

The First Presbyterian Church

of Port Gibson, Mississippi

Worship Service September 16, 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. 607
Hymn of Praise (All)..... No. 55
The Apostles' Creed(Front of Hymnal)
The Gloria Patri No. 576
Time for the Children / Minute for Mission
Hymn of Meditation (All)..... No. 366

Silent Prayer and Meditation
The Pastoral Prayer
Choral Response

Offering and Offertory Prayer
Scripture.....Nehemiah 9:38-10:39 (p. 397, p. 647)
Sermon **"Firstfruits"**
Hymn of Dedication (All)..... No. 507
Benediction
ResponseThe 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

A CONGREGATIONAL MEETING to elect officers for the class of 2021 will be held immediately after worship today. Jim Hynum and Doug Nasif will be nominated to serve as elders, and Jimmy Cassell, Jim Harrison and Eddie Lipscomb will be nominated to serve as deacons.

BIBLE STUDY will be held at the home of Dennis and Dorothy Staer on Thursday at 1pm.

AN ECUMENICAL PRAYER MEETING will be held at Hermanville Baptist Church on Friday at 7pm.

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."

PLEASE PRAY for Andrew Brunson, an EPC Teaching Elder who is being held under house arrest in Turkey.

Deacon for the Month: Michelle Burrell

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

Opening and Closing Schedule

9/16-22 – John L. Torrey	10/14-20 – Scott Davis
9/23-29 – Doug Nasif	10/21-27 – Michelle Burrell
9/30-10/6 – Shreve Guthrie, III	10/28-11/3 – Kenny Strawn
10/7-13 – Don Wilson	11/4-10 – Eddie Lipscomb
	11/11-17 – Lem Montgomery

Upcoming Events

September 26 Hands of Hope Mission Supper, Annex, 7pm
September 28-29 Presbytery Meeting, City of Refuge, Houston
October 7 Fall Grand Gulf Outing, 10:30am
October 14 Worship at Bethel, 3pm
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

Bible Reading Schedule

September 17 – Matthew 19:3-6 ... September 18 – I Corinthians 7:1-7, 32-35
September 19 – Hebrews 13:1-6September 20 – I Peter 1:13-16, 22-25
September 21 – I Peter 4:7-11September 22 – Genesis 4:3-12
September 23 – Genesis 2:18-24; 4:1-2

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

Presbyterian Women

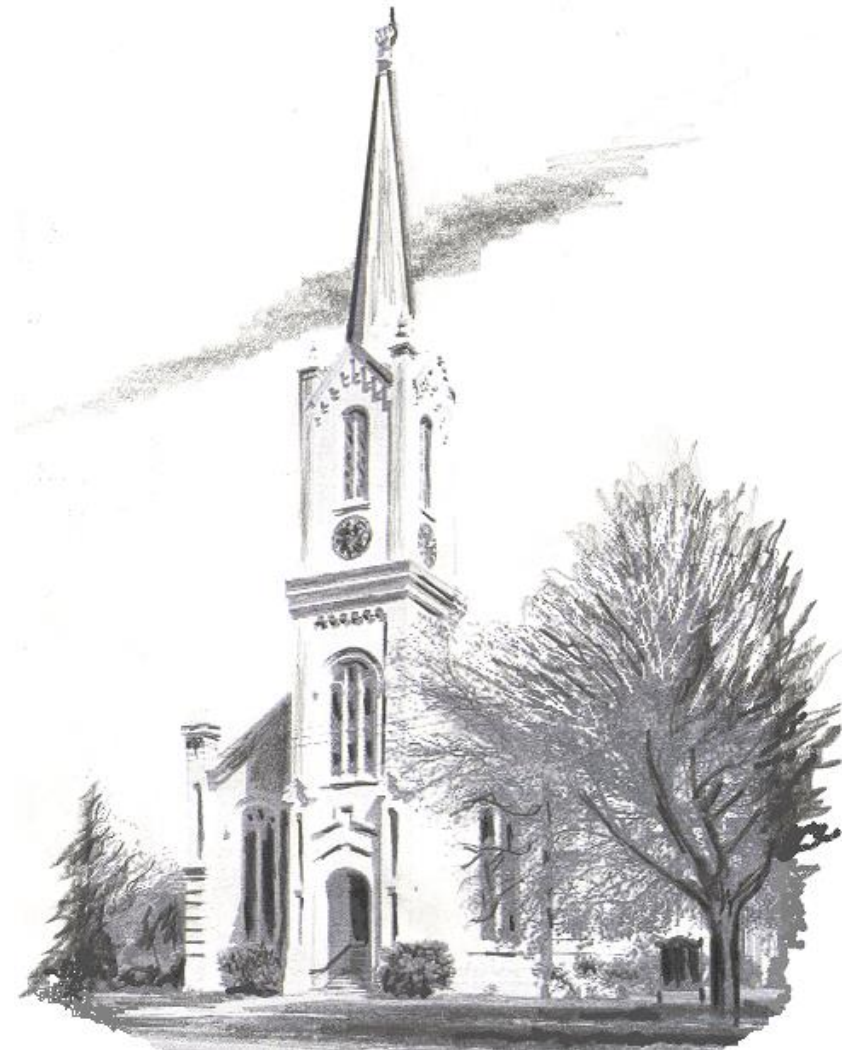
Mrs. Dianne Wade, Moderator
Mrs. Jo Ann Mikell, Vice-Moderator

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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