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Today's Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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Check here if the above information is new.

**CHECK ONE:**

8:15 A.M.       10:45 A.M.

**CHECK ONE:**

- First Time Guest
- Regular Attendee
- Member
- I have a prayer request on the reverse side.

Place this card in the offering plate.

**Weekly Calendar...October 8 through October 14**

<b>Sunday</b>	Traditional Worship Services, Sanctuary*	8:15 & 10:45 a.m.
	Adults, Student & First Kids, Vine Ministry Hour**	9:30 a.m.
	Community Feast, Jeffords Center	10:30 a.m.
	"ThePoint", Contemporary, Jeffords Center*	11:00 a.m.
	Sanctuary Ringers, Handbell Room	6:00-8:30 p.m.
<b>Monday</b>	Prayer Group, Parlor	5:45 p.m.
<b>Tuesday</b>	Romeos, (Men's Breakfast), IHop	8:00 a.m.
<b>Wednesday</b>	Knitting Ministry, Parlor	10:45-2:00 p.m.
	First Kid's Choir, Chapel	6:15-6:55 p.m.
	O4G Mid-Week Gathering, Do. Co. High	6:30-8:30 p.m.
	Wednesday Night Activities	7:00-8:00 p.m.
	Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal, Choir Room	7:00-8:30 p.m.
<b>Thursday</b>	Men's Bible Study, Room 201	7:30-8:30 a.m.
	Women's Bible Study, Chapel	9:45-12:00 p.m.

\*Childcare Provided  
+More Information for classes in our respective brochures

**Previous Week's Giving and Attendance**

<b>Weekly Income</b>	Budget: \$28,166	Actual: \$29,526
<b>Y-T-D Income</b>	Budget: \$1,154,806	Actual: \$956,761
<b>Mortgage Debt</b>	Balance: \$374,486	Gifts Received: -0-
<b>Attendance</b>	Classes: 239	Worship: 368



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**October 8, 2017**  
**Psalm 139:1-18**

**"7 Questions We All Need to Ask:  
How do I know I am valuable?"**

**Welcome Visitors!** Please visit the Welcome Center to receive a gift and have your questions answered to make your experience here more gratifying. Please fill out the tear-off Connection Card on the left and place it in the offering plate.

**Members:** Login to Church Website to use Member Connect to update contact information. Members please fill out the tear-off Connection Card on the left and place it in the offering plate to log your worship attendance.

**Church Nursery:** Nursery/Child Care is available during the worship hours for birth through kindergarten with separate rooms for each age. Please ask an usher if you need help in finding the Christian Education Building, lower level.

**Hearing Impaired:** Hearing Assistance Devices for the Sanctuary worship services are available upon request at the Welcome Center.

**Adults and Children with Special Needs:** If you are here and would like to talk with someone about assistance during The Vine or worship services please let someone at the Welcome Center know or contact Kirsten Lee, 404-422-0435 or email [kirstenblee@yahoo.com](mailto:kirstenblee@yahoo.com).

## WE CARE...

- Flowers are placed today in memory of Kyle Lee from Becky Lee.

## WE INVITE...

- **CONNECT Church-wide Feast**  
**Sunday, October 15, 6 p.m.**  
Plan to attend this great opportunity for fellowship and connecting with friends and others in our Church family. We will have a catered BBQ meal. If you would like to bring a dessert, please contact Sarah Dickinson. If you did not already sign up by letting a Connect Host know at the September Dinner, please put a tally mark for each person attending on the big whiteboards in the Narthex and Jeffords Center.
- **New Members Class**  
**October 15, 22, and 29 at 9:30 a.m.**  
If you have been attending for a while and want to take the next step to get involved in the life of our Church family, plan to attend this three-week class where you'll learn about our Church, our denomination, and how you can get connected. Contact Sarah Dickinson to register and for more information ([sarah@fpcdouglasville.org](mailto:sarah@fpcdouglasville.org)).
- **Annual Harvest Festival/Trunk-or-Treat**  
**Wednesday, October 25, 6:30-8:30 P.M.; Back Parking Lot**  
Children ages 5<sup>th</sup> grade and younger are invited to dress in costume, play carnival games and Trunk-or-Treat. Hot dogs, popcorn, bouncy house and hayride are also part of the fun!
  - **Wrapped candy treat donations** are requested by October 22. Baskets located: Mission Hall and Jeffords Center
  - **Cake Walk treats** packaged in small quantities may be brought to the church office or Jeffords Center on the day of the event: ½ dozen cookies or cupcakes, mini-cakes, cupcakes, muffins, Little Debbie snacks, etc.
  - Please contact Mindy McDonald, [mindymcdonald15@gmail.com](mailto:mindymcdonald15@gmail.com) or 770-500-2803 to **volunteer** for assisting with a game or to **host** a decorated trunk.
- **Georgia Presbyterian Pilgrimage**  
**November 2-5, 2017; White Columns at Kingston, GA**  
Presbyterian Pilgrimage is a unique 3 day experience. Come be refreshed and renewed! Brochures and online registration available!  
[www.georgiapresbyterianpilgrimage.com](http://www.georgiapresbyterianpilgrimage.com).

## WE GROW...

- **O4G Student Ministries**  
**Wednesday, October 11, 6:30-8:30 p.m.**  
**Field of Faith, FCA, Douglas County High School Football Stadium**  
O4G students will not have its regular Midweek Gathering this week in the Student Center. Instead, students are to be dropped off and picked up at Douglas County High School. Make sure they check in with Tommy-Lee at the football stadium entrance.
- **First Kids Communion Preparation Class**  
**Sundays, October 15 and 22; 2:00-3:30 p.m.**  
The fall Communion Preparation Class for children and parents will meet October 15 and October 22, from 2:00-3:30 p.m. Hands-on activities, instruction and discussion help children begin to develop a knowledge of the two sacraments we celebrate in our church: Baptism and communion. Please contact Judy to register attendance:  
[judy@fpcdouglasville.org](mailto:judy@fpcdouglasville.org)

## WE SERVE

- **Men Needed to Read to Students at Eastside Elementary School**  
**Friday, November 3, between 9 and 1 p.m., Eastside Elementary**  
The school is asking men to volunteer to read to students. You can bring your own book to read or the school can provide one from their library. Come when you are able that morning. Contact Pastor Andrew if you are able to help: [andrew@fpcdouglasville.org](mailto:andrew@fpcdouglasville.org).

### GENEROSITY SPOTLIGHT—FIRST PRESENCE

**How does God use our financial generosity towards the church? Consider First Presence:** First Presence is our annual community service day where we seek to mobilize the whole church to get involved in multiple community service projects. This year we contributed over \$4000 on six different projects. We participated in Eastside Elementary's Fall Festival, sponsoring students who ordinarily could not afford tickets to this event, gave out candy and assisted with games. We helped with pick-up and delivery of furniture and appliances for needy residents in our community in partnership with Faith in Action. We provided fruit and cookie baskets for our Emergency Room, Fire and Police Departments (700+ people) to thank them for their service to our community. Old picnic benches and neon lights were replaced at the SHARE House, stairs were painted and a parking lot was pressure washed and demarcated. We sang to residents at Grace Assisted Living and served and prayed with over 100 people at The Pantry, a local food bank. Thanks to the 75+ people who participated in this year's event! #lovedouglasco. **That's how God multiplies our gifts to change hearts and transform lives.**

Today's Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you or someone you know in need of prayer or have a praise?

- Keep this request confidential within the pastoral staff.
- Publish request on blue prayer sheet.

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