

THE SERVANTS' LIGHT

Monthly publication from First Presbyterian Church of Joliet

SMALL GROUPS

PraiseYoga:

T @ 6:30 pm/
Th @ 8:30 am
in the Narthex

Centering Prayer:

Tuesdays @ 1pm
in Room 210

Adult Sunday School:

Sundays 9-9:45 am
in Fireside Room with
Pastor Roy

Life Group:

Young adults and up
Sundays 9-9:45am in
Hoffman Hall

Worship Service:

Each Sunday @ 10am
and Online anytime

Children's Worship:

After Time with
Children each Sunday
(ages 3 to 11)



THANKSGIVING WORSHIP

November 21st at 7pm
Joliet Jewish Congregation
250 N. Midland Avenue
Joliet, IL 60435

This year First Presbyterian Church of Joliet will be continuing the tradition of participating in a Community Thanksgiving Worship Service. There are many varied places of worship here in our community that come together to celebrate, give thanks, and worship alongside each other.

This year's service will be held at the Joliet Jewish Congregation and will begin at 7pm on November 21st. It's a wonderful opportunity to come together with our community and express our appreciation for all that we have.

TRUNK N TREAT

Oct. 25th 6-7:30pm

Fun for all ages, so bring your friends!

It's not too late to volunteer (*food servers and trunks*)
- Sign up is on our website.

10/12/2023

SESSION NOTES

- Session approved Pastor Roy’s big band Christmas concert in December for a free will offering.
- The Pastors are working on standardizing the council job descriptions.
- Session received a report from the Pastor Nominating Committee on their progress.
- Session emphasized doing a council focus each 3rd Sunday of the month.

PASTOR NOMINATING COMMITTEE

The PNC has been working diligently for months on the Mission Study Report to develop a clear understanding of who First Pres is today and who we are called to be. The study talks about our church both past and present. Compiling this

information has been a huge undertaking, and is vital in helping us find the person best suited as our next called pastor. The PNC will be in the Fireside Room following worship on Sunday October 22 and Sunday October 29 to discuss the report and answer any questions you may have. To access the report visit our website’s homepage and click the “First Pres Mission Study Report” button.

Planning
Mission Study
Data Evaluation
Resume Evaluations
Interviews
Pastor Visits
Pastor Selection
Pastor Acceptance

MIDWEEK

Wednesdays

- 5:00-6:05 - Kid’s Music and Bible Classes
- 6:15-6:45 - Fellowship Dinner for all
- 6:45-7:15 - Kid’s gym/rec time
 - Adult Bible Studies
- 7:30 -Chancel Choir Practice

YOUTH GROUP

6-8pm

Open to 6th -12th graders.
Oct. 22nd, Nov. 5th, Nov. 19th

WHY30 BOWLING

October 27th 7pm
Bowlero in Romeoville

Young(ish) adults and families are invited to this chill social get together. Reach out to the church office or Michael Krueger if you are interested.

BIBLE SUNDAY

10/29

All 4 year old's, 3rd graders, and 6th graders are invited to join us for worship to receive a brand new age-appropriate Bible. Contact the office if you have a participant in your family.

DRIVE IN MOVIE

November 5th

Lot opens @ 4:30 Movie starts @5

Come watch “Blue Miracle” (NR). There will be free popcorn with other snacks available for purchase.

DINNER OUT GROUP

11/16 6pm

Al’s Steakhouse in Joliet

Meet at Al’s for fellowship and dinner. Please contact Carol Kline (815-630-7099) to be included in the reservation.

BLOOD DRIVE

11/26 8:30-12:30 at FPJ

Walk ins welcome but appointments appreciated.

