela Irvin
Bailee Kent
Geoff Lewis
Anna Luce
Mary Kay Marshall
Christina Mercer
Patty Murrell
James Palmer
Norma Simon
Brian Smith
Sallie Smith
Robert "Ned" Snively, Jr.
Jimmy Whitman
Anna Wilkenson
Mary Wilkenson

Swangos' & Sheffield's friend
Edna Mitchell's friend
Polly Wilson's friend
Nancy & Rich Dobler's son
Carol Carter's sister-in-law
Penn Tucker's friend
Edna Mitchell's friend
Mary Ann Snively's friend
George & Sylvia Chambers' friend
Bob & Janet Howard's son
Scott Irvin's father
Scott Irvin's brother & niece
Nancy Chilton's niece
Punkin & Squire Smith's friend
Squire & Punkin Smith's friend
Larry Marshall's mother
Al & Marger Porter's friend
Lynn Oakley's friend
Randall Palmer's son
Ruth Dunham's sister
Ed & Donna Rounsley's friend
Gannon Olmert's aunt
Jean Harman's son
Jim & Ellie Threlkel's friend
Shirley Hines' niece
Shirley Hines' sister

Please help us visit our hospitalized members!

The tightening of HIPAA regulations has meant that we have missed visiting some of our members during their hospital stay. If you are a member or a friend of this congregation, or you have a family member admitted to any hospital, please call the church office and let the pastors know.

Thank you for helping us stay in touch with the congregation.

"Devote yourselves to prayer." Colossians 4:2 (NASB) Remember the Prayer Chain?

It was a ministry activated by a contact person calling volunteers who had previously agreed to offer prayers when needed for someone facing surgery, for families beset with grief, for persons undergoing therapies or treatments, etc.

The Congregational Care Committee wants to resurrect this ministry from its inactivity following the relocation of the contact person. Do you feel a calling to help in such a ministry by serving as a volunteer pray-er? If so, we would like to hear from you! Please let Alan know of your interest and how you would like to be involved in this ministry.

Please call Alan at the church office 294-3121. Thank you!



JOIN OUR WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDIES

Does God care? Is He fair? Is He even there? Although you may know all the right answers, they don't always feel right. Explore these and other questions in the 7 session, video driven Bible study, *Missing Pieces* by Jennifer Rothschild. God's ways don't always make sense, but He is trustworthy. Come close to Him. Trust Him more than your feelings. God will reveal Himself and fill in your missing pieces.

Participants who take this Bible Study will:

- Experience unexpected peace in spite of unexpected heartache
- Hang on to God's answers when you feel you are at the end of your rope
- Move forward when you feel stuck in your circumstances
- Have a greater sense of peace through every storm you face
- Strengthen your faith when you feel beat down by life
- Experience stability when tidal waves of emotion hit
- Trust God more than your feelings



Dates for meetings are **Thursdays October 10 & 24, November 7 & 21, and December 5**. Choose to come in the morning **9AM - 11AM**, or in the evening **6PM - 8PM**, or switch between the 2 times to accommodate your schedule. For more information and to reserve a personal study book, contact Lia Gray at 318-1541 or uncpair@gmail.com.



LADIES, COME JOIN US FOR LYDIA AND/OR JOY CIRCLE

Lydia Circle meets on the **second Monday of each month at 10 a.m. in McLeod Hall.**

Joy Circle meets on the **third Tuesday of each month at 9:30 a.m. at Carol Carter's house.**

This year's study is titled "An Abiding Hope - The Presence of God in Exodus and Deuteronomy" from the Horizons Bible Study program.



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Willing



Welcoming a
1st Time Visitor

**We urgently need volunteers to deliver bread on Sundays to first time visitors.
We could use your help on November 24 and December 29.**

1. Collect Friendship Register sheets.
2. Identify 1st time visitors.
3. Take a copy of Tower Chimes and a loaf of bread.
4. Deliver these to 1st time visitor's home. Making a screen door visit, thank them for coming and invite them to come again.

If you can do this, please call Alan at 294-3121.

MORNING OUT MOM

Start spreading the word about our Morning out Mom Program. We meet every **Monday, Wednesday, and Friday from 8:45 a.m. – 1 p.m.** We have two amazing caretakers who spend quality time with the children, make holiday crafts, help them learn their colors and numbers, play outside, engage them with their social skills, and create a loving, Christian, and caring environment.



If you are interested in more information on this program, please contact Amy McKee at 294-3121 or amckee@firstpreswh.org. We look forward to hearing from you!

