

The First Presbyterian Church

of Port Gibson, Mississippi

Worship Service December 4, 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. 640
Hymn of Praise No. 121
The Apostles' Creed(Front of Hymnal)
The Gloria Patri No. 576
Time for the Children/Minute for Mission
Hymn of Meditation..... No. 117

Silent Prayer and Meditation

The Pastoral Prayer

Choral Response

Offering and Offertory Prayer

Scripture.....Hebrews 2:9-18 (p. 884, p. 1450)

Sermon "Christ Our High Priest"

Hymn of Dedication..... No. 102

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

OUR CONGRATULATIONS are extended to Ed and Mandy Penny on the birth of their son John David on Thanksgiving Day. Flo and Kenny Strawn are the proud grandparents and Nancy Rie Barland the proud great-grandmother.

THE ADVENT CONCERT SERIES at the Port Gibson United Methodist Church continues Tuesday at noon, with Paul Ballard performing. Lunch follows for \$5.

A PRAYER BREAKFAST will be held at 6:30am on Wednesday in the Annex.

THE JOY GIFT SUPPER will be held Wednesday at 7pm. Bring a covered dish and enjoy seasonal music.

POINSETTIAS will be placed in the Sanctuary on December 18 and 25. To order one contact Azalea Knight or Kenny Strawn before December 12. Cost is \$15.

Upcoming Events

December 4 Christmas Communion Service, Stepping Stone, 5pm
December 4 ASU Concert, St. Mary's Natchez, 7pm
December 6 Christmas Music Program, Stepping Stone BC, 6pm
December 10 Main Street Christmas Parade, 10am
December 13 Stanley Hastings Organ Concert, PGUMC, noon
December 18 Guthries' Christmas Breakfast, 10am
December 18 Christmas Pageant, 5pm
December 18 Community Choir Cantata, PGBC, 6pm
December 20 Community Bellchoir Concert, PGUMC, noon
December 20 PG Heritage Trust Annual Meeting, Collina, 6pm
December 24 Candlelight Service, PGUMC, 6pm
December 24 Christmas Eve Service, St. James, 6pm
December 25 Worship, Sanctuary, 10am

Deacon for the Month: Jimmy Cassell

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

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

Opening and Closing Schedule

12/4-10 – Kenny Strawn	1/1-7 – Doug Nasif
12/11-17 – Eddie Lipscomb	1/8-14 – Shreve Guthrie, III
12/18-24 – Lem Montgomery	1/15-21 – Don Wilson
12/25-31 – John L. Torrey	1/22-28 – Scott Davis
	1/29-2/4 – Michelle Burrell

Bible Reading Schedule

December 5 Psalm 111 – Holy and Awesome Is His Name
 December 6 Psalm 89:1-14 – His Faithfulness, Righteousness, and Justice
 December 7 Genesis 17:1-8 – God’s Covenant with Abraham
 December 8 Judges 6:12-18 – Gideon Responds to God’s Call
 December 9 I Samuel 2:1-10 – Hannah Praises God
 December 10 II Samuel 7:8-17 – The Promised House for David
 December 11 Luke 1:39-56 – Mary and Elizabeth Praise God Together

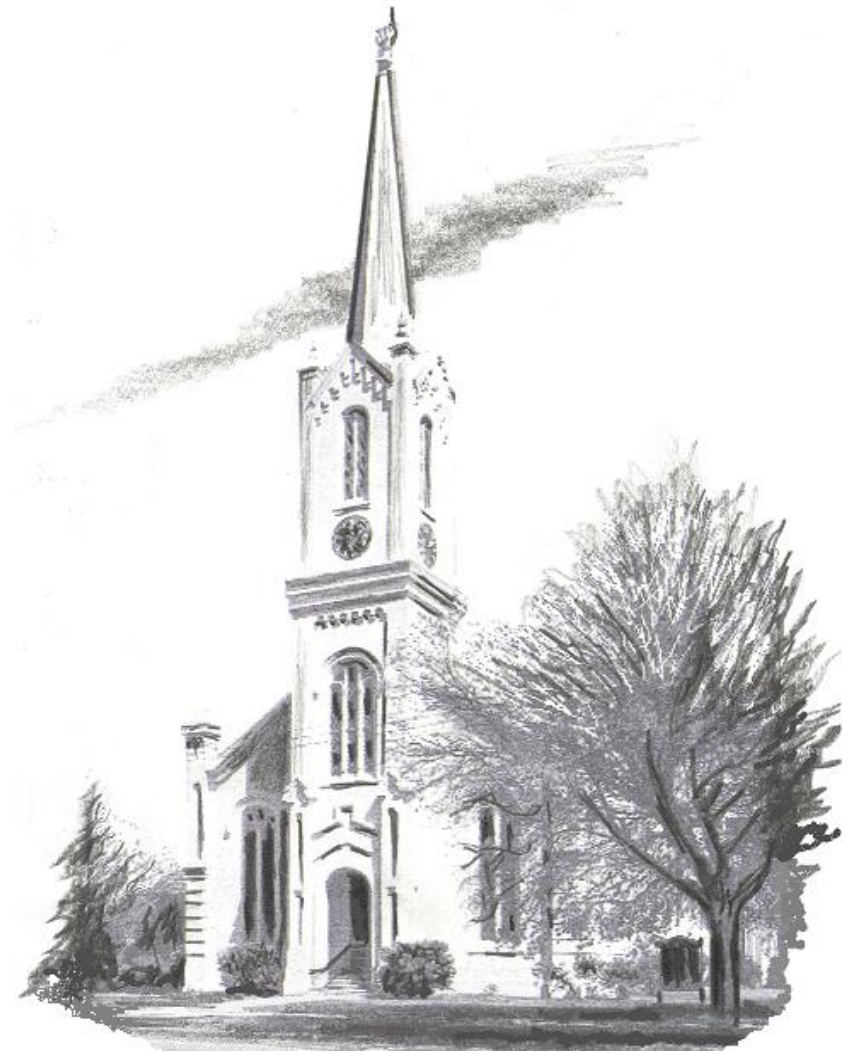
December Birthdays

3 Ian Cassell	3 Steve Sones
3 Linda Williams	8 Anna Brady
8 Claire Hudson	10 David Hunt Headley
10 Ann Katzenmier	11 Allen Cassell
13 Spencer Willis	14 Marsh Willis
15 Charlie Donald	16 Michael Herrin
17 Mille Wolfe	17 Molly Byrnes Scarborough
18 Jo Ann Mikell	18 Kathy Byrnes Hawkins
20 Jimmy Cassell	27 Dianne Wade
28 Wes McClure	30 Linda Montgomery

**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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