



Session Digest, October 18, 2026



The Session met for its regularly stated meeting on Sunday, Oct. 18, 2026. There were 8 elders present.

A highlight of the meeting was receiving Jim Roberts into membership at SFPC. He's been attending our church since the tenure of Rev. David Wadsworth! We are so happy that he's officially joining us.

Each committee reported on their activities and planned events – and there are lots of them!! Here's a sample of dates to put on your calendar. Stewardship letters with a copy of the proposed budget will be sent the week of Oct. 26. This year, the Time and Talent cards will be printed separately, so be sure to watch for both. Pledge Sunday is Nov. 15. There will be a Town Hall Meeting in Fellowship Hall on Wed., Nov 4 at 6 p.m. to answer questions you may have about the financial life of the church. Please plan to attend – and yes there will be pizza!

Christian Ed is planning a breakfast sometime in November to get FPC and SFPC children better acquainted. A Children's Bell choir is coming, and the Children's Christmas pageant is Dec. 13. SFPC and FPC youth are invited to participate.

You can come and learn about Elder Fraud on Wed., Oct 28 at 6 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. The presentation is jointly sponsored by the South Frankfort Neighborhood Association and the Outreach Committee. The speaker will be from the Attorney General's Office.

Nov. 1 is All Saint's Day, and we will celebrate the lives of Ann Disney, Bob Bryan and Diana Andrews as well as congregants' loved ones who have passed. Also, Love Baskets will be presented in November. Watch the newsletter to find out when to bring in items.

The Nominations Committee has prepared a slate of officers for 2027: Elders – Jill Stoltz, Lindsey Kimbleton, Jim Thornton, Shane Slattery; Deacons – Nancy Overstreet, Mary Allison, Melissa Raine; Trustee – Mark Overstreet; Nominating Committee: Karen Brady, Jennifer Grisham, Fawn Pace, Bill Kirkland. Thank you to those who will be serving. Note that there is an unfilled Deacon seat- contact the church office if you are interested in this position. There will be a Congregational Meeting, Sunday, Dec. 6 immediately following worship to vote on these officers and to vote on a change in the pastor's Terms of Call.

In case all these activities are making you hungry, the 4th Sunday Luncheon is this week – Oct. 25. The HOLIDAY DINNER will be Wed. Dec. 2.

Hopefully you've seen something in this list that sparks your interest. Come and be a part of this very busy church!!

Martha Schmidt, Clerk of Session



Paul the Apostle gave a beautiful compliment to the believers in Corinth. He wrote:

**“And you show that you are a letter from Christ delivered by us, written not with ink but with the Spirit of the living God, not on tablets of stone but on tablets of human hearts”
(2 Corinthians 3:3, ESV).**

What a meaningful picture. A letter carries a message, and Paul reminded the church that their lives were sharing the message of Christ with others. The same is true for us today. Through our words, actions and faith, people can see evidence of God at work in our hearts. None of us is perfect, but living faithfully can point others toward Him. What a wonderful goal for every Christian: to be known as “a letter from Christ.”



One of a Kind

The scrambled words and phrases below are all drawn from Scripture. Unscramble each one to reveal the correct biblical term or phrase. After solving them, transfer the circled letters in order to the lines at the bottom of the page to uncover the final message.

- 1) eiVn _ _ _ () _
- 2) ilLy fo teh elaVly
_ _ _ () _ _ _ _ _
- 3) abLm fo dGo _ _ _ () _
_ _ _ _ _
- 4) estMar _ _ _ _ () _
- 5) eJuss _ _ _ () _
- 6) okRc _ _ _ () _
- 7) rdBea fo eiLf _ _ _ _ () _
_ _ _ _ _
- 8) higLt fo hte dorWl _ _ _ () _ _
_ _ _ _ _
- 9) voaSir _ _ _ _ () _
- 10) doLr _ _ _ _ () _
- 11) ishCrt _ _ _ _ () _
- 12) ehSprhed () _ _ _ _ _
- 13) hTe doWr _ _ _ _ () _ _
- 14) rncPie fo cePae _ _ _ _ () _ _
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What do all these words have in common?

Answers: Vine; Lily of the Valley; Lamb of God; Master; Jesus; Rock; Bread of Life; Light of the World; Savior; Lord; Christ; Shepherd; The Word; Prince of Peace; Names of God's Son

Events and Activities

Tuesday, October 20

12:00 ... Lunch Bunch, Blue Sabor, Lawrenceburg
2:00 ... Watercolor Class

Wednesday, October 21

7:00 ... Choir Rehearsal

Sunday, October 25 Fall Interfaith Food Drive ,Reformation Sunday

10:00 ... Counterpoints SS Adult Class and Faith in Action class
10:00 ... Children’s & Mid. School SS Classes
11:00 ... In person & Facebook Worship Service, Rev. J T Silence
12:00 ... Fourth Sunday Lunch, Fellowship Hall All are invited.
4:00 ... Children and Youth Trip to Happy Jack.

