



Living Faith Together... We're Glad You're Here!

FPC | **First Presbyterian Church** | myfpc.org

Sunday, August 30, 2026
9:30 am

Prelude: *Collection of Beloved Christian Hymns*

Blue Skies Saxophone Ensemble, guest musicians

Musical Call to Worship: *The Children's Prayer*

Blue Skies Saxophone Ensemble

Welcome

Pastor Ben Ehrets

***Call to Worship**

O give thanks to the Lord, call on his name;

make known his deeds among the peoples.

Sing to him, sing praises to him;

tell of all his wonderful works.

Glory in his holy name;

let the hearts of those who seek the Lord rejoice.

***Opening Hymn:** *Fairest Lord Jesus, Hymn #630*

***Prayer of Confession**

Pastor Will Wilson

Merciful God, **you call us to love earnestly, yet often we guard our hearts and offer only hollow words. We struggle to hold fast to what is good, letting the cynicism of the world overcome our zeal. Instead of outdoing one another in showing honor, we quietly seek our own recognition and status. When others hurt us, we confess how quickly we choose revenge over peace, and cursing over blessing. Forgive our cold hearts, Lord, and clear away our pride. By your Holy Spirit, teach us how to truly extend hospitality to strangers and feed our enemies. Overcome our evil with your goodness, and guide our steps to live peaceably with all. Amen.**

***Hearing the Good News of God**

***Gloria Patri, Hymn #581**

***Passing the Peace**

Life at FPC

Angela Himegarner

Children's Moment

Debby Ochoa

*Congregation is invited to stand at this time.

Today's Scripture Reading: Romans 12:9-21

Pastor Ben

Sermon

*Affirmation of Faith

Pastor Will

Offertory & The Gift of Giving

Offertory Music: *Benediction*

Blue Skies Saxophone Ensemble

*Doxology: *Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow*, **Hymn #606**

Prayer of Godspeed for Pastor Ben

Pastor Will

Joys and Concerns

Prayers of the People and Lord's Prayer

*Closing Hymn: *Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee*, **Hymn #611**

*Benediction

Pastor Ben

*Postlude: *Hark! Ten Thousand Harps and Voices*

Blue Skies Saxophone Ensemble

NOTES:

*Congregation is invited to stand at this time.

We want to pray for you.

Please send your prayer request via email to prayerlist@myfpc.org. It will be passed along to the Pastors and, if you would like, included in the FPC weekly prayer list.

We are a Stephen Ministry Church. If you would like to talk with a trained listener, please contact the church office at 608-949-9445 or info@myfpc.org.

First Presbyterian Church
1403 S. Century Avenue
Waunakee, WI 53597

Sign-up for our weekly
e-newsletter,
The Connector



If you are able, please
continue to support FPC
financially. We depend
on you to keep important
ministries. Scan the code
below to donate online.



Contact the church:
608-949-9445 or
info@myfpc.org

Welcome to Sundays at FPC

9:30AM Worship Service in the Sanctuary;
Sunday School ages 4k - Grade 6 will be
available after Children's Moment;
(Available from September to May)

Communion is served on the first Sunday
of each month.

10:30AM Following worship, join us for
Fellowship and Coffee

10:45AM Adult Sunday School.
(Available from September to May)

Parents:

Help yourself to the **red Busy Bags** in the Lobby for
our younger worshippers.

The Wiggle Room is available for any youngster
needing it. It is located on the other side of the one-
way glass and equipped with toys and books where
you can also see, hear and worship along with the
congregation.

The Nursery (0-4 years) is available during service
from 9 - 11 AM in room 200.

All are welcome here!

Pastor Will Wilson

Pastor Ben K. Ehrets (on Sabbatical until January 2027)

Pastor Kristin Frederich (Interim Associate Pastor)

Angela Himegarner, Director of Children's Ministry,
Operations and Church Engagement
(G.R.A.C.E. Director)

Joe Madsen, Director of Student Ministry

Jamison Wendlandt, Director of Music & Worship