

# The First Presbyterian Church

of Port Gibson, Mississippi

Worship Service July 31, A.D. 2016

Instrumental Prelude ..... Mrs. Janice Carter  
Introit ..... The Choir  
Welcome and Announcements  
The Doxology ..... No. 572  
Invocation and Lord's Prayer  
Responsive Reading ..... No. 611  
Hymn of Praise (All) ..... No. 37  
The Apostles' Creed ..... (Front of Hymnal)  
The Gloria Patri ..... No. 576  
Time for the Children/Minute for Mission  
Hymn of Meditation (All) ..... No. 249

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Silent Prayer and Meditation  
The Pastoral Prayer  
Choral Response

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Offering and Offertory Prayer  
Scripture ..... James 1:12-18 (p. 892, p. 1464)  
Sermon ..... *"Temptation"*  
Hymn of Dedication ..... No. 316  
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 CHOIR** will practice at 6pm on Wednesday in the Annex.

**BIBLE STUDY** will take place this week on Wednesday at 7pm in the Annex.

**QUEST CHURCH** is a church planting effort in San Antonio, Texas, sponsored by our presbytery: [www.saquest.org](http://www.saquest.org) To help, make out your check to First Presbyterian Church and label it "Quest Church."

**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 Nick and Amanda, as they participate in the Engage 2025 project in the Middle East. To help, make out your check to First Presbyterian Church and label it "Nick and Amanda."

**PLEASE PRAY** for Nour and Rebecca, EPC World Outreach missionaries serving in the Middle East. To help, make out your check to First Presbyterian Church and label it "Nour and Rebecca."

## Upcoming Events

September 23-24 ..... Presbytery Meeting, New Covenant Mandeville  
October 2 ..... Worship at Grand Gulf, Communion  
October 13-16 ..... Fall Cursillo Retreat

## Bible Reading Schedule

August 1 ..... Psalm 12 – Safe in Evil Times  
August 2 ..... Ezekiel 39:25-29 – God's Safety and Care  
August 3 ..... Proverbs 28:18-20, 26-27 – Living Safely  
August 4 ..... II Thessalonians 3:1-5 – Living Steadfastly  
August 5 ..... I John 4:7-16 – God Is Love  
August 6 ..... I John 5:13-21 – God is Truth  
August 7 ..... Romans 8:28-39 – Safe in God's Love

### August Birthdays

3	Gary Knight	3	Whit Noble
4	Matthew Hudson	5	Jimmie Person
5	Tirey Keaton	10	Nancy Hynum
12	Loren Eaton	12	Shreve Guthrie, Jr.
12	Patricia Hay	18	Vance McGee
19	Charlie Barland	19	James Hudson, Jr.
24	Nathan Guerra	25	Derrick Harpole
26	John McGee	27	Penny Byrnes French
28	Jeff Roberts	29	Bethany McLemore Austin

### Church Directory

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

#### The Session

Class of 2016  
Mr. Jim Cassell  
Dr. Betsy Lipscomb

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

Class of 2018  
Mr. Gary Knight  
Mr. Lem Montgomery

#### The Diaconate

Class of 2016  
Mrs. Ruth Willis

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

Class of 2018  
Mr. Jim Hynum  
Mr. Mack May

### Presbyterian Women

Mrs. Dianne Wade, Moderator  
Mrs. Jo Ann Mikell, Vice-Moderator

Dr. Betsy Lipscomb, Mission Representative  
Mrs. Azalea Knight, Secretary/Treasurer

**Deacon for the Month:** Mike Mikell

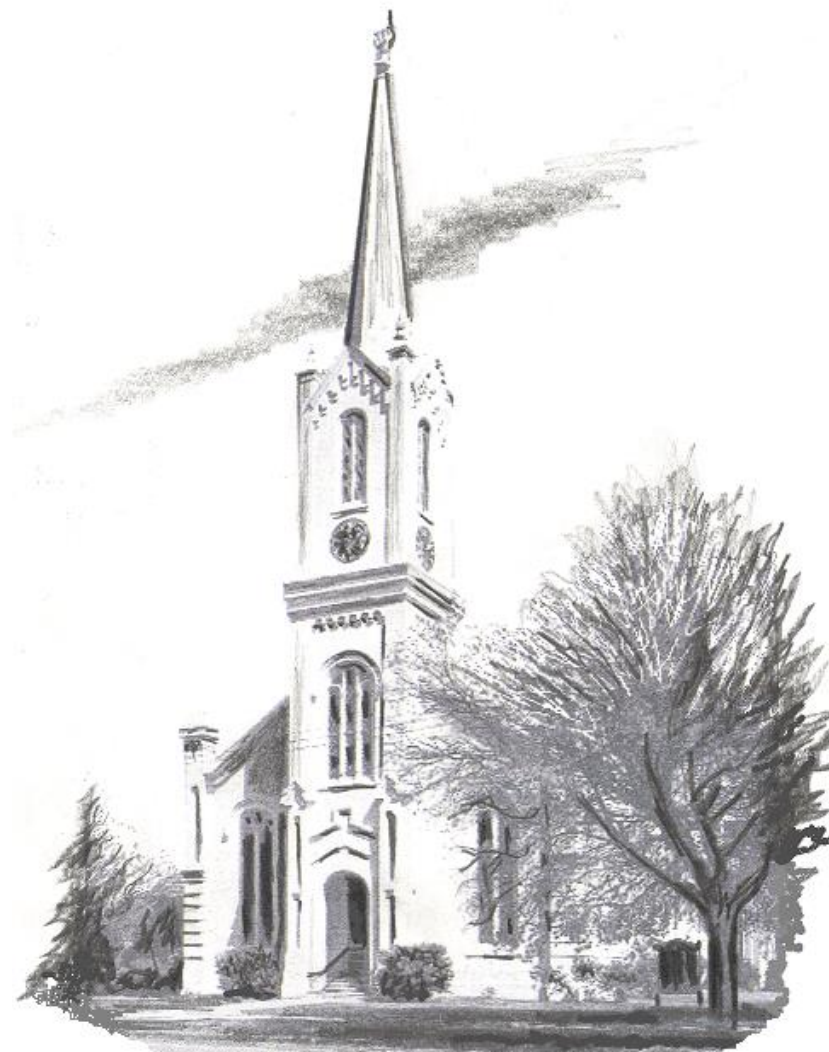
**Tithes and offerings** may be mailed to P.O. Box 517.

**CD recordings** of services are available. Call the pastor at 5887.

**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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