

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.

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

The Flowers gracing our sanctuary this morning are given in Memory of Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Maloy by Ron and Willie Mae Goold and to the Glory of God by Freddie & Dot Carpenter.

This Week In Our Church:

Today	March 31st
9:30 am	Coffee & Juice Fellowship
9:45 am	Sunday School
10:30 am	Choir Rehearsal
11:00 am	Worship Service
5:30 pm	Youth Meeting
Monday	April 1st
10:30 am	Circle 1
2:00 pm	Prayer Meeting
4:00 pm	Circle 2
Tuesday	April 2nd
Noon	Lenten Luncheon
3:30 pm	Food Pantry Bagging
Wednesday	April 3rd
9:00 am	Food Pantry-Team 1
3:15 to 5:15	WWW
4:30 pm	Choir Rehearsal
5:30 pm	Middle School (SQUAD)
5:45 pm	Bell Choir
Thursday	April 4th
7:00 pm	NA Meeting

First Presbyterian Church Prays For:

(New requests in bold)

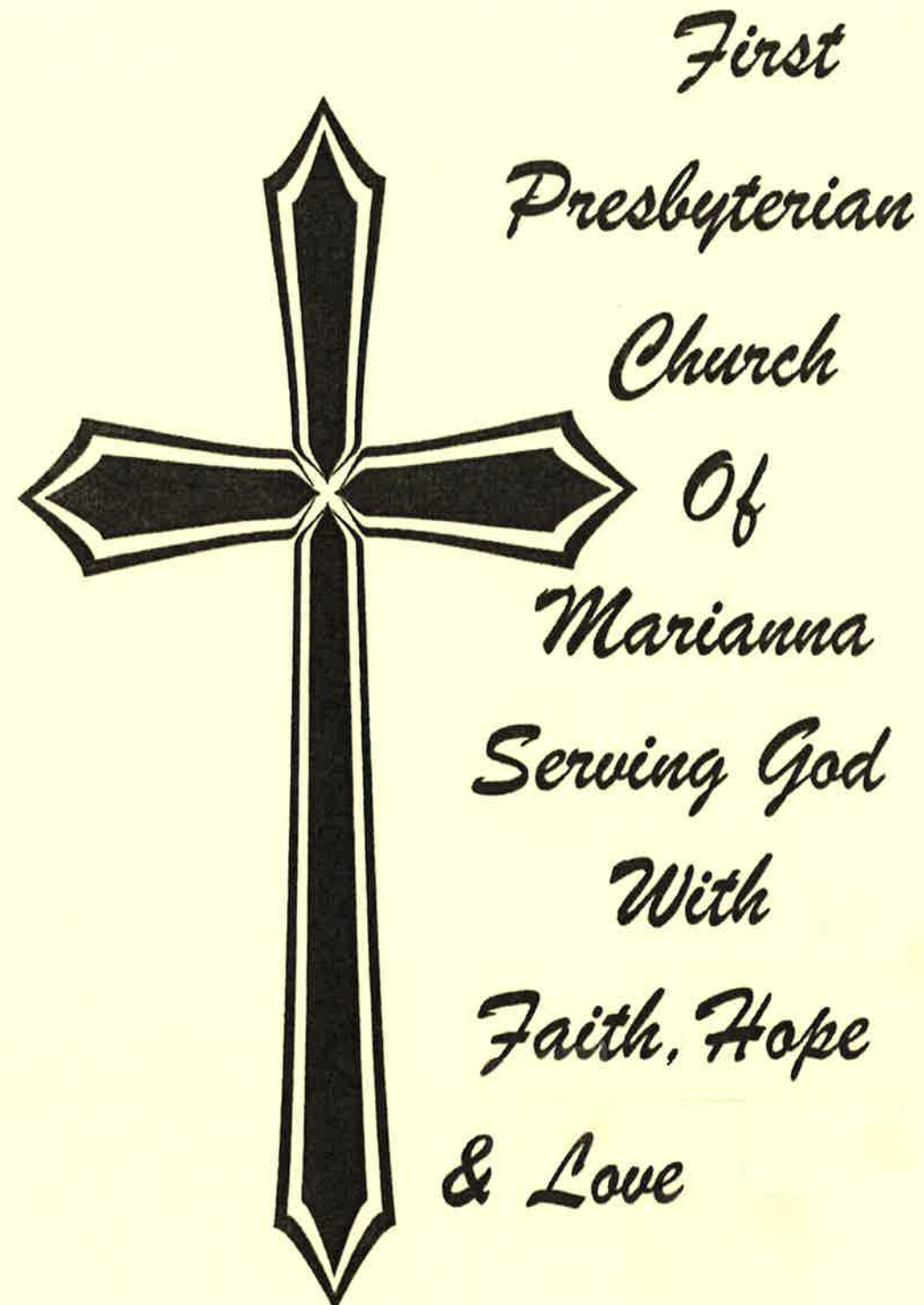
- Lu Daffin**
- Ronnie Myers**
- Herrold Willis**
- Melanie McCroan
- Doris Irwin
- Brenda Dean (Bev Hinson's sister)
- Ronnie Heath (requested by Larry & Jackie Spivey)
- Stanley Littleton
- June Conrad (Mary Bevis Schmidt's cousin)
- Elizabeth Walker (Stanley Littleton's sister)
- Mary Lu Atmore (requested by Stanley Littleton)
- Rebecca Franklin (Jerusalem) (Gibbs' granddaughter)
- Michael Schouest and family (requested by Kathy Roberts)
- Dennis Maxson
- Mary Bevis Schmidt (requested by Mel McClure Clark)
- Roy Turner
- Gina Stuart
- Tom Abney (Larry & Jackie Spivey's son-in-law)
- Kay Trammell
- Billy Herrington (requested by Jared Roberts)
- Howard Alig (Cindy Morgan's brother)
- Steven Quigley
- Hunter 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 (Maxson's family)

