



# The Trumpet

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## *From the Pastor's Desk*

Dear brothers and sisters in Christ,


I thought I would begin 2023 with the first question and answer of the Heidelberg Catechism.

Q1. What is your only comfort, in life and in death?

- A. That I belong—body and soul, in life and in death—not to myself but to my faithful Savior, Jesus Christ. At the cost of his own blood he has fully paid for all my sins and has completely freed me from the dominion of the devil. He protects me so well that without the will of my Father in heaven not a hair can fall from my head. Indeed, everything must fit his purpose for my salvation. Therefore, by his Holy Spirit, he also assures me of eternal life, and makes me wholeheartedly willing and ready from now on to live for him.

*Q. What is your only comfort in life and in death?*

*A. That I am not my own, but belong - body and soul, in life and death - to my faithful SAVIOR, JESUS CHRIST.*



**HEIDELBERG CATECHISM Q&A 1**

This is such good news to share. “I belong.” How powerful is that understanding. We are not alone; and we have not been left alone. It is both comforting and compelling to know that God has taken the initiative to claim me as his own. God values *me* and has taken action to draw me to himself. I am – at all times – in relationship with God, who loves me. I matter to God.

The reason why I am focusing on this essential truth is because there is an overwhelming reality in the broken world that we are all alone. Not only are we told that we are alone and responsible for ourselves, we are acting into that truth by our behavior.

A recent study revealed that Americans 15 years old and older are spending significantly more time alone than they did ten years ago. The amount of time spent with friends and companions each week decreased by about 4-5 hours; the amount of time spent by themselves each week increased by 9 hours. The trend *pre-dated* the pandemic. And, although young people are going to deal with the chronic effects of this trend, the data shows that the isolation pattern is consistent across all ages.

The amount teens have face-to-face interactions with others has dropped consistently since 1970, but precipitously since 2010. The reports of loneliness and mental health issues has increased in correlation, jumping up dramatically since 2010. There is a growing sense of isolation, loneliness, and hopelessness because virtual relations do not care. The New York Times headline read, “It’s Life Or Death’: The Mental Health Crisis Among U.S. Teens.” The subhead was, “Depression, self-harm and suicide are rising among American adolescents.” It is discomfoting.

How relevant, then, is the good news we have to share. The gospel is a comfort – it is the *only* comfort we have. When we talk about “opening the gospel to Carson City and beyond,” we are not imposing a burden. We have to know how we are offering water to those dying of thirst. Belonging is a message of hope, of joy, of... well, let me say it bluntly: life.

I am so grateful to have been called to serve in a community that understands – and lives – the hope of the faith we have been given. It is such a blessing to share with one another the encouragement of our witness. When you tell me how God has touched and transformed your life, I am strengthened and renewed. When you tell me how you have seen God work in the lives of others around you, I rejoice and give thanks to God for

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revealing his enduring steadfast love. When together we see God drawing new people and raising them up to active involvement in the mission He has set before us, I can only marvel at God's faithfulness.

As we go into 2023, I ask you to join me in the following:

- ◆ Pray for God to open opportunities for us to share the gospel in word and deed.
- ◆ Talk with one another about what God has already done and what we see God doing right now. Then, talk with one another about where we are discerning God calling us to go forward.
- ◆ Commit to looking for ways to be salt and light to this community in the name of Jesus. Where are those who are lost, lonely, despairing, or hopeless? Where are those who are searching; those whom God is tugging on their hearts?
- ◆ Invest in seeking first God's kingdom. Remember: we are called to movement. We are commissioned to follow where Jesus leads. Let us be intentional about stepping out, in faith, with good news, into a world desperate to hear the message.

I look forward to seeing what God will do in this new year. May God fill you with expectant hope, too.

