



In Loving Memory



James "Jim" A. Clymer

*J*ames "Jim" A. Clymer, 76, a devoted husband, father, grand-father and brother passed away on December 8th, 2025. He was a loyal Minnesota Vikings fan, a proud Vietnam Veteran and a dedicated employee. He is survived by his wife Lou Ann Clymer, his sister Carol Gwinn, his step-daughters Crystal Yarbrough and Angela Menghini, step-grandchildren Aurora Simpson, Alexxis Simpson and two minor step-grandchildren. He leaves a cherished niece and also touching lives of his family, neighbors and co-workers. Jim was preceded in death by his parents and brother Jack Lindstrom.

**Jim worked as our bookkeeper since March 10th, 2021.
Services will be held here at the First Presbyterian Church,
on January 14th, 2026 at 1:00pm, reception to follow.**

**Church Office Hours
Monday—Thursday
8:00am to 2:00pm**

**Our staff members can
be reached individually
by phone or email
between 8am and 2pm,
Monday through Friday:**

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If you have an after-hours
emergency, you can reach
pastoral staff through our
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CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK

Wednesday, January 7th

- Archives, 10:00 am.
- Chancel choir rehearsal, 6:30 pm.

Thursday, January 8th

- Young Voices, 1:30 pm.
- High Desert Pipes and Drums, 6:30 pm in Fellowship Hall.

Saturday, January 10th

- Watercolor society, 8:30 am in the Chapel
- Presbytery, 9:00-3:00 pm in the Fellowship Hall.
- Opera SW, 10:00-noon in the Sanctuary

Sunday, January 11th

- In-person Fellowship Hall Worship Service at 8:30 am.
- Through the Bible Class at 9:45 am in CE Room 219.
- Adult Sunday School at 9:45 am via Zoom/In person in Kerygma Room.
- Godly Play Sunday School (ages 3 through 5th grade) at 9:45 am in CE Rooms 210 & 211.
- In-person/Livestream Worship Service, 11:00 am.
- Officer training, 12:30 pm.
- Sarah Circle, 12:30 pm in the Kerygma room.

Monday, January 12th

- PW Circle, at noon in the Kerygma room.
- Young Voices, 4:30 pm.
- Enchanter's rehearsal, 5:30 pm.
- Women's chorus rehearsal, 6:30 pm in choir room.

Tuesday, January 13th

- Men's Breakfast, 7:30 am in the Fellowship Hall.
- Tuesday Study group, at noon via Zoom.
- Sandia Pipes and Drums rehearsal, 6:00 pm in Fellowship Hall.
- Opera SW, 6:30 pm in the Sanctuary.

Wednesday, January 14th

- Archives, 10:00 am.
- Social Services Network, 11:30 am in the Fellowship Hall.
- Jim Clymer Memorial Service, 1:00 pm in the Sanctuary.
- Chancel Choir rehearsal, 6:30 pm.

Thursday, January 15th

- ABQ Girls' chorus rehearsal, 5:00 pm in choir room.
- High Desert Pipes and Drums, 6:30 pm in Fellowship Hall.

Saturday, January 17th

- Opera SW, 10:00-noon in the Sanctuary

Sunday, January 18th

- In-person Fellowship Hall Worship Service at 8:30 am.
- Through the Bible Class at 9:45 am in CE Room 219.
- Adult Sunday School at 9:45 am via Zoom/In person in Kerygma Room.
- Godly Play Sunday School (ages 3 through 5th grade) at 9:45 am in CE Rooms 210 & 211.
- In-person/Livestream Worship Service, 11:00 am.
- New Mexico Women's Chorus, Concert in the Sanctuary at 4:00 pm.

Monday, January 19th

- Church Office Closed, Martin Luther King Jr. Birthday Observance.

Tuesday, January 20th

- Endowment, at noon.
- Music and Worship, 5:00 pm in the Conference room.
- Sandia Pipes and Drums rehearsal, 6:00 pm in Fellowship Hall.
- Opera SW, 6:30 pm in the Sanctuary.

MEN'S BREAKFAST



Join us! At the Men's Fellowship Breakfast on Tuesday 13th at 7:30 am.

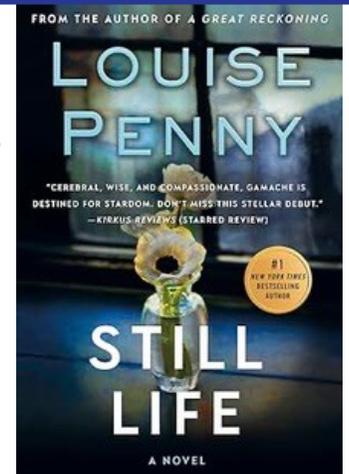
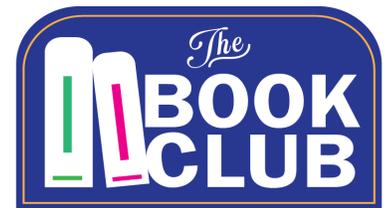
**You can register in the Office.*

"Still Life" by Luise Penny

Please join us!

