

**Hearing enhancement devices are available at the back of the sanctuary in the lobby.*

Welcome/Announcements

Prelude

What Wondrous Love Is This
Arranged by John Leavitt

Call to worship

Call: When we struggle to live as you teach us, and we fail to answer your call...

Response: God, your steadfast loves surrounds us.

Call: When the truth clogs up in our throat, and we fear what will happen if we speak and if we keep silent...

Response: God, your steadfast love surrounds us.

Call: When we open our hearts and let the truth of our sorrows, our sin, our joys, and our doubts flow freely...

Response: God, your steadfast love surrounds us.

Call: When our stubborn hearts encounter the grace that teaches and guides us into a life of trust and joyful obedience...

Response: God, your steadfast love surrounds us today and every day. Thanks be to God! Amen.

Written by Dr. Lisa Hancock, Discipleship Ministries, September 2024.

Opening Hymn (please stand as you are comfortable)

Amazing Grace

UMH 378

Morning Prayer

**We will conclude this prayer by reciting "The Lord's Prayer." If you are unfamiliar with this prayer, you are invited to follow along up on the screens.*

Offertory Prayer

Offertory

Peace For the Journey
Arr. Joseph Martin

Doxology (please stand as you are comfortable)

UMH 95

Message

Steadfast Love: A Playlist of the Cross
Pastor Matt Bridges

**Please remain seated During the following three hymns*

Scripture

John 19: 16c-30

Hymn

Beneath the Cross of Jesus

UMH 297

Scripture

Galatians 6: 14-18

Hymn

When I Survey The Wondrous Cross

UMH 298

Hymn

Jesus, Keep Me Near The Cross

UMH 301

Scripture

Romans 8:31b-39

Closing Hymn (please stand as you are comfortable)
Just As I Am, Without One Plea

UMH 357

Benediction

Postlude

I Will Arise and Go to Jesus
Arr. John Carter

Spring Fling Potluck Today at 11:00am!

Today we celebrate the oncoming of Spring with our fifth Sunday potluck after worship. Whether you brought food or not, please come and join in the fellowship and meal. There will be plenty of food for all! Thank you to all of those who signed up to bring food.

In The Life of St. John's

The Bag 'n Hand Needs to Restock the Shelves!

The Bag 'n Hand Food Pantry needs your help with donations of the food items below. We are also looking for volunteers for our evening distribution. The hours of volunteering are 4:40pm to 7:00pm. Below are the most needed items.

Canned Fruit	Spices
Mac and Cheese	Condiments
Any dry Pasta	Baking Supplies
Rice	
Beans	

Immigration, Mission, & Social Justice with First

Presbyterian Church of Santa Fe

*This is an invitation to St. John's congregation. Please contact Donna Whitson at tdwhitson@tritel.net or 505-629-5789 for questions. We need a count to let them know how many of us will attend. We hope you will consider coming and supporting this important work.

The First Presbyterian Mission and Social Justice committee would like to invite you and members of your congregation working/interested in Social Justice issues and immigration to a meeting to discuss how our four Churches (St John's, Westminster Presbyterian, Open Circle and First Presbyterian) may collaborate on these issues to serve the larger Santa Fe Community.

The meeting will be held at First Presbyterian, 208 Grant Ave on Wednesday, April 2nd at 6pm.

Our Churches, guided by our common faith, can stand as a resource to support and protect our most vulnerable communities in this time of great need. The meeting, which would last about an hour, will be to introduce everyone, agree on the goal of cooperating on Mission and Social Justice initiatives, particularly immigration in the short term, and agreeing to establish a working group to determine the best way forward.

In The Life of St. John's

This Week In The Life of St. John's

March 30, 2025

Finding Your Fit With St. John's

There are many ways you can get plugged into your church home. After filling this out, please detach and place it in an offering plate and you will be contacted to get plugged in! With St. John's, it's not "if" you fit, but "how."

Name: _____

Email: _____

Phone: _____

What kinds of skills and gifts would you like to share with us?

What is your passion?

Put a Checkmark below next to some of the areas you are interested learning more about.

- Worship: Music, A/V support, Setup, Worship Arts
- Congregational Care/Visitation
- Small Groups
- Communications: Enews, Facebook
- Office Volunteer: Various office duties
- Outreach/Missions: local, regional, international
- Bag 'N Hand Food Pantry

Mon. Mar 31, 2025
12:00 pm Narcotics Anonymous, Parlor
6:00 pm Pickleball, Fellowship Hall

Tues. April 1, 2025
12:00 pm Narcotics Anonymous, Parlor
6:00 pm Alcoholics' Anonymous, Men and Women Group, Parlor
6:00 pm Adult Children of Alcoholics, Bell Room
7:00 pm Narcotics Anonymous, Fellowship Hall

Wed. April 2, 2025
12:00 Soul Break
1:00 pm Women's Book Study
6:00pm Bell Choir, Bell Room
7:00 pm Choir, Choir Room

Thurs. April 3, 2025
12:00 pm Narcotics Anonymous, Parlor
6:00 pm Alcoholics Anonymous Women's Group, Chapel
6:00 pm Alcoholics Anonymous Men's Group, Parlor
6:00 pm ALANON Women's Group, Bell Room
6:00 pm recovery group: Spirit Folx, Chapel

Fri. April 4, 2025
9:00 am AA Parlor
12:00 pm Narcotics Anonymous, Parlor

Sat. April 5, 2025

Sun. April 6, 2025
9:30 am Morning Worship:
10:30 am Morning Fellowship Time, Gathering Room

5:00 pm Youth Group: Our location Changes from week to week. To be a part of the youth group, reach out to Pastor Matt at 936-661-2843 to be added to the youth list.

***Steadfast Love:
A Lenten Playlist of
The Cross***