Your brother in Christ,

**Bob Davis**



*The Sanctuary looks beautiful—thank you to everyone who participated in the Hanging of the Greens!*



**TRUMPET DEADLINE FOR  
MARCH**

Is February 17

Send your info / articles / submissions to [margo@fpccarsoncity.org](mailto:margo@fpccarsoncity.org)

**Congregational Giving—General Budget**

2022 Projected

	Budget Need	Given	Difference
<i>December 15, 2022</i>			
Yr. to Date	\$443,620	\$396,420	- \$ 47,200
<u>Current</u>	<u>Income</u>	<u>Expense</u>	<u>Difference</u>
	\$ 42,545	\$ 17,926	+ \$ 24,619
<u>ECO DUES</u>	<u>Income</u>	<u>Budget</u>	
To Date:	\$ 2,170	\$ 5,200	

**THANK YOU, ALL!!**





# FAMILY MINISTRIES



CHRISTMAS CAROLING  
DECEMBER 16, 2022



SPECIAL THANKS TO

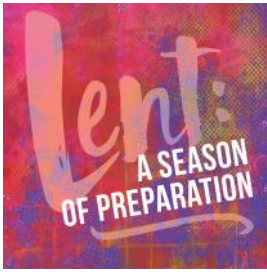
KEN PEARSON  
CASEY SYLVESTER



OUR DRIVERS!

RICHARD BALDWIN  
DALE HATCHELL





## LENTEN SEASON 2023

After a wonderful Advent and Christmas Season we are starting to prepare for the new year and Lent. It seems that with the new year, we change our music from the Joy of Jesus' birth to immediately preparing ourselves for a period of 40 days during which Christians remember the events leading up to and including the death of Jesus Christ, whose life and teachings are the foundation of Christianity. The music has a definite feel of devotion and love of Christ's journey through this time.

Inspired by the life and message of Jesus Christ, artists in every medium have endeavored to capture the magnificence of His ministry among us. From poets and painters to singers and sculptors, the human spirit has long labored to convey through artistic expression the deep, deep things of faith. So vast is this great mystery, that no canvas can capture it and no song can fully express its beauty and emotion.

As we gather together to reflect and pray, may our art be redeemed by divine purpose and our music motivated by the spirit of worship. May we offer our simple gifts of sound and insight as a testimony to the faith we long to honor and share. Starting the new year, the choir will be singing, "Dona Nobis Pacem" (Give Us Peace). This choral piece is a continuous repetition of these words, forming an unbroken whole, without interruption, giving a calming effect to the singer and listener. Granting us a prayer of peace by the end of this beautiful piece.

In closing, let us all open our hearts and Love to our Lord and Savior, and listen to what is being expressed through the music of our Chancel Choir, Praise Team, and Bell Choir this upcoming new year.

Blessings,

**Stewart  
FPC Nights**



**Off the**

Greetings were recently received from John & Melissa Shoaf in Christchurch, New Zealand! They are both "thrilled to be 'back in harness' again in service to our Lord." John is now Vicar of St. Mary's, Halswell and All Saints, Prebbleton. Both areas are growing and they have splendid opportunities to spread God's healing and loving word. Melissa is enjoying her gardening and John is enjoying his work with the parishes. They send a "blessing on you all at this exciting time, Emmanuel, God With Us!"

## Streets



By the time you read this we will have completed our fifth year hosting a portion of the winter warming shelter. In 2022 we again hosted the shelter from Dec. 1<sup>st</sup> through the 31<sup>st</sup>. It was a particularly cold November and December with few if any nights which were above freezing. We also had rain and many inches of snow. As of mid-December 2022, numbers at FPC have ranged from 25 to 44 guests per night. We will have

a Mission Message in January with an update on NOTS and our time hosting. Thanks so much to those who volunteered for shifts and for those who helped to open and close the Family Life Center, and to those who provided a Christmas morning meal. A special thank you to Bonnie Martinkus for calling all the open and closers to remind them about their duties. What a blessing she is. Another huge thanks to the ever present and faithful Ken Pearson, we love you brother, and to three others who helped take down and put up tables and chairs for coffee hour: Donald Scherer, and new members Dennis Whitford and Jared Lequerica. Thanks to each and every one of you who served and became the hands and feet of Jesus.

