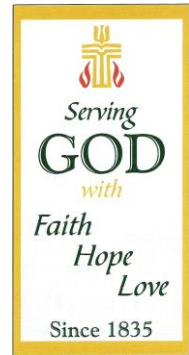


First Presbyterian Church
Service of Worship
Sunday, August 10, 2014
11 a.m.



THE CHURCH GATHERS . .

PRELUDE

With the first notes of the organ, please silently prepare yourself for worship.

THE CHIMING OF THE HOUR

WELCOME AND SHARING OF COMMUNITY LIFE

INTROIT

“Lord Make My Life a Window”

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: After the wind, the earthquake, the fire,

People: let us hear what the Lord will speak.

Leader: Jesus says: Take heart, it is I; do not fear.

Peoples: Rejoice, the Word of God is near!

***HYMN OF PREPARATION No. 286**

“Give To The Winds Thy Fears”

***UNISON PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

**O Lord our God, we confess
that we do not reflect your glory.
In fear, we conspire against those
whose dreams might threaten ours.
In fear, we fail to recognize
the very one who comes to save us.
Forgive us; restore and reorder our lives
by the grace of the Lord Jesus Christ,
so that we do not sink back into fear,
but walk boldly in faith,
to the glory of your holy name.**

***PERSONAL PRAYERS OF CONFESSION IN SILENCE**

***THE ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

***THE RESPONSE OF PRAISE AND GRATITUDE**

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 HEAR AND REFLECT ON GOD'S WORD.....

A TIME FOR OUR CHILDREN

Children ages 5 and under are excused to go downstairs following our Children's time.

THE OLD TESTAMENT

**Psalm 105:1-6
Pew Bible Page# 703**

The Response: Leader: This is the Word of the Lord
People: Thanks be to God

THE NEW TESTAMENT LESSON

Matthew 14:22-33
Pew Bible Page#22-3

The Response: Leader: This is the Word of the Lord
People: Thanks be to God

ANTHEM

“For the Beauty of the Earth”
by John Rutter

SERMON

“Walking on Water”

Rev. Dr. Ted Land

***HYMN OF AFFIRMATION No. 404**

“Precious Lord, Take My Hand”

***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH**

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.**

THE FELLOWSHIP OF SILENT PRAYER

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION AND SUPPLICATION

THE LORD'S PRAYER

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name;
thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is
in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and
forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors; and
lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory,
Forever. Amen.**

PRESENTATION OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

THE OFFERTORY

***THE OFFERTORY RESPONSE**

Doxology

**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. Amen**

TO GO OUT AND SERVE

*** HYMN OF PROCLAMATION No. 562**

“Eternal Father, Strong to Save”

***THE CHARGE AND BENEDICTION**

***THE RESPONSE FOR CHOIR AND CONGREGATION No. 535**

“Go with Us, Lord

***POSTLUDE**

***All who can do so comfortably will stand**

To Our Guests – Welcome to the First Presbyterian Church of Marianna. 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 on the offering plate, talk to the ushers or call the church office.

Nursery care is available for children Kindergarten and below during our Worship Service each Sunday morning. Children may be taken to the nursery before the service begins, or after the Time with Our Children.

The **Flowers** gracing our sanctuary today are given to the Glory of God By Ron and Kitty Myers.

Our Prayer Calendar: Gary and Sandy Plant Family, Cliff Stewart (requested by Ginger Green), Betty Pettis, Joy Gilbert, Rosemary Hand Battle (requested by Betty Joyce Hand), Daun Crews, Mary McLure Clark, Jeff Hinson and Family, Louise Pumphrey, Stanley Littleton, Bill Ansley (requested by Joe Busby and Scott Yant), Joan Byrd (requested by Dot Carpenter), Kena Nelson, Bill Nelson (requested by Hazel Nelson), JoAnn Rountree, Dr. Wade Crankshaw (requested by Rev. Ted Land), Piper Montana Smith (niece of Polly Land), Millie Sica and Sue Land and Sylvia Grandal (requested by Mary Schmidt).

Every Sunday morning there are **Sunday School Classes** for all age groups between 9:45 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. There are three classes for Adults. Next Sunday the Adults in the parlor will be studying: *Treasure in Clay Jars 2 Corinthians 4:2-15*. The Adult Class, upstairs in Room 4 will be studying the texts to be used in the worship service.

The **Food Pantry Offering** for August will be received next Sunday, August 17. During the month of July our food pantry served 537 families consisting of the following age groups 93(0-5), 146(6-12), 123(13-18), 74(19-25), 122(26-39), 215 (40-55)) and 441(55+) for a total of 1214 individuals.

Looking Ahead:

-Annual Dinner of the Presbyterian Women on Monday, August 25 at 6:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall.
-5th Sunday World Mission Offering on Sunday, August 31.
-Rally Day on Sunday, September 7 to mark the beginning of a new Sunday School Year.

This week in the life of the church . .

- Monday Ladies Exercise Class at 9:00 a.m.
- Tuesday Bagging for the Food Pantry at 1:30 p.m.
Autism Support Group meets at 6:00 p.m.
in the fellowship Hall.
- Wednesday Food Pantry from 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.
Choir Practice at 5:00 p.m.
Covered Dish Supper at 6:30 p.m. followed by
Bible Study in the Fellowship Hall.
- Friday Ladies Exercise Class at 9 a.m.
- Sunday Youth Led Service at 8:30 a.m. in the Fellowship hall.
Coffee and Juice at 9:15 a.m. in the Fellowship hall
Sunday School Classes for all Ages at 9:45 a.m.
Worship Service at 11:00 a.m.
Food Pantry Offering
Youth Group meets at 6:00 p.m.

Interim Pastor: Rev. Dr. Ted Land
Ruling Elder of the Month: Jim Gibbs
Church Administrator: Valerie Marlow
Director of Music: Amanda Deese
Organist: Stanley Littleton
Custodian: Amy Godfrey
Pantry Coordinator: Melissa Krebeck
Nursery Assistants: Tina Wilson and Carlee Wilson

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