

Celebration of Worship
August 21, 2022

We Gather in God's Name

The Chiming of the Hour
The Welcome and Announcements

The Prelude Christine Yoshikawa

The Call to Worship

Leader: God knows us before we are born

People: God creates and consecrates us

Leader: Listen anew today for God's Call speaking through
the Holy Spirit

People: We are ready to hear and respond

Leader: Let us worship God in spirit and in truth

To Worship God in Spirit and Truth

*The Hymn of Praise #2
"Come, Thou Almighty King"

*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)

Eternal God, you Call, but we don't always listen. We sometimes rationalize our way out of doing what you desire. We excuse ourselves from your work claiming our own inadequacies. You promise to equip us, but we often fail to trust you. Transform us. Encourage us. Make us steadfast in faith, hope and love. (A time for silent prayer and confession.) Amen.

The Assurance of God's Forgiveness and Love

God's grace is abundant. God's redemption has been accomplished. In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven. Alleluia and Amen.

The Response of Praise and Gratitude #458

Thy word is a lamp unto my feet and a light unto my path. Thy word is a lamp unto my feet and a light unto my path. When I feel afraid, and I think I've lost my way, still you're there right beside me. Nothing will I fear as long as you are near. Please be near me to the end.

We Celebrate the Gospel with Children

The Children's Sermon

(After the children's sermon, children are invited to Wee Worship upstairs.)

*To Worship God With His Tithes
and Our Offerings*

The Call to Offering Melissa Forehand
FPC Food Pantry

The Offertory

*The Doxology

*The Prayer of Consecration and the Lord's Prayer

To Hear God's Word Read and Proclaimed

The Scripture Lesson

The New Testament Lesson: I Peter 2:15 Page984

The Anthem

"Search Me, O God"

The Sermon

"If We Are What We Eat.....Spiritually"

Dr. Raymond Guterman

And Depart to Live as Followers of Jesus

*The Hymn of Dedication #738
"O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee"

*The Charge and Benediction

*The Congregational and Choral Response #458
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*The Postlude

Please silence phones.

*Those who are able, please stand.

Scott Yant (Elder of the Month) 850-526-9108

Betty Pettis (Assistant Elder of the Month) 850-272-9126

REMINDER: Please remember to sign up for volunteering in the nursery on Sunday. The sign-up sheet is in the front pew.

Welcome Newcomers

We are happy that you are worshipping with us today. We invite you to join us each Sunday, as we worship and study God’s word and seek to live His gospel! If you would like more information concerning our church or becoming a member, please 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 gracing our sanctuary this morning are given by Andy and Gina Tinsley. “Train up a child in the way he should go and when he is old he will not depart from it.” (Prov. 22:6)

This Week In Our Church

Today	August 21st RALLY DAY
9:00 am	Breakfast
9:45 am	Rally in the sanctuary
9:50 am	Adult Sunday School Classes (Andy Tinsley’s class Zoom ID 870 9356 1430)
9:50 am	Children and Youth Sunday School
10:20 am	Choir rehearsal
11:00 am	Worship Service (In Person, Facebook Live and Radio - WTYS 94.1)
Noon	Session meeting
Monday	August 22nd
6:00 pm	Women’s gathering for dinner and “kick off” of a new year
Tuesday	August 23rd
10:30 am	Prayer Meeting in church office
1:30 pm	Food Pantry bagging
Wednesday	August 24th
9:00 am	Food Pantry Ministry
10:00 am	Sewing With Love
3:15 pm	WWW
5:30 pm	SQUAD and Sr. High

Our Nursery Volunteers today are John & Alma Milton. We thank you for your service, John & Alma.

Requests for Food Pantry donations this month are peanut butter and jelly. We are also asking for donations of dry pet food. Thanks for everyone’s support.

1835 ENDOWMENT FUND

A donation was made in honor of Bob Cowen.

First Presbyterian Church Prays For:

- Angela Gibbs Sims
- Larry Stevens (Bill Stevens and Kathy Milton’s brother)
- David Keen (Charlton and Elaine Keen’s son)
- Ben Powell (Dogwood Acres director)
- Sherri Standland Johnson (requested by Kathy Roberts)
- Amy Busby Rehberg (Joe Busby’s daughter)
- Christine Boyles (requested by Elaine Keen)
- Sallie Harris Mathis (requested by Ginger Green)
- Ginny Rose (Carol Maxson’s sister)
- Lennon Rose (Carol Maxson’s new great niece)
- Frances Brock (requested by Kathy Roberts)
- Chase Landrum (requested by Dot Carpenter)
- Deborah Coronaro (Alex & Joy Lewis’ daughter)
- Bud Wierman
- Joy Lewis
- Russell A. Cole, Jr. (requested by Ernie & Fran McNeill)
- Richard Teague (Joy Lewis’ brother-in-law)
- Roy Turner
- Shelby Vlieg (requested by Ellie Lawson)
- Chris Butler (Ed and Linda Pittman’s son-in-law)
- Alisa Gunter Goldberg (Jake Gunter’s daughter)
- Our Pastor Nominating Committee
- Sherry Barber (Amanda Hinson’s mother)
- Hedy Williams (Hanni Daffin’s sister)
- Ruth Hammett (Scott Yant’s mother)
- Doug Woolery (requested by Cindy Morgan)
- Joy Gilbert
- Sumi Hanstine (requested by Ashley Rackley)
- Mary Bevis Schmidt (requested by Mel McLure Lundgren)
- Peaceful resolutions with Russia and Ukraine conflict
- Fall 2022 at First Presbyterian Church and all churches
- Back to school and college (students, educators and parents)

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.

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).



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