

The Lord's Prayer

Matthew 6:9-13

Our Father, which art in heaven, Hallowed be thy name.
Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done in earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts,
as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil: For thine is the kingdom,
and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead and buried: the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body and the life everlasting. Amen.

Break Thou the Bread of Life

1. Break Thou the bread of life, Dear Lord, to me
As Thou didst break the loaves beside the sea;
Beyond the sacred page I seek Thee, Lord
My spirit pants for Thee, O living Word.
2. Bless Thou the truth, dear Lord, to me, to me,
As Thou didst bless the bread by Galilee;
Then shall all bondage cease, all fetters fall;
And I shall find my peace, my All in all.
3. O send Thy Spirit, Lord, now unto me,
That He may touch my eyes and make me see:
Show me the truth concealed within Thy Word,
And in Thy Book revealed I see the Lord.

How Great Thou Art

(Words by Carl Boberg, Translated by Stuart K. Hine;
Tune *O Store Gud*, Swedish folk melody)

- (1) O Lord my God, when I in awesome wonder
Consider all the worlds Thy hands have made,
I see the stars, I hear the rolling thunder,
Thy pow'r throughout the universe displayed.

Refrain:

Then sings my soul, my Savior God, to Thee;
How great Thou art, how great Thou art!
Then sings my soul, my Savior God, to Thee:
How great Thou art, how great Thou art!

- (2) When through the woods and forest glades I wander
And hear the birds sing sweetly in the trees,
When I look down from lofty mountain grandeur,
And hear the brook and feel the gentle breeze.

(Refrain)

- (3) And when I think that God, His Son not sparing
Sent Him to die, I scarce can take it in,
That on the cross, my burden gladly bearing,
He bled and died to take away my sin.

(Refrain)

- (4) When Christ shall come with shout of acclamation
And take me home, what joy shall fill my heart!
Then I shall bow in humble adoration,
And there proclaim, my God, how great Thou art.

(Refrain)

Announcements

A PRAYER BREAKFAST will be served at 6:30am on Wednesday, October 7, in the Annex.

BIBLE STUDY will be held upstairs in the Annex and livestreamed on the church Facebook page this week on Wednesday at 7pm.

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 Jacqy 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," "Jacqy," or "Kevin and Jena."

Deacon for the Month: Ruth Willis

October Birthdays

6	Rebecca Cassell	6	Martha Vaughan
7	Claire May	11	Fred Bowers
12	Darreth Seal	13	Janie Guthrie
15	Nikki Fraley	18	Ellie Rose Fraley
19	Joshua Easton	21	Dana Harpole
25	Denise Donald Seale	27	Lauren Carpenter Willis
31	Kathy Cassell		

Bible Reading Schedule

October 5 – John 2-4 October 6 – Matthew 8; Mark 2
October 7 – John 5 October 8 – Matthew 12; Mark 3; Luke 6
October 9 – Matthew 5-7 October 10 – Matthew 9; Luke 7
October 11 – Matthew 11

Upcoming Events

October 13..... Board of Deacons Meeting, Annex, 6:30pm

First Presbyterian Church of Port Gibson Yokena Presbyterian Church

Joint Fall Outing
October 4, A.D. 2020

Welcome and Announcements

*Call to Worship

*Hymn of Praise *How Great Thou Art*

*Invocation and the Lord's Prayer

*Apostles' Creed

Minute for Mission

Pastoral Prayer

Offering and Offertory Prayer

Scripture Reading *Matthew 6:7-8*

Message *The Power of Prayer*

*Communion Hymn *Break Thou the Bread of Life*

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

*Hymn of Fellowship *Blest Be the Tie that Binds*

*Benediction

**Standing, as able*

Matthew 6:7-8 (ESV)

⁷ "And when you pray, do not heap up empty phrases as the Gentiles do, for they think that they will be heard for their many words.

⁸ Do not be like them, for your Father knows what you need before you ask him.

Blest Be the Tie That Binds

1. Blest be the tie that binds

Our hearts in Christian love;

The fellowship of kindred minds

Is like to that above.