Another way to get involved is to attend and/or support the Carson City Elks Lodge "Flannel & Frost Fundraiser" for NOTS on Friday January 27<sup>at</sup> 5:30 PM. The Elks Lodge is located at 515 N. Nevada St. Tickets are \$50/person for dinner, one beverage and entertainment. For tickets contact Jenny Scanland at Church on Sundays.

### Flannel & Frost Fundraiser for



**Friday January 27th 5:30pm**

Carson City Elks Lodge 515 N Nevada St.

\$50.00 per person includes

Dinner & one beverage

Exciting Raffle Prizes, Music & Karaoke

Menu: Stuffed Pork, Chicken

Gravy, Rice, Bread,

Vegetables, Salad & Cake.

"Forget the cocktail dresses and cuff links.

This party is all about coziness and comfort.

Don your best flannel apparel and be

prepared to party it up!"

For Tickets Elk Members can buy them at the Lodge.

All others contact Nancy Haffey (775) 246-5337

Proceeds benefit Night Off the Streets warming center.

No one has died of exposure on the streets during the winter since

NOTS was formed six years ago. NOTS is a 501(c)3 non-profit.

# What's Up Next?



## SURROUNDING FERNANDA WITH GOD'S LOVE AND SUPPORT

Our own wonderful Connie Stanton has made a lovely quilt (shown on the left) for our Ecuadorean daughter in Christ, Fernanda Tapia. The next thing that we as the congregation need to do in January is to **sign the back of the quilt** with a comment, prayer, thought to Fernanda. **The quilt will be in the Narthex following the service on January 8th and 15th**. Connie has provided a special pen we will use for signing. We will then work out the logistics of how to get the quilt to her. Once she receives it she can wrap herself in God's love from her Christian family here at the First Presbyterian Church in Carson City, Nevada.

The picture to the right is Fernanda and her mother Maria at Fernanda's high school graduation. Please continue to be praying for Fernanda's return to full health and then for her successful journey on to the University and then Medical School. "For all things are possible with God" Mark10:27.



## It's Fellowship Dinner Time Again!

January 20 & 21

Come get to know the folks you attend church with! You never know who you're going to meet at this great time of fun and fellowship. Sign Ups start January 1 in the Narthex—see Sandy Ehresman or Diane Young with any questions.



## It's Time for the *Annual Chili Cook-off* Saturday, February 4

Calling all chili cooks! Enter the chili cook-off for bragging rights for the year! Bring your entries to the Family Life Center by 4:30 pm, judging to begin about 4:45, and dinner about an hour later.

Bring your friends to enjoy fellowship and fun with our church family.

Donations accepted at the door, raffle tickets available, and silent auction. All proceeds benefit the Old Sanctuary Refurbishment Fund. Raffle tickets: \$1.00 each or 6 for \$5.00.

Music will be provided by  
*The Gold Rush Gals*

Sign-ups to bring non-judged chili, corn bread, or soup will begin Sunday, January 8  
Donations for the raffle can be dropped off at the Family Life Center Friday, February 3, 10:00 am – 1:00 pm  
Contact Grace Speicher for more information and to volunteer to help.



Mark your calendars for the next  
**FPC ANNUAL MEETING**  
February 5, following worship.

Thinking about becoming a Covenant Partner of FPC? The next class is February 12, following worship!



New Member Class



- 1/01 Susan Keema
- 1/03 Gayle Robertson
- 1/04 Jean Richardson
- 1/05 Richard Baldwin
- 1/07 Vern Manke  
Taskar Zane
- 1/08 David Samsel
- 1/09 Sherri Gray
- 1/10 Ron Bell
- 1/11 Bruce Kochsmeier
- 1/13 Carolyn Merz
- 1/15 Bill Young
- 1/16 Lewis Dodgion
- 1/19 Marian Stroh
- 1/20 Nina Davis  
Christal Saint-Denis
- 1/21 Lou Campion
- 1/22 Dave Phillips
- 1/23 Joshua Russo  
David Vill
- 1/24 Paul Seaman  
Lorene Wilkinson
- 1/28 Patricia Angel-Skinkis
- 1/29 Nina Sattely  
Laurie Trotter-Bopko
- 1/31 Mary Howard  
Sandy Waters



