

# The First Presbyterian Church

of Port Gibson, Mississippi

Worship Service August 9, A.D. 2015

Instrumental Prelude ..... Mrs. H.N. Gage  
Introit ..... The Choir  
Welcome and Announcements  
The Doxology ..... No. 572  
Invocation and Lord's Prayer  
Responsive Reading..... Isaiah 29:14-19 (p. 531, p. 864)  
Hymn of Praise ..... No. 177  
The Apostles' Creed .....(Front of Hymnal)  
The Gloria Patri ..... No. 576  
Time with God's Children/ Minute for Mission  
Hymn of Meditation..... No. 72  
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Silent Prayer and Meditation  
The Pastoral Prayer  
Choral Response  
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Offering and Offertory Prayer  
Scripture..... Mark 7:24-30 (p. 738, p. 1198)  
Sermon "The Fruitful Field of Lebanon"  
Hymn of Dedication (All)..... No. 353  
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.*

*A NURSERY is provided during the service.*

## Announcements

A MEMORIAL SERVICE for Mrs. Jean S. Williams will be held in the Sanctuary at 6:30pm tomorrow, with a covered dish supper following in the Annex.

THE BOARD OF DEACONS will meet next Tuesday evening, August 18, at 6:30pm in the Annex.

BIBLE STUDY will take place this week as usual, at 7pm on Wednesday and 1pm on Thursday in the Annex.

QUEST CHURCH is a church planting effort in San Antonio, Texas, sponsored by our presbytery: [www.squest.org](http://www.squest.org) 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."

## Upcoming Events

September 24-27 .....Cursillo Retreat, Camp Wesley Pines  
September 25-26 ..... Presbytery Meeting, Faith EPC, Covington  
January 22-23, 2016..... Presbytery Meeting, Covenant Mobile  
April 22-23, 2016..... Presbytery Meeting, First Lake Jackson  
June 22-25, 2016..... General Assembly, Ward EPC, Northville, Michigan  
September 23-24, 2016 ..... Presbytery Meeting, New Covenant Mandeville

**Deacon for the Month:** Eddie Lipscomb

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

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

## Bible Reading Schedule

August 10 ..... Isaiah 1:24-28 – Justice, Righteousness, and Repentance  
August 11 ..... Proverbs 21:10-15 – Justice: A Joy to the Righteous  
August 12 ..... Proverbs 21:2-8 – The Lord Weighs the Heart  
August 13 ..... Hosea 14 – Walking in the Lord’s Ways  
August 14 ..... Ezekiel 18:1-13 – The Person Who Sins Shall Die  
August 15 ..... Ezekiel 18:14-20 – Avoiding a Parent’s Negative Example  
August 16 ..... Ezekiel 18:21-32 – The Consequences of Changing Behaviors

## August Birthdays

3	Gary Knight	3	Whit Noble
4	Matthew Hudson	5	Jimmie Person
5	Tirey Keaton	10	Nancy Hynum
12	Loren Eaton	12	Shreve Guthrie, Jr.
12	Patricia Hay	18	Vance McGee
19	Charlie Barland	19	James Hudson, Jr.
24	Nathan Guerra	25	Derrick Harpole
26	John McGee	27	Penny Byrnes French
28	Jeff Roberts	29	Bethany McLemore Austin

## Church Directory

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

### The Session

Class of 2015  
Mr. Kenny Strawn  
Mr. John L. Torrey

Class of 2016  
Mr. Jim Cassell  
Dr. Betsy Lipscomb

Class of 2017  
Mr. Burton O. Byrnes, II  
Mr. Douglas Nasif

### The Diaconate

Class of 2015  
Mr. Lee Eaton  
Mr. Shreve Guthrie, III

Class of 2016  
Mrs. Dorothy Staer  
Mrs. Ruth Willis

Class of 2017  
Mr. Jimmy Cassell  
Dr. Eddie Lipscomb  
Mr. Mike Mikell

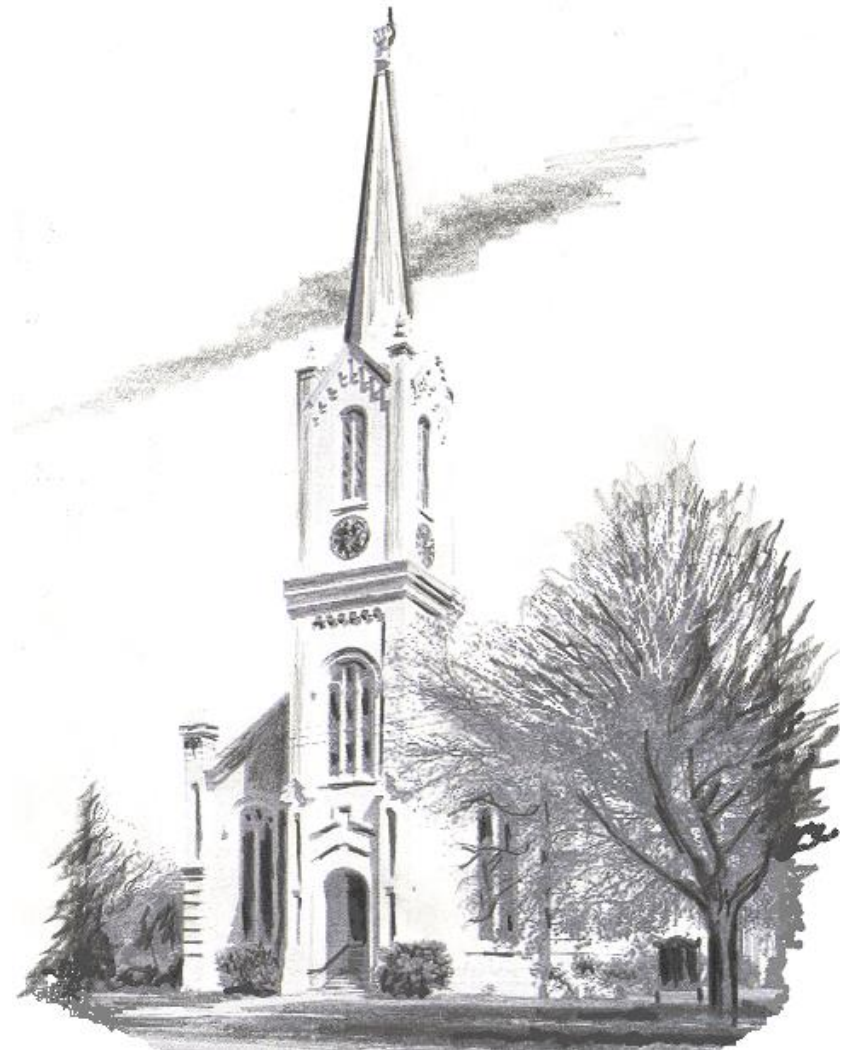
## Presbyterian Women

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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