

Looking Ahead

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BEAUTIFY EASTER WORSHIP BY SPONSORING AN EASTER LILY
ORDER A PLANT IN MEMORY OR IN HONOR OF SOMEONE
THEY WILL BE PLACED IN THE SANCTUARY FOR EASTER
AND CAN BE PICKED UP AFTER THE SERVICES.

YOUR NAME: _____

PHONE #: _____

IN MEMORY OF: _____

IN HONOR OF: _____

Easter Lily

Rise up and build!

\$7M
\$6M
\$5M
\$4M
\$3M
\$2M
\$1M

Steering Committee Report
Launching Phase 2

**Seele 100+
Renovation**

Join us at the brunch for an
update and call to action!

'God's people rose up and
built, everyone lending a hand'

RVK
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General Contractors

WILD at HEART

Who: A "get real" getaway & recalibration for men
When: Thur, Apr 9th (6pm) thru Sun, Apr 12th (noon)
Where: Camp Eagle (6424 Hackberry, Rocksprings, TX)
Cost: \$200/person (scholarships available)
Next steps: Pray about it. Questions? Reach out:
Sign-up: rodney@midtexoil.com

Rodney: 830-708-8101
Danny: 210-473-6914
Chris: 830-560-0262
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**FPC FAMILY
SUMMER CAMP**

JULY 19-22, 2026

LOST PINES CAMP

**THEME: ABOUNDING IN MERCY
GOD'S FORGIVENESS & GRACE IN DAILY LIFE**

**VISION: TO UNPLUG, RELAX AND WORSHIP IN A NATURAL SETTING
WITH THE FPC CHURCH FAMILY - FOR ALL AGES,
ENJOY FELLOWSHIP, FUN, BIBLE TEACHING AND SERVICE.**

WHAT TO EXPECT:
A restful reconnection with one another and the God of all mercy.
(Exodus 34:6-7, 1 Peter 1:3)

Sunday School Groups

- Sundays, 8:45am – TryPraying Churchwide Prayer Meeting**
Meet in the Office Lobby (2nd Floor above Well Lobby)
- Sundays, 9:30am – Adult Sunday School Class:**
*River Rats (Heritage 1st floor) – Rodney Fischer
- Sundays, 9:30am – Kids & Youth Sunday Classes:**
*Middle & High School (Bormann Room) – Jodi Butler & Adam Burroughs
*Children's Program (The Well) – Lydia Keuer
- Sundays, 11:00am – Adult Sunday School Classes:**
*Faithful Servants (Heritage upstairs) – Lynn Herr
*Legacy Builders (Heritage main level) – Celeste Salge
*Kingdom Seekers/C.A.L.M. (Heritage upstairs) – Wayne, Chris & Kristi
*Kids' Music & Arts Activities (The Well) – Kirsten Boyd

Mid Week Groups

- Band of Brothers (B.o.B.s) – Chris Beabout – 830-560-0262**
Meets 1st and 3rd Tuesdays of month, 6:30-8:30PM in the Well. Open to men.
- Tuesday AM Women's Bible Study**
Every Tues. morning at 10am in the church office, for all women seeking to grow.
- Tuesday Night Women's Bible Study Group** meets at 6:45pm off campus at the home of Sue Saur. Light supper. sue@firstprotestant.com
- Flying Fingers (Heritage House) – Sally Voges 830-708-8707**
Wednesday 9:00am in Heritage House – sewing, quilting, fellowship & more!

Home Groups

Susan and Tim Thomas – Wednesdays, 6:30pm timcthomas84@gmail.com

Flower announcements in our church bulletin are dedications that are given in honor or memory of someone or some special occasion. They can be given to celebrate an anniversary, baptism, birthday, or other special occasions. Visit the flower calendar in Schumann Hall or call the church office. 830-609-7729 x110

Today

The Altar Flowers are dedicated to the faithful volunteers in our children's ministry – for their creativity, love and weekly commitment!

Today's radio broadcast will be on a one week delay on AM1420 & 103.1FM, Sunday at 10:30AM.



**FIRST PROTESTANT
CHURCH OF NEW BRAUNFELS**

172 W. Coll Street, New Braunfels, TX 78130
(830) 609-7729
"A spiritual home in the heart of the city"

*March 29, 2026
First Service - 9:30 a.m.*



Sermon Notes

Today's Message -

Divided by Peace

Prelude
FPC Children's Handbell Choir

Scripture Reading of Jesus' Triumphal Entry – Luke 19:28-42
Rev. Andrew Keuer, Senior Minister

Hosanna Processional
"Hosanna" by O'Brien
The congregation is invited to sing the Chorus (after each of the 5 verses):
Hosanna, Hosanna, Hosanna in the highest!
Hosanna, Hosanna, Hosanna in the highest!

