

**WORSHIP SERVICE,
SUNDAY, MARCH 20, 10:30 A.M.**

Please join us for worship (and bring a friend!) on the Third Sunday in Lent, March 20th. Our Scripture readings this Sunday are: Isaiah 55:1-9; and 1 Corinthians 10:1-14. The title of the sermon is "Watch Out That You Do Not Fall," and a copy of the Bulletin for this service can be found here: <https://fpcovictoria.org/wp-content/uploads/2022/03/3-20-2022-Bulletin-PDF.pdf>.

And keep reading! This Sunday, David Faskas will be our special musical guest to assist us in our Music Ministry, and immediately following the service, we will all proceed to Fellowship Hall for some good food and good fellowship. This is going to be a wonderful time of worship and gathering at our church, please plan to join us (and, yes, bring a friend!).



**LET'S GET TOGETHER,
JUST BECAUSE WE CAN!**

Here's what we are going to do after the worship service on Sunday, March 20, 2022: we are going to break bread together in Fellowship Hall to celebrate being together in community, just because we can!

We don't have a theme (it will be the Spring Equinox, but how do you turn that into a reason for a party?). Someone suggested we call it a "Fellowship Party," but every time the church gathers it's always a fellowship party! Someone else said we could call it a "Welcome Back Party," but then someone else pointed out that nobody in our midst ever left-- we continued to worship throughout the pandemic, even when all we had was an iPhone and a Facebook connection!

The Caregiving and Fellowship Committee will supply our main course, fried chicken!, as well as the beverages. Members of the congregation are invited to bring covered dishes of salads and other sides. When Presbyterian cooks are involved, potluck is always the best luck!

DURING THE LENTEN SEASON

**FRIST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF VICTORIA, TEXAS
IS ONCE AGAIN PLEASED TO WELCOME**

MR. DAVID FASKAS

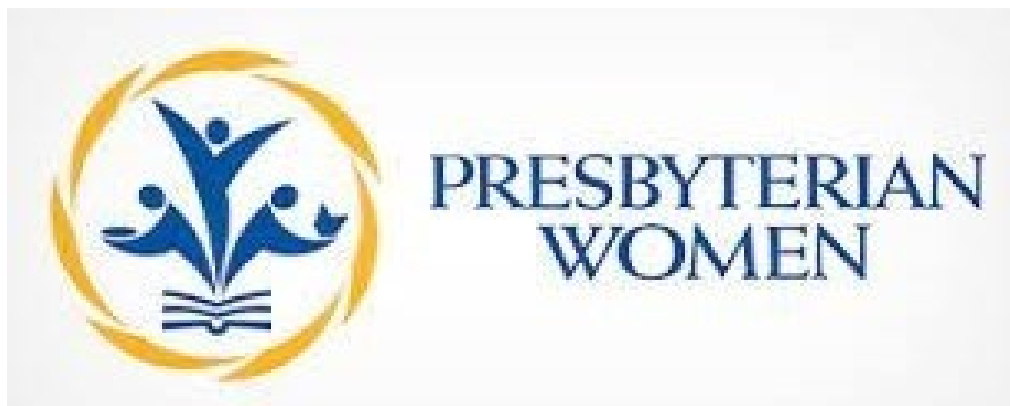
**AS OUR GUEST MUSICIAN DURING OUR WORSHIP SERVICE ON
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David is a classical guitarist who studied music at Victoria College, while also playing in the school's guitar ensemble and jazz combo. He now plays live music in the Victoria area for events ranging from weddings and private parties to non-profit events.

David is a full-time Certified Financial Planner® with KMH Wealth Management, LLC in Victoria who, when not serving his clients, enjoys spending time with his wife, Rachel, and their new bundle of joy, Noah.

We have missed David during our enforced COVID hiatus, so now let us joyfully welcome his return as he shares with us his considerable talent, joining us in our ministry of music to worship and praise Almighty God!



**PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN OF FPC VICTORIA
ANNUAL JOINT MEETING
MARCH 24, 2022, 12:30 P.M.**

On Thursday, March 24, the Presbyterian Women of FPC of Victoria will gather for a luncheon in Fellowship Hall at 12:30 p.m. Please bring your favorite salad to be shared. Dessert will be provided.

Following a time of food and fellowship, officers will be elected for the 2022 – 2023 term, a report of the women's mission efforts will be given, and Elder Dawn Neel will share a brief program about the Session's *Our Journey Forward* initiative. We look forward to seeing you there!



ABBREVIATED NEWSLETTER

Our super-star Office Administrator, Erica Colding, has returned from a well-earned, well-deserved vacation with her children during the VISD Spring

Break.

Congregation and pastor alike are joyful for her return, although we also rejoice that she was able to relax and enjoy time with her family. With the mountain of work that accumulated in her absence, we have been rushed to compile this Newsletter and to place it in the U.S. mail by our regular deadline. Thus, you may notice that this Newsletter is shorter than usual. But that's okay. As every preacher is reminded from time to time, shorter is often better!

Whenever you are at the church on a weekday, please take a moment to stop by the church office to greet Erica and to tell her how much we appreciate all her conscientious work on our behalf and in service to our Christian ministry.

Peace, grace, and mercy,

Pastor Jim

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