

# The First Presbyterian Church

of Port Gibson, Mississippi

Worship Service August 11, A.D. 2019

Instrumental Prelude ..... Mrs. H.N. Gage  
Introit ..... The Choir  
Welcome and Announcements  
The Doxology ..... No. 572  
Invocation and Lord's Prayer  
Responsive Reading ..... No. 596  
Hymn of Praise (All) ..... No. 225  
The Apostles' Creed .....(Front of Hymnal)  
The Gloria Patri ..... No. 576  
Time for the Children / Minute for Mission  
Hymn of Meditation (Tune 48) ..... No. 435

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Silent Prayer and Meditation  
The Pastoral Prayer  
Choral Response

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Offering and Offertory Prayer  
Scripture ..... Joshua 1:1-9 (p. 177, p. 286)  
Sermon "Strong and Courageous"  
Hymn of Dedication (All) ..... No. 352  
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 NOMINATING COMMITTEE** will meet on Tuesday at 6pm in the Annex.

**THE BOARD OF DEACONS** will meet on Tuesday at 6:30pm in the Annex.

**BIBLE STUDY** will not be held this week.

**CISTERNs** are the best way to provide families with clean water in the semi-arid areas of Northeast Brazil. Each one costs \$1500. To help, place a donation in the water jug in the Narthex or make out your check to First Presbyterian Church and label it "cisterns."

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

**PLEASE PRAY** for Nick and Amanda, Elizabeth and Greg and Jackie as they participate in the Engage 2025 project in the Middle East, and for Kevin and Jena as they prepare to join them next fall. To help, make out your check to First Presbyterian Church and label it either "Nick and Amanda," "Elizabeth and Greg," "Jackie," or "Kevin and Jena."

## Opening and Closing Schedule

8/11-17 – Shreve Guthrie, III  
8/18-24 – Don Wilson  
8/25-31 – Scott Davis  
9/1-7 – Michelle Burrell

9/8-14 – Kenny Strawn  
9/15-21 – Eddie Lipscomb  
9/22-28 – Lem Montgomery  
9/29-10/5 – John L. Torrey  
10/6-12 – Doug Nasif

**Deacon for the Month:** Eddie Lipscomb

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

**Our website** features daily devotions on the Bible Readings, sermon texts, sermon videos and lessons based on the sermons.

### Upcoming Events

September 19-22 ..... MS Presbyterian Cursillo, Camp Wesley Pines  
September 27-28 ..... Presbytery Meeting, Cornerstone Katy  
October 6.....Fall Grand Gulf Outing, 10:30am

### Bible Reading Schedule

August 12 – Ezekiel 16:8-14 ..... August 13 – Deuteronomy 24:1-4  
August 14 – I Corinthians 7:1-11 ..... August 15 – I Peter 3:1-9  
August 16 – Ruth 4:9-12 ..... August 17 – Ruth 4:13-17  
August 18 – Ruth 3:1-6, 8-12, 16-18

### 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 2019  
Mr. Kenny Strawn  
Mr. John L. Torrey

Class of 2020  
Dr. Betsy Lipscomb

Class of 2021  
Mr. Jim Hynum  
Mr. Douglas Nasif

#### The Diaconate

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

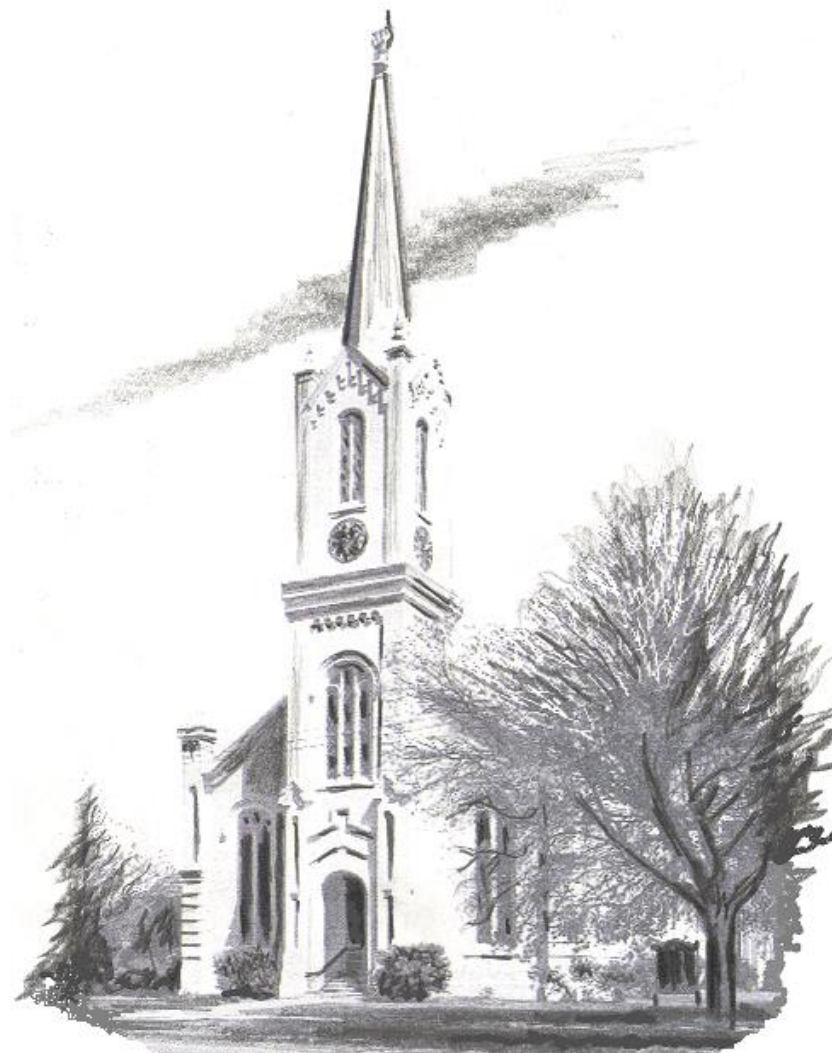
Class of 2020  
Mrs. Michelle Burrell  
Mrs. Dorothy Staer  
Mrs. Ruth Willis

Class of 2021  
Mr. Jimmy Cassell  
Mr. Jim Harrison  
Dr. Eddie Lipscomb

**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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