## **Ministry Updates**

WORSHIP SERVICE THIS SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 6: Two separate worship services will be offered online and onsite at the church at 9:00 am (Classic in the Sanctuary) and 11:00 am (Convergent in King Hall). Rev. Jeff Chadwick will be preaching both services this week, using Psalm 129 as his text.

To access the service online directly, go to <a href="www.facebook.com/fpcrome">www.facebook.com/fpcrome</a> or click the button you'll find on our church web page, www.fpcrome.org. You do not need to be a Facebook user to access the service.

To view or download the Order of Worship for Sunday's service, go to the home page of the website, as well, and follow instructions there. Using this Order of Worship, you'll not only be able to follow along in the service, but can participate actively as it includes words to songs and other elements we'll be asked to join in speaking, praying, or singing. You can also download the provided sermon guides for children and middle schoolers. If attending in-person, please print and bring with you the order of worship for the service you plan to attend as our services will be touch-less (no bulletins, hymnals, friendship pads).

THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM WILL BE CELEBRATED DURING OUR CLASSIC SERVICE IN THE SANCTUARY TODAY – We welcome this morning, Mr. and Mrs. Matthew (Abby) Pinyerd, as they present their sons Owen and Conrad, to be marked with this sign of the covenant.

VISITOR WELCOME – Thank you for worshiping with us today. Whether you are worshiping in-person or viewing our livestream, we want to welcome you into our midst. We would love to have the opportunity to answer any questions you may have about our ministries. Please visit <a href="www.fpcrome.org">www.fpcrome.org</a> and click on the Connect Form link at the top of the home page. Our Connections team will contact you. We look forward to connecting with you!



**PRAY for ME CAMPAIGN** – "Rallying the Church around the Next Generation" - 40-50% of Students from good youth groups and families will drift from the Church after High School. In fact, research shows that adult believers are crucial in passing on faith to the next generation.

And whom better to invoke to work in the hearts of our students than the one, true, living God? PfMC is a movement designed to naturally create multi-generational relationships through prayer. Three adult believers from three different generations pray for one student (7<sup>th</sup> to 12<sup>th</sup> grade) for one year. If you would like to join this movement, please visit the church website by October 3 to register to attend the virtual launch event on October 4. Prayer guides will be available for purchase for \$10.

**CONTINUING OUR GENEROSITY** – "The Lord loves a cheerful giver." Since today's service will be touch-less (no bulletins, hymnals, friendship pads), we will have plexiglass drop boxes at the entrance and exit areas of each service in which you may place your tithes and offerings. There are many other ways you can make your offering to the Lord— by giving through the mail, dropping off in a sealed envelope in the secure black mailbox outside the church office, or electronically by following this link:

https://www.shelbygiving.com/app/giving/firs101214 or through the ShelbyNext Membership App on your mobile device. If you have not been connected through the ShelbyNext Membership app on your mobile device, contact Tracy at <a href="mailto:tracyad@fpcrome.org">tracyad@fpcrome.org</a> or leave a message with the church office and she will help you get set up.

**PRAYER REQUESTS** – If you would like to be kept informed of the church's prayer needs, email Tracy at tracyd@fpcrome.org to receive updated prayer requests. If you would like to submit a Prayer Request for you or someone you know that is in need, you may do so on our website at <a href="http://www.fpcrome.org/resources/personal-prayer-requests/">http://www.fpcrome.org/resources/personal-prayer-requests/</a>.