DONATIONS TO 1835 ENDOWMENT FUND

- IN MEMORY OF JEANNE COWEN:** Betty Brendemuehl
- IN MEMORY OF JACK BROWN:** Dr. L. Dennis & Nancy Craig, Frederick & Dorothy Peters, Robert Cowen, Lt. Gen. Claudius & Jane Watts, Mr. & Mrs. Jimmy Smith
- IN MEMORY OF JEFF ALLEN:** James & Mary Ann Gibbs, John & Alma Milton
- IN MEMORY OF EMMY GRANGER:** Robert & Beverly Hinson,
- IN MEMORY OF BRUCE KOENIG:** John & Alma Milton, First Pres. Church Circle 1

LENTEN LUNCHEON

Tuesday, April 2nd at Noon. Will Ganci of St. Anne's Catholic Church will be speaking on the Church at Thyatira.



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Celebration of Worship
Fourth Sunday of Lent
March 31, 2019

Gather – Assemble in God’s Name

Prelude **Christine Yoshikawa**

Please silence phones.
*Those who are able, please stand.

The Chiming of the Hour

Welcoming and Sharing of Community Life

Call to Worship

Leader: Jesus taught the marginalized, the sinners,
the broken,

People: and loved them as His children.

Leader: Even when we are proud, negligent, prodigal,

People: Christ loves us as His own.

Leader: Let us worship God.

***Hymn** **#14**
“For the Beauty of the Earth”

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

Merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you.

We take your blessing for granted and squander our inheritance.

We boast of our good works and resent your great mercy to others.

Forgive us, God of grace.

Let us no longer be lost in our sin.

Help us to find our way home to you, where you welcome us with open arms; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

***A Time for Silent Confession**

***Words of Assurance**

***Assurance of Forgiveness**

Pastor: Friends, believe the Good News!

People: In Jesus Christ we are forgiven!

***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.

Grow – Proclaim God’s Word

Children’s Message

Choral Anthem

“Come, Ye Sinners, Poor and Needy”

Words: Joseph Hart

Music: Restoration

arr: Ronald Turner

Scripture Lesson:

Luke 15:1-3, 11b-32

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Message: “The Other Prodigal Son”

Pastor John Wamsley

***Hymn: #188**

“Jesus Loves Me”

Affirmation of Faith (In Unison)

UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA CREED

We are not alone; we live in God’s world.

We believe in God:

who has created and is creating,

who has come in the true Man, Jesus,

to reconcile and make new,

who works in us and others by His Spirit.

We trust Him.

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He calls us to be His church:

to celebrate His presence,

to love and serve others,

to seek justice and resist evil,

to proclaim Jesus, crucified and risen,

our judge and our hope.

In life, in death, in life beyond death,

God is with us.

We are not alone.

Thanks be to God.

Prayers of the People and The Lord’s Prayer

(“debts and debtors”)

Offertory: Special Offering for Missionaries

Doxology and Prayer of Dedication

Praise God from whom all blessings flow.

Praise Him all creatures here below.

Praise Him above ye heavenly hosts.

Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. A-men.

Go – In God’s Name

***Hymn: #649**

“Amazing Grace, How Sweet the Sound”

***Benediction and Congregational Response**

“Just As I Am”

Just as I am without one plea

but that thy blood was shed for me,

and that thou biddest me come to thee,

O Lamb of God, I come; I come!

***Postlude**

Sam Andreu (Elder of the Month) 850-209-1761

Barry Stafford (Assistant Elder of the Month) 850-209-1918
