

The First Presbyterian Church

of Port Gibson, Mississippi

Worship Service August 23, 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 29:13-24 (p. 531, p. 864)
Hymn of Praise (All)..... No. 60
The Apostles' Creed(Front of Hymnal)
The Gloria Patri No. 576
Time with God's Children/ Minute for Mission
Hymn of Meditation..... No. 194

Silent Prayer and Meditation
The Pastoral Prayer
Choral Response

Offering and Offertory Prayer
Scripture..... Mark 8:10-21 (p. 738, p. 1200)
Sermon ***"The Leaven of the Pharisees and Herod"***
Hymn of Dedication (All)..... No. 352
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 CONGREGATIONAL MEETING will be held after worship on August 30 to consider a set of congregational bylaws and to act on the report of the nominating committee. For the class of 2018, Gary Knight and Lem Montgomery will be nominated to serve as Ruling Elders and Jim Hynum, Kevin Keaton and Mack May will be nominated to serve as Deacons.

BIBLE STUDY will take place as usual this week, 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.saquest.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 24-27Cursillo Retreat, Camp Wesley Pines
September 25-26 Presbytery Meeting, Faith EPC, Covington
October 22..... Community Party, 3:30 until 6pm
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 24 Psalm 25 – Teach Me Your Paths, O Lord
August 25 Isaiah 57:10-21 – The Contrite and Humble in Spirit
August 26 Matthew 7:7-14 – How Shall We Treat Others?
August 27 Joel 3:9-16 – How Shall We Be Judged?
August 28 Jeremiah 6:26-30 – How Shall We Repent?
August 29 Malachi 3:1-12 – How Shall We Return?
August 30 Malachi 3:13-18 – How Have We Spoken Against You?

August Birthdays

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| 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

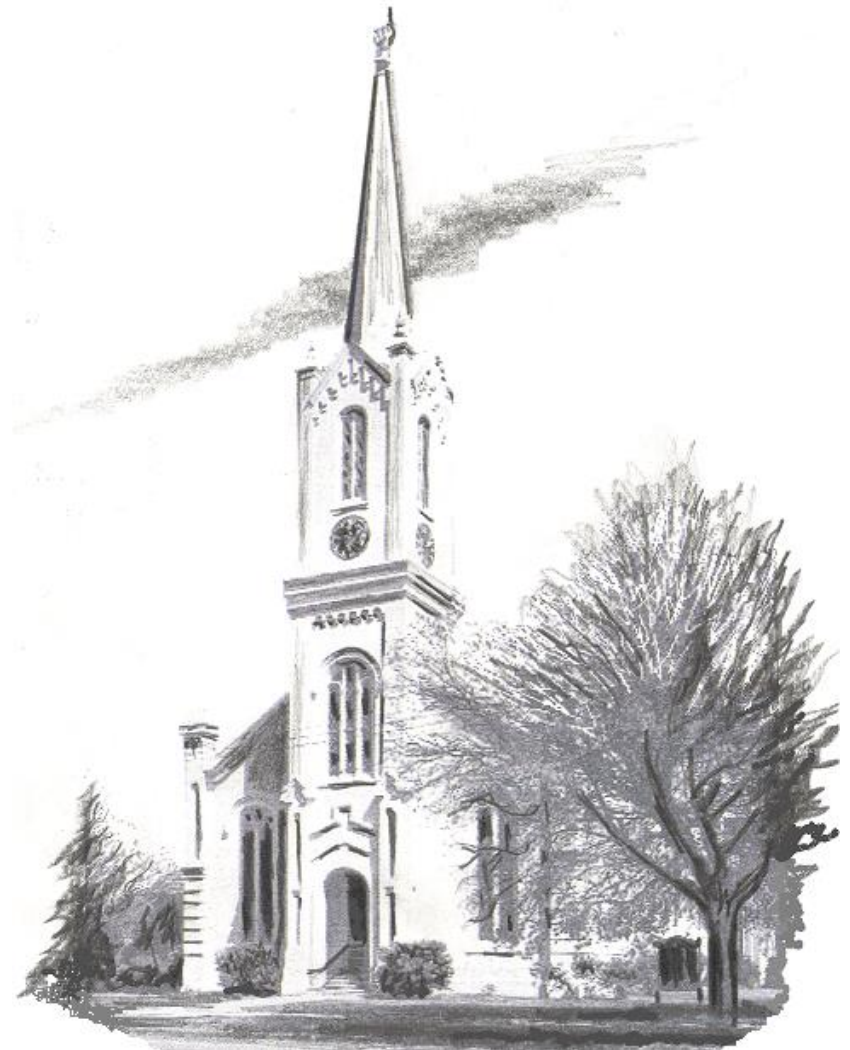
Presbyterian Women

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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