

# The First Presbyterian Church

of Port Gibson, Mississippi

Worship Service March 4, A.D. 2018

Instrumental Prelude ..... Mrs. H.N. Gage  
 Introit ..... The Choir  
 Welcome and Announcements  
 The Doxology ..... No. 572  
 Invocation and Lord’s Prayer  
 Responsive Reading..... No. 603  
 Hymn of Praise (All)..... No. 177  
 The Apostles’ Creed .....(Front of Hymnal)  
 The Gloria Patri ..... No. 576  
 Minute for Mission / Time with God’s Children  
 Hymn of Meditation (All)..... No. 407

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Silent Prayer and Meditation  
 The Pastoral Prayer  
 Choral Response

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Offering and Offertory Prayer  
 Scripture.....Romans 16:1-20 (p. 840, p. 1376)  
 Sermon *“Greetings”*  
 Hymn of Praise (All)..... No. 21  
 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

**A PRAYER BREAKFAST** will be served on Wednesday at 6:30am in the Annex.

**THE CHOIR** will practice on Wednesday at 6pm in the Annex.

**BIBLE STUDY** will be held on Thursday at 1pm at the home of Dennis and Dorothy Staer.

**PLEASE PRAY** for Nick and Amanda, and Nour and Rebecca as they participate in the Engage 2025 project in the Middle East, and for Elizabeth as she raises support to join them. To help, make out your check to First Presbyterian Church and label it either “Nick and Amanda,” “Nour and Rebecca,” or “Elizabeth.”

**PLEASE PRAY** for Andrew Brunson, an EPC Teaching Elder who has been unjustly imprisoned in Turkey.

## Opening and Closing Schedule

3/4-10 – Lem Montgomery	4/1-7 – Don Wilson
3/11-17 – John L. Torrey	4/8-14 – Scott Davis
3/18-24 – Doug Nasif	4/15-21 – Michelle Burrell
3/25-31 – Shreve Guthrie, III	4/22-28 – Kenny Strawn
	4/29-5/5 – Eddie Lipscomb

## Upcoming Events

March 20 ..... Hands of Hope Spaghetti Supper, Annex  
 March 23-25..... “How the Deal Rocked Up,” Blue Barn Theatre  
 March 29 .....Maundy Thursday Communion Service, Yokena, 6pm  
 March 31-April 5 ..... Workgroup from Grace CRC Kalamazoo here  
 April 6-7 ..... Whispers in the Cedars Cemetery Tours  
 April 12 ..... Lions Club Spaghetti Supper, Annex  
 April 20-21.....Present Meets the Past, Shaifer House  
 April 27-28.....Presbytery Meeting, First Baton Rouge  
 May 3-6.....Spring Cursillo, Camp Wesley Pines  
 May 20 ..... Spring Grand Gulf Outing, 10:30am  
 June 9-15 .....Hermanville VBS team here  
 June 19-23..... General Assembly Meeting, Hope Cordova, TN  
 September 28-29 ..... Presbytery Meeting, City of Refuge, Houston  
 October 7..... Fall Grand Gulf Outing, 10:30am

## Bible Reading Schedule

March 5 .....Psalm 132:6-12 – God Selects the Family of David  
March 6 ..... Psalm 132:13-18 – God Chooses to Dwell in Zion  
March 7 .....Acts 2:29-36 – Jesus, Heir to David’s Throne  
March 8 ..... II Chronicles 6:1-11 – Solomon Completes the Temple  
March 9 ..... II Chronicles 6:12-21 – Solomon’s Prayer of Dedication  
March 10 .....II Chronicles 6:28-33 – Foreigners Welcome in God’s Temple  
March 11 .....II Chronicles 6:36-42 – Prayers of Repentance during Captivity