Come And See What God Is Doing Through the African Children's Choir



The purpose of the African Children's Choir is to raise awareness of the needs of the orphaned and destitute in Africa. Music for Life, their parent organization, selects a group of 15 to 20 children from a large group who are impoverished and in desperate need. The children receive 5 months of training in music, dancing, manners, and ethics; then the group begins their tour.

The choir which visited us began their tour in January 2013 and will continue singing up and down the east coast until February 2014. After their tour they will return home to Uganda and enter the African Children's Choir Primary School. If they earn good grades, Music for Life will pay for their entire education through college. It is each choir's tour which funds the rest of the singer's educations. With an education, these children will make their futures, and their country's future, brighter. The children look happy and excited because by being selected for the choir they truly began a new life.



In some African languages, "music" and "dance" share the same word. It is music and dance that brought 522 people on September 27 to our Sanctuary. We raised \$2782.20 in support of these children. During the concert, our children also had a unique opportunity to sing with the choir in a prayer for the future of Africa, *Nkosi Sikele' iAfrika*, which means, "God Bless Africa."

This concert was greatly supported by our Chancel Choir, as they served a meal for the choir, helped with greeting, sold products, and handed out information. I wish to express special thanks to Gene Aspy, Tom Mulrooney, and Bill Patchen for preparing and cooking, Sammy Bryant for helping dismantle the chancel, Squire Smith for his electrical and audio expertise, Mike & Cheryce Harris, Tom Mulrooney, and Squire Smith for helping reassemble the chancel, and to Cal and Ann Quessenberry for cleaning the rest of the sanctuary on Saturday.



Additionally, I wish to specifically thank the host families for giving of their time, homes, and two meals: Marty Bentley, Brian & Jennifer Boyce, Clare McAdams, Rick & Pat Reass, Squire & Punkin Smith, Susie Stanley, and Spike and MaryBess Thompson.



Without the generosity of our congregation who support our music ministry and our wonderful facility, we would not have been able to host this amazing group of children.

In Christ's Service,
- David



A Spotlight on a “Vols”unteer

Spotlight on Volunteers focuses on volunteers who give generously of their time and talents to the work of the church. This column gives us the opportunity to acquaint members and friends of the congregation with who does what around the church and to express a corporate “thank you” for the visible and “behind the scene” services these volunteers render. In the spotlight, this week, is: **Susie Stanley**.

Over the years Florida was a favorite vacation destination for the Stanley family. After graduating from college and beginning her career, Susie decided to leave the hills and cold temperatures behind and come to the flatlands of warm and sunny Florida. Susie speaks of this move as “being drawn to the state!”

Once here, a major attraction to First Presbyterian Church for Susie was the Gathering Group of musicians playing music before the beginning of the worship service. On her first visit in 2007 the group was playing. She enjoyed the service very much and continued to come for worship. Later that year, Susie joined the church and the choir as well as the Gathering Group. **Susie is our flautist**. Currently, the Gathering Group of musicians include: David Brinson and Cheryce Harris, providing piano accompaniment, Kelly Brinson and Cheryce Harris, vocalists, Mike Harris, saxophonist, Squire Smith, bass guitar, and Susie on flute. On occasion, other stringed instruments and percussion have been employed in the Gathering Music.



Susie is involved in various aspects of the church’s work and life. She is currently serving on the Session and the Worship and Music Committee. She has served on the Christian Education Committee and has worked in the “Snack Department” of Vacation Bible School for several years. Susie sings in the Chancel Choir. She played a flute solo of “While Shepherds Watched Their Flocks” for our Living Nativity Scene soundtrack as background music for the entrance of the shepherds. She has also worked at our Soup Kitchen.

Susie is a native of Abingdon, Virginia, home of the renowned Barter Theater. She grew up being nurtured in the Methodist Church, but her mother and her maternal grandmother are Presbyterians. On October 3 her grandmother will celebrate her 100th birthday and the family has planned a great celebration.

As she began her studies in Speech Pathology a course included in the curriculum was one on Audiology. She became very interested in the subject and changed her major. She received a BS degree in Audiology from the University of Tennessee at Knoxville (**Go Vols!**). She then began studies at Vanderbilt University where she received her MS degree in Audiology. In 2008, Susie received her doctorate in Audiology from the Arizona School of Health Sciences, part of A.T. Still University in Mesa, Arizona.

