

Marilyn Hedgpeth's Retirement Celebration

Sunday, January 12, 2020

After church catered lunch and program Mark your calendar!

We are very excited to be able to celebrate the 16 years of ministry that Marilyn has shared with us at 1st Presbyterian. We have several things planned and would like your help as a congregation to make them happen.

First, Amy Wilson is **collecting pictures** of Marilyn in ACTION! It's time to search through your photo archives, the physical or digital sort, and find pictures of Marilyn in ministry at FPC over the last 16 years. We are looking for pictures of confirmation, weddings, baptisms, women's retreats, Bible Studies, openings of SS, Camp New Hope, - you get the idea!

Please send digital files (.jpg format) to weddings@firstpres-durham.org and include a short description of the picture/s. If you have physical pictures that we can scan, there will be a labeled box in which to leave them in the volunteer office. Please package these pictures in an envelope, and label them with your name and a brief description. We will return the physical pictures as soon as possible. All pictures are due by Sunday, November 24th. Thank you for your help in creating this gift of gratitude for Marilyn.

Second, we are going to **collect index cards** with stories and notes of thanks for Marilyn sometime in the near future. The index cards will be provided.

Third, as you know a **love gift** is being organized. Please follow the following directions to contribute as you are interested able.

Ways to give:

- By check made payable to FPC
- Online by clicking [here](#)

- Text-giving (see instructions below)

In the memo line, please indicate who is to receive the gift: Sam Miglarese, Marilyn Hedgpeth, or both (the gift for both will be split 50/50).

Text Giving Instructions

First Presbyterian can now accept text giving.

To get started,

- 1) Enter the number **917-373-3254** (we suggest saving this number in your smart phone contact list as FPC TEXT GIVING).
- 2) Send a text message consisting of an amount (\$##), then a space, then one of the Texting Codes listed below.
- 3) The first time, you will be directed to a registration link. After you complete the link, you will receive a verification text and a verification e-mail.

Thereafter, you will only need to do steps 1 and 2. FPC will receive a confidential notification of your payment.

Texting Codes

MTH Love Offering - Marilyn Hedgpeth

Thank you in advance for all your contributions.

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