

# FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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## CHURCH NEWS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR AUGUST

**JANE LIVINGSTON IS TURNING 30! Thirty years in music ministry at FPCNE that is! Help us celebrate and thank Jane for her years of service at a special coffee hour on September 10 following worship.**

**WE WILL BE STARTING UP OUR CHANCEL AND BELL CHOIR REHEARSALS ON THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 14.** We need both men and women, both singers and ringers! Singing or ringing in choir is really a lot of fun, doesn't require a big time commitment, and is a great way to serve the church. Bell Choir practice is held on Thursdays at 6:00 PM, followed by Chancel Choir at 7:00 PM. Speak with Jane Livingston if you have questions or for more info.

**JOIN OUR E-PRAYER CHAIN.** Speak with Pastor Gregg or email Jane Livingston at [jlivingston@neo.rr.com](mailto:jlivingston@neo.rr.com) to be added.

**PLEASE SIGN UP TO HOST COFFEE HOUR.** All you need to do is make the coffee and drinks, set out the necessary supplies and "host." The sign-up sheet is in the Assembly Room.

**IF YOU'D LIKE TO PROVIDE FLOWERS FOR OUR CHANCEL IN HONOR OR MEMORY OF A LOVED ONE OR OCCASION,** the sign-up sheet is located on the bulletin board by the church office. Please email Jane ([jlivingston@neo.rr.com](mailto:jlivingston@neo.rr.com)) with bulletin details.

**HELP SUPPORT OUR CLOTHING MINISTRY.** Please consider donating your gently used winter clothing to the clothing ministry. We need winter clothing for men, women, and children of all ages. You can place your donations in the Assembly Room or send to the church and we'll put them to very good use!

**IF YOU HAVE A PRAYER REQUEST, JOY OR CONCERN TO SHARE,** please speak with Pastor Gregg or call/text his cell phone at (814) 460-3123. You can also email our prayer chain at [jlivingston@neo.rr.com](mailto:jlivingston@neo.rr.com) or text Jane Livingston at (814) 504-1135.

**PLEASE SUBMIT ALL BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS by Wednesdays. Please email Pastor Gregg or Jane.**

## OFFERING OUR TENTH & GIFTS BEYOND

1. Place your envelopes in the plates/baskets that will be available in Gibson Park.
2. Send your financial support via the USPS to 25 West Main Street, North East PA 16428.
3. Contact the Pastor Gregg (814-460-3123) and he will connect you with Dave Poor, our church treasurer, to set up direct deposit.
4. Give through PayPal at [paypal.me/fpcne](https://paypal.me/fpcne). Or scan the QR code with your phone camera to go right to the church's Paypal account.



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### OUR MISSION: MAKING DEVOTED FOLLOWERS OF JESUS.

Jesus said, "Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything that I have commanded you." (See Matthew 28:18-20)

#### To complete our mission, we have six goals. We are seeking to:

1. Share the good news of what God has done, is doing, and shall do through Jesus.
  2. Care for, encourage, and support all of God's children.
  3. Worship God properly and habitually.
  4. Maintain the truth of God's unchanging, life-giving Word in a world of mixed-up and misguided messages.
  5. Stand up for what is right in God's sight and against what is harmful or evil.
  6. Live in the world as citizens of God's Kingdom and servants of Jesus in every area of our lives.
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### CONTACT INFO YOU MIGHT NEED

- Contact Pastor Gregg anytime at (814) 460-3123 (call or text) and [pastortownsend@yahoo.com](mailto:pastortownsend@yahoo.com).
- Contact music director Jane Livingston at (814) 504-1135 (call or text) and [jlivingston@neo.rr.com](mailto:jlivingston@neo.rr.com).