

For Our Guests & Members

Welcome!

To better serve our newcomers, we ask that guests please fill out a Visitor Card* located in the pews in the sanctuary and at the Connection Center in Schumann Hall. Cards may be placed in the offering trays or given to an usher or minister.

New Member Classes

Find out what we stand for, why we do things the way we do, and meet the ministers. Anyone interested in becoming a member of First Protestant Church should contact Mae Kraft, Volunteer Coordinator, at X52 in the church office.

God Answers Prayer

If you or someone you know needs prayer**, please fill out a Prayer Request Card* located in the pews in the sanctuary and at the Connection Center in Schumann Hall.

If you would like to be added to the E-mail please contact chuck@firstprotestant.com.

Parking Information

As a courtesy, we reserve the curbside parking on Coll St by the sanctuary and the drive-thru parking area by the school for the elderly, handicapped, or those who require assistance. There is always an Ambassador there to greet and offer assistance. Also, we discourage parking on the curbside in front of Seele Parish Hall for the safety of the children going in and out.

Media Outreach

All posters, flyers, or literature posted on the bulletin boards, Connection Centers, or distributed on church grounds must be approved by the church office. All requests for approval must be made by noon on Wednesdays to be posted by church staff on Fridays. Entries for the Sunday bulletin must also be submitted by noon on Tuesday for the upcoming Sunday.

Nursery

We offer a staffed nursery for age birth through 3 years old in the FP School area during the 9:00 and 10:30 Sunday morning services. Please see an usher for assistance.

Closed Doors, Open Arms

It is necessary to keep doors in all FPC buildings closed so that our AC/Heating systems will work properly. Please don't let these closed doors make you think you are not welcome! Everyone is welcome to stay comfortable at FPC!

*All info on Prayer & Visitor cards is kept confidential.

**There is no longer a local switchboard at Christus Santa Rosa-NB. All the calls are routed through San Antonio. Therefore it is IMPERATIVE that family, friends and loved ones call FPC church office or notify the pastors of any hospitalizations.

Have you liked FPC on FaceBook?
Follow the link at firstprotestant.com!

Mission Update

Did you get to meet them?

I thoroughly enjoyed GIC. It was enlightening and enjoyable to hear from the missionaries and discuss their vision for their respective ministries. My overall favorite was when we rotated from table to table and got time with each ministry, time to ask questions and get to know them on a more one to one basis. It was all such a blessing.



Contact: Renee Huckaby, Champion for Jonathan & Tatiana Ammon, Judea/Samaria Team rhuckaby@gmail.com
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I decided to get involved with the Shaneyfelt mission when Shawn Wimberly described what they were doing. They enhance the Wycliffe Bible Translators by bringing power systems into villages that have no electricity. The power systems that they install make it possible to use computers in the translation process. I am just getting to know them and have been added to their regular newsletter. We should pray that their ministry continues to grow and that the Word of God reaches more folks in the world.



Contact: Eric Marshall, Champion for Jon & Carol Shaneyfelt (Wycliffe Bible Translators) marshallt37@yahoo.com
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Women's Ministries
Brunch
Last Meeting before
Summer Break
Monday May 14, 2018
10:00 am - 12:00 noon
Home of Alice Boettger
President
Vintage Oaks
1619 Blush
New Braunfels, TX
281-787-4011
Come Hungry

The Band of Brothers will meet on May 15th at 6:30 pm at 2370 Brittany Grace and discuss Session 7 of: "Unfolding the Great Commission" covering Acts 19:21 - 28:31. Info: Rob Miller 210-573-5253.



There will be a Church Council Meeting on Thursday, May 17th at 5:30 in the church conference room.



"Hero Central" VBS coming to FPC!
June 3rd-7th, 6:00pm to 8:30pm.

We are still in need of **1 teacher** to be a part of our crew and be blessed this year!
VBS Volunteer Meeting...
material pick up and decorating both May 23rd and May 30th, starting at 6pm.
(Will work 'til we be tired.)

Youth invited! Pizza will be provided!

To Sign-up go to:

www.myvbs.org/herofpc

or call Denise Martin at

830-832-8937 or 830-609-7729 X26.



Youth Group: meet this Wednesday from 6-8:30pm at Landa Park for our end-of-year celebration.

Student Leader Meeting: this Saturday we will be going to see a movie. Time will be texted to you later this week.

Merge Sunday: 6th-12th graders, join us this summer as we talk about what it means to be God-fearing.

Mission Team: Mission trip meeting, students only, next Sunday 12-2pm. Bring your own lunch.

This Week



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CHURCH OF NEW BRAUNFELS

**Sunday 5/13/18 ~2 Corinthians 1:3-11;
John 17:6-19**

9:00 am Traditional Worship - Sanctuary
Merge Sunday - Merge Room
Sons & Daughters SS -Seele Parish Hall
Faithful Servants - Bride's Room
Kingdom Seekers - Handbell Room
10:30 am Traditional Worship - Sanctuary
Contemporary Worship - Schumann Hall
Sons & Daughters Children's Church- Seele

**Monday 5/14/18 ~Psalm 65:1-8; Numbers 5;
Mark 10:46-52**

10:00 am Women's Ministries' Monthly Mtg
6:00 pm BSF Men's Bible Study - Sanctuary

**Tuesday 5/15/18~ Psalm 65:9-13; Numbers 6;
Mark 11:1-11**

10:00 am Tuesday Women's Bible Study - Conf.Room
2:00 pm Moms In Prayer - Conference Rm
5:00 pm Board of Finance Mtg - Conference Rm
6:30 pm Band of Brothers - Challenner Home

**Wednesday 5/16/18 ~ Psalm 66:1-7;
Numbers 7:1-35; Mark 11:12-26**

9:00 am Flying Fingers - Mae's Office
6:00 pm Handbell Rehearsal - Handbell Room
Merge Wednesday- Landa Park
Sons & Daughters Wednesday - Landa Park

**Thursday 5/17/18~ Psalm 66:8-15;
Numbers 7:36-71; Mark 11:27-12:12**

5:30 pm Church Council Mtg - Conference Rm.