Susie works in her chosen field at the Florida Ear and Balance Center in Celebration. She describes her work as helping people who are dizzy (inner ear problems) as she does neuro diagnostic assessments.

Her family includes her parents Jim and Pres Stanley, who still reside in Abingdon. Her brother Matt, sister-in-law, nephew, and niece live in Safety Harbor, Florida. Her other brother, Reed, sister-in-law, and two nieces live in Lebanon, Virginia. Here in Winter Haven Susie shares her home with “Patch,” her Australian shepherd.

Would you believe Susie loves Nascar Racing?! She acquired a fascination for this sport after moving to Florida and she has been in the stands at the Daytona 500. When not cheering “**Go Vols!**” she cheers “Go Jeff! (Gordon)” or “Go Tony! (Stewart)”

Of her hobbies, Susie says she loves outdoor activities and musical events. She describes a “perfect day” as affording her the opportunity to do biking and some hiking in the woods. She also enjoys canoeing.

When asked about the church, Susie responded, “I love being a part of First Presbyterian Church. It’s not just a building or a place to go on Sundays. Every time I come here I feel God’s presence. Everybody here makes it such a special place. This is my church home ... my church family!”

Thank you, Susie, for giving generously of your time and talents.

October Birthdays



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|-------|---|-------|--|-------|--|
| 10/1 | Case Emry
Ben Garner
Stephen Luxford
Lee Wilkinson | 10/11 | Opal Brown
Matthew Gray
Ken Hart
Marcia Keplinger | 10/23 | Howard Rambeau
Jacob Spence
Alan Thompson |
| 10/2 | Ruth Dunham
Julia Parrish
Dick Shaw
Kyle Van Hahmann, Jr. | | Lynn Oakley
Cori Swango | 10/24 | Toni Krieger
Jenna Volpe
Dorothy Zinn |
| 10/3 | Jessica Coppage
Betty Kaylor
Elizabeth Newton
Mele Souza | 10/12 | Sue McClew
Shannon Trent | 10/25 | Bob Bentley
Kathryn Marshall
Bill Siegel
Mike Tucker |
| 10/4 | Pam Baker
Karen Gerber
John "Jack" Gray, III
Marilyn Hearn
Traviss Powell | 10/14 | Brenda Darte
Phillip Elmore
Nancy Saxon | 10/26 | Martha Burke
Randall Palmer
Bill G. Roe, II |
| 10/5 | Glenda Montney
Grayce Parrish
Jeff Snyder | 10/15 | Jim Doty | 10/27 | Brad Maness
Leah Melvin
Jon Powell |
| 10/6 | Karen Alexander
Nicole Roe
Mary Ann Snively | 10/16 | Jody Marie Adams
Tom Gretencord
Barbara Smith | 10/29 | Julie Dantzler
Rossanne Gorsky
Martha Johnson
James Powell
Steve Stapor
Gwen Waters |
| 10/7 | Brian Boyce
Whitney Dunham
Peter Slocum | 10/17 | Emily Dunson
Pete Harman
Annette Whitney | 10/30 | Katie Kennedy
Jeanette Lockhart
Mike Seney
Pam Wilkinson |
| 10/8 | Joshua Baker
Jill Kosmensky
Gene Thompson
Jessica Wilson | 10/18 | Bob Hines
Arletta Oriano
Paula Threadgill | 10/31 | Richard Baker
Caitlyn Grady
Sara Koon
Rita Marcacci
Ed Mitchell
J. P. Powell |
| 10/9 | Laura Gaye Dunham
Scott Scamehorn | 10/19 | Joan Chilton
Dick Saxon | | |
| 10/10 | Kasey Ray | 10/20 | Mary Folkard | | |
| | | 10/21 | Dorothy Davy
Chelle Doyel
Dee Palmore
Ben Pickos | | |
| | | 10/22 | Jonye Briggs
Shannel Harp
Mary Alice Skipper | | |
| | | 10/23 | Olivia Glenn
Kathy Jax | | |



