

EVENT calendar

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 20

8:00AM	Worship Service	Sanctuary
8:00AM	Preschool/K & Nursery	Rm LL-2/Nursery - Lower Level
8:00AM	Children's Ministry Activities	Rm CM 3-10 - Lower Level
9:30AM	Worship Service	Sanctuary
9:30AM	Preschool/K & Nursery	Rm LL-2/Nursery - Lower Level
9:30AM	Children's Ministry Activities	Rm CM 3-10 - Lower Level
9:30AM	Middle School Sunday School	Youth Room
9:30AM	High School Sunday School	Youth Room
9:30AM	Healing Prayer	Glass Classroom
9:30AM	Call Me Friend	Makai 1 & 2
9:30AM	The Abrahamic Faiths	Makai 3
11:00AM	Facing Cancer with Hope	Boardroom
11:00AM	GriefShare Surviving the Holidays	Glass Classroom
11:00AM	Financial Peace University	Makai 3
11:00AM	Living the Kingdom of God	Makai 1 & 2
11:11AM	Worship Service	Sanctuary
11:11AM	Preschool/K & Nursery	Rm LL-2/Nursery - Lower Level
11:11AM	Children's Ministry Activities	Rm CM 3-10 - Lower Level

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 21

6:30PM	Young Adults (26-40) Small Group	Kaimuki
7:00PM	Young Adults (18-25) Small Group	Kaneohe

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 22

9:30AM	Mighty Moms	CM 4 th /5 th classroom
5:30PM	Dance Ministry	Fireside Room
6:30PM	DivorceCare Surviving the Holidays	Glass Classroom

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 23

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 24 - THANKSGIVING (OFFICE CLOSED)

11:00AM	Thanksgiving Day Potluck Lunch	Grand Ballroom
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FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 25 (CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED)

9:00AM	Christmas Decorating	FPC Campus
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SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 26

9:00AM	Christmas Decorating	FPC Campus
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IMPACT LOCAL & GLOBAL MISSIONS

Contact Pastor Tim: tim@fpchawaii.org / 808-532-1117

GIFTS OF LOVE 2016

Brochure launch: Nov 27

Global Village: Dec 4, Sunday morning, Makai Room

Gifts of Love is our annual brochure that offers various opportunities this Christmas to donate to mission partners and the people they help locally and around the world. This year's brochure will be available starting Nov 27 in the Fellowship Hall. And don't miss the Gifts of Love Global Village on Sunday morning, Dec 4, in the Makai Room, where you can meet mission partners and their representatives to learn more about the work they do for God's Kingdom.

FIRST PREZ SHORT TERM MISSION TRIPS TO AFRICA - SUMMER 2017

Next summer we are planning two short-term mission trips to serve in two different parts of Africa.

Swaziland (Advocates for Africa's Children)

Leader: Heidi Lum

Open to high schoolers and adults

Trip Dates: July 22-Aug. 5, 2017

Information Meeting: Nov 27, Sun, 8 am or 12:30 pm, Makai Room

Rwanda and Democratic Republic of the Congo

Leader: Tim Shaw

Open to adults

Trip Dates: July 9 - 25, 2017

Information Meeting: Dec 11, Sun, 8 am or 12:30 pm, Glass Classroom

TIMES FOR FIRST PREZ SERMONS ON TV
Oceanic Channels 25 & 1025 (in HD)/Digital 36: Mondays 7:30-8 pm; Tuesdays 3-3:30 am; Wednesdays & Sundays 11-11:30 am; Thursdays 9-9:30 pm; Fridays 7-7:30 am; Saturdays 11:30 pm-12 am

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THANK YOU FOR YOUR KOKUA Please turn off pagers and cell phones during worship, and please refrain from bringing food and

beverages inside the Sanctuary. Also, we love babies, but if yours is crying, comfort him/her in the infant room to the side of the Sanctuary.

PARKING

Let's help the elderly and those with difficulty walking by leaving parking spaces closest to the Sanctuary available for them.

FOR THE HEARING IMPAIRED

To help you listen to today's worship service better, borrow one of our assistive listening devices available at the sound booth in the Sanctuary.

DEPLOYED MILITARY PRAYER LIST

Do you know people in the military who have been deployed? Write down their names on the Aloha Form along with their military branch, their location and their relation to you. We'd like to keep them in prayer on a regular basis. Call 532-1115. If any of these on our list has returned home, please notify us.

