

**THIS WEEK AT FOREST HILL**

**Today**

9:00 AM Adult Sunday School (FLC Conference Room)  
10:30 Worship Service (Sanctuary)

**Monday, October 25**

**Tuesday, October 26**

**Wednesday, October 27**

9:00 AM Prayer Quilt Ministry (FLC)  
11:30 Ladies' Lunch Out (Fish City Grill)  
3:00 PM Staff Meeting (Maples House)  
6:00 Music Rehearsal (Sanctuary)

**Thursday, October 28**

**Friday, October 29 (office closed)**

7:00 AM Men's Fellowship (Jalapenos Mexican Rest.)

**Saturday, October 30**

**Sunday, October 31**

9:00 AM Adult Sunday School (FLC Conference Room)  
10:30 Worship Service (Sanctuary)  
3:00 PM Trunk-Or-Treat  
6:00 Youth Movie Night (CWNC)

**THE DATA BANK**

Attendance - 10/17/21	In Person	Virtual Views
	34	38

**SESSION RULING ELDERS**

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Please keep us informed of any changes in your contact information - address, phone numbers, email address, etc.

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**OUR PURPOSE**

Forest Hills Presbyterian Church is a community based on God's Word and empowered by God's Spirit. We exist to exalt Jesus Christ; to equip people to serve Christ in their families, in the marketplace, and in the church; and to expand the kingdom of God in Helotes and Northwest San Antonio.

**Announcements**



**Forest Hills Trunk-Or-Treat  
Sunday, October 31, 3-5pm**

We invite everyone to join us for this free community event for families to have some safe fun on Halloween. **If you plan to decorate a trunk and hand out candy, please use this QR code to sign up.** We encourage you to have a game or some kind of interactive activity for the kiddos. **If you choose not to have a trunk at the event, you can help by donating candy! Donations of wrapped candy can be brought to worship on Sundays or to the office during the week.**



On November 7th, we will celebrate All Saints' Sunday. This is the day, we rejoice in all who through the ages have faithfully served the Lord. We are reminded on this day that we are part of one continuing, living communion of saints. This year, we are compiling a video to remember those saints who have gone on to glory. If you have lost a loved one this past year, we encourage you to send a picture to submit for the video. Please send the picture with the name to Pastor Katy by Wednesday, November 3rd. Thank you for helping us celebrate this sacred day in a special way.



**Ladies' Lunch Out**  
**Wednesday, Oct. 27 at 11:30 am**  
**Fish City Grill**  
**7010 W. Loop 1604 N, Ste. 111**  
**(between Culebra Rd. & Shaenfield Rd.)**

*Save the date for our next Music Rehearsal on  
Wednesday, October 27 at 6:00pm.  
All are Welcome!*



**Hey Youth - Join us Sunday evenings from 6-7:30pm**  
**October 31 - SCARY(ish) Movie Night**  
**(after Trunk-Or-Treat)**

**2020 Pledges** - We sincerely appreciate those who have pledged for 2022! If you have not turned in your pledge card, please drop it in the offering plate (cards available in the narthex) or use this QR code.



**Twenty-second Sunday after Pentecost**  
**October 24, 2021, 10:30 AM**

13200 Bandera Rd. / P.O. Box 257 / Helotes, TX 78023  
(210) 695-3123

[info@fhpcnline.org](mailto:info@fhpcnline.org) / [fhpcnline.org](http://fhpcnline.org)



If you are interested in joining Forest Hills Presbyterian Church, you may do so in one of three ways: public affirmation of faith, reaffirmation of faith or transfer of membership.

SERVICE FOR THE LORD’S DAY

\*= Please stand, if comfortably able

THE LORD GATHERS US FOR WORSHIP

Prelude Take Up Our Cross  
(Stephan, Hart, Byrd)

Greeting & Announcements

Lighting of the Christ Candle

Call to Worship (adapted from Psalm 34: 1-3)  
One: I will bless the Lord at all times,  
All: God’s praise will continually be in my mouth.  
One: My soul makes its boast in the Lord,  
All: let the humble hear and be glad.  
One: O magnify the Lord with me,  
All: let us exalt God’s name together!

Opening Prayer

Musical Interlude Above All  
(L. LeBlanc & P. Baloché)

THE LORD FORGIVES OUR SINS

Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession  
All: Holy God, you know us better than we know ourselves. You see our need when we are blind to it. You have made us to be yours. In your compassion, forgive us for our lack of faith and the harm we do to others and to your earth. Forgive us for turning away from your will, for ignoring the cries of our neighbors, for failing to listen to what is most nourishing even for ourselves. Let our faults fall from your eyes as you open ours. Hear this and answer, in Jesus’ holy name. Amen.

