

THIS WEEK AT FOREST HILL

Today

9:34 AM Fellowship Time
 10:30 Worship Service (Sanctuary)
 11:30 Youth Group (CWNC)

Monday, July 19

Tuesday, July 20

6:00 PM Youth at Top Golf
 6:30 Session Meeting (Zoom)

Wednesday, July 21

8:00 AM Prayer Quilt Ministry (FLC Room 109)
 1:00 PM Staff Meeting (Maples House)

Thursday, July 22

11:30 AM Young Adult Lunch (Buffalo Wild Wings)
 2:00 PM Pickleball (FLC Gym)

Friday, July 23 (office closed)

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

Saturday, July 24

Sunday, July 25

9:34 AM Fellowship Time
 10:30 AM Worship Service (Sanctuary)
 11:45 VBS Setup

FAMILY NEWS

Birthdays ...

Terri Pasley 7/19
 Marguerite Harris, Anna Mae Koeteuw,
 Jenna Morgan 7/20
 Jean Whyman 7/21

Anniversaries ...

THE DATA BANK

| Attendance - 7/11/21 | In Person | Virtual Views |
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| | 45 | 55 |

SESSION RULING ELDERS

Class of 2022

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| Mike Cline | 394-9092 | cline_tmc@yahoo.com | Admin. |
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| Valerie Williams | 843-8097 | fhpcclerk16@gmail.com | Clerk |

Class of 2023

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Class of 2024

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| Cameron Carnes | 848-6458 | cameroncaornes@hotmail.com | Missions |
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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



July 26-29 from 6:00-8:00 pm
 Dinner is served from 5:30-6:00 pm.

Visit the Forest Hills Happenings or website for more information.

Thank you all so much for the generous donations. We appreciate the supplies and the volunteer sign ups we've received so far. We are still in need of a few things on our Amazon Wish List and we can use lots of volunteers, so please check out the sign up to see where you can help!

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/8050848A5AB2BA2FD0-vbsvolunteers>



School Supplies Drive

During the month of July, Forest Hills will be joining with the Helotes House of Neighborly Service to collect school supplies for needy children in the area. A list of supplies can be found in The Happenings and The Branch (July newsletter).



Eighth Sunday after Pentecost
July 18, 2021, 10:30 AM

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

info@fhpconline.org / fhpconline.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

A quiet time to prepare our hearts and minds for worship.

Greeting & Announcements

Lighting of the Christ Candle

Call to Worship (from Mark 6:31)

One: Christ says, come away to a deserted place and rest a while.

All: God calls us to quiet and rest, even as we continue to minister to those in need.

One: Come let us worship Our God together with peace.

All: We draw near to the heart of God.

Musical Interlude

Near to the Heart of God (#527)

Words at the Font

THE LORD FORGIVES OUR SINS

Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession

All: Eternal God, your steadfast love endures forever. We confess that we act as if we are in control as if you will bless whatever we do. If we think of others at all, it is with an eye toward their usefulness to us. If we consider your creation, it is to ponder what benefits us. We have failed to show your love or to do justice in obedience to you. We have no right to be called your children.

Have mercy on us, God of grace. Lord, have mercy. Forgive our sins, we humbly pray. Put the mind of Christ within us, O God, so that our lives take the form of a cross. Use us to break down walls of hostility within the church, among the nations, and around the world. Equip us to do your will, giving you glory, honor, and praise together with the Son and the Holy Spirit, one God forever and ever. Amen.

Time of Silent Reflection

Assurance of Pardon

Leader: Our Lord Jesus gives us rest and peace. Our Master's touch heals us, and his shed blood is our salvation. In Jesus Christ, our sins are forgiven.

All: Thanks be to God! Amen.

Passing the Peace of Christ

Leader: As God has poured out the grace of forgiveness and love and peace through Christ, let us also share that grace among ourselves. Peace be with you.

All: And also with you.

Leader: Let us share the peace of Christ with everyone!

We invite you to wave or show the peace sign to your neighbors as you stay in your pew as we pass the peace.

Children's Sermon

After the Children's Sermon, children aged kindergarten through 4th grade are dismissed to Children's Church.

THE LORD SPEAKS TO US

Prayer for Illumination

Old Testament Passage

Psalm 89: 20-37

New Testament Passage

Mark 6: 30-34, 53-56

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Sermon

Resting in God

Rev. Katy Walters

Musical Meditation

Dear Lord and Father of Mankind (#345)

WE OFFER OURSELVES TO THE LORD

***Affirmation of Faith** (adapted from The Confession of Belhar))

All: We believe that God has revealed God's self as the one who wishes to bring about justice and true peace among people; that God, in a world full of injustice and enmity, is in a special way the God of the destitute, the poor and the wronged; that God calls the church to follow God in this; for God brings justice to the oppressed and gives bread to the hungry.

We believe that God frees the prisoner and restores sight to the blind; that God supports the downtrodden, protects the stranger, that God wishes to teach the church to do what is good and to seek the right; that the church must therefore stand by people in any form of suffering and need, which implies, among other things, that the church must witness against and strive against any form of injustice, so that justice may roll down like waters, and righteousness like an ever-flowing stream.

We believe Jesus is Lord. To the one and only God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit, be the honor and the glory for ever and ever.

Giving of Our Tithes and Offering

Offertory

Prayer of Dedication

Prayers of the People

THE LORD GOES WITH US

***Charge & Benediction**

Postlude

WE REMEMBER IN OUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK:

Patty & Dick Runnels; Paul's sister-in-law, Vickie & brother, Bob; the family of Shannon Hawthorne; Kay M.'s friends Ken, Wallace & Joan; Valerie's brother, David Paul; Christina Long's friend, Kathy; Donna's brother-in-law, Bob; the Long's friend, Greg; the Davis/Lawson family.

TODAY'S WORSHIP LEADERS

Liturgist: JaLinda Novak

Guest Musician: Steve Beltran

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 or (830) 510-4130.

YOUTH GROUP

Youth Group meets Sunday after worship from 11:30am-1:00pm in the Children's Worship & Nurture Center (CWNC). All middle and high school aged youth are welcome!

ONLINE GIVING

For your convenience, we offer online giving through PayPal. Simply log on to our website at 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.