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October Anniversaries

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|-------|---|-------|--|-------|-------------------------|
| 10/1 | Mike & Amy McGee | | Mark & Karen Schreiber | 10/25 | Gannon & Amanda Olmert |
| 10/2 | Jared & Chalsey Lockhart | 10/12 | Bill & Susan Taylor | 10/26 | Scott & Rusty Hart |
| 10/7 | Bryan & Angie Arnold | 10/17 | Ed & Rossanne Gorsky | 10/27 | Marion & Marilyn Hearn |
| 10/9 | Pete & Missie Snively | 10/22 | Warren & Elsie Savant | 10/28 | Dale & Regina Keplinger |
| 10/10 | Karl & Erin Duce
Steven & Chelsey Lockhart
Al & Marjorie Porter | 10/23 | Paul & Jennifer MacDonald
Sam & Kristan Sheffield | 10/29 | Robert & Cynthia Bruce |
| 10/11 | Sam & Ginny Bryant | 10/24 | John & Cheryl Marchetti
Leland & Elizabeth Miller | 10/30 | Sy & Joanna Gray |
| | | | | 10/31 | Don & Norma Martin |

SUNDAY WORSHIP SCHEDULE



At **8:50 a.m.**, members and friends of First Presbyterian Church are invited to attend The Gathering. This service is held in the sanctuary. The piano is the primary instrument for leading in congregational music with a variety of instruments adding special touches from week to week. The prayers in worship and the flow of the service help the congregation gather in God's love. The Gathering ordinarily lasts 50 minutes and will conclude with the Benediction at 9:40 a.m.

At **9:45 a.m.** children & youth Sunday School and **10:00 a.m.** adult Sunday School.

At **11:00 a.m.**, you are invited to attend our later morning worship. This service is held in the sanctuary with music and responses regularly led by our chancel choir and accompanied by organ and piano. In the tradition of our church, cultivated over the last few decades, a full liturgy gives the congregation opportunities for spiritual enrichment and the sense of God's love and grace. This worship service ordinarily lasts one hour and concludes with the Benediction at 12:00 pm.

We hope you will join us in worship, study, and fellowship!

OUR 2013 DIRECTORIES ARE IN!!!

If you had a picture made or submitted one for the directory, you can pick yours up in McLeod Hall. They are organized alphabetically. **PLEASE BE SURE TO PICK UP THE ONE WITH YOUR NAME ON IT (White sticker on the back cover, upper left corner.)** There is one per family. Please write your name and date next to your name on the sheet indicating that you have picked it up. If you are picking up one for someone else, be sure to write your name and date showing who picked it up. You may also pick up yours during office hours.



If you did not have a picture taken but would like a copy, please fill out the form at the end of the counter in McLeod Hall or contact the church office at 863-294-3121 or email us at office@firstpreswh.org. It will be ready for pick up with your name on it the following Sunday.

THE MINISTRY OF STEPHEN



You've heard it a million times. Others may have said it to you, or you may have said it to yourself, but things just aren't coming together. You're still hurting. You still feel like things are falling apart. Our Stephen Ministers are trained caregivers who will walk with you, listen to you, and provide confidential one-to-one care as you search through the pieces and find what is truly in your heart. To learn more about Stephen Ministry for yourself or someone you know, call Pat Reass today at 206-9914, or ask one of our Stephen Minister Leaders:

Alan Harvey, Ray Larson, Steve Negley, Barbara Perkins, or Jean Strang.

Our Stephen Ministers are there to care.

YOUTH PROGRAMMING

Our middle and high school students are going to college! We're cramming the best four years of your life into a few short weeks. **Our Middle School Youth Group meets on Wednesdays and the High School Youth Group meets on Sundays. Both will be meeting from 5:30 - 7:30 pm in the Student Center** to discover what God has to teach us through various college courses. We will be studying Astronomy, Marketing, Anthropology, and Literature - just to name a few! Youth groups, welcome to college!

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!!!

October 6:	HSYG from 5:30 - 7:30 pm	October 20:	HSYG from 5:30 - 7:30 pm
October 9:	MSYG from 5:30 - 7:30 pm	October 23:	MSYG from 5:30 - 7:30 pm
October 13:	HSYG from 5:30 - 7:30 pm	October 27:	HSYG from 5:30 - 7:30 pm
October 16:	MSYG from 5:30 - 7:30 pm	October 30:	Fall Festival 5:30 - 7:30 pm



Middle School Youth Group (MSYG) is for all students in grades 6-8. We meet every **Wednesday from 5:30-7:30 pm** in the Student Center for dinner, games, fellowship, and a lesson about God's love and what it means to be a young believer.

High School Youth Group (HSYG) is for anyone in grades 9-12. Our meetings are **Sunday nights from 5:30-7:30 pm** in the Student Center. We enjoy dinner, games, fellowship, and discuss God, our relationship with Him, and other relevant topics in the lives of high school age students.

For more information regarding our youth groups or to RSVP for any of these events, contact Rachal Little at 294-3121 or rlittle@firstpreswh.org.

