



*Come One! Come All!*

*FEPC Christmas Dinner  
Wednesday, December 4, 2019  
6pm in the  
Fellowship Hall*



*Featuring Live Music!*

*Dinner will be catered  
Nursery provided*

*Suggested donation of \$10.00/person – Children eat free!  
To help cover cost of the meal*

*Limited Seating, so make your reservations NOW!*

*Celebrate the Christmas Season  
with your church family!*

*RSVP by Nov. 24 to [lwright@fpc.roacoxmail.com](mailto:lwright@fpc.roacoxmail.com)  
With the following information*

*Names: \_\_\_\_\_*

*Total number of adults: \_\_\_\_\_*

*Total number of children: \_\_\_\_\_*

# FIRST EVANGELICAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

## *On Sundays*

Sunday School, 9-10 am

Adult Sunday School Classes:

McClanahan & Good News Class: Room 207

Koinonia & Cornerstone Class: Room 202

The Agape Class: Parlor

*It is never too late to join our Sunday School Classes*

Church Worship 10:30 am, Sanctuary

## *Sunday Children*

Infants & Toddlers: Room 115

PreK-K: Room 114

Grades 1-5: Room 203

Grades 6-12: Youth Room, downstairs

## *Weekdays*

### **Mondays:**

Church Office Closed

Sisters in Bible Study (SIBS), 6 pm

Sermon Apps, 7 pm

### **Tuesdays:**

Sisters in Bible Study (SIBS), 9:30 am  
(except 2<sup>nd</sup>)

Women in Ministry, 11 am (2<sup>nd</sup>)

Adult Bible Study (ABS), 5:15 pm

Choir, 6:30 pm

### **Wednesdays:**

FirstKids, Youth Group, 6 pm

### **Thursdays:**

Men's Breakfast, 7 am (1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup>)

Men's Bible Study, 2:30 pm (1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup>)  
5:30 pm (2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup>)

### **Fridays:**

Prayers for the church, 9:30 am

## *Lectionary Readings:*

Nov. 3 - Habakkuk 1:1-4, 2:1-4; Psalm 119:137-144; 2  
Thessalonians 1:1-4, 11-12; Luke 19:1-10

Nov. 10 - Haggai 1:15b-2:9; Psalm 145:1-5, 17-21; 2  
Thessalonians 2:1-5, 13-17; Luke 20:27-28

Nov. 17 - Isaiah 65:17-25; Isaiah 12; 2 Thessalonians  
3:6-13; Luke 21:5-19

Nov. 24 - Jeremiah 23:1-6; Luke 1:68-79; Colossians  
1:11-20; Luke 23:33-43

## *Upcoming Events*

Nov. 3 - Diaconate Mtg., 5pm

Nov. 4 - No Sermon Apps

Nov. 7 - No Men's Bible Study

Nov. 15-16 - Officer Training

Nov. 15-17 - Youth Retreat

Nov. 17 - Session Mtg., 6pm

Nov. 24 - Reception for Wayne Gallops  
after worship

Nov. 24 - Prayer Gathering, 6pm

Nov. 28 - Thanksgiving Day, Church of-  
fice closed

Nov. 28 - No Men's Bible Study

Nov. 29 - Church office closed

## *Reminders*

**Elders:** Phil Brown, Artie Bush

### **Sound System**

Kaye Wilkerson, Rea Brown,  
Scott Rice, Mike Stoots

### **Greeters**

**Ramp Room** (8:50 - 9; 10 -10:30)

Nov. 3 - Lee Slover & Julie Drewry

Nov. 10 - Sandy McCullar

Nov. 17 - Doug Hankins, Karen Hankins

Nov. 24 - Linda Brown

**Greeters Narthex** (10:00-10:30):

Nov. 3 - Teal Bennett

Nov. 10 - Barry & Anne Webb

Nov. 17 - Cathy Loving-Kirk

Nov. 24 - Trish Hawley

### **Deacons on Duty:**

Nov. 3 - Jan Tyree, Carol Danielsen

Nov. 10 - Brenda White-Edwards,  
Helen Thompson

Nov. 17 - Joyce Barker, Linda Brown

Nov. 24 - Michael Ridenhour,  
Marcia Ridenhour

## *Birthdays*

2 - Rhonda Stoots

4 - Bob Broyles

5 - Kathy Petty

7 - Rebekah Slocum

8 - Pat Guerrant

9 - Janemarie Laucella

9 - Leah Alexander

9 - Hannah Bush

10 - Donna Miles

11 - Linda Brown

11 - Chris Ayers

14 - Jean Jamison

14 - Harvey Hottinger

15 - Scott Petty

15 - Eric Petty

15 - Henry Jones

16 - Tom Scott

17 - Marlene Flynn

18 - Jeff Povtak

20 - Noah Harris

27 - Chris Smith

29 - Brad Braford

30 - Clara Davis

## *Youth Activities*

Sunday School, 9 am located downstairs in Youth Room

Bojangles Bible Study 7 am every Tuesday

Youth Group 6 pm, Wednesdays downstairs in the Youth Room

"There should be a parallel between our supplications and our thanksgivings. We ought not to leap in prayer, and limp in praise." - Charles Haddon Spurgeon

"Thanksgiving is a very important holiday. Ours was the first country in the world to make a national holiday to give thanks." - Linus

## ***Elders***

### Class of 2019

Ed Bennett  
Phil Brown  
Artie Bush  
Scott Rice  
Mike Stoots

### Class of 2020

Andrew Fuller  
Ed Kappus  
Gary Roth  
Tom Turner

### Class of 2021

Rea Brown  
Mike Bumpass  
Bob Collis  
Bill Gearhart  
Al Soltis

## ***Deacons***

### Class of 2019

Joyce Barker  
Mary Ann Bennett  
Dennis Harris  
Carolyn Keyes  
Sandra McCullar  
Melanie Rice  
Marcia Ridenhour  
Jan Tyree

### Class of 2020

Amanda Bean  
Linda Brown  
Carol Danielsen  
Susan Guelich  
Patty Hunt  
Brenda White-Edwards

### Class of 2021

Chris Ayers  
Susan Blanding  
Pat Povtak  
Michael Ridenhour  
Helen Thompson

The Rev. Robert D. Smith, Pastor, [bsmith@fpc.roacoxmail.com](mailto:bsmith@fpc.roacoxmail.com)  
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Office Hours: Tuesday—Friday, 8:00 am—4:30 pm

Sunday School begins at 9 am. Sunday worship service begins at 10:30 am in the Sanctuary. Nursery provided for infants and toddlers from 9 am to 12 pm.

Guests always welcome

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