

Celebration of Worship
Reformation Sunday
November 7, 2021

We Gather in God's Name

The Chiming of the Hour

The Prelude **Christine Yoshikawa**

The Welcome and Announcements

The Call to Worship

Leader: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.

People: And also with you.

Leader: What shall we render to the Lord for all the Lord's bounty to us?

People: We will lift up the cup of Salvation, and call on the name of the Lord, and worship Him in spirit and truth.

Leader: Taste and see that the Lord is good.

People: Happy are they who find refuge and strength and who put their trust in God.

To Worship God in Spirit and Truth

***The Hymn of Praise** **#321**
"The Church's One Foundation"

***The Reaffirmation of Faith (In Unison)**
The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God, the Father almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ his only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

***Gloria Patri**

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. Amen. Amen.

To Seek and Share God's Forgiveness

The Call to Confession

The Prayer of Confession (In Unison)

O Lord, our God, nourisher of our hungry souls, quencher of our spiritual thirst, we come to you today recognizing our need for you, your love, your care, your mercy, your justice, and your peace. We confess our personal fragmentation. So often, like Paul, we are divided within ourselves; the good that we would do, we do not; the evil that we would not do, that we do. We ask you to bring a healing balm to Gilead and to us. By your redemptive grace make us whole. By your empowering Spirit unite us as one body in Christ. Through this communion service give us the gift of community, feed us, O bread of Life. Satisfy us, O Wellspring of Life and help us to feed others, spiritually and physically. We pray in the name of Jesus, Amen. (A time for silent confession.) Amen.

The Assurance of Forgiveness **Ephesians 2:8-10**

The Response of Praise and Gratitude

Let Us Break Bread Together

Let us break bread together on our knees; let us break bread together on our knees. When I fall on my knees, with my face to the rising sun, O Lord, have mercy on me.

Let us drink wine together on our knees; let us drink wine together on our knees. When I fall on my knees, with my face to the rising sun, O Lord, have mercy on me.

We Celebrate the Gospel with Children

The Children's Sermon

To Worship God with Tithes and Offerings

The Call to Offering

The Offertory

***The Doxology**

***The Prayer of Consecration**

To Hear God's Word Read and Proclaimed

The Scripture Lesson

The New Testament – *Matthew 16:13-18*

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The Sermon

*"The Theology of Truett Cathy (Chick-fi-La)
Loving Christ's Church"*

Dr. Raymond Guterman

*To Celebrate the Sacrament of the Lord's
Supper*

The Anthem

"Lord, We Remember"

Music and words by: Marty Parks

The Invitation to the Lord's Table
The Prayers of the People
The Serving of the Bread and Cup
The Lord's Prayer

And Depart to Live as Followers of Jesus

***The Hymn of Dedication** **#310**

"I Love Thy Kingdom, Lord"

The Charge and Benediction

***The Choral and Congregational Response**

Let Us Break Bread Together

Let us praise God together on our knees; let us praise God together on our knees. When I fall on my knees, with my face to the rising sun, O Lord have mercy on me.

***The Postlude**

Please silence phones.

***Those who are able, please stand.**

Aggie Schack (Elder of the Month) 850-209-1914

Bryan Milton (Assistant Elder of the Month) 850-209-3300

Welcome Newcomers

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 or becoming a member, you may fill out one of the welcome cards in the pews and place it in an offering plate, talk to the ushers or Pastor Raymond (cell # 352-817-8700); call the church office at 850-526-2430 or email us at fpcmarianna@gmail.com

The Flowers this morning are provided by Kenneth and Leslie Kelley in grateful appreciation for all past, present, and future, who answered the call to serve God, this nation, and its people in military service. Thank God for each one and uphold them all in prayer.

This Week In Our Church

Today	November 7th
9:30 am	Singing with Xylpha (fellowship hall)
9:45 am	Adult Sunday School Classes (Andy Tinsley’s class Zoom ID 870 9356 1430)
9:45 am	Children & Youth Sunday School
11:00 am	Worship Service (In Person, Facebook Live and Radio (WTYS 94.1))
Tuesday	November 9th
10:00 am	Prayer Meeting
3:00 pm	Food Pantry bagging
Wednesday	November 10th
9:00 am	Food Pantry distribution
10:00 am	Sewing with Love/Office
1:30 pm	Piano lessons with Xylpha Schwehm
3:15 pm	Wild Wonderful Wednesday (children)
3:30 pm	Bell Choir
4:30 pm	Choir Practice
5:30 pm	SQUAD (5 th -8 th grade)
6:30 pm	Senior High
Saturday	November 13th
10:00 am	Girl Scouts

Pray daily for our church’s Christian benevolences – The Presbytery of Florida, Dogwood Acres Presbyterian Camp, Innovative Ministries of Jackson County, Thornwell Presbyterian Home for Children, Clinton, S.C., FPC Threads of Love for Christian Mission, Fellowship of Christian Athletes – Marianna High School, Habitat for Humanity of Jackson County, Jim and Jodi McGill – PCUSA Missionaries in Niger and the South Sudan, The FPC Weekly Food Pantry (staff and food purchases).

First Presbyterian Church Prays For:

- Edward Syfrett
- Frankie Stewart
- Sandra Daffin
- Roy Turner
- Shelby Vlieg (requested by Ellie Lawson)
- Bob Ward (requested by Mary Wierman)
- David Hand (Betty Joyce’s son)
- Chris Butler (Ed and Linda Pittman’s son-in-law)
- Jay Hoyt Rackley (requested by Ginger Green)
- Alisa Gunter Goldberg (Jake Gunter’s daughter)
- Joy Lewis
- Our Pastor Nominating Committee
- Buddy Bannerman (requested by Sharon)
- Sherry Barber (Amanda Hinson’s mother)
- Hedy Williams (Hanni Daffin’s sister)
- Ruth Hammett (Scott Yant’s mother)
- Fran and Ernie McNeill
- Charlton Keen Jr. and niece, Kathryn Keen
- Doug Woolery (requested by Cindy Morgan)
- Joy Gilbert
- Sumi Hanstine (requested by Ashley Rackley)
- Mary Bevis Schmidt (requested by Mel McLure Lundgren)
- Steven Quigley
- Stewardship growth in our church

OUR MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of our family of faith is to worship God; to successfully nurture the spiritual growth of each person in our church family so that we experience loving fellowship, joy, and peace; and to share our love and talents with others in our community and beyond.

CONGREGATIONAL MEETING

Sunday, November 21 at Noon

The Elder Nominating Committee will bring a slate of nominees which will be listed in the 11/14 bulletin for Elders, class of 2024.



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