

The First Presbyterian Church

of Port Gibson, Mississippi

Worship Service August 6, 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..... No. 605
Hymn of Praise (1 and 2)..... No. 354
The Apostles' Creed(Front of Hymnal)
The Gloria Patri No. 576
Time for the Children / Minute for Mission
Hymn of Meditation (All)..... No. 392

Silent Prayer and Meditation
The Pastoral Prayer
Choral Response

Offering and Offertory Prayer
Scripture.....Ezra 9:1-15; Matthew 19:1-11 (p. 386, 719)
Sermon "The Beginnings of Revival"
Hymn of Dedication (All)..... No. 149
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 HAND POINTING TO HEAVEN will be reinstalled atop our steeple at 9am on Wednesday, August 9. Come early if you would like to have a picture made with it before it is raised.

BIBLE STUDY will be hosted by Dennis and Dorothy Staer at their home on Thursday at 1pm.

A CONGREGATIONAL MEETING to act on the report of the Nominating Committee will be held after worship next week, August 13. Michelle Burrell, Dorothy Staer and Ruth Willis will be nominated to serve as Deacons and Dr. Betsy Lipscomb will be nominated to serve as a Ruling Elder.

A MISSION SUPPER will be held in the Annex on Wednesday, August 16, at 7pm. Elizabeth Smith will be our guest speaker.

CHURCH PLANTS sponsored by our presbytery include Quest Church in New Braunfels, Texas: 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."

Opening and Closing Schedule

8/6-12 – Michelle Burrell	9/3-9 – John L. Torrey
8/13-19 – Kenny Strawn	9/10-16 – Doug Nasif
8/20-26 – Eddie Lipscomb	9/17-23 – Shreve Guthrie, III
8/27-9/2 – Lem Montgomery	9/24-30 – Don Wilson
	10/1-7 – Scott Davis

Upcoming Events

September 22-23 Presbytery Meeting, Christ EPC Houston
October 1.....Fall Grand Gulf Outing, 10:30am
November 2-5 Presbyterian Cursillo, Camp Wesley Pines
November 4.....Presbyterian Heritage Celebration, Belhaven, 10-4

Deacon for the Month: Mack May

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

August 7Matthew 15:21-28 – Jesus Heals the Canaanite’s Daughter
August 8Galatians 3:23-29 – Good News for All Peoples
August 9Romans 10:9-15 – All Who Call Will Be Saved
August 10Acts 8:2-8 – Persecution Scatters the Church
August 11Acts 8:9-13 – Converts in Samaria Are Baptized
August 12Acts 8:14-25 – Simon Repents of a Selfish Power Grab
August 13Acts 8:26-39 – The Good News Breaks Down Barriers

August Birthdays

3	Gary Knight	3	Whit Noble
4	Matthew Hudson	5	Jimmie Person
5	Tirey Keaton	10	Nancy Hynum
12	Loren Eaton	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 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
Mr. Shreve Guthrie, III
Mr. Kevin Keaton

Presbyterian Women

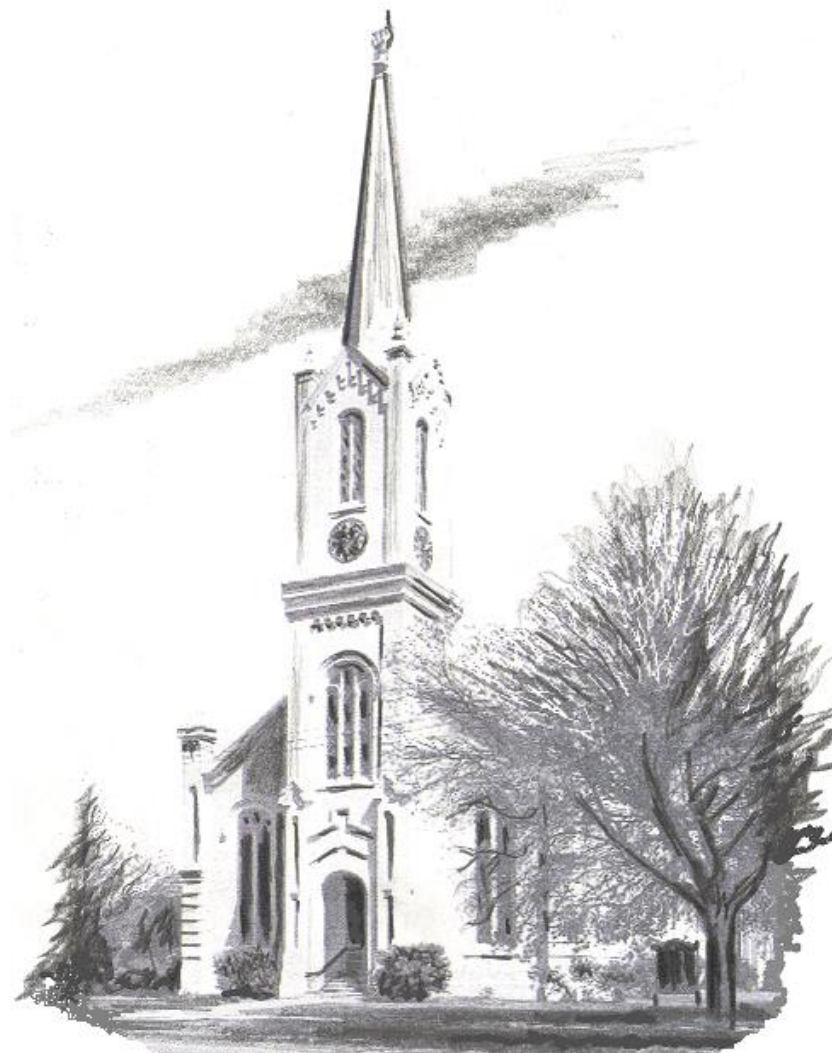
Mrs. Dianne Wade, Moderator
Mrs. Jo Ann Mikell, Vice-Moderator

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

**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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