

We welcome you to Faith Des Peres for worship!

Following the Closing Voluntary please join us for refreshments
in the Gathering Space at the front of the church.

Remember in Prayers:

Joanna Gerst Jasmine Reece
Toy & Jerry Kircher Sam Taylor
Mallorie and Mackenzie Prophete

With Appreciation to:

Dianne Modrell, Katy Spears,
and Keith & Randi Weber
worship team
Leslie Barnes, *refreshments*

The flowers today are given by Elizabeth Pribor and Don Emery
in celebration of Gwen's 13th birthday.

Rally Day is September 8

Sign up today in the Gathering Space!

Everything kicks into high gear on Sunday, September 8 with
Sunday School for children and youth at 10:45 am and the Adult
Discussion Group for adults at 9:00 am. Afterwards there will be a
picnic lunch and games. There is fun for everyone!

Hot dogs, beverages and ice cream will be provided. Your donation
of a side dish, salad, or chips would be appreciated. Let us know if
you plan to attend the lunch and -- if you can -- lend a hand.
Volunteers are needed to help set-up or clean-up or help with
games.

Older & Wiser Lunch today

Everyone is welcome to lunch together following worship. Join us
at Brio's Restaurant at Clayton and Lindbergh. No RSVP is needed.
Everyone is welcome. See Barb Wright if you have questions.

**Presbyterian Women Bible Study and Fellowship
begins August 28.**

All women of the church are welcome to join us at 9:30 a.m. in the
Narthex. This year's study is "An Abiding Hope: The Presence of
God in Exodus and Deuteronomy." Books are in. See Joanna
Gerst for a book if you would like to join the study.

Worship next Sunday will be at our old stone church!

In keeping with tradition, our worship over the Labor Day Weekend will be held at the Old Meeting House on Geyer Road. The church is about 1 mile south of Clayton Road. Invite friends to worship with us. The historic building was built in 1834! The service will be casual and family-friendly. Parking is available along side streets near the church. Plenty of cool AC but no bathrooms in the one-room church so plan ahead.

Choir Rehearsals Resume

The choir will resume rehearsing for our role as leaders of worship through music on August 28 at 7:30 p.m. The choir will explore a wide variety of music this year — some gospel songs, some pieces by classical composers, settings of beloved hymn texts and scriptural texts, and more. Plans for Advent and Lenten cantatas are in the making, and the choir will lead in a hymn festival when the new hymnals arrive this fall.

The choir would gladly welcome anyone who would like to join us. Just come to rehearsal on August 28 or any Wednesday following if you would like to participate.

TNTs (Twenties and Thirties-Plus group)

TNTs are going to dinner on Friday, September 13. Childcare available at the church beginning at 6:30, dinner at 7:00 at Bricktops. E-mail Beth Willock if going. Beth.A.Willock@efleets.com

Tai Chi resumes at Faith Des Peres on Monday, September 9

The Peace in Motion tai chi class will begin a brand new session on Monday evenings at 5:30 pm, beginning September 9th. Tai Chi is a gentle form of both exercise and relaxation. Proven benefits are improved balance, improved immunity, improved joint flexibility, increased strength, decreased blood pressure, reduced stress and much more! Classes are \$5/person, pay as you go. All levels of fitness are accommodated.

Tai Chi connects the mind, the body and the spirit for a refreshing hour of peace. Contact instructor Susan Marting if you have any questions at 314-609-9091. Otherwise, we'll see you in the Gathering Space on Monday, Sept 9th! Bring a friend!