## The First Presbyterian Church

of Port Gibson, Mississippi

Worship Service	September 8, A.D. 2019	
Instrumental Prelude	Mrs. H.N. Gage	
	The Choir	
Welcome and Announcement		
	No. 572	
Invocation and Lord's Prayer		
Responsive Reading		
Hymn of Praise (All)	No. 48	
	(Front of Hymnal)	
	No. 576	
Time for the Children / Minut	te for Mission	
Hymn of Meditation (All)	No. 50	
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Silent Prayer and Meditation		
The Pastoral Prayer		
Choral Response		
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Offering and Offertory Prayer	ſ	
ScriptureJos	hua 4:1-10, 19-24 (p. 179, p. 289)	
Sermon "H		
	No. 302	
Benediction		
Response	The Choir	
Postlude		
WE EXTEND OUR SINCERE WELCOME to our visitors.		
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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

A CONGREGATIONAL MEETING to approve a disbursement from the Mary Wharton Fund and to elect deacons and ruling elders for the class of 2022 will be held after worship today. Gary Knight and Lem Montgomery will be nominated to serve as elders and Ed Lum and Mike Mikell will be nominated to serve as deacons.

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

**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 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

9/8-14 – Kenny Strawn	10/6-12 – Doug Nasif
9/15-21 – Eddie Lipscomb	10/13-19 – Shreve Guthrie, III
9/22-28 – Lem Montgomery	10/20-26 – Don Wilson
9/29-10/5 – John L. Torrey	10/27-11/2 - Scott Davis
•	11/3-9 – Michelle Burrell

**Deacon for the Month:** Michelle Burrell

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

Our website features audio recordings of services, 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 21	Present Meets the Past, Shaifer House, 10am-3pm
September 27-28	Presbytery Meeting, Cornerstone Katy
October 6	Fall Grand Gulf Outing, 10:30am

#### Bible Reading Schedule

September 9 – II Corinthians 8:9-15S	September 10 – I Corinthians 12:18-26
September 11 – Exodus 16:9-12	September 12 – Exodus 16:16-21
September 13 – Exodus 16:22-30	September 14 – Exodus 16:31-36
September 15 – Exodus 16:1-8, 13-15	•

#### 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	<b>Burton Byrnes</b>
27	Bradley Callender	28	Betsy Lipscomb
28	Margaret Lum		

### Church Directory

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

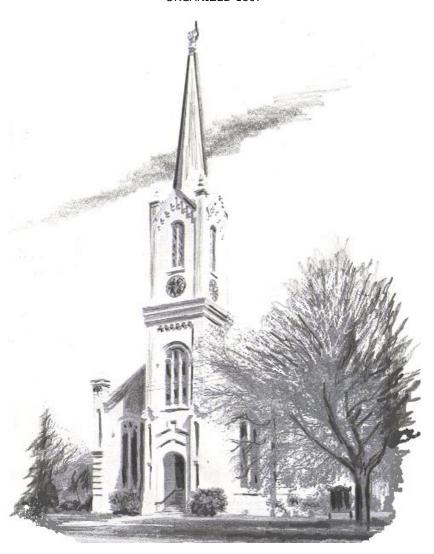
#### The Session

Class of 2019	Class of 2020	Class of 2021	
Mr. Kenny Strawn	Dr. Betsy Lipscomb	Mr. Jim Hynum	
Mr. John L. Torrey		Mr. Douglas Nasif	
The Diaconate			
Class of 2019	Class of 2020	Class of 2021	
Mr. Shreve Guthrie, III	Mrs. Michelle Burrell	Mr. Jimmy Cassell	
Mr. Kevin Keaton	Mrs. Dorothy Staer	Mr. Jim Harrison	
	Mrs. Ruth Willis	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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