

The First Presbyterian Church

of Port Gibson, Mississippi

Worship Service March 19, A.D. 2017

Instrumental Prelude Mrs. H.N. Gage
 Introit The Choir
 Welcome and Announcements
 The Doxology No. 572
 Invocation and Lord’s Prayer
 Responsive Reading.....Revelation 7:9-17 (p. 909, p. 1492)
 Hymn of Praise (All)..... No. 200
 The Apostles’ Creed(Front of Hymnal)
 The Gloria Patri No. 576
 Time with the Children/Minute for Mission
 Hymn of Meditation (All)..... No. 348

Silent Prayer and Meditation
 The Pastoral Prayer
 Choral Response

Offering and Offertory Prayer
 Scripture..... Ezra 6:1-15 (p. 383, p. 626)
 Sermon **“God’s Will Is Done”**
 Hymn of Dedication (All)..... No. 466
 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 BOARD OF DEACONS will meet this Tuesday at 6:30pm in the Annex.

ALL SOULS’ CHURCH is a presbytery church planting effort in Austin, Texas: <http://www.landofmysojourn.com> To help, make out your check to First Presbyterian Church and label it “All Souls’ Church.”

PLEASE PRAY for Andrew Brunson, an EPC Teaching Elder who has been unjustly imprisoned in Turkey. You can find more information at <https://www.epc.org/forgottenamericaninturkey>

Opening and Closing Schedule

3/19-25 – Don Wilson	4/16-22 – Eddie Lipscomb
3/26-4/1 – Scott Davis	4/23-29 – Lem Montgomery
4/2-8 – Michelle Burrell	4/30-5/6 – John L. Torrey
4/9-15 – Kenny Strawn	5/7-13 – Doug Nasif
	5/14-20 – Shreve Guthrie, III

Upcoming Events

March 29Choir Practice, Annex, 6pm
 March 30 Lions Club Spaghetti Supper, Annex, 5-7pm
 March 31-April 1 Whispers in the Cedars Cemetery Tours
 April 13Maundy Thursday Communion Service, Yokena, 6pm
 April 28-29..... Presbytery Meeting, First Ocean Springs
 May 4-7..... Presbyterian Cursillo, Camp Wesley Pines
 May 7 Spring Grand Gulf Outing, 10:30am
 June 10 Chamber of Commerce Car Show
 June 20-23..... EPC General Assembly, Sacramento, CA
 September 22-23 Presbytery Meeting, Christ EPC Houston
 October 1..... Fall Grand Gulf Outing, 10:30am
 November 2-5 Presbyterian Cursillo, Camp Wesley Pines

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

Deacon for the Month: Jim Hynum
Tithes and offerings may be mailed to P.O. Box 517.
CD recordings of services are available. Call the pastor at 5887.

Bible Reading Schedule

March 20Acts 2:14-21 – Day of the Lord at Pentecost
March 21II Peter 3:1-10 – The Final Day of the Lord
March 22Joel 2:1-11 – The Prophetied Day of the Lord
March 23 Joel 2:12-17 – The People Called to Repent
March 24Joel 2:18-27 – God Restores Land and People
March 25Joel 2:28-32 – I Will Pour Out My Spirit
March 26 . Joel 3:1-3, 18-21 – God Judges Nations; Proclaims Judah’s Future

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 2017
Mr. Burton O. Byrnes, II
Mr. Douglas Nasif

Class of 2018
Mr. Gary Knight
Mr. Lem Montgomery

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

The Diaconate

Class of 2017
Mr. Jimmy Cassell
Dr. Eddie Lipscomb
Mr. Mike Mikell

Class of 2018
Mr. Jim Hynum
Mr. Mack May

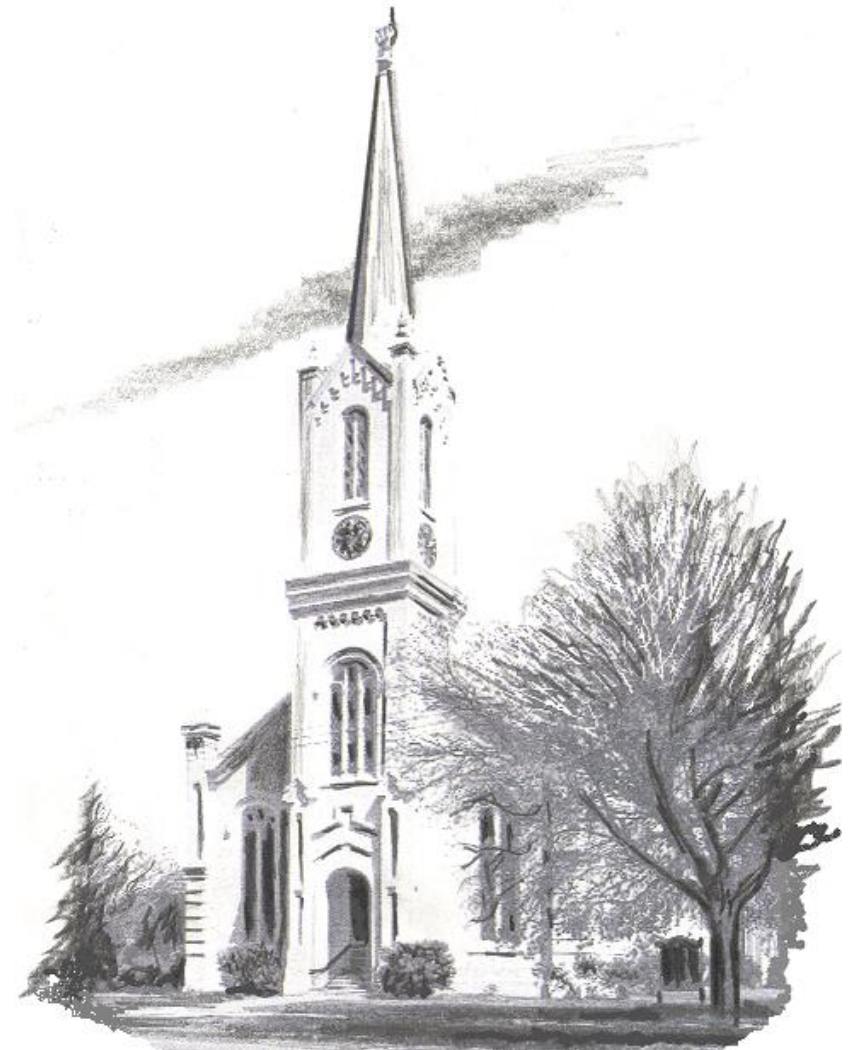
Class of 2019
Shreve Guthrie, III
Kevin Keaton

Presbyterian Women

Mrs. Dianne Wade, Moderator
Mrs. Jo Ann Mikell, Vice-Moderator
Dr. Betsy Lipscomb, Mission Representative
Mrs. Azalea Knight, Secretary/Treasurer

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