

The First Presbyterian Church
of Port Gibson, Mississippi

Announcements

Worship Service December 12, A.D. 2021

- Instrumental Prelude Mr. Burnley Cook
- Introit The Choir
- Welcome and Announcements
- The Doxology No. 572
- Invocation and Lord’s Prayer
- Responsive Reading..... No. 610
- Hymn of Praise (All)..... No. 107
- The Apostles’ Creed(Front of Hymnal)
- The Gloria Patri No. 576
- Time for the Children / Minute for Mission
- Hymn of Meditation (All)..... No. 117

- Silent Prayer and Meditation
- The Pastoral Prayer
- Choral Response

- Scripture..... Luke 1:57-80 (p. 1429, p. 1220)
- Sermon *“The Promises of God”*
- Hymn of Dedication (All)..... No. 120
- Benediction
- Response The Choir
- Postlude

*WE EXTEND OUR SINCERE WELCOME to our visitors.
Please come to worship with us again, soon.*

*CHILDREN in second grade or younger are welcome to attend Children’s
Church after the Time with God’s Children.*

*IF YOU DESIRE TO BECOME A MEMBER of this congregation of the
Body of Christ, please speak to the pastor after the Worship Service.*

POINSETTIAS will be placed in the Sanctuary this Christmas season but, due to supply difficulties, only a dozen will be purchased. If you would like to make a donation in honor or memory of a loved one, the list will be printed on the days the poinsettias are displayed.

BIBLE STUDY will not be held this week.

THE VICKSBURG THEATRE GUILD is presenting *1940’s Radio Hour* at the Parkside Playhouse today at 2pm.

CHURCH PLANTS sponsored by our presbytery include Quest Church in New Braunfels, Texas: www.questchurchnb.com and Haven Church in Katy, Texas: <https://www.havenkaty.com> To help with these efforts, make out your check to First Presbyterian Church and label it either “Quest Church” or “Haven Church.”

PLEASE PRAY for Bill and Julia Crawford as they minister to EPC congregations in Houma and Thibodaux. To help, make out your check to First Presbyterian Church and label it “Hurricane Ida Relief.”

Bible Reading Schedule

- December 13 – Revelation 19:11-21..... December 14 – Revelation 20:1-10
- December 15 – Revelation 20:11-15..... December 16 – Revelation 21:1-8
- December 17 – Revelation 21:9-27..... December 18 – Revelation 22:1-5

Opening and Closing Schedule

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| 12/12-18 – Michelle Burrell | 1/9-15 – Lem Montgomery |
| 12/19-25 – Kenny Strawn | 1/16-22 – Don Wilson |
| 12/26-1/1 – Douglas Nasif | 1/23-29 – John L. Torrey |
| 1/2-8 – Eddie Lipscomb | 1/30-2/5 – Ruth Willis |

Deacon for the Month: Ed Lum

Tithes and offerings may be mailed to P.O. Box 517.

Our website features audio recordings of services, daily devotions on the Bible Readings, sermon texts, sermon videos and lessons based on the sermons.

Upcoming Events

December 12Christmas Carnival and Parade, Market Street
December 14Stanley Hastings' organ recital, PGUMC, noon
December 19Guthries' Christmas Breakfast, 10am
December 19 Pageant, Sanctuary, 5pm
December 19 Singing Christmas Tree, MCC, 6pm
December 21Paul McDonald sings, PGUMC, noon
January 28-29, 2022Presbytery meeting, Westminster Laurel
April 22-23, 2022 Presbytery meeting, Covenant Lake Jackson, TX
September 23-24, 2022 Presbytery Meeting, First Ocean Springs

December Birthdays

8	Anna Brady	8	Claire Hudson
10	David Hunt Headley	11	Allen Cassell
13	Spencer Willis	14	Marsh Willis
15	Charlie Donald	16	Michael Herrin
17	Mille Wolfe	17	Molly Byrnes Scarborough
18	Jo Ann Mikell	18	Kathy Byrnes Burgess
20	Jimmy Cassell	21	Katie Harrison
27	Dianne Wade	30	Linda Montgomery

