

# FIRST Presbyterian Church

Sunday, August 20, 2023 – 10:30 A.M.

WELCOME	Dub Guthrie
INTROIT	
CALL TO WORSHIP	Lori Glover
PRAISE & WORSHIP	<i>Let Everything That Has Breath I Could Sing of Your Love Forever</i>
PRAYER OF CONFESSION	Lori Glover
ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS	Darrell Ingram
CHILDREN'S MOMENT	Jimmy Cordova
OFFERING	
PRAISE SONG	<i>Center of My Joy</i>
SCRIPTURE	Lori Glover
James 1:2-4	
SPECIAL MUSIC	Mark Bransom
MESSAGE	"Do You Have the Joy?" Mark Bransom
PRAYER	
THE LORD'S PRAYER	Lori Glover
PRAISE SONG	<i>Jesus, Be the Center</i>
BENEDICTION	Mark Bransom
POSTLUDE	

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Join us for a Potluck after Worship!

**3<sup>rd</sup> SUNDAY POTLUCK** – Join us for a potluck after worship in the Fellowship Hall! All are invited.

**CONGREGATIONAL MEETING RESCHEDULED** – The congregational meeting to elect elders has been rescheduled to Sunday, Sep. 3. This brief election is held immediately following the worship service. The installation and ordination service for new elders will be held during worship on Sunday, Sep. 10. Please plan to attend both services.

**GUESTS & VISITORS** – We want to get to know you! Fill out a visitor card in the seat back in front of you and place it in an offering plate.

**FOR CHILDREN** – Your kids are welcome to stay with you during church. Kids activity boxes are available in the entry hall. Nursery is provided for ages 0-4 in the Education Building.

**SUNDAY SCHOOL** – Sundays, 9:15 AM. Classes for all ages!

**ELDER-OF-THE-WEEK** – If you need pastoral care this week, please contact your Elder-of-the-Week Jimmy Cordova (469) 222-0257.

**PNC MEETING** – Tuesday, August 22, 6:30 PM.

**CHOIR REHEARSAL** – Wednesday, August 23, 7:00 PM.

**SESSION MEETING** – Thursday, August 24, 6:30 PM.

**PRAYER MINISTRIES** – If you need prayer, we're here for you! After worship, join us in the prayer corner at the front right of the sanctuary and our end of service ministry team will pray for you. You may also submit your requests online at [www.fpcd.org/pray](http://www.fpcd.org/pray).

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*"Consider it pure joy, my brothers and sisters,  
whenever you face trials of many kinds,  
because you know that the testing of your faith  
produces perseverance." ~ James 1:2-3*



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