Time of Silent Reflection

Words at the Font and Assurance of Pardon  
Liturgist: People of God, beloved of the Lord, the one who created you and maintains your every breath calls you to receive mercy and be forgiven. Go in peace, in the firm assurance of pardon, so that today and every day your path may be strong and free, in the name of the holy Trinity, One God, now and forever.  
All: In Jesus Christ we are forgiven, thanks be to God. Alleluia, amen!

Passing of the Peace  
One: As Christ Jesus has shared his peace with each of us, let us now share that peace with each other. Peace be with you.  
All: And also with you.  
One: Let us share the peace of Christ with everyone!

Children’s Sermon  
After the Children’s Sermon, children aged kindergarten through 4<sup>th</sup> grade are dismissed to Children’s Church.

THE LORD SPEAKS TO US

Prayer for Illumination

Old Testament Reading Psalm 126  
New Testament Reading Mark 10: 46-52  
This is the Word of the Lord.  
Thanks be to God.

Sermon Rev. Katy Walters  
Take Up Your Cross: Ask for Help

Musical Meditation Lord, I Need You  
(M. Maher)

WE OFFER OURSELVES TO THE LORD

\*Affirmation of Faith – Apostles’ Creed  
All: I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic Church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

Dedication of Prayer Quilt

Giving of Our Tithes and Offering  
Prayer of Dedication

Prayers of the People and the Lord’s Prayer

THE LORD GOES WITH US

\*Charge & Benediction

Postlude The Wonderful Cross  
(C. Tomlin)

WE REMEMBER IN OUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK:

Jean Whyman’s son, Thomas; Jo Keller; Tawni Garcia and family; Paul’s brother, Rocky, and family; the Bonilla family; Kay G’s sister, Sherry; Donna’s sister, Dorothy; Alma Garcia; Jean Cude’s sister, Elizabeth; Paul & Rose Mann; Sarah Joyce & family; Ruth McKay; the Runnels family.

TODAY’S WORSHIP LEADERS

Liturgist: Luke Rountree  
Worship Musician: Deb Harrison  
Pastor: Rev. Katy Walters  
Elder of the Month: Jason Hart

KIDS AT FOREST HILLS

Children are welcome to use the Family Worship Bags located in the back on the sanctuary. Parents are welcome to use the narthex as a cry room during the worship service and mother’s needing to nurse are welcome to use the choir room.  
Jesus said, “Let the little children come to me, and do not hinder them, for the kingdom of heaven belongs to such as these.” (Matthew 19:14)

WELCOME TO FOREST HILLS

If you're worshipping with us for the first time today, we're so glad you chose to spend your Sunday morning with us. We live stream the service through our Facebook page at <https://www.facebook.com/ForestHillsHelotes/> for those who prefer to worship remotely. The service will be uploaded and available on our church website at <http://fhpconline.org/> following the live version Sunday. If you are interested in learning more about Forest Hills Presbyterian Church, the pastor will be happy to speak with you after worship.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Prayer request cards are located in the narthex or can be acquired from an usher. Please feel free to fill one out and either hand it to an usher or place in the offering plate.

PRAYER QUILTS

The Prayer Quilt Ministry at Forest Hills makes lap-size quilts for people who are seriously ill, cannot attend worship or who, because of recent events in their life, are in particular need of God’s love and our prayers. If you know someone who needs a prayer quilt, please fill out a Prayer Quilt Request Card found in the narthex or contact Margie Cox at [margiecox78023@yahoo.com](mailto:margiecox78023@yahoo.com) or (830) 510-4130.

ONLINE GIVING

For your convenience, we offer online giving through PayPal. Simply log on to our website at [fhpconline.org](http://fhpconline.org) and click on the “Giving” tab at the top for instructions, or use the Giving Code below. Your gifts will support the ministries of Forest Hills Presbyterian Church here and in the community.



WE ARE A MATTHEW 25 CHURCH!

Our congregation has accepted the PC(USA)’s invitation to follow Jesus’ teachings in Matthew 25:31–46 by becoming active disciples and making a difference in our community and the world, acting boldly and confronting systems and principalities that oppress and prey on the vulnerable: the hungry, oppressed, imprisoned or poor. We live into the Matthew 25 vision by engaging together in the three works of vitalizing our congregations, dismantling structural racism and eradicating poverty. For more information, visit <https://www.presbyterianmission.org/ministries/matthew-25/>.