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CHATTANOOGA

**Announcements for the week of  
May 12, 2019**

**Deacon on Call:** Brian Whitacre & Paul Schoner

**This Week at FPCC**

**Sunday, May 12**

- 8:30 AM Early Worship Service, Sanctuary  
Early Fellowship Worship Svc, Fell. Hall
- 9:45 AM Sunday School
- 10:55 AM Fellowship Worship Service, Fell. Hall  
Late Worship Service, Sanctuary
- 12:15 PM Coffee/Coke Fellowship, Coffee Lounge

**Monday, May 13**

- 9:30 AM Women's Prayer Time, Session Room
- 10:00 AM Jan Silvius, Chapel
- 12:00 PM Women Ministry Indoor Picnic, F. Hall
- 1:00 PM Women Ministry Board Mtg, Poindexter
- 6:00 PM VBS Information Mtg, Coffee Lounge  
Instrumental Ensemble, Choir Room

**Tuesday, May 14**

- 12:00 PM Beatitude Living, Tower 404

**Wednesday, May 15**

- 4:30 PM Deacon-on-Call Appts., Deacon Office  
World Missions Prayer Time, Tower 404
- 6:00 PM Officer Training, Tower 260
- 6:15 PM Rapha Classes, Tower 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor  
Adult Choir Rehearsal, Choir Room

**Thursday, May 16**

**Friday, May 17**

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

**Saturday, May 18**

**ORDINATION AND INSTALLATION  
OF MIKE HABERKORN**

**May 19<sup>th</sup> during the  
8:30 & 10:55 Sanctuary Services**

*See announcement for details.*

**WORLD MISSIONS**

*For you have been my hope, Sovereign LORD, my confidence since my youth. From birth I have relied on you; you brought me forth from my mother's womb. I will ever praise you. —Psalm 71:5-6*

**HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY  
FROM WORLD MISSIONS**

**PARAKALEO: COMING ALONGSIDE CHURCH  
PLANTERS**

Couples go into church planting together. Parakaleo, the Greek word for "coming alongside," serves women in church planting by providing training, support, and resources to strengthen their personal and communal ministry. The desire is that every woman in church planting is recognized, trained, and supported. By training, supporting, and valuing women in church planting, a virtuous cycle of health, joy, community, and education is created; and the success rate for the survival of the church plant is greatly increased. World Missions partners, Ruth Garza (Latin America), Pan Chen (Asia Pacific), and Huilan Mountfort (Asia Pacific) are actively involved in Parakaleo in their regions. Their ministries are contributing to the establishment of healthy churches which is proving invaluable to the Kingdom. Please pray for Ruth, Pan, and Huilan and for others to join the ministry of Parakaleo.

**INTERNATIONAL PARTNERS OF THE WEEK**

*Anand and Ajitha* are the church planters of New City Church Mumbai, a congregation of 50 and growing. By profession, Anand is a very successful financial journalist whose work has appeared in *The Economic Times*, India's largest financial daily. His experience has given him insight and understanding into the performance-driven psyche of Mumbai's professional class, the segment of society he is seeking to lead to Jesus Christ. Anand's vision is to start a movement of multiple gospel-centered churches in the city. Ajitha is a counselor to minor girls with the Aruna Project that frees, empowers, and employs sexually exploited women. The couple has two children, Varun and Varsha. Over the past two weeks, Anand—along with our partner Jay Kyle—was involved in training 22 church planters and 45 network leaders and pastors from all over Asia Pacific. Please pray for the Lord to use this training to strengthen the work of his church and add many to his kingdom—for his honor and glory.

*Church Planting Movements in Strategic Global Cities*  
Thank you for your prayer and financial support  
of First Presbyterian World Missions.

### A NEW ADDITION:

A flower has been placed on the platform in recognition of the birth of **Cooper Lee Stroud** on May 2<sup>nd</sup>. Parents are Talon and Meredith Stroud, and Mason is Cooper's big brother.

### MUSIC MINISTRY

#### **SAVE THE DATE!**

**June 30<sup>th</sup>, 6:30pm**

**Bass Baritone Wintley Phipps** will be in concert here at FPC. Our Adult Choir will join him on selections at the end of the concert. The concert is FREE as is the Hamburger dinner at 5:00pm! Wintley will also be singing solos in our 10:55am sanctuary service the morning of the 30<sup>th</sup>.

### CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

#### **VBS 2019 INFO MEETING**

Volunteers needed to make VBS happen this summer! On **Monday, May 13<sup>th</sup>, 6pm-7:30pm**, we'll gather to learn about this year's VBS theme and start forming VBS sub-teams to prepare to offer our families a great VBS! Childcare provided. Contact Misha if you have questions. VBS dates are July 7<sup>th</sup>-11<sup>th</sup>, 5:30pm-8pm.

### WOMEN'S MINISTRY

#### **JAN SILVIOUS**

Jan Silvius in the chapel tomorrow, **Monday, May 13**, at 10 a.m.

### NEW CHURCH DIRECTORY

We are putting together a new, permanent, loose-leaf church directory! We need your information! Sign up sheets will be available at all services **through May 12<sup>th</sup>**. No photo appointments at the church! You may send in a photo or have one taken by our committee.

### FLOWER MINISTRY

Flowers will be arranged today following the late worship service by the Flower Committee. Deliveries will be made on Monday. All volunteers are welcome.

### ORDINATION AND INSTALLATION

#### **MIKE HABERKORN AS ASSISTANT PASTOR**

**May 19<sup>th</sup> during the 8:30 & 10:55 Sanctuary Services**

You are invited to join us as we will celebrate this occasion through worship and with God's Word. Reception will be held immediately following the 10:55 service.

### PARTY FOR THE TINSLEYS

Don't miss the BBQ & a special time to honor & say thank you to the Tinsleys, **Wednesday, May 22<sup>nd</sup>, at 5:30pm** in the Fellowship Hall! Dinner is free but we ask you to please **RSVP by May 16<sup>th</sup>** by calling the church office, 267-1206, or at [1stpresbyterian.com](http://1stpresbyterian.com) so we know for how many we are to prepare.

### MENTORS NEEDED TO DISCIPLE THE POOR

The Diaconate's Rapha team needs one additional husband/wife team with a heart for the poor to co-lead personal development classes on Wednesday evenings. Contact Patrick Frees, 423-987-8695.

### STEPHEN MINISTRY

Are you going through a difficult time? There are fourteen Stephen Ministers at First Presbyterian Church, and they are ready to listen, care, encourage, and provide emotional and spiritual support to you, if you are going through a crisis or difficult time. To learn how you can receive a Stephen Minister's confidential care, contact a pastor or Stephen Leader.

### FPC SERMONS

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- For CDs and DVDs, please contact Seth Pangle, 648-7934 or [seth@1stpresbyterian.com](mailto:seth@1stpresbyterian.com).
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