

The First Presbyterian Church

of Port Gibson, Mississippi

Worship Service October 22, A.D. 2023

Instrumental Prelude Mr. Burnley Cook
 Introit The Choir
 Welcome and Announcements
 The Doxology No. 572
 Invocation and Lord’s Prayer
 Responsive Reading..... Psalm 107:23-32 (p. 902, p. 768)
 Psalm 121 (4 stanzas) (Tune No. 48)
 The Apostles’ Creed(Front of Hymnal)
 The Gloria Patri No. 576
 Time for the Children / Minute for Mission
 Hymn of Meditation (All)..... No. 421

Silent Prayer and Meditation
 The Pastoral Prayer
 Choral Response

Scripture.....Luke 8:22-25 (p. 1445, p. 1235)
 Sermon **“In the Same Boat”**
 Hymn of Dedication (All)..... No. 422
 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.*

Announcements

THE ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS is beginning a new study of the book of James. Join them in the upstairs classroom in the Annex at 10am.

BIBLE STUDY will be held in the Annex on Tuesday at 4pm and livestreamed on the church Facebook page.

A **NEW SIGN** is being planned that will be more visible to auto traffic on Church Street. To help, make out your check to First Presbyterian Church and label it “Sign Fund.”

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.

Upcoming Events

December 3 Community Christmas Service

Bible Reading Schedule

Oct. 22 – Luke 8:4-9:50 Oct. 23 – Luke 9:51-11:26
 Oct. 24 – Luke 11:27-13:9 Oct. 25 – Luke 13:10-15:32
 Oct. 26 – Luke 16:1-18:34 Oct. 27 – Luke 18:35-20:47
 Oct. 28 – Luke 21:1-22:44; Psa. 88..... Oct. 29 – Psa. 41: Luke 22:45-23:53

October Birthdays

6	Rebecca Cassell	7	Claire May
11	Fred Bowers	12	Darreth Seal
13	Janie Guthrie	19	Joshua Easton
21	Dana Harpole	25	Denise Donald Seale
27	Lauren Carpenter Willis	31	Kathy Cassell

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

Psalm 121 – Scottish Psalter, 1650
St. Anne – Common Meter
(Tune of *O God, Our Help in Ages Past*)

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PORT GIBSON, MISSISSIPPI
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- (1) I to the hills will lift my eyes
From whence doth come my aid?
My safety cometh from the Lord
Who heaven and earth hath made.
- (2) Thy foot He'll not let slide nor will
He slumber that thee keeps.
Behold, He that keeps Israel,
He slumbers not nor sleeps.
- (3) The Lord thee keeps; the Lord thy shade
On thy right hand doth stay;
The moon by night thee shall not smite,
Nor yet the sun by day.
- (4) The Lord shall keep thy soul; He shall
preserve thee from all ill.
Henceforth thy going out and in
God keep forever will.

Church Directory

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

The Session

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

Class of 2024
Dr. Betsy Lipscomb

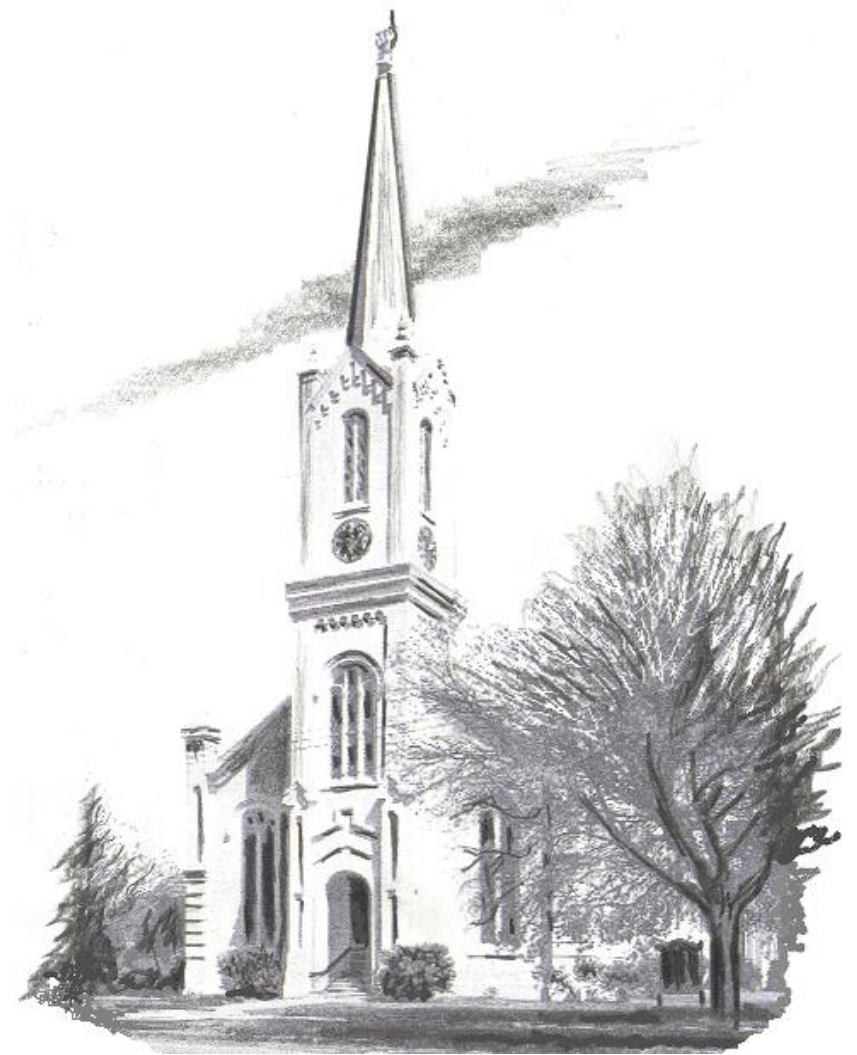
Class of 2025
Mr. Jim Hynum
Mr. Douglas Nasif

The Diaconate

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

Class of 2024
Mrs. Michelle Burrell
Mrs. Dorothy Staer
Mrs. Ruth Willis

Class of 2025
Mr. Jimmy Cassell
Mr. Jim Harrison
Dr. Eddie Lipscomb



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