



FIRST
PRESBYTERIAN
CHURCH of
CHATTANOOGA

**Announcements for the week of
December 30, 2018**

This Week at FPCC

Sunday, December 30

10:30 AM Late Worship Service, Sanctuary

Monday, December 31

Offices Closed

Tuesday, January 1

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Wednesday, January 2

Thursday, January 3

Friday, January 4

8:30 AM Salvation Army Ministry
12:00 PM Card-E-Ology, Tower 10th Floor

Saturday, January 5

**SPECIAL SERVICE TIME
FOR END OF YEAR**

Sundays, December 30

Worship Services at 10:30am in sanctuary.
NO SUNDAY SCHOOL

Offices closed December 31 & January 1.

WORLD MISSIONS

During the past year, you were always faithful, loving, and present, even when we questioned your ways and, at times, felt distant from your heart. Though we worry and whine, you are always working in all things, for our good and your glory. Thank you, Father.

—New Year Prayer by Scotty Smith

HAPPY NEW YEAR FROM WORLD MISSIONS

The World Missions Team wishes our First Presbyterian family a very Happy New Year that is full of God's blessings, grace, and opportunities to share his love both locally and globally. We look forward to another year of serving with you alongside our mission partners who are glorifying God to the ends of the earth.

HAPPY NEW YEAR FROM THE WORLD

Belarus: Schastlivoye Novogodneye Pozdravleniye

China: Gong Xi Fa Cai

Germany: Frohes Neues Jahr

India: Nae Varsh Kee Shubhakaamanaen

Kenya: Furaha Mwaka Mpya

Mexico: Feliz Año Nuevo

Turkey: Mutlu Yillar

United Kingdom: Happy New Year

2018 BUDGET REQUIREMENT: \$923,000

As we approach the end of another year, we pray for the Lord's provision for the funding of our 2018 World Missions budget which is based on the calendar year. If you would like to help meet this need, please make your tax-deductible contributions to *First Presbyterian World Missions* by December 31, 2018.

Thank you very much for your generosity and commitment to the ministry of World Missions.

First Presbyterian World Missions
Church Planting Movements in Strategic Global Cities

ANNOUNCING THE BIRTH OF:

Bethany Grace Parkhurst born to Andrew & Laurel Parkhurst on December 17th. Walter & Carolyn Parkhurst are the delighted grandparents.

MUSIC MINISTRY

START-UP REHEARSAL DATES

for ages 14 and up . . .

January 14, Monday:

Instrumental Ensemble - 6:00pm, choir room
Bell Choir - 7:00pm, SS Rm 202

January 16, Wednesday:

Adult Choir Rehearsal - 6:20pm, choir room

Join these special music ministry families in the New Year!

for ages 4 - Kindergarten and 1st - 5th grades . . .

January 16, Wednesday:

Children's Choir rehearsals - 6:15pm, Children's SS Wing

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

MIDWEEK RETURNS

The 2019 Midweek Kickoff is Wednesday, January 9th with everyone participating together in the Fellowship Hall beginning with optional dinner at 5:30pm, then midweek program at 6:15pm. We look forward to a great time together!

Children will continue to meet in the Junior Department each Wednesday at 6:15pm beginning January 16th. The fun just keeps coming!

WE APPRECIATE OUR VOLUNTEERS!

All Children's Ministry volunteers are invited to an appreciation luncheon on **Sunday, January 13th**, at 12:30pm. It will be a special time of fellowship together.

BEATITUDE LIVING BIBLE STUDY

During the holiday office closures, Beatitude Living Bible Study will meet on Thursday, December 27 & Thursday, January 3 at noon in Tower 404.

IT'S A WONDERFUL LIFE!

Thursday, January 10th

IAWL, senior adult fellowship, welcomes David Glenn, Chief Meteorologist at WRCB-TV. David will be sharing his experience and knowledge from the Weather Room at News Channel 9.

Fellowship begins at 10:30 AM with the meeting starting at 11:00 AM followed by a lunch at a cost of \$6. RSVP to Janette Barnes, 432-4056, or Rosa Wrenn, 443-7573.

FLOWER MINISTRY

Flowers will be arranged & delivered today following the late worship service by the GAP Bible Study. All volunteers are welcome.

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