

**To Our Guests:**

We are happy to have you worship with us today. We invite you to join us each Sunday, as we worship and study God's word. If you would like more information concerning our Church, you may fill out one of the Welcome Cards in the pews and place it in the offering plate, talk to the ushers, call the church office at 850-526-2430 or email us at [fpcmarianna@gmail.com](mailto:fpcmarianna@gmail.com).

**Nursery Care:** Available for children six years old and under during the worship service each Sunday morning.

**The Flowers** this morning are given to the Glory of God and in memory of Larry Nelson by Hazel Nelson and sons, Richard Nelson and John Nelson.

**This Week In Our Church:**

<b>Today</b>	<b>January 13<sup>th</sup></b>
9:30 am	Coffee & Juice Fellowship
9:45 am	Sunday School
10:30 am	Choir Rehearsal
11:00 am	Worship Service (Communion)
5:30 pm	Youth Group Meeting
<b>Monday</b>	<b>January 14<sup>th</sup></b>
2:00 pm	Prayer Meeting
5:00 pm	Good News Women
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>January 15<sup>th</sup></b>
3:30 pm	Food Pantry Bagging
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>January 16<sup>th</sup></b>
9:00 am	Food Pantry
Noon	Bible Study ("Good News Travels Faster")
3:15 to 5:15	WWW
4:30 pm	Choir Practice
5:30 pm	Middle School Youth Group
5:45 pm	Bell Choir
6:00 pm	Bible Study (Covered Dish Dinner)
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>January 17<sup>th</sup></b>
7:00 pm	NA Meeting

**First Presbyterian Church Prays For:**

(New requests in bold)

*Sympathy on the death of Bobra Palmer, Bob Pitman's sister and Donna Moore's cousin*  
**Don Morris (Recovering from surgery 1-10-19)**  
 Virginia Milton  
 Roy Turner  
 Gina Stuart  
 Anne Sims (Sympathy)  
 Barry Stafford Family (Sympathy)  
 Tom and Joan Stadskev (Sympathy)  
 Jack and Carol Homoney (Sympathy)  
 Doug Walker (Stanley Littleton's brother-in-law)  
 Rosemary Parker (still not walking)  
 (requested by Janie F. Pulliam)  
 Tom Abney (Larry & Jackie Spivey's son-in-law)  
 Kay Trammell (Robert Trammell's wife)  
 Billy Herrington (requested by Jared Roberts)  
 Howard Alig (Cindy Morgan's brother)  
 Steven Quigley  
 Hunter and Lu Daffin  
 Linda Bevis (requested by Mary Bevis Schmidt)  
 Matt Goold (requested by family)  
 Sybil Schmidt King (requested by Mary B. Schmidt)  
 Gail Stearn (Guy Green's sister)  
 Destry Burch (requested by Mary B. Schmidt)  
 Ginny Rose, Brooke Grant, Malaki Grant  
 (Family of Carol and Dennis Maxson)

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**CHURCH CLEANUP**

We are planning a church-wide cleanup on Saturday, January 26<sup>th</sup> from 8am to 12noon. Please volunteer to help. The plan is to divide into groups with a chairman/woman for each group. Please call, text or meet in person with Mary Lu Andreu to select your job. You are not required to work the whole morning. You may come, work and go. We will have water, sodas and cookies for snack. If you cannot work that morning, homemade snacks are welcome.

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Jennifer Stafford got off to a great start with the **Middle School Youth Group** last Wednesday and they will continue to meet each Wednesday 5:30 – 6:30 p.m. They are taking the lead with the "Souper Bowl of Caring" with a large kettle for canned goods and financial donations. It will culminate on February 3<sup>rd</sup>. You can drop by cans and dollars on Sunday, Wednesday or at the office. [www.souperbowl.org](http://www.souperbowl.org)



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**Celebration of Worship**  
**January 13, 2019**

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***Gather – Assemble in God’s Name***

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**Prelude**

Please silence phones.

\*Those who are able, please stand.

**The Chiming of the Hour**

**Welcoming and Sharing of Community Life**

**Call to Worship**

Leader: Today, we bring to the Lord  
our emptiness, to be filled;

People: **our hurts, to be healed;**  
**our resentments, to be soothed;**

Leader: our fears, to be comforted;  
our sins, to be pardoned;

People: **our joys, to be shared;**  
**our resolve, to be strengthened.**

**\*Hymn of Praise #10**

*“Sing Glory to the Name of God”*

**\*Prayer of Confession (In Unison)**

We confess Lord, that all too often we are content  
to remain the way we are.

We believe we are honest enough, and truthful  
enough, and faithful enough, and kind enough,  
and patient enough.

Forgive, we pray, our acceptance of minimum  
standards, and motivate us to become all that  
You want us to be.

**\*A Time for Silent Confession**

**\*The Assurance of Forgiveness**

Surely God is my salvation; I will trust and not be afraid,  
for the Lord God is my strength and my might.

Isaiah 12:2

**\*Response of Praise and Gratitude**

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the  
Holy Ghost. As it was in the beginning, is now  
And ever shall be. World without end.

A-men, A-men.

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***Grow – Proclaim God’s Word***

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**Children’s Message**

**Old Testament Lesson:**

Isaiah 43:1-7

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**Choral Anthem “Come Holy Spirit, Dove Divine”**

Words: Adoniram Judson

Music: H. Perry Smith

**Gospel Lesson:**

Mark 1:9-15

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**Message: “The Baptism of Jesus”**

John T. Wamsley

**\*Hymn**

**#688**

*“Spirit of God, Descend Upon My Heart”*

**Prayers of the People and The Lord’s Prayer**  
(“debts and debtors”)

**Offertory**

**Doxology & Prayer of Dedication**

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow;**  
**Praise Him, all creatures here below;**  
**Praise Him above, ye heavenly host;**  
**Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. A-men.**

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***Go – In God’s Name***

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**\*Hymn #610**

*“O For A Thousand Tongues to Sing”*

**\*Benediction and Congregational Response**

**“What Does The Lord Require?”**

**Everyone, one time:** What does the Lord require of you?  
What does the Lord require of you?

**Just women, one time:** To seek justice and love kindness  
and walk humbly with your God.

**Everyone sing together, two times, In Unison:**

**(Ladies sing):** To seek justice and love kindness and  
walk humbly with your God.

**(Men sing):** What does the Lord require of you?  
What does the Lord require of you?

**\*Postlude**