

HELLO FUPC FAMILY AND FRIENDS!

In this mailing you'll find the bulletin for Sunday's worship service. Join us Sunday at 10:30 via zoom by going to <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/5739200081>, or by phone (312-626-6799). If you're joining by phone, enter meeting ID 573-920-0081. If you've not used zoom before, follow the instructions provided at the link.

THIS WEEK AT FIRST UNITED

Sunday, July 28

8:45 a.m. – Adult Study in Session Room and via Zoom

10:30 a.m. –Worship with Niki Sebastian in sanctuary and via Zoom followed by fellowship

Monday, July 29

7:00 a.m. – AA meeting in upstairs classroom

Tuesday, July 30

6:00 p.m. – Womens' AA Meeting in Gathering Place

Wednesday, July 31

7:00 a.m. – AA meeting in upstairs classroom

6:00 p.m. – Al-Anon meeting in upstairs classroom

Friday, August 2

7:00 a.m. – AA meeting in upstairs classroom

4:00 p.m. - Samaritan House Cook Team

Saturday, August 3

9:00 a.m. – AA meeting in upstairs classroom

Sunday, August 4

8:45 a.m. – Adult Study in Session Room and via Zoom

10:30 a.m. –Worship with Rev. Randy Campbell in sanctuary and via Zoom followed by fellowship



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FIRST UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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MEDITATION – “Attention is Soul's manifestation in the physical world. What we give attention to, we feed and it enlarges in our lives. What we take attention away from withers away. Be mindful, therefore, of what you give your attention to, actively focusing inwardly, to know Soul's wisdom. Thus you take the beginning steps on the Path to knowing your True Self.”

(Interpretation of teaching given by Sri Gary Olsen, via MasterPath)

WE GATHER TOGETHER

WELCOME

Niki Sebastian

PRELUDE

Em Krall

***PASSING OF THE PEACE**

Murl Baker

*Let us make a commitment during this time to call someone today,
visit with them and wish them the peace of Christ.*

*Blessed be the tie that binds: Our hearts in Christian Love,
The fellowship of kindred minds; Is like to that above.*

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

One: We see light, and joy;

All: We bring heart, soul, mind, and body;

One: We share blessings and fears;

All: We bring faith and doubt.

**With all that we are and all that we have,
let us worship God.**

***OPENING HYMN**

Morning Has Broken (GTG #664)

ASSURANCE OF GOD'S LOVE AND MERCY

We remember that, before we confess and no matter what we confess God, we can be assured of God's Love and Mercy.

UNISON PRAYER OF RECONCILIATION

Loving God, you restore us to each other and to you, mending our hearts and repairing the world. Through the power of your Spirit, you shape us to be for others what Christ is for us: pardon and peace, new life and blessing. We give you thanks for your love, forgiveness, and constant presence. Amen.

WE PROCLAIM GOD'S WORD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION Niki Sebastian, Convenor, Las Vegas Worship Group

Guide us, O God, by your Word, and Holy Spirit, that in your Light we may see our own Light, in your Truth find freedom, awakening in us the awesomeness of the world around us. Amen.

A QUAKER READING

Excerpt from Friends for 300 Years, Chapter 4, by Howard Brinton

THE QUAKER EXPERIENCE

WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

RESPONSE

Come! Live in the Light!

GTG #749

WITH THANKS FOR GENEROUS GIVING

***DOXOLOGY**

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

WE GO FORTH IN GOD'S NAME

***CLOSING HYMN**

'Tis A Gift to Be Simple

***CHARGE AND BENEDICTION**

POSTLUDE

*Please stand in body or spirit, as you are able

OPPORTUNITIES

Join us for fellowship in Perea Hall after worship today! **July fellowship time reminder:**

7/21 Nina Johns

7/28 Juli Salman

Signup sheet is in Perea Hall; please sign up for a Sunday. Nothing elaborate is expected.

The Sunday Morning Class for Adults and Youth is discussing the book, *No Longer Be Silent: First Century Jewish Portraits of Biblical Women* By Cheryl Anne Brown. The book is out of print, but copies are available second hand in paperback from several online booksellers for as little as \$5. The book is also available online through googlebooks.com. Classes are at 8:45 Sunday mornings in the session room next to Perea Hall and on Zoom at the same link as the Sunday worship Service. Remaining reading assignments are:

July 28 Jephtha's Daughter, pp 93-139

Aug. 4 Hannah, pp. 140-180

Aug. 11 The Witch of Endor – Summary pp. 181-220

To give online to the church, scan the QR code at the right, or send your donation in via check to the church office. Thank you!



Prayers for the Church Family – Each week we choose some specific names to remind us to pray for each other and for those in our Presbytery. Please pray for Linda and Gene Solyntjes, June and Roy Stallsmith, and Jeremiah Street as well as Chacon/El Rito Presbyterian Church, Chacon, NM (1879).

July Elder of the Month – Corky Halverson- 505-235-7914

July Deacon of the Month – 1-7 – Deb Reid, 8-14 – Bonnie Trujillo, 15-21 – Juli Salman, 22-28–

Nina Johns,

29-31 – Murl Baker

Church Office Hours: Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, 9:00 – 1:30; Closed Wednesday and Friday

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Assisting in Worship This Week

Guest Presenter – Niki Sebastian

Worship Leader – Murl Baker

Accompanist – Em Krall

Bulletin/Slides – Crystal Western Ford

Custodian – Henry Herrera Sanctuary Hosts – Kevin Johnson, Charlotte Wootton

Tech Crew – Van Swan, Jeff Salman, Juli Salman