

# Celebration of Worship

## September 18, 2022

*We Gather in God's Name*

### The Chiming of the Hour

### The Welcome and Announcements

### The Prelude Christine Yoshikawa

### The Call to Worship (In Unison) Colossians 3:15-17

And let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts, to which indeed you were called in the one body. And be thankful. Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly; teach and admonish one another in all wisdom; and with gratitude in your hearts sing psalms, hymns, and spiritual songs to God. And whatever you do, in word or deed, do everything in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him.

### *To Worship God in Spirit and Truth*

### \*The Hymn of Praise #300

*"We Are One in the Spirit"*

### \*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)

Savior God, we are indebted to you and your generosity. But we often fail to forgive our debtors. We sometimes consume far more than our fair share. Triune God, liberate us from our spiritual and moral bondage. Grant us a season of jubilee. Reorder our lives and communities so that all may contribute, and all may thrive. (A time for silent prayer and confession.) Amen.

### The Assurance of God's Forgiveness and Love

God lightens the load of those overly burdened, supports and strengthens those who have been knocked down. Let us claim the forgiveness God so graciously offers and know the new life Christ gives us. Lord, help us by the Holy Spirit to live in your way, truth and life through Jesus our Savior. Amen.

### The Response of Praise and Gratitude #634

*To God Be the Glory*

*To God be the glory; great things he has done! So loved he the world that he gave us his Son, who yielded his life an atonement for sin, and opened the life gate that all may go in.*

*Refrain: Praise the Lord, praise the Lord; let the earth hear his voice! Praise the Lord, praise the Lord; let the people rejoice! O come to the Father through Jesus the Son, and give him the glory; great things he has done!*

*Great things he has taught us; great things he has done, and great our rejoicing through Jesus the Son; but purer and higher and greater will be our wonders, our transport, when Jesus we see.*

*Refrain*

### *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

Let us remember that Jesus said: "It is more blessed to give than to receive." Amen.

### The Offertory

### \*The Doxology

### \*The Prayer of Consecration and the Lord's Prayer

### *To Hear God's Word Read and Proclaimed*

### The Scripture Lessons

New Testament Lesson: Luke 15: 11-32 Page#850

### The Anthem

*"You Are My All in All Fairest Lord Jesus"*

Words & Music: Dennis Jernigan

### The Sermon

*"A Trilogy of Sermons on the Parable of the Prodigal Sons:  
The Lostness of the Elder Brother"*

Dr. Raymond Guterman

### *And Depart to Live as Followers of Jesus*

### \*The Hymn of Dedication #353

*"My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less"*

### \*The Charge and Benediction

### \*The Congregational and Choral Response

*Praise the Lord, praise the Lord; let the earth hear his voice!  
Praise the Lord, praise the Lord; let the people rejoice! O  
come to the Father through Jesus the Son, and give him the  
glory; great things he has done!*

### \*The Postlude

Please silence phones.

\*Those who are able, please stand.

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

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**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](mailto:fpcmarianna@gmail.com)

**The Flowers** gracing our sanctuary this morning are given by Fred and Dot Carpenter for the Glory of God and in loving memory of our parents.

**This Week In Our Church**

<b>Today</b>	<b>September 18<sup>th</sup></b>
9:45 am	Adult Sunday School Classes (Andy Tinsley’s class Zoom ID 870 9356 1430)
9:45 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	Reception with Connie Butts

<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>September 20<sup>th</sup></b>
10:30 am	Prayer Meeting in church office
1:30 pm	Food Pantry bagging

<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>September 21<sup>st</sup></b>
9:00 am	Food Pantry Ministry
10:00 am	Sewing With Love
3:15 pm	WWW
4:00 pm	Children’s choir practice
4:30 pm	Adult choir practice
5:30 pm	SQUAD and Sr. High

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**Our Nursery Volunteers today are Jared & Sarah Roberts. We thank you for your service, Jared & Sarah.**  
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**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.

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**First Presbyterian Church Prays For:**

Chris and Lydia Kneiss (requested by LuAnne Law)  
Don Morris is in Marianna Rehab  
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)  
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  
Stewardship/Mission growth in our church

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**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.

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

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