

**The First Presbyterian Church**  
of Port Gibson, Mississippi

Worship Service August 26, 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..... No. 639  
 Hymn of Praise (1-3) ..... 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. 247

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Silent Prayer and Meditation  
 The Pastoral Prayer  
 Choral Response

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Offering and Offertory Prayer  
 Scripture.....Nehemiah 7:73-8:12 (p. 394, p. 644)  
 Sermon “So, You Want a Revival?”  
 Hymn of Dedication..... No. 187  
 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 not be held this week.

**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 Nick and Amanda, and Nour and Rebecca as they participate in the Engage 2025 project in the Middle East, and for Elizabeth as she raises support to join them. To help, make out your check to First Presbyterian Church and label it either “Nick and Amanda,” “Nour and Rebecca,” or “Elizabeth.”

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

**Deacon for the Month:** Mack May

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

Opening and Closing Schedule

8/26-9/1 – Kenny Strawn	9/23-29 – Doug Nasif
9/2-8 – Eddie Lipscomb	9/30-10/6 – Shreve Guthrie, III
9/9-15 – Lem Montgomery	10/7-13 – Don Wilson
9/16-22 – John L. Torrey	10/14-20 – Scott Davis
	10/21-27 – Michelle Burrell

Upcoming Events

September 28-29 ..... Presbytery Meeting, City of Refuge, Houston  
 October 7..... Fall Grand Gulf Outing, 10:30am  
 November 1-4 ..... Fall Cursillo at Camp Wesley Pines  
 January 25-26, 2019..... Presbytery Meeting, Covenant Jackson  
 April 26-27, 2019..... Presbytery Meeting, Covenant Monroe  
 May 2-5, 2019..... Spring Cursillo at Camp Wesley Pines

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

## Bible Reading Schedule

August 27 ..... I Peter 4:12-19 – In Your Suffering, Trust the Creator  
August 28 ..... Colossians 3:8-11 – Renewed by the Creator  
August 29 ..... Isaiah 41:17-20 – God Provides the Water  
August 30 ..... Mark 4:35-41 – The Wind and Water Obey Jesus’ Voice  
August 31 ..... Matthew 5:43-48 – God Sends the Rain to Everyone  
September 1 ..... Psalm 33:1-9 – God is Great; God is Good  
September 2 ..... Genesis 1:1-13 – God Created the Heavens and Earth

## August Birthdays

19	James Hudson, Jr.	24	Nathan Guerra
25	Derrick Harpole	26	John McGee
27	Penny Byrnes French	28	Jeff Roberts
29	Bethany McLemore Austin		

## September Birthdays

2	Robert D. Gage	4	John Noble
4	Doug Nasif	4	Michelle Burrell
11	Barton McIntosh	12	Daniel May
12	Deb McGee	12	Ruth Willis
17	George Hudson, Jr.	20	Allison McGee
20	Bob Robinson	21	Dennis Staer
22	John L. Torrey	24	Scott Davis
25	Shreve Guthrie, IV	26	Burton Byrnes
27	Bradley Callender	28	Betsy Lipscomb
28	Margaret Lum		

## 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

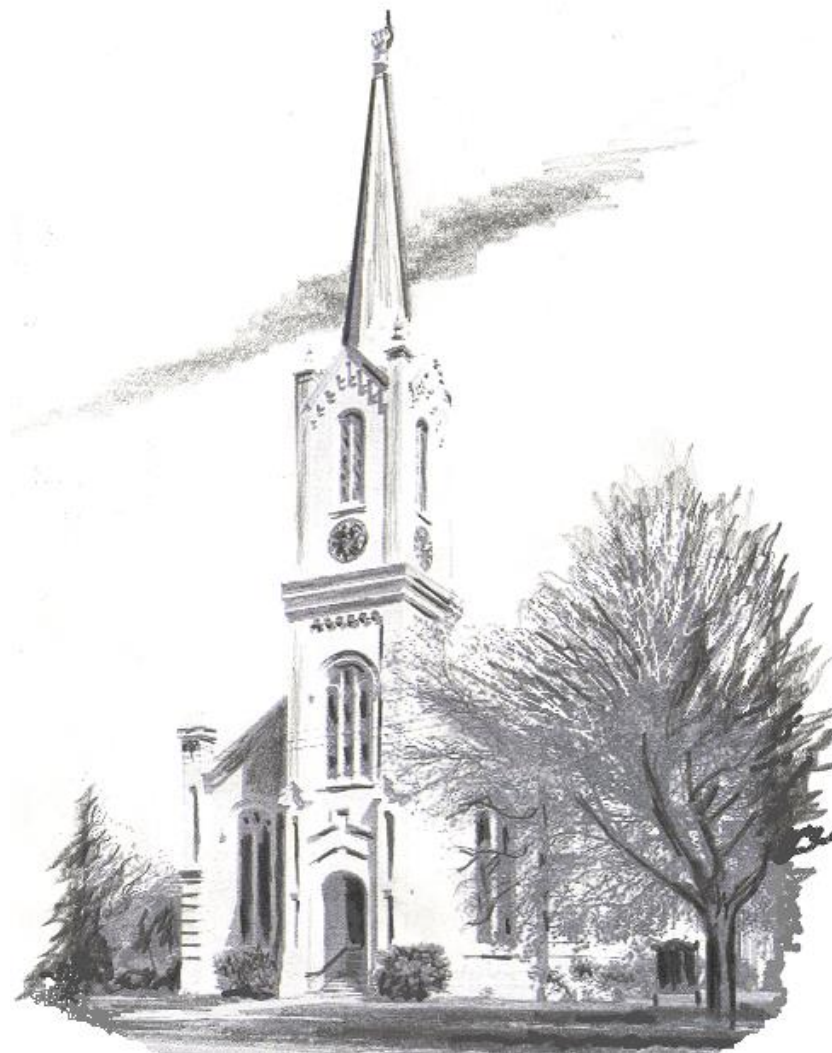
Class of 2018  
Mr. Jim Hynum  
Mr. Mack May

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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