- Jacque & Buzz Dyer  
January 6, 2018
- Priscilla & Justin Small  
January 15, 2005
- Mary Burgoon & Curt Spradley  
January 19, 2014
- Susan & Ron Bell  
January 21, 1968
- Therese & Mark Powers  
January 24, 2004

### ON OUR PRAYER LIST

Requested as of xx-xx-2023

Nicole Neal ♦ Gavin (Family-Candi & Wil Euler) ♦ Family of Alyssa Miller (Family-Sheryl Hohenberger) ♦ Bonnie Sue Armstrong and Natalie Walker (Friends-Donna Hataway) ♦ the Young and Hipple families (Family & Friends-August Miller) ♦ Mark Waters (Family-Sandy Waters) ♦ Family of Jim Martinson (Family-Jacque & Buss Dyer) ♦ Becky Tierney (Family-John & Karen Tierney) ♦ Kyle Hamilton ♦ Ron & Susie Bell ♦ Dick McNitt ♦ Pat Green ♦ Mike Stewart ♦ John Stopp, Jr. ♦ Bob Wilson and Maria Mazur (Family & Friend-Sherri Gurney) ♦ Mary and Susan (Family-Candi & Wil Euler) ♦ Zeke Hataway ♦ Carol Manke ♦ Ray & Juli Wilson ♦ Gary Kanarian ♦ Bill & Pann Baltz ♦ Curt Spradley ♦ Dan Loeffler (Family-Mary Burgoon) ♦ Omega Collins ♦ Amaris Rayes, Brian Collins (Family-Omega Collins) ♦ Charlotte Fenlon ♦ Chuck & Pat Beatie ♦ Lu Hawley ♦ Mary Lou Pawley ♦ Doris Wheeler ♦ Dewey Irvin, Kathy & Verlene (Family & Friends-Doris Wheeler) ♦ Norris & Kathy Schultz ♦ Johannes Vanderwal ♦ Rom & Nancy Story ♦ Thelma Roberts; Ron Roberts ♦ Karolyn Belcher ♦ Jamie, Faye, Todd, and Pam Wheeler ♦ Shirley Parks ♦ Todd & Kelli Butterworth ♦ Donald Scherer ♦ Relinda & Evangelina, Bob (Family-Johannes & Lori Vanderwal) ♦ Fire and Law Enforcement, First Responders, Front-line Caregivers




- 2/01 Dot Hagenbuch
- 2/03 Mary Moore
- 2/14 Jayden Lequerica
- 2/15 Dona Wilson
- 2/16 Sandy Hatchell
- 2/17 Marylee Branson
- 2/21 Cathy Austin  
David Broadway
- 2/22 Barbara Alexander
- 2/26 Judyan Bolduc
- 2/27 Bob Vibe
- 2/29 Katrina Creek



- Grace & Bob Speicher  
February 8, 1969
- Susan Secoy & John Reiser  
February 11, 2005
- Karolyn & Dan Belcher  
February 13, 1970
- Terry & Dave Phillips  
February 14, 1976
- Vicki & Ken Pearson  
February 28, 1998





David Fenlon  
December 11, 2022

Barbara Dodgion  
December 12, 2022

**Active-Duty Military:** Daniel Cushman, Katie Denio, Michael Hulst, Josh Jorgensen, Phillip Kerber, Casey Larkin, Ryan Larkin, Eric Larson, Cole McNitt, Cody Mecham, Colton Rayes, Andrew Richards, Evan Richards, Ryan Rothchild, Andrew Streenan, Jessica Verwiel, John Verwiel, Zane Walbridge, Derek Wing, and their families

*Do you have an active-duty military family member or friend you would like to put into our prayer list as well as having their picture posted in the hallway? Contact Kathy Rothchild or the office 775-882-1032.*





# Thank You For Your Generosity!

Thank you for your generosity!

