

# The First Presbyterian Church

of Port Gibson, Mississippi

Worship Service October 9, A.D. 2016

Instrumental Prelude ..... Mrs. H.N. Gage  
 Introit ..... The Choir  
 Welcome and Announcements  
 The Doxology ..... No. 572  
 Invocation and Lord’s Prayer  
 Responsive Reading ..... No. 637  
 Hymn of Praise (All) ..... No. 73  
 The Apostles’ Creed .....(Front of Hymnal)  
 The Gloria Patri ..... No. 576  
 Time for the Children/Minute for Mission  
 Hymn of Meditation (All) ..... No. 424

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Silent Prayer and Meditation  
 The Pastoral Prayer  
 Choral Response

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Offering and Offertory Prayer  
 Scripture ..... James 4:6-17 (p. 893, p.)  
 Sermon *“Submitting to God”*  
 Hymn of Dedication ..... No. 156  
 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 BOARD OF DEACONS** will meet at the Annex at 6:30pm on Tuesday.

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

**QUEST CHURCH** is a church planting effort in San Antonio, Texas, sponsored by our presbytery: [www.questchurchnb.com](http://www.questchurchnb.com) To help, make out your check to First Presbyterian Church and label it “Quest Church.”

**ALL SOULS’ CHURCH** is a presbytery church planting effort in Austin, Texas: <http://www.landofmysojourn.com> To help, make out your check to First Presbyterian Church and label it “All Souls’ Church.”

**PLEASE PRAY** for Nick and Amanda, as they participate in the Engage 2025 project in the Middle East. To help, make out your check to First Presbyterian Church and label it “Nick and Amanda.”

**PLEASE PRAY** for Nour and Rebecca, EPC World Outreach missionaries serving in the Middle East. To help, make out your check to First Presbyterian Church and label it “Nour and Rebecca.”

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

## Upcoming Events

October 13-16 ..... Fall Cursillo Retreat  
 October 14 ..... Organ Recital at First Vicksburg  
 October 23 ..... Worship at Bethel, 3pm  
 November 2 ..... Prayer Breakfast, Annex, 6:30am

## Bible Reading Schedule

October 10 ..... Ephesians 4:7-13 – Gifts for the Work of Ministry  
 October 11 ..... I Timothy 1:12-17 – Grateful for God’s Mercy  
 October 12 ..... I Timothy 1:18-20 – Maintain Faith and a Good Conscience  
 October 13 ..... II Timothy 1:3-14 – Guard Your Faith with Powerful Love  
 October 14 ..... II Timothy 2:1-7 – A Good Soldier of Jesus Christ  
 October 15 ..... Matthew 26:36-39 – Jesus Carries Forward the Father’s Will  
 October 16 ..... Hebrews 4:14-5:10 – Jesus the Great High Priest

## 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	27	Lauren Carpenter Willis
31	Kathy Cassell		

## Opening and Closing Schedule

10/9-15 – Eddie Lipscomb	11/6-12 – Shreve Guthrie, III
10/16-22 – Lem Montgomery	11/13-19 – Don Wilson
10/23-29 – John L. Torrey	11/20-26 – Scott Davis
10/30-11/5 – Doug Nasif	11/27-12/3 – Michelle Burrell
	12/4-10 – Kenny Strawn

## Church Directory

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

### The Session

Class of 2016	Class of 2017	Class of 2018
Mr. Jim Cassell	Mr. Burton O. Byrnes, II	Mr. Gary Knight
Dr. Betsy Lipscomb	Mr. Douglas Nasif	Mr. Lem Montgomery

### The Diaconate

Class of 2016	Class of 2017	Class of 2018
Mrs. Ruth Willis	Mr. Jimmy Cassell	Mr. Jim Hynum
	Dr. Eddie Lipscomb	Mr. Mack May
	Mr. Mike Mikell	

### Presbyterian Women

Mrs. Dianne Wade, Moderator      Dr. Betsy Lipscomb, Mission Representative  
Mrs. Jo Ann Mikell, Vice-Moderator      Mrs. Azalea Knight, Secretary/Treasurer

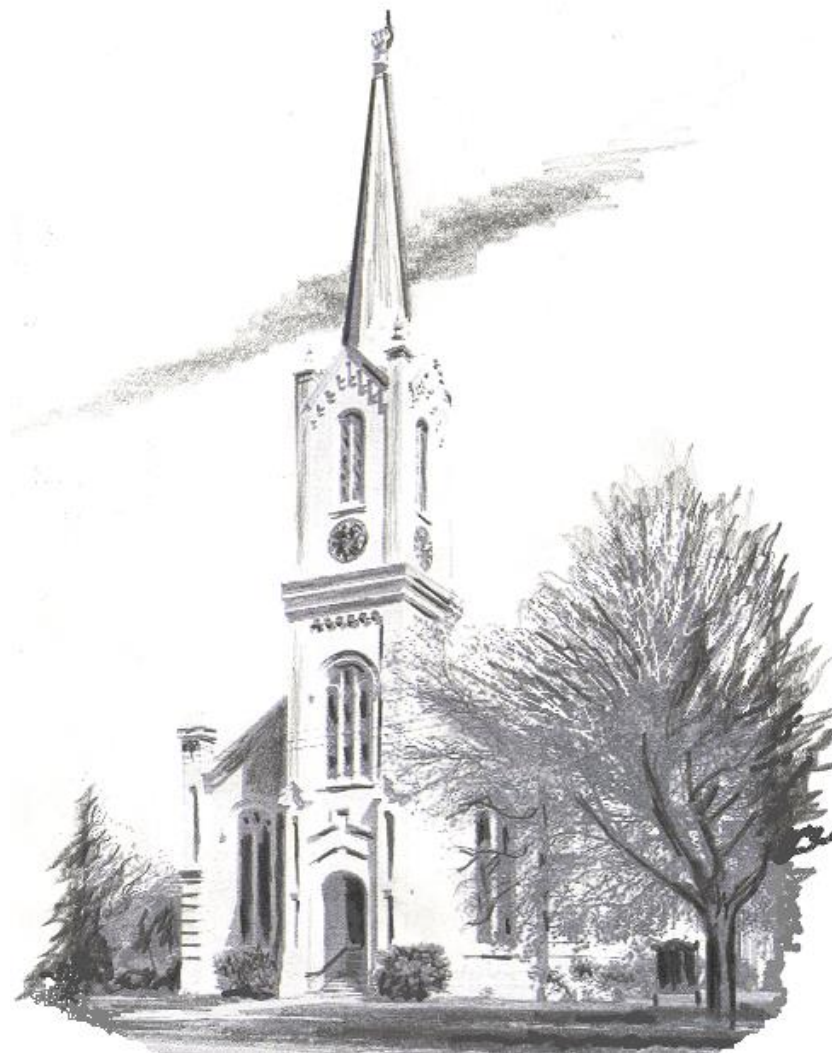
**CD recordings** of services are available. Call the pastor at 5887.

**Deacon for the Month:** Ruth Willis

**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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