

# The First Presbyterian Church

of Port Gibson, Mississippi

Worship Service November 11, 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. 646  
Hymn of Praise (All)..... No. 470  
The Apostles' Creed .....(Front of Hymnal)  
The Gloria Patri ..... No. 576  
Recognition of Veterans  
Hymn of Meditation (All)..... No. 2  
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Silent Prayer and Meditation  
The Pastoral Prayer  
Choral Response  
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Offering and Offertory Prayer  
Scripture..... John 15:9-21 (p. 794, p. 1298)  
Sermon **"Greater Love"**  
Hymn of Dedication (All)..... No. 460  
Benediction  
Response ..... Taps  
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 CONGREGATION** is invited to sing the last stanza of the Introit, Hymn number 520.

**LUNCH** will be served after worship today in honor of our veterans.

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

**CHURCH PLANTS** sponsored by our presbytery include Quest Church in New Braunfels, Texas: [www.questchurchnb.com](http://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 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."

## Opening and Closing Schedule

11/11-17 – Lem Montgomery	12/9-15 – Don Wilson
11/18-24 – John L. Torrey	12/16-22 – Scott Davis
11/25-12/1 – Doug Nasif	12/23-29 – Michelle Burrell
12/2-8 – Shreve Guthrie, III	12/30-1/5 – Kenny Strawn
	1/6-12 – Eddie Lipscomb

## Upcoming Events

November 15..... Spaghetti Lunch at New Christian Fellowship, noon-2pm  
November 16-17 ..... GO Center Seminar  
November 27..... ASU Choir performs at PGUMC, noon  
November 29..... Dinner Theater at Cultural Crossroads, 7pm  
December 4..... Handbell Choir performs, PGUMC, noon  
December 11 ..... Local Artists perform at PGUMC, noon  
December 11 ..... Musical Program at Stepping Stone BC, 6:30pm  
December 12 ..... Joy Gift Supper, Annex, 7pm  
December 18 ..... Curtis Carter sings, PGUMC, noon  
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

November 12 – I Samuel 3:1-9 .....November 13 – I Kings 19:3-9  
November 14 – Isaiah 40:27-31 .....November 15 – Hebrews 10:19-25  
November 16 – Deuteronomy 14:22-29..... November 17 – John 1:43-51  
November 18 – Genesis 28:10-22

Daily devotions on the Bible Readings are available on our website.

## November Birthdays

2	Shreve Guthrie, III	4	Grace Burnett
6	Luke Burnett	6	Diane Harrison
7	Mandy Callender Like	7	Sam McLemore
9	Robert Gage, IV	11	Dorothy Staer
12	Brenda Roberts	13	Keith Fraley
16	Mel McFatter	23	Tim Hudson
24	Nick Hynum	27	Gabe Nasif
28	Emily Daughdrill		

**Deacon for the Month:** Ruth Willis

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

## 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

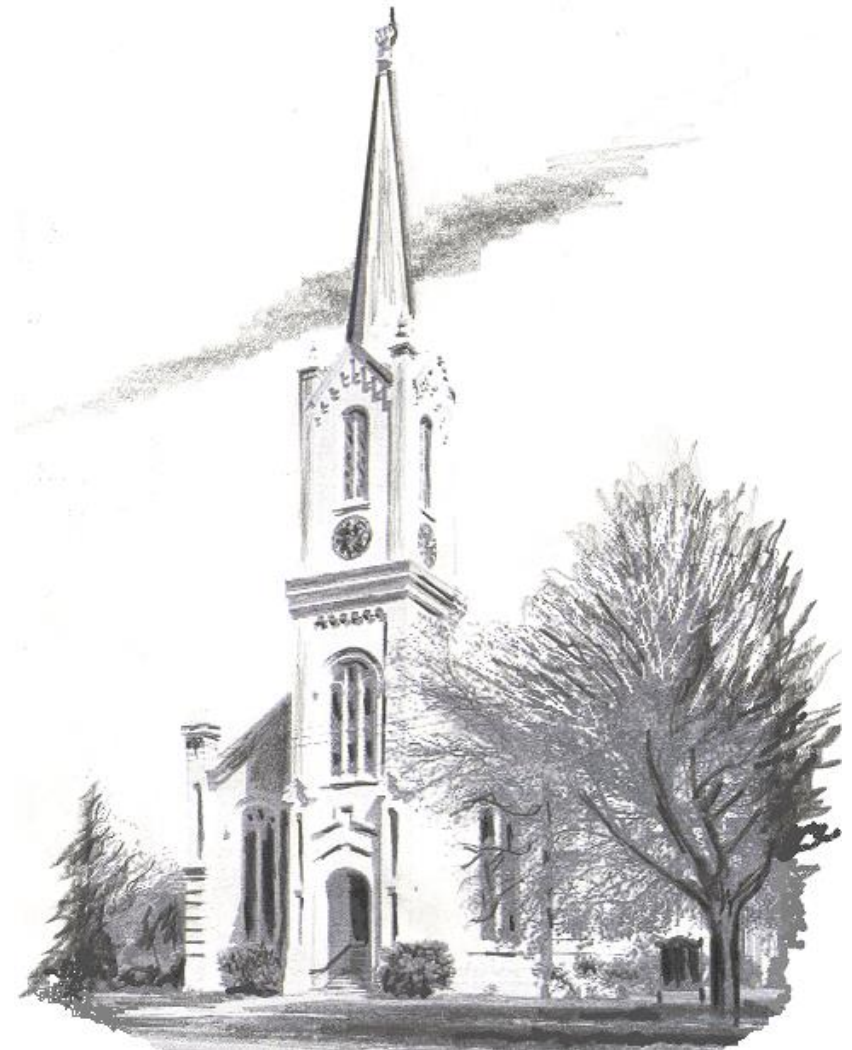
Mrs. Dianne Wade, Moderator  
Mrs. Jo Ann Mikell, Vice-Moderator

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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