First Prez Members & Regular Attenders	Family & Friends	Sam Davis	Judy Kovell	Sebastian
Redmond Gautier	1 st , 2 nd , 3 rd BN 3D Marines	A. Diamond	Joshua Lum	Schnellbacher
Christi Morrissey	Air Force Reserves	Douglas Francis	S. Manglona	Charles Shelton
Jason Palmer	48 th APS	Orlando Fraser	William McGregor	J. Tang
Matt Riley	Robert Andrews	William Heron	Rob Metthe	Natasia Upadahaya
Ryan Stanchfield	Kevin Bullough	William Hollifield	Marcy Meyer	Evelyn Vento
	Michael Cacciapuoti	Phil Hollstein	Steve Morris	Wendi Waits
	Toby Caldwell	Bonnie Huber	Daniel Murphy	Paul Wiley
	Rudy Cardona	Damon Hunt	Lee Nakasone	Lenny Williams
	John Cruz	Andrew Hutchison	Dustin Nelson	Aaron Yoshimura
		Benjamin Ivansco	Rob Pederson	



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NEWS weekly

FPC NEWS FOR NOVEMBER 20-26, 2016



THANKSGIVING DAY POTLUCK LUNCH

Nov 24, Thurs, 11 am, Grand Ballroom

Spend Thanksgiving with the First Prez ohana, especially if you don't have family on the island, at our Thanksgiving Day Potluck! We provide all the turkey and gravy, but we ask that you bring a side dish. Sign up today in the Fellowship Hall or online any time at fpchawaii.org. We also need helpers at the event. To be part of the volunteer team, send an email to jenny@fpchawaii.org.

COPING WITH THE HOLIDAYS WHEN YOU'RE DIVORCED OR GRIEVING

The weeks leading up to the holidays can be tough when you're divorced or grieving the loss of a loved one. But we can help through video seminars designed to provide you with coping strategies and hope for the days ahead.

- **GRIEFSHARE Surviving the Holidays:** Nov 20, Sunday, 11 am, Glass Classroom. Walk-ins welcome.
- **DIVORCECARE Surviving the Holidays:** Nov 22, Tuesday, 6:30 pm, Glass Classroom. Register by email: divorcecare@fpchawaii.org

HELP DECORATE FOR CHRISTMAS

1) BUY POINSETTIAS FROM THE CHURCH

We will use the poinsettias to decorate the campus. Plants at \$10 each. Pay in the fellowship hall today. You may bring home your plant after the last Christmas Eve service.

2) BE PART OF THE DECORATING CREW

Nov 25, Fri, 9 am-5 pm, Nov 26, Sat, 9 am-3 pm

We need lots of help in putting up Christmas decorations all over the church campus. Lunch provided! Sign up today in the Fellowship Hall for one or both decorating days.

CHRISTMAS EVENTS

1) WOMEN'S CHRISTMAS BRUNCH

Dec 3, Sat, 10 am, Fellowship Hall.

All women are invited to a sumptuous Christmas Brunch. Bring your small group, co-workers, and friends. Christmas crafts will be sold on site too. Tickets \$19 each, available in the Fellowship Hall today and online at fpchawaii.org.

2) CO-ED CHRISTMAS DINNER

Dec 6, Tues, 6 pm, Fellowship Hall

Open to all men and women, couples and singles. Guest speakers: Pastor Steve and Dyne Peich. Hosted by the Men's Ministry. Tickets \$15/person, or just \$5 if you're college age. Buy them in the Fellowship Hall today or online at fpchawaii.org.

CONSIDER GOING ON A MISSION TRIP TO AFRICA IN 2017.

See back page for info meeting details.

WELCOME TO FPC

WELCOME, VISITORS!

Glad that you're worshipping the Lord with us today! Drop by the Hospitality table at the Sanctuary entrance and pick up your coupons for a free CD of one of our worship services (including today's) and a complimentary espresso drink. We also invite you to the Fellowship Hall for refreshments, fellowship, and information about the church. Thanks for visiting, and we hope you stick 6! Stick around for at least six Sundays to see if First Prez is the right fit for you.

KO'OLAU KITCHEN

- Macadamia Nut Breaded Chicken Breast
- Beef Stew
- Lentil Vegetable Curry
- Crab Melt
- Tomato Bisque

HONEY'S

Check out Honey's on the lower level of our campus as a dining option.

- Open daily 7 am-3 pm
- Live entertainment Thurs through Sat 6 pm-8:30 pm; Sun 4 pm-7 pm

Come relax with your family and friends!

KO'OLAU GOLF

- Let's pray for sunny weather to make our course conducive for golfing.
- Join the K-Club, Ko'olau Golf's golfer development program. Drop by the ProShop downstairs for more info.

