



WEST TEXAS IS YOUR NEW HOME



ABOUT FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

First Presbyterian Church has a long history and association with the city of Lubbock. In fact, FPC is older than the city itself as the church was established in 1903, some six years before the city was incorporated. FPC was organized on September 4, 1903, a time when Lubbock was a small isolated town with only 175 residents.



This photo shows the construction of the church building mid-2008. We've come a long way since then!

Today, First Presbyterian is proud to stand as a beacon of love and acceptance, opening its doors to all who seek solace, spiritual guidance, or simply a sense of belonging.



In late 2022, we held a blessing of the animals service and met all kinds of creatures, including an owl and opossum.

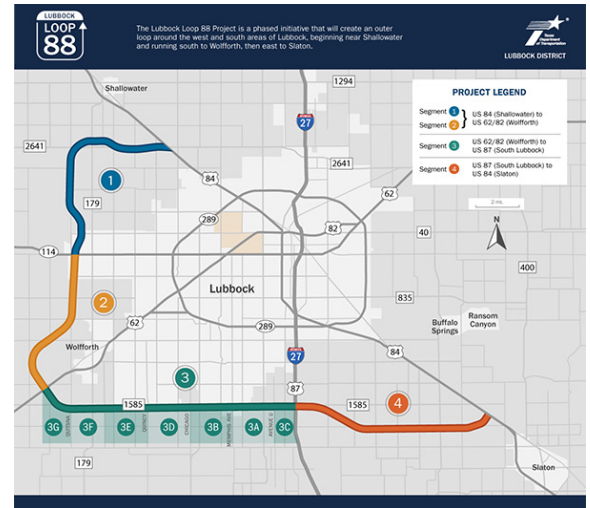


We engaged the community this summer by hosting a "Family Movie Nights" week. Food trucks camped out in the parking lot as each night we held a special screening of "The Chosen".

OUR HOLY MESS

Lubbock is growing and so are we!

We're located at 3814 130th St. right next to Loop 88 under construction. It has made us re-evaluate how the church uses the property, but we've never shyed away from a challenge.



The entrance from 130th St. is now closed and more than half of the front parking lot is being used for construction for Loop 88. Photo take August 2023.



At the core of FPC are volunteers who spend countless hours maintaining the place of worship.

Some of the outdoor projects we've accomplished this year:

Lawn mowing, grass growing, tree trimming, additional dirt work, as well as landscaping for the new entrance and Labyrinth area.

The irrigation was extended on the West end of the new parking lot to allow watering of the new grass.

The installation of new lighting structures. There will be one pole (two lights) on the West side of the new lot plus one fixture installed on the Northeast corner.

New church signs have been installed at the Memphis entrance of the parking lot.



WELCOME TO LUBBOCK

For those seeking a Texas city lifestyle with small-town charm, Lubbock is the perfect match!

While Lubbock is the 11th largest city in Texas, there's no denying that good ol' hometown feel. The people are friendly the way only hometown people can be. It's hard to put a price on that.



Never a dull moment, especially during the First Friday night art trail event each month downtown.

WHAT'S SO GREAT ABOUT THE "HUB CITY"?

From recreation to relaxation, Lubbock has the outdoor wishlist covered. If you're into sports, 4ore offers competitive golf games with more than 18 holes. Need a break from the Texas heat? Try Southwest Aqua Sports, or visit Lubbock's Buffalo Springs and Alan Henry Lakes.

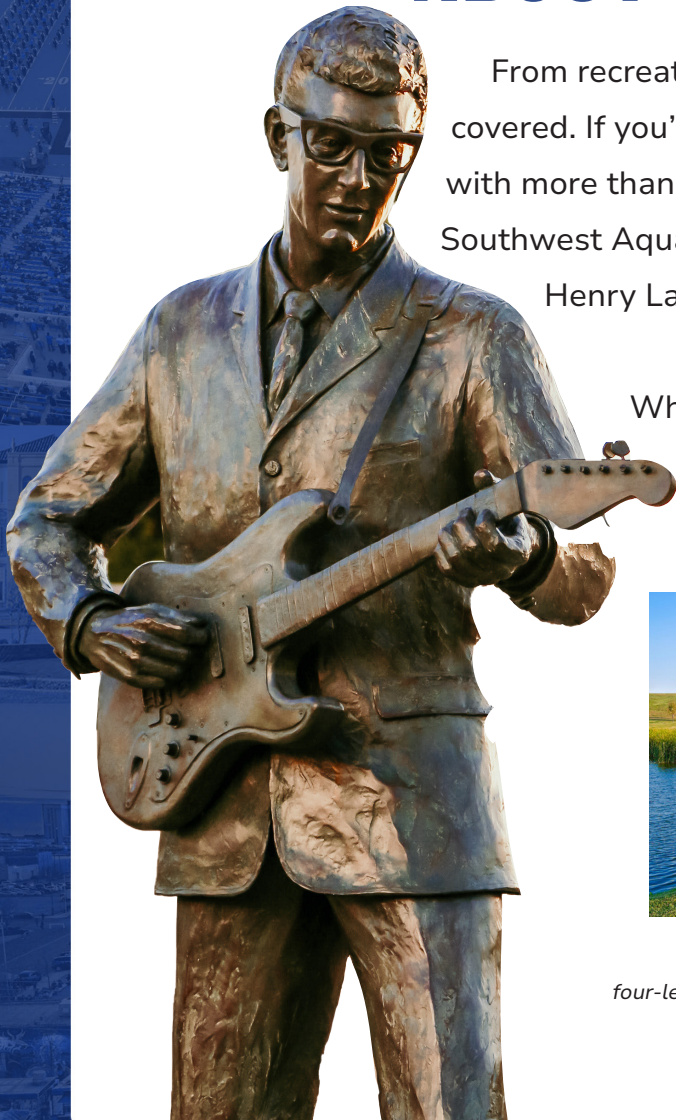
Why not try the Prairie Dog Town in Mackenzie Park?

Trails, canoeing, tubing, and camping are always available at one of Lubbock's many parks.



There's a park on every corner including 4 off-leash dog parks. A great place to take a jog and soak up some sun!

Buddy Holly Hall's main theater, consisting of a four-level, 2,297-seat capacity with two VIP lounges.



Higher education is a big part of the Lubbock community. Texas Tech recently ranked in the top 50 U.S. public research institutions. Its medical program, Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center, provides aid to the Lubbock area and creates top-level graduates. Another institution in the area is Lubbock Christian University, a private college with just over 2,000 students.

Lubbock restaurants have something delicious for every palette. Most restaurants offer both local and mouth-watering exotic dishes at reasonable prices. Visit the Twisted Root Burger Co. for gourmet beef,

turkey, and vegan burgers or the Italian Garden for pizza, pasta, and other traditional cuisines.

If you want something local, take a look at Cast Iron Grill for Southern-style breakfast & lunch, The Shack BBQ, and other incredible eateries.



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