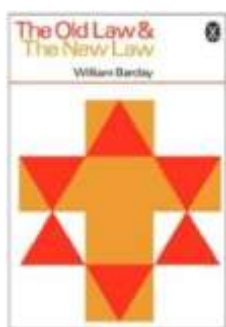
SUNDAY SCHOOL THIS FALL AT FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Preschool Children – Meet in Room 108 for their very own time of Bible stories, craft, and snack time.

Kindergarten through Fifth Grade Children – Experience the Workshop Rotation first hand with six weeks of hands-on learning in the Art, Science, Cooking, Storytelling, Computer, and Movie Stations. This Fall they are focusing on “*Let My People Go.*”



Middle School & High School Youth – meet in the Student Center at **9:45 a.m.** for Soul-Pancake, a series of YouTube videos focusing on youth spirituality. There will be discussion, activity time, and of course BREAKFAST. Come hungry, come happy, and come hang out with Rachal Little and a variety of faithful volunteers on Sunday mornings.



The Perspectives Class – facilitated by Dr. Jim Threlkel and Mr. Glenn Thomas will continue the second part of their study on *The Old Law, The New Law* by William Barclay. This Fall the class will spend their time in The New Law. The words of Jesus in the Sermon on the Mount have moved and challenged men and women since He first spoke them. Here they are explained, simply and clearly, showing how Jesus mixed honesty with compassion and helped people to inject good into life. This is the New Law. This study raises questions about war and peace, God and materialism, and about fostering essential relationships and values. This class meets in the Geneva Room in the CE Building.

The Connect – Grow – Thrive Class will be using *Fatal Distractions: Conquering Destructive Temptations* to facilitate their discussion on examining areas of our life where we might need to exert self-control and learning ways to become more disciplined. *Sometimes we wrestle with certain sin patterns or habitual sins—behaviors we fall into when we try to get our needs met apart from God. The early church identified a number of “deadly sins”—the sins from which they believed most other sin originates.* Over the next 6-8 weeks we will examine six of these temptations that can be deadly to our spiritual growth. Join us as we learn and grow closer to each other and to God through this study! This class meets in CE Room 207.



Sundays with Steve, God Talk in the Family of Faith - As people of the Christian faith, we talk about our faith. Questions and answers abound. Dr. Steve Negley invites you to join in a class that will explore the biblical texts that help us to answer some of the questions we face in life:



How can we find God?
What are we doing here?
Why doesn't God do something about evil?
What does God want with us?
Is God against us?
...to name few.

Bring your Bible and your God-given curiosity to the back section of McLeod Hall on Sundays at 10:00 a.m. to join in this exploration of faith.



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Our Purpose Statement

As a congregation of the Presbyterian Church (USA), First Presbyterian Church of Winter Haven exists to show God's kingdom to the world as we...
Share the good news of what God has done in Jesus Christ
Develop and nurture God's children into disciples
Provide a place and a program for praising God
Live our lives according to the Word, guided by the Spirit
Commit to justice for all God's people.

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Return Service Requested

<p>Bag Lunch Ministry</p> <p>We gave out 257 bag lunches in the week of 9/23/13.</p>
<p>Soup Kitchen Ministry</p> <p>We fed 101 people on 9/28/13.</p>

MOVIE/GAME NIGHT

Movie/Game Night will be held on Friday evening, **October 11** in McLeod Hall at **6:30 p.m.** Everyone is invited to bring their own Fall Dish to share! After dinner, the adults play games in McLeod Hall while the kids watch a movie. It's a great evening for the entire family.



Mark your calendars and please let Amy McKee know if you plan on attending (amckee@firstpreswh.org or call 294-3121). We wrap up the evening at **8:30 p.m.**

FALL FEST IS COMING



Fall Fest will be held on **Wednesday, October 30**, with a pizza dinner at **5:30 p.m.** If your family would like to join us for pizza, please RSVP to the church office at 294-3121 or amckee@firstpreswh.org. Donations will be collected for dinner.

Children are invited to wear non-scary Halloween costumes for the fall-bulous festivities which will begin just after **6 p.m.** Invite your friends, family, neighbors, co-workers; it's tons of fun for everyone!

We are in need of individually wrapped candy (chocolate is just fine, since we are inside) or small prizes . You can drop off the candy in the church office or in the basket in McLeod Hall. If you are interested in helping out with the event, either that night or set-up, please contact Amy McKee.



Happy Fall Y'all