Monday, October 26

2:00 ... Bridge
4:30 ... Knitting Group

Tuesday, October 27

2:00 ... Watercolor Class

Wednesday, October 28

10:30 ... SFPC Staff Meeting
6:30 ... Elder-Fraud Presentation, SFPC
7:00 ... Choir Rehearsal

Sunday, November 1 All Saints Day, Daylight Saving Time Ends

10:00 ... Counterpoints SS Adult Class and Faith in Action class
10:00 ... Children’s & Mid. School SS Classes
11:00 ... In person & Facebook Worship Service, Rev. Marissa Carver
5:00 ... Youth Group

Worship Sunday
Attendance: Oct. 18, 2026
SFPC in person: 109
Join us Sundays - 11:00 a.m.,
also online service.
During our live streaming time,
you can go to
YouTube: [youtube.com/
@southfrankfortpresbyteri-
an8198.com](https://www.youtube.com/@southfrankfortpresbyterian8198.com) or to
Facebook: [facebook.com/
sfpcchurch](https://www.facebook.com/sfpcchurch)
The next week, you may go to
www.sfpc.org, the church’s
website and click "YouTube"
or "Facebook" at the bottom
right corner of the website.

**If not in the service, please
consider donating one of
two ways:**
1. Mail a check to: South
Frankfort Presbyterian Church
224 Steele Street, Frankfort,
KY 40601.
2. Click the green “Give
Now” button on our website at
[sfpc.org](https://www.sfpc.org). You can start and
manage your
account, and
even set up
repeating
donations.
Oct. 18, 2026
Offering: \$1,582.00



Prayer List

Helen Taulbee	Glenda Harned
Bill Cheek	Dale Bryant
Patti Cross	Carolynn Underwood
Alice Delambre	Brad Wirth
Presley Winner	Candace Haynes
Bill Woolums	Melissa Eaton
Daniel, 8 years, cancer	Marisha Johnson

Names remain on the Prayer List for four weeks unless
the request is long term. To add or retain people with
their permission, email or call the church office.

Interfaith Food Drive
Frankfort’s Food Pantry, October 25

Items most needed:

Canned chicken or Meat, Peanut Butter, Boxed
Instant Oatmeal, Soup, Canned Fruit,
Spaghetti Sauce/Spaghetti , Canned Beans, Rice (1
lb. bag or Minute Rice)
If you prefer to donate
money, you may make a
check out to SFPC with
Food Pantry in the memo
line.

Items may be placed in the boxes in the SFPC
Fellowship Hall.



Circle 1 is gathering donations for the
William Joseph Crisis Nursery

Please consider donating an item from the list and
dropping them off in the fellowship hall. We will
be collecting donations through 10/25.

1. Bags for Vacuum
2. Paper towels
3. Toilet paper
4. Small trash bags for small trash cans
5. Big trash bags
6. Extra small trash cans
7. Sanitizing spray for toys
8. Dish soap and sponges
9. Personal hygiene items

Thanks,
Jill Stoltz



**PREVENTING ELDER FRAUD:
KNOW THE RISKS, STOP THE THREATS**



WEDNESDAY
OCTOBER 28, 2026
6:30 PM - 8:00 PM

SOUTH FRANKFORT
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
224 STEELE STREET

Do you have a loved one that is at an advanced age and vulnerable to scams?
Are you interested in learning about ways to protect yourself against elder fraud?
Then, please join the SFPC and SFNA, together with Shellie A. May, BSN, from the
Kentucky Attorney General’s Office of Senior Protection, for an evening of information
and light refreshments. Learn how to identify and avoid scams, along with what to do
if you become a victim. Recognize the signs and feel empowered to report it!

Presented by: Shellie A. May, BSN
Executive Director, Office of Senior Protection and Mediation
Kentucky Office of the Attorney General

Reformation Sunday is a day to remember with
gratitude those who called the church back to
God’s Word and the good news of salvation
through faith in Christ. We rejoice in the freedom,
grace and hope we have in Jesus and welcome all
who have gathered to worship Him.



October	Oct. 14 Haylee Mucci
Oct. 1 Beth Powers	Oct. 17 Michael Fern
Oct. 3 BT Bingham	Oct. 17 Tim Pennington
Oct. 3 Laura Ross	Oct. 22 Steve Pace
Oct. 4 Ellen Tharpe	Oct. 25 Doug Crickmer
Oct. 5 Don Thurber	Oct. 25 Lauren Maenza
Oct. 12 Doris Thurber	Oct. 26 Kris Jarboe
Oct. 12 Marissa Carver	Oct. 26 Ernie Lewis
Oct. 12 Amy Tolliver	Oct. 27 Charles Hunt
Oct. 13 Brian Moore	Oct. 27 Jo Ellen Seay
Oct. 14 Melissa Jensen	Oct. 30 Tina Hawkins