

SUNDAY, OCT 5, 2025

# CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP

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Welcome

Songs\*

First Scripture\*

Passing the Peace\*

Announcements

Second Scripture\*\*

Sermon

Song\*

Prayers of the People & The Lord's Prayer

Communion

Song\*

Benediction

*\*Please rise in body or spirit*

*\*\*Children may leave for Kids Connect at this time*

# WAYS TO CONNECT & SERVE

**The Rosebud** is to the glory of God and in honor of the birth of Richard Wendell Burke III, born September 24, 2025, child of Ryan and Ellette Burke and grandchild of Tracy and Rick Burke.

## Community Trick or Treat

Happy Fall, Y'all! A highlight of the fall season at First Pres is offering a loving and safe place for trick-or-treating. This year on Friday, October 24 from 6 - 7:30, we hope to welcome hundreds of church and community members. Volunteers are needed! If you have interest in helping us decorate, answer doors, greet, or anything else that evening, please use the sign up tab on the church website or contact Elizabeth Hess (ehess@firstpreswc.com). Candy donations are also needed (we hope to collect several hundred bags); a drop-off bin is in Fellowship Hall.

## Officer Nominating Process

The church's Nominating Committee is looking for nominations for Elder and Deacon. Elders are the decision makers for the congregation along with our pastors. Deacons serve to support the pastors and our church members in congregational care. If you know of a member who may feel called to serve in one of these roles, including yourself, please use the QR code below or click the "Elder and Deacon Nominations" tab across the top of the church website to submit their names.



## Leading in Worship

Rev. Andrew Esqueda, Senior Pastor  
Rev. Caroline Cupp, Sr. Assoc. Pastor  
Kiana Rivera, Lead Singer  
Members of the band

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[firstpreswc.com](http://firstpreswc.com)

## State of the Church

Please mark your calendar for Sunday, October 19, for the 2025 State of the Church remarks by Pastor Andrew. He will share some highlights from the past year as well as thoughts and visions of what God has in store for our congregation in the coming year. The remarks will begin at 10:00 am in the Sanctuary. We hope Contemporary worshipgoers will come early to hear this important information. Activities will be provided for children so parents can be present.

## Bible Book-It:

Get excited - Bible Book-it begins today! Designed to encourage people of all ages to read their Bibles, participants will set their own weekly Bible reading goal, check-in each Sunday to report their progress, and hopefully be encouraged, inspired, and blessed by spending time in God's Word. Visit the table in Fellowship Hall for more details, including weekly reading suggestions, or talk with our Director of Faith Formation, Sara Pantazes.

## Wednesday Lunch Supply Drive

Thank you to all who donated supplies to our Wednesday Lunch ministry. Your gifts are deeply appreciated and will be put to good use at our meals each week. If you still wish to participate, please reach out to Pastor Caroline at [ccupp@firstpreswc.com](mailto:ccupp@firstpreswc.com).

## Welcome Kids & Families

We are glad you are here to help us make a joyful noise to the Lord! Children of all ages are always welcome in worship. We also have a nursery available for kids ages 0 - 3 and offer the Kids Connect program during a portion of this service for preschool and elementary aged kids. Talk to any usher or staff member for more information.

## Give