**Deacon for the Month:** Jim Hynum

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

## March Birthdays

4	Mack May	4	Melanie Oakman
6	Henry Slayton	8	David Killingsworth
9	Shelby Donald	9	Jim Harrison
11	Nancy Jane Bowers	12	Ken McLemore
14	Lauren Brady	16	Jezelle Headley
17	Irene Guthrie	17	Flo Strawn
17	Daniel Slayton	18	Freddy Tisdale
19	Jane Person	20	Mandy Strawn Penny
22	Virginia Gage	23	Sophie Fraley
24	John Brady	24	Wade Doyle
27	David Doyle	28	Azalea Knight
29	Kathleen Pugh	30	Lindsay Strawn Adams
30	John Robert Burnett		

## Church Directory

Rev. Michael G. Herrin, Pastor  
Mrs. H.N. Gage, Organist

### The Session

Class of 2018  
Mr. Gary Knight  
Mr. Lem Montgomery

Class of 2019  
Mr. Kenny Strawn  
Mr. John L. Torrey

Class of 2020  
Dr. Betsy Lipscomb

### The Diaconate

Class of 2018  
Mr. Jim Hynum  
Mr. Mack May

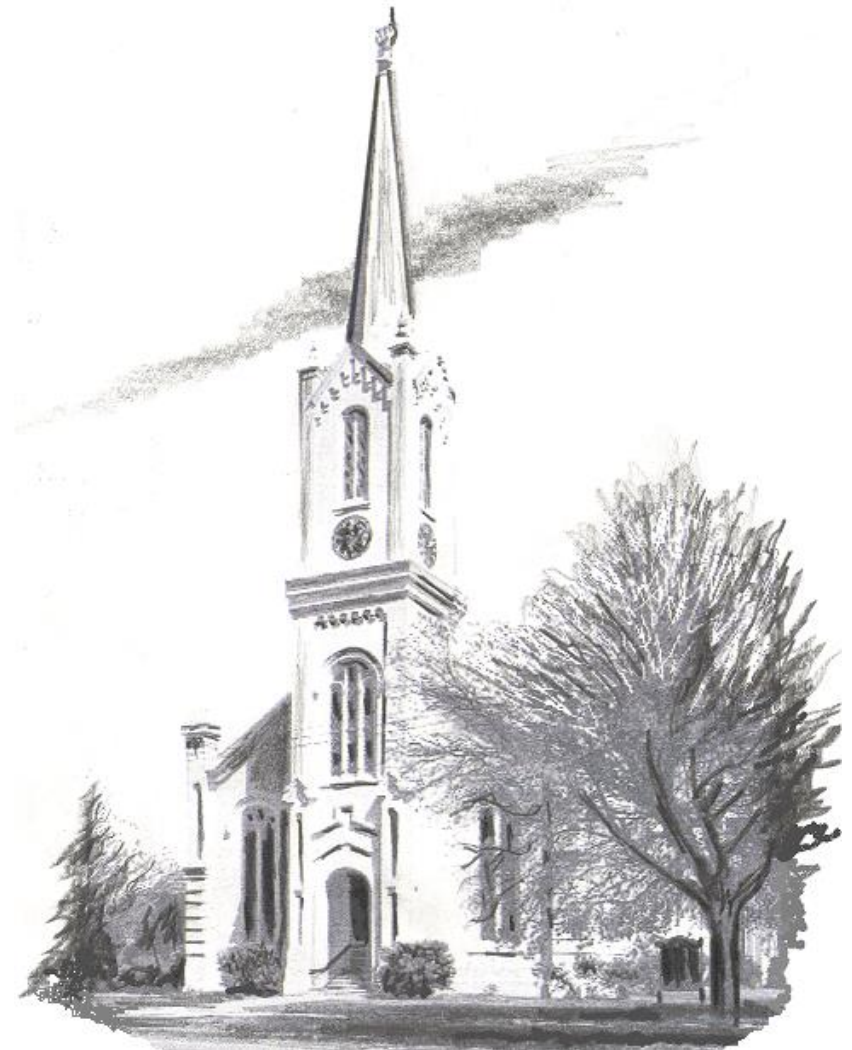
Class of 2019  
Mr. Shreve Guthrie, III  
Mr. Kevin Keaton

Class of 2020  
Mrs. Michelle Burrell  
Mrs. Dorothy Staer  
Mrs. Ruth Willis

## Presbyterian Women

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