FINANCIAL REPORT (FINAL AS OF 09/30/16)

Annual Budget:	\$ 4,195,256
YTD Income:	\$ 2,285,676
YTD Expenses:	\$ 2,739,689
YTD Difference:	(-) \$ 454,013

For your convenience, online donations can now be made at www.fpchawaii.org or the First Prez mobile app. Please indicate in your check or on your online donation if you're giving to the capital campaign fund.

ACTS 1:8 APPEAL



THE ACTS 1:8 APPEAL

Thank you to everyone who took part in the Acts 1:8 Appeal. We reached a total of \$1.4M in pledges! Your commitment and contribution will go toward retiring the remaining debt we incurred from the purchase of our Ko'olau campus 10 years ago. If you have not made a pledge, but would like to do so, please pick up a pledge card from the Front Desk. Mahalo!

GENERAL INFO

CHANCEL FLOWERS

Today's flowers were arranged by the First Prez floral team and given by Brian & Beth Fila: "In celebration of our 34th Wedding Anniversary." Congratulations, Brian & Beth!

BRING YOUR FIRST PREZ FOB EVERY SUNDAY

You'll need your fob every Sunday morning to check in and get your name tag, so please bring it with you to church. Fobs facilitate faster check-in, which benefits everyone. Don't have a fob? Drop by the check-in station and we'll issue you one. If you're not one who likes to carry fobs, consider downloading the Key Ring Rewards Cards app on your smart phone, which allows you to store barcodes, like the one found in the First Prez fob.

CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED

Thanksgiving Day, Nov 24, and Nov 25
In observance of the Thanksgiving Day holiday, the church office will be closed on Nov 24 and 25. We will reopen on Sunday morning, Nov 27, at 7:30 am. Happy Thanksgiving!

40-DAY FAST

Ongoing till this Wed, Nov 23
We're in the midst of a 40-Day Fast, a spiritual discipline meant to awaken our hunger for God and to help us be more sensitive to His voice. Let's fast and pray for our families, our church, our community, our state, and our country.

ROOTED

ROOTED is a discipleship tool that will take you deeper into God's Word. It will strengthen your faith and bring you into close community with people in your group. Drop by the ROOTED table in the fellowship hall today for more info and to sign up. ROOTED starts Jan 18, 2017.

CHRISTMAS SERVICES AT FIRST PREZ

Celebrate the birth of Jesus Christ at First Prez with family and friends! Save these dates now in your calendar:

- Dec 23, Fri: 5 pm and 7 pm**
- Dec 24, Sat: 3 pm, 5 pm, 7 pm**
- Dec 25, Sun: 10 am (only)**

NOTE: Childcare will be available for kids 3 months to 5 years old during the Christmas Eve services, except at the 7 pm service. No childcare or Sunday School program on Christmas Day.



ANSWERED ROSE PRAYER

Has the Lord answered the prayer you made during our Christmas Eve worship service last year? If so, let Pastor Dan know! Write him a letter of how the Lord answered your prayer, and enclose the satin rosebud you got from the Christmas service. Mail it to the church office or drop it off at the Front Desk no later than Dec 10.

CARE MINISTRIES

FACING CANCER WITH HOPE Sundays, 11 am, Boardroom

A confidential support group for adults dealing with any type of cancer. Come to receive prayer and encouragement for fighting cancer. The group is led by Deano Kiyohara, Julie Carter, and other cancer survivors.

MILITARY MOMS & DADS NIGHT OUT Jan 28, Sat, 3:45-8 pm, First Prez

First Prez provides childcare for their kids for a few hours once a month. Join our team of childcare provider! It's one of the many ways we support our troops. Contact Beth Fila: bethmfila@gmail.com

STEPHEN MINISTRY

Offers Christ-centered, one-on-one weekly care and support for regular attendees of First Prez who are hurting from a crisis or loss. For info, stop by the Care Ministries table in the Fellowship Hall.

MINISTRIES

CHANCEL CHOIR

Rehearsals: Thurs, 7 pm, Music Room
If you're gifted in singing, come and serve the Lord on Sunday mornings through our choir. Call Mary Hicks for more info at 271-1153. (No meeting on November 24. Happy Thanksgiving!)

HELPING HANDS

This ministry provides help (like transportation, minor home repairs, etc) to First Prez members and attendees. If you can offer services or help, or if you would like to receive assistance, request for it using the Prayer/Helping Hands/Comment form inside the green Aloha folder in your row.

