

# The First Presbyterian Church

of Port Gibson, Mississippi

Worship Service March 11, 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..... Revelation 21:1-10 (p. 916, p. 1506)  
Hymn of Praise (All)..... No. 43  
The Apostles' Creed .....(Front of Hymnal)  
The Gloria Patri ..... No. 576  
Minute for Mission / Time with God's Children  
Hymn of Meditation (All)..... No. 346

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Silent Prayer and Meditation  
The Pastoral Prayer  
Choral Response

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Offering and Offertory Prayer  
Scripture..... Ecclesiastes 3:1-9 (p. 506, p. 824)  
Sermon ***"Changing Times"***  
Hymn of Praise (All)..... No. 355  
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

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

**CHURCH PLANTS** sponsored by our presbytery include Quest Church in New Braunfels, Texas: [www.questchurchnb.com](http://www.questchurchnb.com) and All Souls' Church in Austin, Texas: <http://www.landofmysojourn.com>  
To help with these efforts, make out your check to First Presbyterian Church and label it either "Quest Church" or "All Souls' Church."

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

## Opening and Closing Schedule

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
4/1-7 – Don Wilson	4/29-5/5 – Eddie Lipscomb
	5/6-12 – Lem Montgomery

## Upcoming Events

March 20 ..... Hands of Hope Spaghetti Supper, Annex  
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 13-15 ..... "How the Deal Rocked Up," Blue Barn Theatre  
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

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

## Bible Reading Schedule

March 12 .....John 9:24-38 – God Listens to Obedient Worshipers  
March 13 ..... Isaiah 19:19-25 – An International Worship Service  
March 14 .....II Chronicles 29:25-30 – Hezekiah Arranges a Worship Service  
March 15 .....Psalm 107:1-9 – Deliverance from Many Troubles  
March 16 .....Psalm 107:17-22 – Healed and Forgiven  
March 17 .....I Kings 8:54:61 – Solomon Blesses Assembly Attendees  
March 18 .....II Chronicles 7:1-9 – Solomon Dedicates the Temple

**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

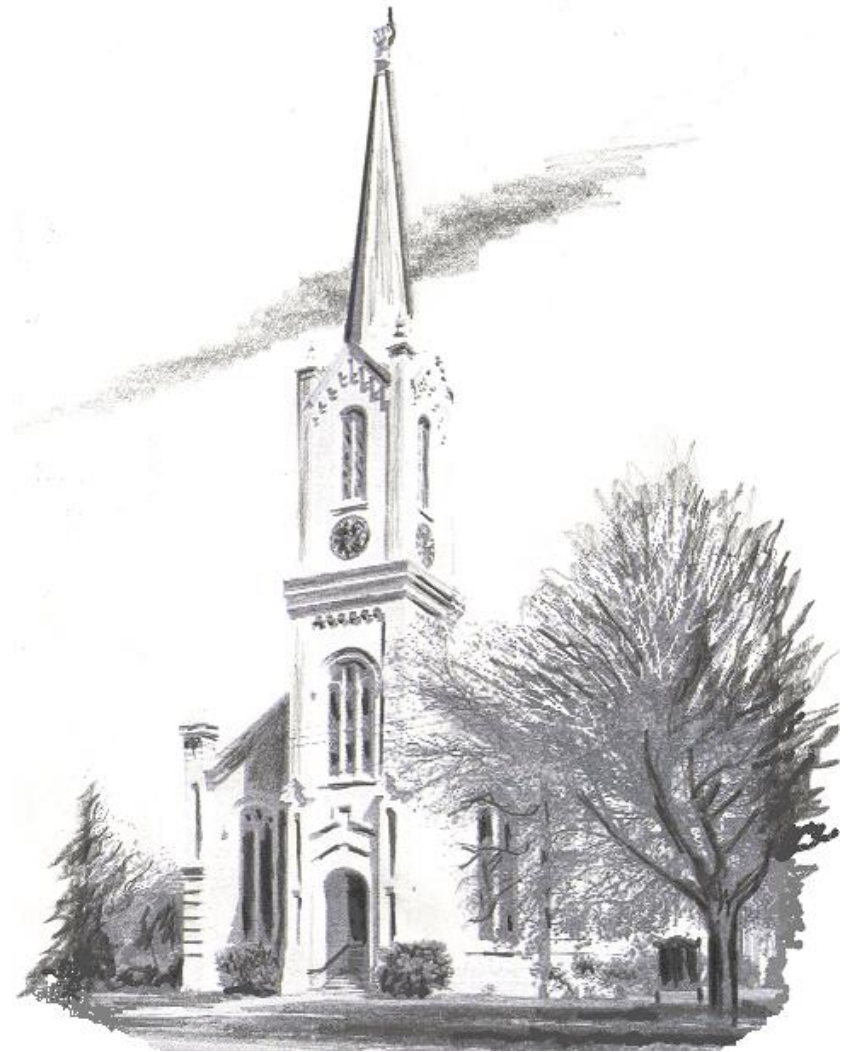
Class of 2018  
Mr. Jim Hynum  
Mr. Mack May

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

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

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