Church Directory

Rev. Michael G. Herrin, Pastor
Mr. Burnley Cook, Music Director
Mrs. Janice Carter and Mrs. Flo Strawn, Organists

The Session

Class of 2021
Mr. Jim Hynum
Mr. Douglas Nasif

Class of 2022
Mr. Lem Montgomery

Class of 2023
Mr. Kenny Strawn
Mr. John L. Torrey

The Diaconate

Class of 2021
Mr. Jimmy Cassell
Mr. Jim Harrison
Dr. Eddie Lipscomb

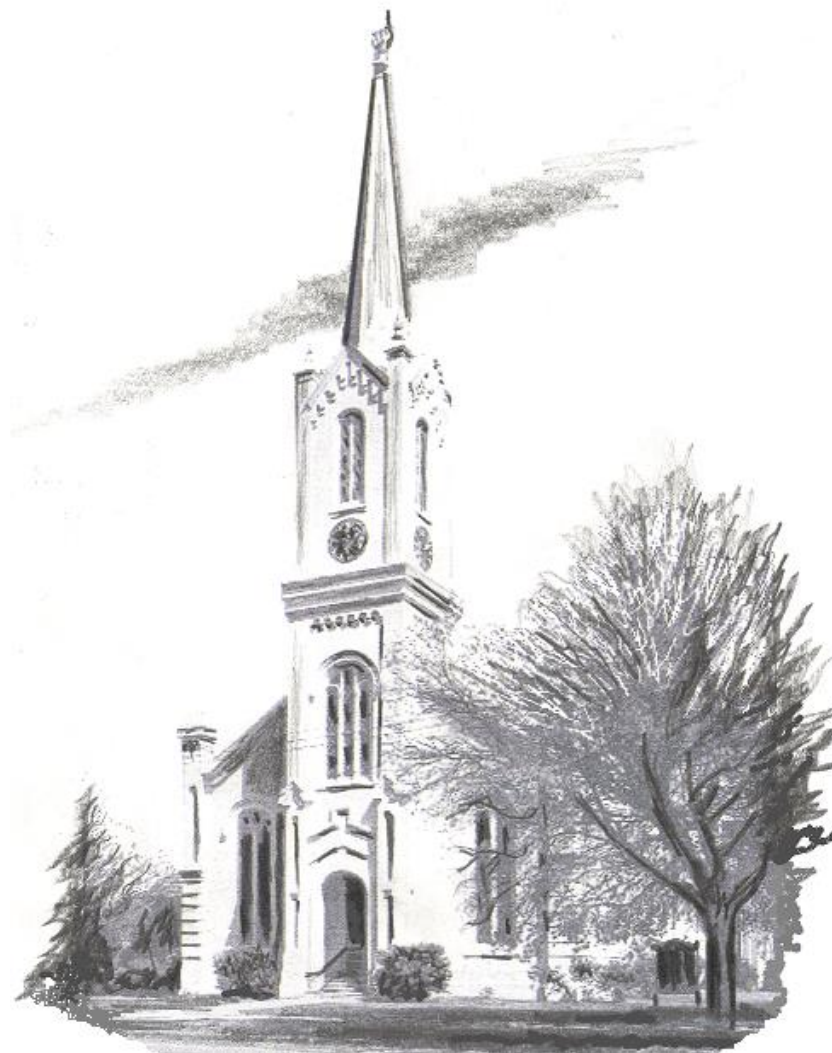
Class of 2022
Mr. Ed Lum
Mr. Mike Mikell

Class of 2023
Mr. Shreve Guthrie, III
Mr. Kevin Keaton

**Through fellowship, teaching and service,
sharing the truth of Jesus Christ
with one another, with the community, and with the world.**

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