

The First Presbyterian Church

of Port Gibson, Mississippi

Worship Service December 4, A.D. 2022

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 (Tune 346) No. 102
The Apostles' Creed(Front of Hymnal)
The Gloria Patri No. 576
Time for the Children / Minute for Mission
Hymn of Meditation (All)..... No. 107

Silent Prayer and Meditation
The Pastoral Prayer
Choral Response

Offering and Offertory Prayer
Scripture.....Matthew 1:1-17 (p. 1341, p. 1139)
Sermon **"Son of David, Son of Abraham"**
Hymn of Dedication (All)..... No. 106
Benediction
Response The Choir
Postlude

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

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

Announcements

A SERVICE OF SONG AND SCRIPTURE will be presented in the Sanctuary this afternoon at 4pm, in cooperation with the Union Baptist Association and Port Gibson Hands of Hope. Supper will be served afterwards in the Annex.

THE ADVENT CONCERT SERIES at the Methodist Church continues this Tuesday at noon. Alcorn State faculty will perform.

THE JOY GIFT SUPPER will be held in the Annex on Wednesday at 7pm. Bring a covered dish and come enjoy the fun!

BIBLE STUDY will not take place this week.

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 the people of First PC and New Hope PC in Fort Myers, Florida. To help, make out your check to First Presbyterian Church and label it "Hurricane Ian Relief."

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 December 18 and 25.

Upcoming Events

December 11 Port Gibson Christmas Parade, 4:30pm
December 18 Guthries' Christmas Breakfast, 10am
December 18 Children's Pageant, Sanctuary, 5pm

Deacon for the Month: Ruth Willis

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.

Opening and Closing Schedule

12/4-10 – Ruth Willis	1/1-7 – Eddie Lipscomb
12/11-17 – Michelle Burrell	1/8-14 – Lem Montgomery
12/18-24 – Kenny Strawn	1/15-21 – Don Wilson
12/25-31 – Douglas Nasif	11/27-12/3 – John L. Torrey

Bible Reading Schedule

December 5 – Mark 10:17-31December 6 – Mark 10:32-45
December 7 – Mark 10:46-52December 8 – Mark 11:1-11
December 9 – Mark 11:12-20December 10 – Mark 11:20-26

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
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 2022	Class of 2023	Class of 2024
Mr. Lem Montgomery	Mr. Kenny Strawn Mr. John L. Torrey	Dr. Betsy Lipscomb

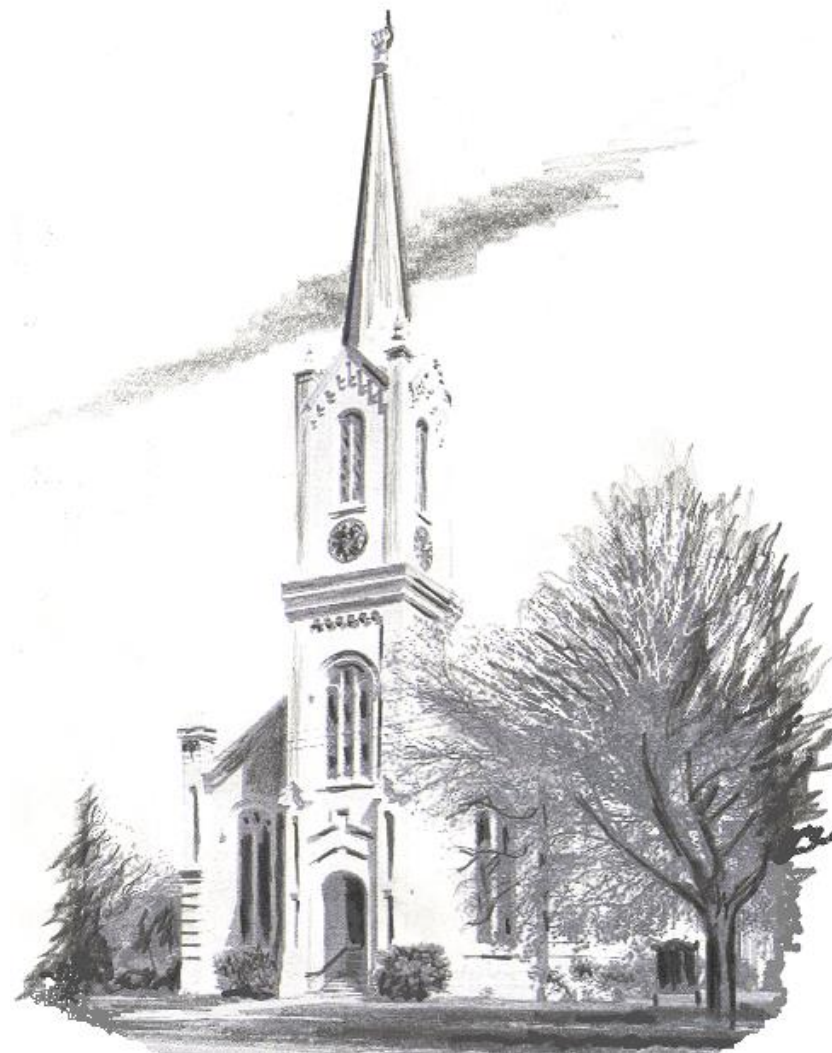
The Diaconate

Class of 2022	Class of 2023	Class of 2024
Mr. Ed Lum Mr. Mike Mikell	Mr. Shreve Guthrie, III Mr. Kevin Keaton	Mrs. Michelle Burrell Mrs. Dorothy Staer Mrs. Ruth Willis

**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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