## CHRISTMAS BAG 2022 UPDATE

In this year of many needs in our community, you were a part of blessing many families this past Christmas. Sixty red Christmas bags from the Northern Nevada Dream Center were handed out. We hope you had fun going shopping. More than one person said they had problems finding some items. Sad but it is the times we live in today. What you did find to stuff your bags with blessed many in our community and beyond. (Thanks to NNDC's Ken and his son for picking up the bags from FPC!)



Drum Roll Please – 59 bags were returned full with the listed items plus Christmas cards and candy/cookies. We also collected over \$900 to contribute toward the turkey or ham addition to each bag.

Some clothing items came in also, such as coats, jackets, scarves, socks, and toiletries. Thank you to all of you for your generous hearts. Now on to 2023- all food, paper goods, toiletries, and bags are appreciated. Please place these items in the Blue Barrel in the narthex or drop items off at the church office.

Thank you from your Mission Committee



## Operation Christmas Child

THANK YOU to everyone who filled a box. Because of your generosity we were able to deliver 94 boxes that will carry the gospel around the world. Pray that the children who receive them and those close to them will come to know Jesus as their Lord and Savior.

## Upcoming Giving Opportunities








### BABY BOTTLES ARE COMING

It is that time of year when I begin to get the question, "Are we going to do the baby bottle mission again"? And yes, they are coming in February. This is an important annual fundraiser for Life Choices Community Pregnancy Clinic. It is a part of the nationwide campaign to honor the sanctity of human life that begins in January. Bottles will be available Sunday, February 12, 2023 in the narthex for you to pick up before or after church. Fill them up with your loose coins, cash, or even a check, made out to Life Choices. Please return them to the Narthex or church office by Sunday, March 12th.

These gifts help Life Choices continue to serve women and families in our community with free pregnancy tests, ultrasounds, counseling, education classes, fatherhood classes, baby items and the message that Jesus loves them and their baby. Life Choices also conduct Biblical classes for women and men who are healing from past abortion experiences.






This is the 40th Anniversary for Life Choices in Carson City. Stay tuned for two big events coming this year, in June and September.



