

THE SERVANTS' LIGHT

Monthly publication from First Presbyterian Church of Joliet

SMALL GROUPS

Life Group:

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

PraiseYoga:

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

Centering Prayer:

Tuesdays @ 1pm
in Room 210

Worship Service:

Each Sunday @ 10am
and Online anytime

Children's Worship:

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



BACK TO CHURCH

Sunday September 8th
Picnic after 10am worship

Summer can be a busy time of year, but we have the perfect time for you to join us back at church! Come for our 10am live worship service, and stick around after for our Back to Church Picnic. Invite your friends, family, and neighbors to enjoy tasty food, bingo, bags, and even a bounce house for the kids. First Pres. is proud to share that the Matsiko World Orphan Choir will be a part of the celebration as well.

MIDWEEK

Wednesdays 5pm-7:15pm
Starting September 11th

5-6pm Soar High Program (3yrs - 8th grade)

-Singing and instrument lessons for 5yrs-8th grade

-Bible lesson, arts, and activities for 3yrs-8th grade

6pm Fellowship Dinner for all (donations appreciated)

6:45pm Adult Bible Study and Kids rec time

MATSIKO

Through their in-country Matsiko learning centers, every student is given an opportunity to sing in the Matsiko national choir program. Talented students can then audition to sing in Matsiko's national children's touring choir in their own countries or even be a part of a USA bringing orphaned or vulnerable children from all over the world together!

They become ambassadors of hope for the 600 million voiceless and invisible children of the world who deserve an equal opportunity to get an education, develop their talents, and belong to a community where they are valued as human beings.

PASTOR NOMINATING COMMITTEE

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

The PNC has reviewed all the matches we received through the CLC system (more than 65 people) and invited the top candidates to apply. Once we receive additional information from these candidates, the interview process will begin. Your PNC continues to diligently and thoroughly search for the person best suited for First Pres.

BACK TO CHURCH PICNIC

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after 10am worship

This September we invite everyone to reconnect with First Pres or celebrate their connection with a fun picnic following worship. We will celebrate in our parking lot at FPJ with yummy food, bingo, bags, and a bounce house.

The Matsiko World Orphan Choir will also be celebrating with us, and in worship.

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PROJECT LINUS

August 26th at 9am
Hoffman Hall

Get together to make some simple no-sew blankets to be donated to children in need in our community. No experience required.

DINNER OUT GROUP

September 19th at 6pm
Agave Azul, 330 W. North St., Manhattan
Contact Carol Kline to be included in the reservation.

HANDBELL CONCERT

September 21st
1:30pm in Hoffman Hall

Our very own Glory Ringers Handbell Choir are hosting a joint performance with the Bell Choir from Hinsdale United Methodist Church.