



### **Pastor's Sneak Peek for July 15, 2020**

Dear family and friends of First Pres Fort Lauderdale,

This weekend we will be turning to the Old Testament scriptures and read about one of the most colorful characters in scripture. Now when I say, "colorful", I mean that he is fully a rascal but he is also fully chosen by God and blessed. To read his stories in the Bible is to witness the evolution of a man's spiritual and moral character development which is a wonderful metamorphosis to behold; if Jacob can become a man of God's heart, there surely is hope for me and you!

We will be looking at Genesis 28:1-10 and I would encourage you to read the preceding chapter as well to better understand why Jacob is fleeing from home. This week we will look at the various aspects of God's grace at play in our Story as well as ponder upon what the Celtic Christians call "Thin places."

I want to throw out to each of you an invitation to join me for lunch next Tuesday, July 21<sup>st</sup> at noon for our first "Zooming Lunch with Your Pastor." There is no agenda but for me to see your smiling faces and visit a while during our lunch break. The sign-in information is <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87251195056> or, the meeting ID is 872 5119 5056 and will be posted on Facebook and the Church's website.

Stay well my friends! I can't wait to see you Sunday at worship and also at lunch next Tuesday!

Love ya'!  
Pastor Patrick

