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Check here if the above information is new.

**CHECK ONE:**

8:15 A.M.    10:45 A.M.    11:00 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--September 23-September 29*

<b>Sunday</b>	Traditional Worship Services, Sanctuary*	8:15 & 10:45 a.m.
	Adult, Student & First Kids Vine Ministry Hour**	9:30 a.m.
	<i>Community Feast</i> , Jeffords Center	10:30 a.m.
	"ThePoint" Contemporary, Jeffords Center*	11:00 a.m.
	First Kids, Communion Prep Class	2:00 p.m.
	Sanctuary Ringers, Bell Room	6:00 p.m.
<b>Monday</b>	Prayer Group, Parlor	5:45 p.m.
<b>Tuesday</b>	Romeos, IHOP Restaurant	8:00 a.m.
<b>Wednesday</b>	Knitting Ministry, Parlor	10:45 a.m.
	First Kids Choir, Chapel	6:15-6:55 p.m.
	Student Ministry, O4G	6:30-8:00 p.m.
	Adult & First Kids Activities	7:00-8:00 p.m.
	Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal, Choir Room	7:00-8:30 p.m.
<b>Thursday</b>	Thursday Women's Bible Study, Chapel	9:45 a.m.

*\*Childcare Provided*

*\*\*More Information for classes in our respective brochures*

*Previous Week's Giving and Attendance*

<b>Weekly Income</b>	Budget:           \$28,373	Actual:           \$23,005
<b>Y-T-D Income</b>	Budget:           \$1,021,318	Actual:           \$845,564
<b>Mortgage Debt</b>	Balance:          \$315,369	Gifts Received:   -0-
<b>Attendance</b>	Classes:           174	Worship:          328

Text giving is now available. Text a dollar amount, with no dollar sign (e.g. 100) to 678-364-7336. (This is a new number)



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**September 23, 2018**  
**"For God: Knowing The God Who Is For You"**  
**2 Timothy 1:3-14**

**Visitors and Members:** Please fill out the tear-off Connection Card inside the bulletin and place it in the offering plate. Visitors, if you wish to receive our newsletter, please provide your email address. Members please use the form to provide any change in your address, phones, email address or contact information.

**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 Assisting Devices are available on the table in the Narthex to the right of the sanctuary. Feel free to use and return the device at the end of the service.

**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...

- First Presbyterian is a Stephen Ministry Church **Bear one another's burdens, and so fulfill the law of Christ.** (Galatians 6:2). Our Stephen Ministers provide high-quality, confidential, Christ-centered care to those in our community who are hurting. Contact: Linnea Osborne for more information, 404.617.5069; [linneaoz@att.net](mailto:linneaoz@att.net). Or visit Information Station in the Narthex today.
- End of Life Planning Class  
**Sunday, October 7, 9:30-10:30 a.m., Sanctuary**  
We never know when God will call us home. You can, however, be prepared for it when the time comes. Pastors' presentations will cover topics like advance directives, writing a will, and planning a funeral versus a memorial service (burial vs cremation).

## WE INVITE...

- Sanctuary Ringers-Handbell Choir  
**Sundays, 6:00-7:30 p.m., Bell Room**  
Sanctuary Ringers are looking for people who have an interest in music to ring with the bell choir. Now is a great time to join the fun as we are starting Christmas music in addition to other songs for regular services. Some music reading experience will help but is not necessary. The Sanctuary ring during the traditional services on pre-planned dates, as well as for the Christmas concert and Lessons and Carols.

## WE WORSHIP...

- Worship Benefit @ the Carrollton AMP  
**Sunday, September 30, 6 p.m.**  
FPC continues its mission of expanding the gospel in west Georgia as The Point Worship Experience returns to the AMP. Invite friends and family for an uplifting evening of music, mission, and message! \*Bring lawn chairs/blankets as the AMP has no permanent seating.
- Combined Worship Service  
**Sunday, October 14, 2018, 11 a.m.**  
In response to multiple requests for occasionally combining the 10:45 and 11 a.m. services, we are going to experiment with four opportunities over the next year. The first combined service will be Sunday, October 14 in the Jeffords Center to enjoy listening to the pastor of a church we support in Egypt, Pastor Emad Shawky, from the Evangelical Church of Sohag, Egypt. *Traditional service at 8:15 a.m. will remain the same.*

## WE GROW...

- **Wednesday Night Activities:**
  - First Kids activities**
    - 6:15-6:55 p.m.-First Kids Choir will meet in the Chapel
    - 7 to 8 p.m.-First Kid activities in the Lower CE Building
  - Student Ministry, Student Center**
    - 6:30-8:00 p.m.
  - Adults, 7 to 8 p.m.**
    - Pastor James and Pastor Andrew will be leading a study on the book, "Miracles" by Eric Metaxas in the Conference Room.
    - Dusty Cantrell will be leading the Men's Bible study on the *Book of Malachi* in Room 206.

## WE SERVE...

- Fun Night Out  
**Saturday, September 29, 6-8 p.m., Student Center**  
#LoveDouglasCo is in full effect here as we host our friends with special needs for pizza, games, music, and fun! We had over 80 guests at our last event in March. Volunteer for this event to serve Christ and our local community as we provide friendship and acceptance, and respite for their caregivers. Email Huggins ([ahuggins@fpcdouglasville.org](mailto:ahuggins@fpcdouglasville.org)) to let him know you and your family are coming to party!
- Interested in Going to Haiti Next Summer?  
**Deadline to sign up: October 14, 2018**  
We will be taking a group to Haiti to do construction work the week of June 8 through June 15, 2019 with our partners, Haiti Outreach Ministries (HOM). If you are interested in finding out more, contact Pastor Andrew for further details. The deadline is October 14, as we will need to purchase airline tickets shortly after this to get the best pricing. Go to our church website for the link to register your interest. [www.fpcdouglasville.org](http://www.fpcdouglasville.org) or Pastor Andrew: [andrew@fpcdouglasville.org](mailto:andrew@fpcdouglasville.org).

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.

Requested by: \_\_\_\_\_

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