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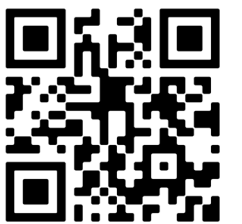
THE NEW SELF

COLOSSIANS 3:1-10

8:30 AM WORSHIP | MAY 11, 2025

CONNECT WITH US

Thank you for joining us in worship today. We would love to get to know you better. Scan the QR code on the right to fill out our brief Digital Connect Card and let us know if you have any questions about FPCOS or would just like to learn more about our ministries and how you can get plugged in. We look forward to connecting with you!



SCAN TO CONNECT

*KING OF LOVE

VERSE 1

The King of Love my Shepherd is
Whose goodness faileth never
I nothing lack if I am His
And He is mine forever
And He is mine forever

VERSE 2

Where streams of living water flow
My ransomed soul He leadeth
And where the verdant pastures grow
With food celestial feedeth

CHORUS

Never failing Ruler of my heart
Everlasting Lover of my soul
On the mountain high
Or in the valley low
The King of Love my Shepherd is
The King of Love my Shepherd is

VERSE 3

Lost and foolish off I strayed
But yet in love He sought me
And on His shoulder gently laid
And home rejoicing brought me

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 139:14-17

ELDER: I praise you, for I am fearfully and wonderfully made. Wonderful are your works; my soul knows it very well.

PEOPLE: My frame was not hidden from you, when I was being made in secret, intricately woven in the depths of the earth.

ELDER: Your eyes saw my unformed substance; in your book were written, every one of them, the days that were formed for me, when as yet there was none of them.

PEOPLE: How precious to me are your thoughts, O God! How vast is the sum of them!

VERSE 4

In death's dark veil I fear no ill
With Thee dear Lord beside me
Thy rod and staff my comfort still
Thy cross before to guide me

CHORUS

BRIDGE

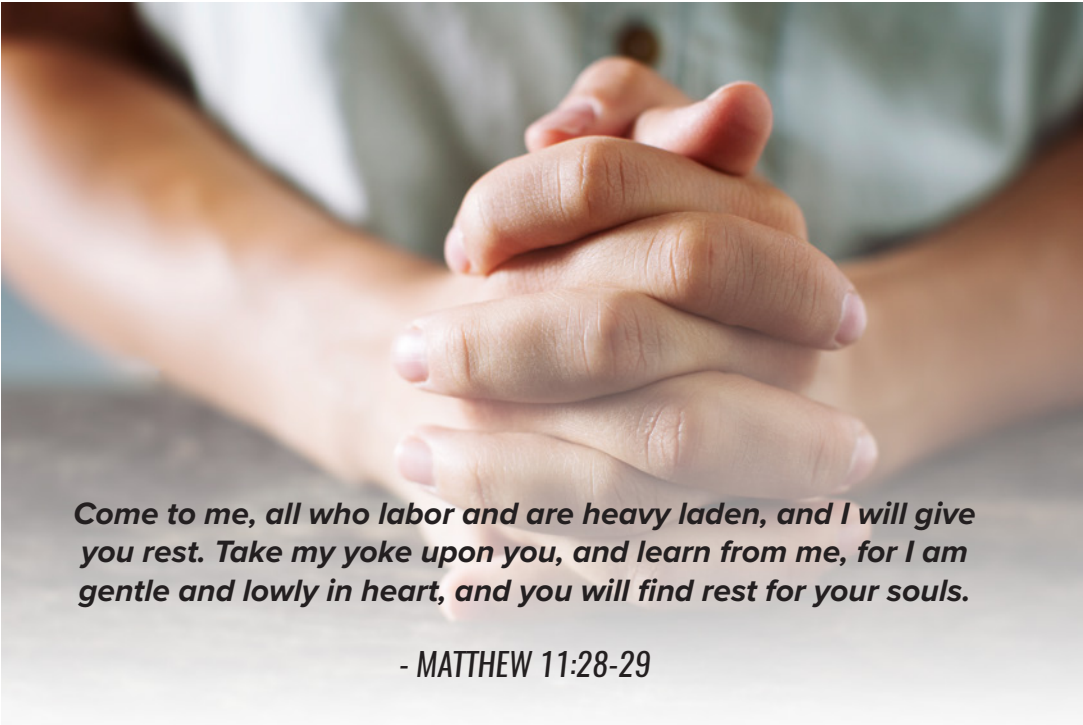
Oh hallelujah, hallelujah
Oh hallelujah, hallelujah

CHORUS

ENDING

And so through all the length of days
Thy goodness faileth never
Good Shepherd may I sing Your praise
Within Your house forever
Within Your house forever

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Come to me, all who labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you, and learn from me, for I am gentle and lowly in heart, and you will find rest for your souls.

