# The First Presbyterian Church

of Port Gibson, Mississippi

Worship Service	October 14, 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. 600	
Hymn of Praise (All)	No. 58	
The Apostles' Creed	(Front of Hymnal)	
The Gloria Patri	No. 576	
Time for the Children / Minute for Missi	on	
Psalm 30 (5 stanzas)	(Tune No. 506)	
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Silent Prayer and Meditation		

The Pastoral Prayer Choral Response

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Offering and C	Offertory Prayer	
Scripture	Nehemiah	12:44-13:3 (p. 399, p. 652)
Sermon	"Not a Sprint – A	Marathon"
Hymn of Dedic	cation (All)	
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

**WORSHIP** at Bethel Church will take place at 3pm today.

BIBLE STUDY will not be held this week.

A SCREENING of the film "I Can Only Imagine" will be held outdoors at the home of Michelle Burrell on Thursday at 6:30pm. Bring a lawn chair, drinks, and a snack to share! Popcorn and paper products will be provided.

**CHURCH PLANTS** sponsored by our presbytery include Quest Church in New Braunfels, Texas: <u>www.questchurchnb.com</u> and All Souls' Church in Austin, Texas: <u>http://www.landofmysojourn.com</u> 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."

**Deacon for the Month:** Shreve Guthrie, III **Tithes and offerings** may be mailed to P.O. Box 517.

### Opening and Closing Schedule

10/14-20 – Scott Davis	11/11-17 – Lem Montgomery
10/21-27 – Michelle Burrell	11/18-24 – John L. Torrey
10/28-11/3 – Kenny Strawn	11/25-12/1 – Doug Nasif
11/4-10 – Eddie Lipscomb	12/2-8 – Shreve Guthrie, III
-	12/9-15 – Don Wilson

### Upcoming Events

November 1-4	Fall Cursillo at Camp Wesley Pines
	Presbytery Meeting, Covenant Jackson
•	Presbytery Meeting, Covenant Monroe
-	Spring Cursillo at Camp Wesley Pines

# Bible Reading Schedule

October 15 – Psalm 105:1-11	October 16 – Genesis 16:7-16
October 17 – Galatians 3:6-9, 13, 14	October 18 – Genesis 15:1-6
October 19 – Genesis 17:15-22	October 20 – Genesis 18:1-8
October 21 – Genesis 18:9-15; 21:1-7	

# 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		

# 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

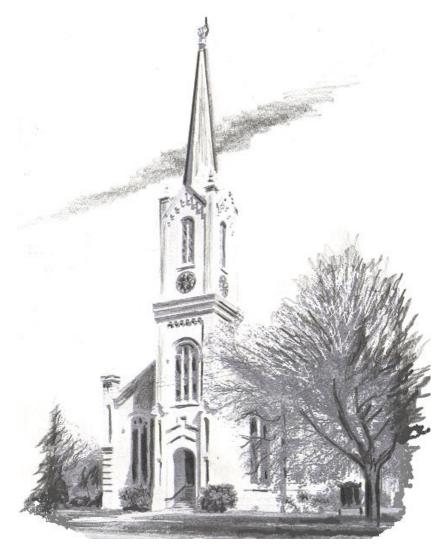
#### Presbyterian Women

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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