Thursday, January 22
at 10:00 am in the
Conference room, for our
monthly book club.

Barbara Seaton will be
the leader in the
discussion.





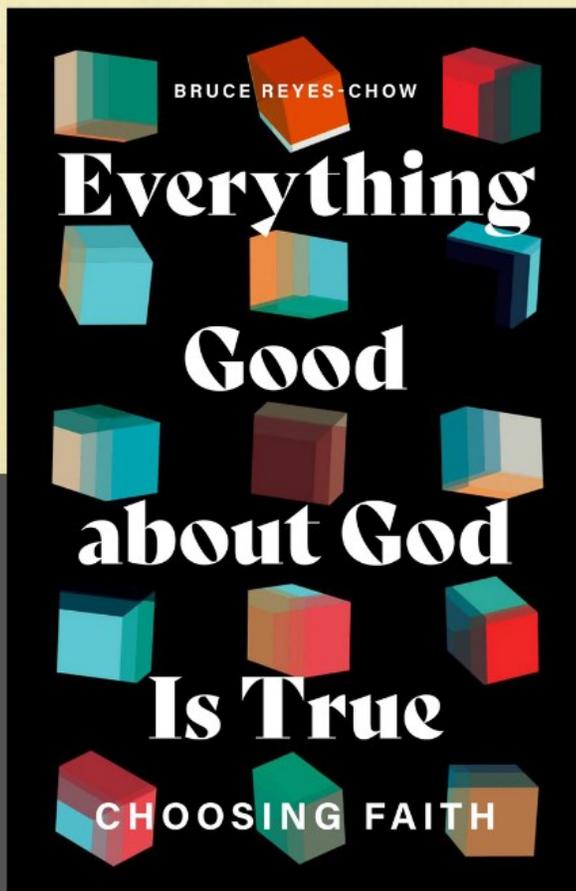
BOOK STUDY

TUESDAYS @ 6:30 PM
ON ZOOM

Join us for a book study on zoom! This winter we will be reading "Everything Good About God is True" by Bruce Reyes Chow. Have you ever wanted better language to talk about your faith? Have you found it hard to share with others what you believe? If so, this is the book for you!

“We can no longer abdicate the Christian story to hate, violence, and oppression. Those of us who occupy this more loving, just, and extended version of the Christian story must do a better job of claiming, articulating, and speaking the hell

up.”



Sign up in the office.
\$10 for a copy of the book

Meeting Schedule

Tues. 1/13 - Introduction
Tuesday 1/20 - Part 1
Tuesday 1/27 - Montage Chat*
Tuesday 2/03- Part 2
Tuesday 2/20 - Montage Chats*
Tuesday 2/17 - Part 3
Tuesday 2/24 - Montage Chat*
Tuesday 2/03 - Part 4
Saturday 3/7 - In Person
Conversation with Bruce!

*Montage Chats are an optional time to continue dialoguing about prior readings. No new material will be discussed at these gatherings

New Mexico Women's Chorus: CONCERT!



NEW MEXICO WOMEN'S CHORUS
Changing the world one song at a time.

FIRED UP!

SONGS OF PROTEST AND REVOLUTION

Seniors/Students.....\$13.00
Advanced Purchase.....\$15.00
At The Door.....\$20.00

JAN 17 7PM
First Unitarian Church,
3701 Carlisle Blvd NE

JAN 18 4PM
First Presbyterian Church of
Albuquerque
215 Locust NE.

We will be collecting socks, shoes, underwear and laundry supplies for the children at Carlos Reyes Elementary.

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Rev. Tom Ulrich a retired Presbyterian minister, along with St. Andrew Presbyterian Church, invites everyone to attend an Alternative Worship Service at St. Andrew on Tuesday, January 13th at 6:00 pm. This worship service will be grounded in scripture but will also address the political in our country. Rev. Ulrich recognizes the dilemma facing our pastors and churches in addressing political issues and hopes to connect our faith and politics for the common good.

*St. Andrew Presbyterian Church
5301 Pondera Ave NE*



2026-2027 Registration

Interested in Attending Our Preschool?

We serve children ages 3 months to 5 years old.

Our Waitlist Application will be available online starting January 20th.

For more information, please visit our website:

www.achildsgardenabq.org

If you have any questions, contact our office at 505-764-2920.