- MATTHEW 11:28-29

ILLNESS

Frank Allison
Trudy Brundage
Gayle Carter
Wendy Duggan
Senneca Lewis
Michael Meyer
Ted Pattison
Curt & Michele Robb
Rick Webster

Van & Ellen Arnold
Miriam Bullock
Gay Darnell
Ross Grimm
John Luna
Tommy Neff
Rachel Peters
Bob Turner
Ron Woods

MaBelle Bowers
Mac & Ginny Canaga
Jimmy Dorroh
Tom Johnson
Bill Majure
Mary Nesbitt
Cindy Rawlings
Nancy Watling

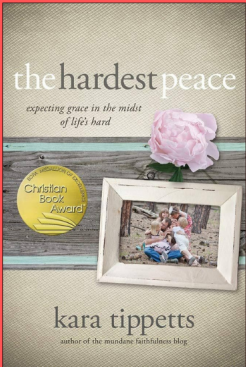
SHUT-INS/NURSING HOMES/ASSISTED LIVING

Trudy Brundage
Jim & Mayla Comeaux
Bruce Crook
Pat Finnegan
Ted & Sherry Gilbert

Mary Nesbitt
Gay O'Neil
Norma Seward
Chris Waldron
Cary White

MONDAYS, JUNE 16, 23, 30

WOMEN'S SUMMER BOOK CLUB - 6:30 PM




THE HARDEST PEACE
BY KARA TIPPETTS

FPCOS WOMEN'S SUMMER
BOOK CLUB

JUNE 16, 23, 30 | 6:30-7:30 PM | ROOM 201
CHILDCARE AVAILABLE UPON REQUEST
CALL 228.875.5326

CHAPTER SCHEDULE:
6/16: INTRO, CH. 1 & 2 | 6/23: CH. 3-5 | 6/30: CH. 6-8

A limited number of copies of **The Hardest Peace** are available for \$12 in both church offices. Or you may scan the QR code to purchase the book from Amazon.



BUY THE BOOK

FPCOS WOMEN'S SUMMER BOOK CLUB is back this June! We will meet on **Mondays, June 16, 23, and 30** from **6:30-7:30 PM** in **Room 201**.

We will be reading through *The Hardest Peace* by Kara Tippetts. Kara Tippetts knows the ordinary days of mothering four kids, the joy of watching her children grow ... and the devastating reality of stage-four cancer. In *The Hardest Peace*, Kara doesn't offer answers for when living is hard, but she asks us to join her in moving away from fear and control and toward peace and grace. Most of all, she draws us back to the God who is with us, in the mundane and the suffering, and who shapes even our pain into beauty.

In our "desert" experiences, what might it look like to live out an honest, yet deep faith? Through Kara's story, we'll be reminded that God is at work in each of our stories.

The chapter schedule is as follows: 6/16 - Intro, Ch. 1 & 2; 6/23 - Ch. 3-5; 6/30 - Ch. 6-8.

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***THERE IS ONE GOSPEL**

VERSE 1

There is one Gospel on which I stand
For all eternity
It is my story, my Father's plan
The Son has rescued me
Oh what a Gospel, oh what a peace
My highest joy and my deepest need
Now and forever He is my light
I stand in the Gospel of Jesus Christ

VERSE 2

There is one Gospel to which I cling
All else I count as loss
For there where justice
And mercy meet
He saved me on the cross
No more I boast in what I can bring
No more I carry the weight of sin
For He has brought me
From death to life
I stand in the Gospel of Jesus Christ

VERSE 3

There is one Gospel
Where hope is found
The empty tomb still speaks
For death could not
Keep my Savior down
He lives and I am free

Now on my Savior I fix my eyes
My life is His and His hope is mine
For he has promised I too will rise
I stand in the Gospel of Jesus Christ

VERSE 4

And in this Gospel the church is one
We do not walk alone
We have His Spirit as we press on
To lead us safely home
And when in glory still I will sing
Of this old story that rescued me
Praise to my Savior the King of life
I stand in the Gospel of Jesus Christ

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***MY WORTH IS NOT IN WHAT I OWN**

VERSE 1

My worth is not in what I own
Not in the strength of flesh and bone
But in the costly wounds of love
At the cross

VERSE 2

My worth is not in skill or name
In win or lose, in pride or shame
But in the blood of Christ that flowed
At the cross

CHORUS

And I rejoice in my redeemer
Greatest treasure wellspring of my soul
And I will trust in Him no other
My soul is satisfied in Him alone

VERSE 3

As summer flowers we fade and die
Fame youth and beauty hurry by
But life eternal calls to us
At the cross

***SHARING THE PEACE OF CHRIST**

Take some time to greet those around you in the peace and joy of the grace of God.

CHILDREN'S LESSON

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER & THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever. Amen.

VERSE 4

I will not boast in wealth or might
Or human wisdom's fleeting light
But I will boast in knowing Christ
At the cross

CHORUS (2X)

VERSE 5

Two wonders here that I confess
My worth and my unworthiness
My value fixed my ransom paid
At the cross

CHORUS

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My soul is satisfied in Him alone

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MONDAY, JUNE 2 - FRIDAY, JUNE 6
REGISTER NOW FOR VBS 2025



HAVE YOU REGISTERED YOUR CHILD FOR VBS 2025?

