



# FOSTER-TUKWILA PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

*To know Christ and to make Him Known*

January 31, 2016

(Generations- 9:00 am; Worship Service – 10:30 am)

## GATHERING TOGETHER FOR WORSHIP

A time of praise in song to begin the service  
The Life of the Congregation

## WE GATHER BEFORE GOD

Call to Worship

- \* Songs and Hymns of Worship and Praise [song insert]
- Praising the Lord's Work

## WE SHARE OUR GIFTS AND CONCERNS

- \* Hymn #563 **Open My Eyes That I May See** [Junior Church]
- \* Prayer of Thanksgiving
- Offertory
- Doxology

## WE RESPOND TO HIS WORD

Scripture Lesson **Colossians 4:2-6**

Sermon: *Communicating the Gospel  
in an Age of Communications Change*

- \* Hymn #446 **We've a Story to Tell to the Nations**

Benediction

\* *Congregation Standing*

*Sermon Text Next Sunday, February 7, 2016:* **TBA**

Pastor.....Rev. Nick Krantz

Minister of Community Relations .....Chaplain Al Patterson

**January Missions Prayer Focus:** Doug, Wendy, & Nikolai Linscott (World Outreach), Tukwila Food Pantry.

**Gateway City of the 10/40 Window** ..... Rangoon, Burma

Do you have a special **prayer need** today? Following the service, **Prayer Support Team** members will be available up front.

**INFANT AND TODDLER CARE** is available downstairs during the worship service for children up to kindergarten.

**TODAY: ANNUAL MEETING OF THE CONGREGATION:** Today, following worship. Childcare is provided and there will be treats to tide us over. This is the one *official* opportunity each year for *all* members to express themselves in the government of this congregation by taking part in the election of Elders and Deacons, among other things. Be prepared to elect three members of the congregation to this year's Nominating Committee. **Parents please bring a lunch for your children.** [2016 Budget and 2015 Annual Reports are available in the narthex.]

## THIS WEEK IN PREVIEW:

TUESDAY:	WEDNESDAY:	SUNDAY:	
1:00-3:00 pm: Women's Study	7:00 am: Prayer	9:00 am: Generations	
6:30 pm: Youth		10:30 am: Worship	

## Looking ahead

- **FTPC GENERATIONS:** Sundays, 9:00 am.
- **WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY GROUP:** Tuesdays, 1:00-3:00 pm, parlor.
- **YOUTH GROUP:** Tuesdays, 6:30 pm.
- **MORNING PRAYER:** Wednesdays, 7:00 am.
- **THE LORD'S WATCH:** Tuesday. February 2, 2016.
- **COMMUNION SUNDAY:** Sunday. February 7, 2016.
- **ASH WEDNESDAY:** Wednesday. February 10, 2016.
- **SEEK GOD FOR THE CITY:** Wednesday. February 10 – March 20, 2016
- **SESSION:** Wednesday. February 10, 6:30 pm.
- **MEN'S FELLOWSHIP:** Saturday. February 13, 8:00 am.
- **SWEETHEARTS' BRUNCH:** Sunday, February 14, following the worship service.
- **UNLEASHING THE WORD:** Sunday. February 14, 6:30 @ the McCoy's.
- **PRESIDENTS' DAY:** Monday. February 15, 2016.
- **KOBA:** Wednesday. February 17, 11:00 am.
- **THE RIVER:** Sunday. February 21, 6:30 pm.
- **PRAYTUKWILA:** Wednesday. February 24, 12:00 pm @ Sizzler.
- **RETIRES & SENIORS:** Friday. February 26, 12:00 pm.

**SWEETHEART BRUNCH RETURNS (SORT OF):** Mark your calendars! On Sunday, Feb. 14 (Valentine's Day, no less!), FTPC's fabled Sweetheart Brunch returns – sort of. Instead of the monthly February Potluck, on this day the men of the church will serve the women. Menu will likely be something like pancakes, eggs, etc. There will even be some 'entertainment' that will be something like....well, like nothing else ☺. No sign ups necessary. Fun for all ages, children on up.

**REQUEST FOR PIX:** With the advent of digital cameras and social media, we find that we have a big gap in our photo history of FTPC from the late 90s on. If you have digital photos of church events for the past 15+ years, please email them to Jenny, jennmccoy54@gmail.com. Thanks.

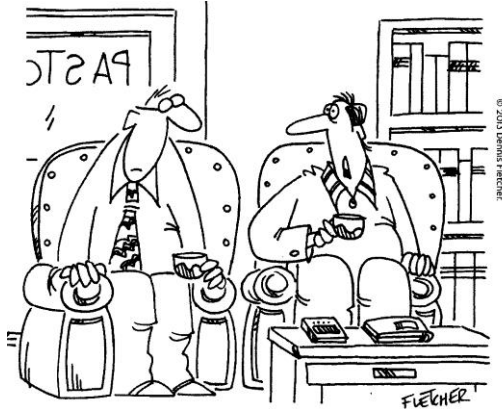
**PLEDGE ENVELOPES FOR 2016:** Now available in the Narthex. Please remember to sign your name by the appropriate number when you take your packet.

**MEET CHRIST FOR THE FIRST TIME ALL OVER AGAIN:** The Christ Institutes Video Series (TCI) were originally conducted by David Bryant as live, 48-hour intensives. With compelling teaching, creative visuals and clear applications, ***TCI maintains a consistently singular focus on the majesty and supremacy of God's Son today.*** Participants will experience a life-changing journey into more of the greatness and glory of Christ, what TCI calls a "Christ Awakening." Choose to experience TCI at your own pace; or by leading a group through nine weeks using the nine 70-minute videos; or by signing up for the free 55-day email and video series. A Participant Guide is included. <http://christnow.com/christ-institutes-overview/>

**CHURCH DIRECTORY:** Members can sync the church's directory to an iPhone, iPad, iPad Mini, Android device or Kindle Fire! Download the ***Instant Church Directory*** app from your app store. Make sure that we have the correct email for you. This will be necessary to verify you have permission to access our member data. You will be sent a password for login. Hard copies will be available in February.

**SNOW CONTINGENCY PLANS:** If because of inclement weather (e.g. snow and ice) you are wondering whether or not there are any changes in the church schedule please call the church phone (206-243-4455). Any changes will be on the answering machine or posted to our website [www.ftpc.org](http://www.ftpc.org). We will always have our scheduled worship service for whoever can make it. But youth groups, special events, or Sunday School might be cancelled.

**DEADLINE FOR BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS:** Please submit any announcements you wish posted in the bulletin to [jenmccoy54@gmail.com](mailto:jenmccoy54@gmail.com) by noon on Thursday.



**"I have to agree with my 130 Facebook friends, the relationships we form at church are usually superficial."**

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