**Friday 5/18/18~ Psalm 66:16-20;
Numbers 7:72-8:4; Mark 12:13-17**

**Saturday 5/19/18 ~ Psalm 67; Numbers 8:5-9:14;
Mark 12:18-34**

TBA Student Leader Mtg - Church

Sunday 5/20/18 ~ Acts 2:1-8; Joshua 3

9:00 am Traditional Worship - Sanctuary
Sons & Daughters SS - Seele Parish Hall
Merge Sunday - Merge Room
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12:00 pm Merge Mission Trip Mtg - Merge Room



6 "I have revealed you[a] to the ones you gave me from this world. They were always yours. You gave them to me, and they have kept your word. 7 Now they know that everything I have is a gift from you, 8 for I have passed on to them the message you gave me. They accepted it and know that I came from you, and they believe you sent me.

9 "My prayer is not for the world, but for those you have given me, because they belong to you. 10 All who are mine belong to you, and you have given them to me, so they bring me glory. 11 Now I am departing from the world; they are staying in this world, but I am coming to you. Holy Father, you have given me your name;[b] now protect them by the power of your name so that they will be united just as we are. 12 During my time here, I protected them by the power of the name you gave me.[c] I guarded them so that not one was lost, except the one headed for destruction, as the Scriptures foretold.

13 "Now I am coming to you. I told them many things while I was with them in this world so they would be filled with my joy. 14 I have given them your word. And the world hates them because they do not belong to the world, just as I do not belong to the world. 15 I'm not asking you to take them out of the world, but to keep them safe from the evil one. 16 They do not belong to this world any more than I do. 17 Make them holy by your truth; teach them your word, which is truth. 18 Just as you sent me into the world, I am sending them into the world. 19 And I give myself as a holy sacrifice for them so they can be made holy by your truth.

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This Sunday

Prayer partners and the prayer bench are available for personal prayer at any time during the worship service.

Sunday May 20, 2018 Pentecost Sunday

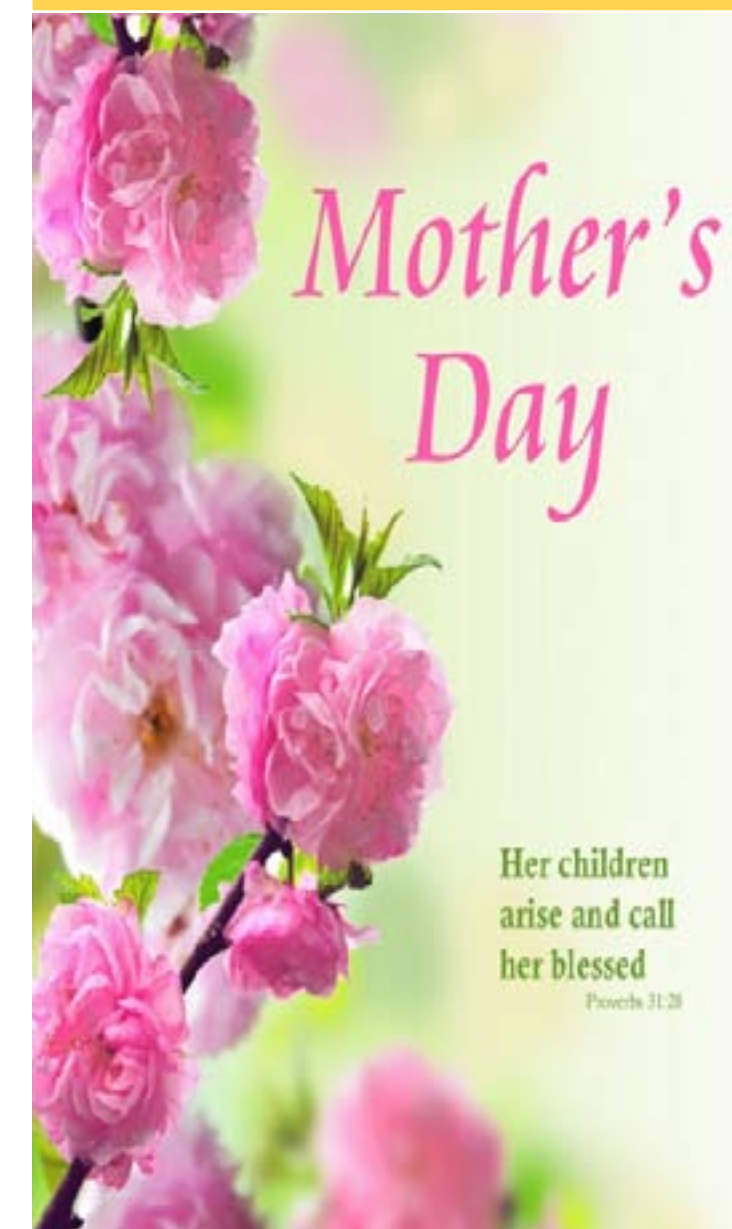
Traditional
"A POWERFUL WIND
FROM GOD!"
Rev. Daryl Higgins
Acts 2:1-8

Contemporary
"THE ARK LEADS
THE WAY"
Rev. Phil Brown
Joshua 3



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May 13, 2018
Contemporary Service
10:30 am



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And Jesus Christ is Lord
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