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<p><b>1</b></p> <p><b>9:30 am:</b> Prayer Gathering  <b>9:45 am:</b> Grades 1-3 Sunday School  <b>10:00 am:</b> Communion Worship followed by Coffee Fellowship</p> 	<p><b>2</b></p> <p>OFFICE CLOSED</p> 	<p><b>3</b></p> <p><b>8:30 am:</b> SON Rise Women's Bible Study – Location Varies</p>	<p><b>4</b></p> <p><b>8:00 am:</b> Men's Bible Study – Mallard's  <b>9:00 am:</b> Grace Notes Rehearsal – Narthex</p> <p><b>5:00 pm:</b> CIRCLES Mtg – FLC &amp; Library  <b>7:00 pm:</b> Praise Team Rehearsal - Sanctuary</p>	<p><b>5</b></p> <p><b>7:30 am:</b> Wilson Men's Fellowship – Mallard's</p> <p><b>7:00 pm:</b> Choir Rehearsal - Sanctuary</p>	<p>OFFICE CLOSED</p> <p><b>6:30 am:</b> Bible Study</p>	
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<p><b>15</b></p> <p><b>8:30 am:</b> Adult Sunday School – Fellowship Hall  <b>9:30 am:</b> Prayer Gathering  <b>9:45 am:</b> Grades 1-3 Sunday School  <b>10:00 am:</b> Worship followed by Coffee Fellowship</p>	<p><b>16</b></p> <p><b>11:00 am:</b> Women's Bible Study – Library</p>  <p>Appreciate a Dragon Day</p>	<p><b>17</b></p> <p><b>8:30 am:</b> SON Rise Women's Bible Study – Location Varies</p> <p><b>5:30 pm:</b> Session Mtg – Fellowship Hall</p>	<p><b>18</b></p> <p><b>8:00 am:</b> Men's Bible Study – Mallard's  <b>9:00 am:</b> Grace Notes Rehearsal – Narthex</p> <p><b>5:00 pm:</b> CIRCLES Mtg – FLC &amp; Library  <b>7:00 pm:</b> Praise Team Rehearsal - Sanctuary</p>	<p><b>19</b></p> <p><b>7:30 am:</b> Wilson Men's Fellowship – Mallard's</p> <p><b>7:00 pm:</b> Choir Rehearsal - Sanctuary</p>	<p><b>20</b></p> <p>OFFICE CLOSED</p> <p><b>6:30 am:</b> Berean Men's Bible Study – Library</p>	<p><b>21</b></p>  <p>Fellowship Dinners</p>
<p><b>22</b></p> <p><b>8:30 am:</b> Adult Sunday School – Fellowship Hall  <b>9:30 am:</b> Prayer Gathering  <b>9:45 am:</b> Grades 1-3 Sunday School  <b>10:00 am:</b> Worship followed by Coffee Fellowship</p>	<p><b>23</b></p> <p><b>11:00 am:</b> Women's Bible Study – Library</p>	<p><b>24</b></p> <p><b>8:30 am:</b> SON Rise Women's Bible Study – Location Varies</p>	<p><b>25</b></p> <p><b>8:00 am:</b> Men's Bible Study – Mallard's  <b>9:00 am:</b> Grace Notes Rehearsal – Narthex</p> <p><b>5:00 pm:</b> CIRCLES Mtg – FLC &amp; Library  <b>7:00 pm:</b> Praise Team Rehearsal - Sanctuary</p>	<p><b>26</b></p> <p><b>7:30 am:</b> Wilson Men's Fellowship – Mallard's</p> <p><b>7:00 pm:</b> Choir Rehearsal - Sanctuary</p>	<p><b>27</b></p> <p>OFFICE CLOSED</p> <p><b>6:30 am:</b> Berean Men's Bible Study – Library</p>	<p><b>28</b></p> <p>National Kazoo Day</p> 
<p><b>29</b></p> <p><b>8:30 am:</b> Adult Sunday School – Fellowship Hall  <b>9:30 am:</b> Prayer Gathering  <b>9:45 am:</b> Grades 1-3 Sunday School  <b>10:00 am:</b> Worship followed by Coffee Fellowship</p>	<p><b>30</b></p> <p><b>11:00 am:</b> Women's Bible Study – Library</p>	<p><b>31</b></p> <p><b>8:30 am:</b> SON Rise Women's Bible Study – Location Varies</p>				





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<b>5</b> <b>8:30 am:</b> Adult Sunday School – Fellowship Hall <b>9:30 am:</b> Prayer Gathering <b>9:45 am:</b> Grades 1-3 Sunday School <b>10:00 am:</b> Communion Worship followed by CONGREGATIONAL MEETING & Coffee Fellowship	<b>6</b> <b>11:00 am:</b> Women's Bible Study – Library	<b>7</b> <b>8:30 am:</b> SON Rise Women's Bible Study – Location Varies	<b>8</b> <b>8:00 am:</b> Men's Bible Study – Mallard's <b>9:00 am:</b> Grace Notes Rehearsal – Narthex <b>10:00 am:</b> Pastor's Study – FH <b>5:00 pm:</b> CIRCLES Mtg – FLC & Library <b>6:30 pm:</b> Pastor's Study – PresbyPod Studio & Zoom <b>7:00 pm:</b> Praise Team Rehearsal - Sanctuary	<b>9</b> <b>7:30 am:</b> Wilson Men's Fellowship – Mallard's   <b>1:30 pm:</b> Women's Monthly Bible Study – Library  <b>7:00 pm:</b> Choir Rehearsal - Sanctuary	<b>10</b> OFFICE CLOSED  <b>6:30 am:</b> Berean Men's Bible Study – Library	<b>11</b>  National Inventors Day
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