MEN'S MINISTRY SPARTAN CLASS

Thursdays, 6 pm, 4th & 5th grade classroom
For more info, contact Pastor Steve Peich: steve@fpchawaii.org • 532-1139

PGA (PRESBYTERIAN GOLF ADVENTURES)

Dec 3, Sat, 7:05 am tee time, Waialeale
Whether you golf a lot or just a few times a year, come to our monthly tournaments, which are also fundraisers for missions. Register with Gary Harms: alohagary@yahoo.com

PRAYER MINISTRY

If you need prayer, go to the front of the stage in the Sanctuary after worship services. If you'd rather submit a prayer request, please use the purple prayer form in the green Aloha folder in your row.

RED CARPET TEAM

Join us in creating a friendly and welcoming environment for guests and members who come to our church. The Red Carpet Team is made up of ushers, hospitality table greeters, shuttle van drivers, parking volunteers, and coffee bar baristas. Training will be provided. If you're naturally friendly, this will be a good fit! Contact Sharon Kyle: kyle.sharon@gmail.com

SMALL GROUPS

For information on Small Groups, visit the website at www.fpchawaii.org, or contact Jenny Sung at jenny@fpchawaii.org

WOMEN'S MINISTRY

Jenny 532-1135 / jenny@fpchawaii.org
CHRISTMAS CARD OUTREACH FOR THE INCARCERATED

Nov 27, Sun, 1pm, Church Kitchen
Every year we give Christmas cards to women imprisoned at the Women's Community Correctional Center in Kailua so they can have cards to send to their families and friends. Be part of this outreach by dropping off new or unused Christmas cards at the Women's table in the Fellowship Hall no later than Nov 27, or by helping assemble the card packets on Nov 27. RSVP to jenny@fpchawaii.org.

FAMILIES

OH-ZONE (OHANA ZONE)

Every first Sunday, 10:30 am-12:30 pm, Fellowship Hall

All families with young kids are invited to hang out and connect with other First Prez families at the OH-ZONE (the Ohana Zone) on the first Sunday of each month. It's a kid-friendly environment with activities and extra space where your kids can be kids!

ROCKET LAUNCH

Thanksgiving Day, 7-9 am, by snack shop area of golf course on campus

Everyone's invited to a super fun rocket launch on Thanksgiving Day! Bring your rockets and engines (purchased or assembled) and let's launch them together. No RSVP needed--just come. Open to everyone! Questions? Contact Karen Lee: 227-4026 or karen.lee@boh.com

YOUNG ADULTS

YOUNG ADULTS SMALL GROUP (18-25) Monday, 7pm, Kaneohe

Contact Tim Shaw for more info: tim@fpchawaii.org or 532-1117

YOUNG ADULTS SMALL GROUP (26-40) Mondays, 6:30pm, Kaimuki

Contact Carolyn Grossnickle for more info: c_grossnickle@hotmail.com or 375-2199

YOUTH

Matt 971-777-9408 / matt@fpchawaii.org
Kimiyo 532-1118 / kimiyo@fpchawaii.org

MIDDLE SCHOOL (6TH-8TH)

Sundays 9:30 am, MS Youth Room
Fridays 6-8:15 pm, MS Youth Room

HIGH SCHOOL (9TH-12TH)

Sundays 9:30 am, HS Youth Room
Fridays 7-9 pm, HS Youth Room
Fridays 9-11 pm, HS Youth Room

All youth events listed are happening at the First Prez campus.

HIGH SCHOOL MOVIE NIGHT: STAR WARS ROGUE ONE

Dec 16, Friday
Send an email to kimiyo@fpchawaii.org for more details.

CHILDREN

SUNDAY SCHOOL PROGRAM

Candi 440-6572 / candi@fpchawaii.org
NURSERY (3 MO-20 MO)

Our message for babies this month: "God made you! He puts people in your life to help take care of you because He loves you."

TODDLER (20 MONTHS-3 YRS) & PRESCHOOL (3-5 YRS)

This month the keiki are learning how to be thankful to those who help them. They will hear hear stories from the Bible where people helped other people, like how Aaron helped his brother Moses, and how people helped Nehemiah rebuild the wall of Jerusalem. We want our keiki to be helpful and have a heart that says thanks!

ELEMENTARY (K-5TH GRADE)

Our keiki are learning about honor—letting others know you see how valuable they really are. Seeing others for who they are and not for what they do is a way of honoring God too. We will look at Jesus' example of how He showed others their value.



CHRISTMAS MUSICAL

Dec 11, Sunday, 4 pm, Grand Ballroom
Our kids and youth are working hard to present to you this year's Christmas Musical! Save the date!