The Great Cosmic Rescue VBS 2025 will be held June 2-6 from 9 AM-12 PM at First Pres! Children ages 3-6th grade are invited (child must turn 3 by 6/2/25 and potty trained).

REGISTER NOW THROUGH SUNDAY, MAY 18!! Space is limited, so scan the QR code now to lock in your child's spot!

We are also bringing back FPC STEAM CAMP, an extended VBS day add-on! Limited spots are available. As always, VBS is FREE, but if you would like to add on FPC STEAM Camp, the cost is \$115/week (12-5 PM) and early-drop off for STEAM Campers only is \$60/week (8-9 AM).

LOOKING FOR WAYS TO HELP WITH VBS 2025?

To make this a great week for the kids, we need a lot of supplies for all the fun activities they will be doing. You can purchase items from our **AMAZON VBS WISH LIST** and have them sent directly to the church! Just scan the QR code above to find out what we need!

Our **VBS PREP WEEK** will be **May 27-30** from **9 AM-12 PM** each day. We will have **PLENTY** to do, so please consider dropping in and lending a hand that week!

THIS
WEEK
AT FPCOS

05/11/2025-05/17/2025

Sunday, 5/11

Youth Group - 5:30 PM - Fellowship Hall, Chapel, Harbor House

Monday, 5/12

Monday Women's Bible Study - 6:30 PM - Joanna Worch's House
(219 Washington Ave)

Wednesday, 5/14

Psalms in Bloom - 9:30 AM - Fellowship Hall, Room 201
FPCOS Choir Rehearsal - 6:30 PM - Choir Room

Thursday, 5/15

Middle School Prayer Breakfast - 7:00 AM - The Roberts' House
Praise Team Rehearsal - 5:30 PM - Sanctuary

Friday, 5/16

High School Prayer Breakfast - 7:15 AM - The Mullins' House

LOOKING FOR A
CLASS OR STUDY?
WANT TO VOLUNTEER?



SCAN ME

GET INVOLVED
AT FPCOS

MON-FRI, MAY 19-23
VOLUNTEER AT
THE LORD IS MY HELP



Our week to serve at **The Lord Is My Help** is **May 19-23**. Each day, we need 5 volunteers to assist with plating meals for Meals on Wheels and 4 volunteers to assist with serving meals. You must be 13 years of age or older to volunteer. **Can you give 45 minutes of your day to help those in need?** Scan the QR code to sign up.

OFFERING

Giving our tithe is one way we place our trust in the Lord. You may place your offering in the plate as it comes around, scan the QR code to give online or text GIVE or the amount you would like to give to 228-206-5391.



****I AM NOT MY OWN***

VERSE 1

The one who made the heavens
Made my heart and soul
Before I drew a breath
I was loved and known
I am His creation
The Maker's masterpiece
And all that He designs
Will be done in me

VERSE 2

My body is a temple
Of the Living God
I'll worship in this house
That His blood has bought
As I bear His image
O may I not profane
The holiness I hold
In this earthly frame

CHORUS

I belong to the Lord
O I am not my own
I belong to the Lord
I am not my own
I will honor Him
For this I know
I belong to the Lord
I am not my own

VERSE 3

And if He has redeemed me
I am not my own
The measure of my worth
Is His love alone
He declares my standing
And He declares my state
So I will know myself
By the name He gave

CHORUS

VERSE 4

I am not my own
And now my heart is free
O Maker come and make
What You will of me
There is nothing broken
That You cannot repair
So Lord I leave my life
In Your loving care

CHORUS (2X)

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I belong to the Lord, I am not my own

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SCRIPTURE READING

Colossians 3:1-10

*STATEMENT OF FAITH

Westminster Shorter Catechism Q and A 35

SERMON

The New Self

Rev. Scott Castleman

ELDER: Church, what is sanctification?

PEOPLE: Sanctification is the work of God’s free grace, whereby we are renewed in our whole person after the image of God, and are enabled more and more to die unto sin, and live unto righteousness.

THE LORD’S SUPPER

Prayer of Confession
Promise of Forgiveness
Words of Institution
Celebration of the Sacrament
Prayer of Commitment

*BENEDICTION

*ROCK OF AGES

VERSE 1

Rock of Ages cleft for me
Let me hide myself in thee
Let the water and the blood
From thy wounded side which flowed
Be of sin the double cure
Save from wrath and make me pure

Naked come to thee for dress
Helpless look to thee for grace
Foul I to the fountain fly
Wash me Savior or I die

VERSE 4

While I draw this fleeting breath
When mine eyes shall close in death
When I soar to worlds unknown
See thee on thy judgment throne
Rock of Ages cleft for me
Let me hide myself in thee

ENDING

Rock of Ages cleft for me
Let me hide myself in thee

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*DOXOLOGY

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heav’nly host; Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost! Amen.

VERSE 2

Not the labors of my hands
Can fulfill thy law’s demands
Could my zeal no respite know
Could my tears forever flow
All could never sin atone
Thou must save and thou alone

VERSE 3

Nothing in my hand I bring
Simply to the cross I cling