

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF GREENVILLE

Update for the Week of February 10, 2019

From Chrisy Ennen, Growth and
Nurture Leader

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There was no service on Sunday, February 10, due to ice.

PREACHING SCHEDULE

- February 17 – Kurt – Scout Sunday
- February 24 – Chrisy
- March 3 – Kurt – Communion

SUNDAY SCHOOL – WEEKLY AT 9:30 a.m.

The Zion Class, taught by Susan Bryant is studying “*A Perfect Mess: Why You Don’t Have to worry About Being Good Enough for God.*”

LUNCH-TIME BIBLE STUDY

The next meeting will be Thursday, February 14. They will meet on Thursdays from January 3 through May 1.

PRESBYTERY MEETING

There will be a **Presbytery Meeting here on Saturday, February 23**. Our organist, Randy Zerkel has agreed to provide the music for the Worship that day. Howard Wise will be lining up ushers and a crew to set up tables and chairs in Gaffner Hall. Bev Schmidt will be organizing the food for that day - coffee hour and lunch. Thank you for being willing to help if Howard or Bev contacts you!

The General Council on behalf of the Presbytery of Southeastern Illinois invites all youth in the Presbytery to participate in the Presbytery Meeting on Saturday, February 23, 2019 and to provide their guidance as the commissioners vote on proposed amendments to the Book of Order.

The youth are not being asked to merely attend the meeting, instead the goal is for the youth to be active participants in the discussion and debate as the commissioners consider proposed amendments to the Book of Order. Their participation will also include the youth providing an advisory vote on the proposals to assist the commissioners in their work.

Who: All Presbyterian Youth in PSEI

What: Participate in the presbytery meeting and advise the commissioners on voting

Where: First Presbyterian Church of Greenville, Illinois

When: Saturday, February 23, 2019, 10:00am-4:00pm

How: Register online at

<https://docs.google.com/.../1FAIpQLScguArCJr7g79GprX.../viewform>

We hope you and the youth from your congregation will join us at the presbytery meeting on Saturday, February 23!

YOUTH GROUP MEETINGS

The Youth Group Meetings for this year are on Sundays:

February 17

March 3, 17 & 31

April 14, 28

Each meeting is from 5:30 until 7:30 p.m. and will meet at the Greenville First Presbyterian Church.

PER CAPITA

Each year, Presbyterian congregations are assessed an amount to be paid for the operation of the Presbytery, Synod, and General Assembly of the church. This assessment is based on the number of members we reported last January. First Presbyterian of Greenville is asked to contribute \$42.00 per member in 2019. If you are able, you are encouraged to make an extra contribution at the beginning of the year to help meet this obligation.

ONLINE GIVING

Tithes and offerings can be given online (securely through PayPal)! Just visit fpcgreenville.net/giving and click on the Donate button at the bottom of the page!

OUR COMMUNITY MISSION THROUGH USING OUR BUILDING

EXERCISE CLASSES meet throughout the week in Gaffner Hall.

WALKING INDOORS: We open Gaffner Hall during weekday office hours for walkers. We have at least a few people walking every day and hope their comfort in our church will lead to them considering membership.

PRAYERS FOR OUR PEOPLE AND THE WORLD: We ask your prayers for members of our church and the world our Prayer Chain uplifts this week:

- **Taylor Marti** has a rare form of brain cancer.
- **Jimmy Wayne, friend of Ted Olson**, has cancer.
- **Jim Huff**, God knows the details.
- **Gary Self** will have back surgery on February 26.
- **Drew Hammer, grandson of Kathryn Luttrell, nephew of Chrisy Ennen**, cut his heel down to the tendon.
- **Joyce Ennen's grand-nephew** is improving from the encephalitis he had previously.
- **Erin & Ramy Moreland and family, Thomas & Linda Dooly's middle daughter** as they are dealing with very difficult issues.

LORD, HEAR OUR PRAYER!

If you have a prayer request you would like to share with the church body for their ongoing prayers, please contact the church office, (618) 664-0942.