Anthem
"Hosanna, Loud Hosanna" arr. S. R. Love
FPC Choir & Children's Choir, with Dan Orban & Stewart Pickard, trumpet

Welcome – Rev. Andrew Keuer

***Hymn #249 – All Glory Laud and Honor**

***The Apostle's Creed**

I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ, His only begotten Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead and buried. He descended into hell; the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father, Almighty; from whence He shall come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the One Holy Universal Christian Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body and the life everlasting. Amen.

***Kyrie**

The congregation is invited to sing along on the words:
Kyrie Eleison, Lord Have Mercy
Christe Eleison, Christ Have Mercy

Service of Prayer & Lord's Prayer – Kai Burroughs

Hymn #374 – Rejoice, the Lord is King!

Gospel Reading: Luke 23:26-31, 35-37, 47-49, page 748

Epistle Reading: Ephesians 4:1-6, page 828
Mary Anne Anderson

Sermon

Stations of Peace, part 7: "Divided by Peace"

Offertory

"In the Garden/What a Friend We Have in Jesus" by B. Adams
Dan Orban trumpet

***Doxology #382 and Prayer of Thanksgiving**

***Hymn #248 – Hosanna, Loud Hosanna**

***Blessing and Postlude**

***Denotes when to please stand, if able**

Holy Week Opportunities

Easter Music Offering

Consider making a special gift to help with the extra worship opportunities during this Lenten season. These offerings can be made in thanksgiving or in memory of someone, and those names will be listed in our special Easter Sunday bulletins.

Please use the tear out below designating your gift for special Easter Music & place in the offering. Or donate online and designate the gifts to music, adding the names for your memorial or thanksgiving in the notes section online. Gifts will be listed with both the name of the memorial or thanksgiving and the name of the giver(s). Each gift is greatly appreciated and will be recorded on your giving record at First Protestant.

All thanksgivings and/or memorials received by Monday, March 23 will be included in our Easter bulletins.

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MEMORIAL THANKSGIVING \$ _____ Amount of Gift

In the Name of: _____

Given by: _____

Please print clearly — if no name is provided, gifts will be listed "To the Glory of God" with the giver's name.

WEDNESDAY **STOP** **WEDNESDAY, APRIL 1 - MEAL & YOUTH & ADULT CLASSES ON BREAK**

Holy Week 2026

JUMPSTART IS ON!
(BASKETBALL) - 6:15PM

All Classes Resume Wed, April 8th

FAMILY NIGHT

FIRST PROTESTANT CHURCH OF NEW BRAUNFELS
172 W. Coll St New Braunfels 78130

Easter Sunday **APRIL 5, 2026**

8:00AM Sunrise Service
In the Courtyard

9:30AM Traditional Service
In the Sanctuary

10:45AM Butterfly Release
In the Courtyard

11:00AM Contemporary Service
In the Sanctuary

NO CHILDREN'S SUNDAY SCHOOL

Daily Prayer - Holy Week - 11AM to 1PM

Open For Prayer

Use Your Palm Branch to Make a Palm Cross!

- Holding a palm strip fold the widest end in a loop.
- Bend the thin end of the palm to the right, ceasing a diagonal line.
- Fold the palm behind the cross. Secure the center with staple.
- Wrap the remainder of the palm over the top-right angle of the cross, bringing it straight across the back and over the top-left angle to the front. Cross it diagonally to the bottom-right corner.
- Weave the small remaining piece in the back under loops and tie it off. If needed, you can use another staple or a drop of glue.
- You can add ribbon or flower.



To find notes and discussion questions on this week's and previous week's sermons, click on the QR code to the right or go to firstprotestant.com/sermon-study/. New material posted weekly, at noon on Monday.

Reframedministry.com is the radio & online ministry of Rev. Dr. Andrew Keuer, Senior Minister of First Protestant Church, offering devotionals and resources to help you reframe your life in the words, Spirit and kingdom of Jesus Christ.

Requiem, opus 9
by Maurice Duruflé
First Protestant Choir with Orchestra

Maundy Thursday, April 2, 2026
7:00 pm - Sanctuary

A Service of Tenebrae

Drawing musical inspiration from ancient Gregorian chant and the rich harmonies of French Impressionism, Maurice Duruflé's setting of the Requiem moves not toward despair, but toward quiet hope and light. On the night we remember the Last Supper and Christ's journey to the cross, this music invites us to reflect on life, death, and the promise of eternal glory in Christ.

FPC's Fourth Annual GOOD FRIDAY PASSOVER MEAL & CROSS WALK

HAPPY PASSOVER

6:30PM in Schumann Hall
Friday, April 3rd

Adults & kids of all ages are welcome — and bring a friend!
Sign up through church office.