# First Presbyterian Church Service of Worship Sunday, July 20, 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** 

"Holy is the Lord" Franz Schubert

### **CALL TO WORSHIP**

Leader: Like light that scatters the darkness, **People:** surely the Lord is in this place!

Leader: Like wheat gathered up at the harvest, **People:** the kingdom of heaven is near.

\*HYMN OF PREPARATION No. 142

"All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name"

## \* UNISON PRAYER OF CONFESSION

O Lord our God, we confess that we do not reflect your glory. You have claimed us as beloved children, but we forget that we belong to you alone. You have given us the Spirit of freedom, but we fall back into the spirit of fear. Forgive us; restore and reorder our lives by the grace of the Lord Jesus Christ. Let us bear good fruit in the Spirit and a sign of your new creation, 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......

## FOOD PANTRY OFFERING FOR JULY

#### THE OLD TESTAMENT

Psalm 8

The Response: Leader: This is the Word of the Lord

**People:** Thanks be to God

#### THE NEW TESTAMENT LESSON

Mark 2:13-22

The Response: Leader: This is the Word of the Lord

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**ANTHEM** 

"How Deep the Father's Love for Us" Words/Music by Stuart Townend Arranged by Benjamin Harlan

**SERMON** 

What New Thing, Lord?

Rev. Dr. James Huffaker

\*HYMN OF AFFIRMATION No. 280

"Amazing Grace"

\*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. 535

"Go with Us, Lord"

\*THE CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

## \*THE RESPONSE FOR CHOIR AND CONGREGATION No. 539

# "Savior, Again to Thy Dear Name We Raise"

#### \*POSTLUDE

# \*All who can do so comfortably will stand

We welcome our guest preacher this morning Rev. Dr. James Huffaker. Dr. Huffaker grew up in East Tennessee. He received his Master's of Divinity and Doctorate of Ministry from Columbia Theological Seminary and a Master's in Christian Education from Presbyterian School of Christian Education. He is married to Almeda Shimer and they have 3 children and twin granddaughters. He has served Churches in Virginia, Florida and Georgia.

**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 the Hand Family in memory of Richard Arlan Hand.

**The sympathy** of the Church is extended to the Family of Richard Arlan Hand who died on July 16 at his home in Marianna.

Our Prayer Calendar: Cliff Stewart (requested by Ginger Green), Betty Pettis, 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 Seek the Good of Others *ICorinthians* 14:13-26. The Adult Class, upstairs in Room 4 will the studying the texts to be used in the worship service.

The **Food Pantry Offering** for July will be received this morning. During the month of June our food pantry served 493 families consisting of the following age groups 77(0-5), 161(6-12), 287(13-18), 73(19-25), 115(26-39), 213 (40-55)) and 396(55+) for a total of 1322 individuals.

We are in need of additional monetary donations in order to keep the food pantry stocked due to the high volume of recipients that pass through the pantry. We thank you in advance for your generous gifts to the Food Pantry Mission.

## 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. 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.

Guest Preacher: Rev. Dr. James Huffaker Interim Pastor: Rev. Dr. Ted Land Ruling Elder of the Month: Kitty Myers Church Administrator: Valerie Marlow Director of Music: Amanda Deese Organist: Stanley Littleton

Custodian: Amy Godfrey

Pantry Coordinator: Melissa Krebeck Nursery Attendants: Tina Wilson and Trey Weeks

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# "How Deep the Father's Love for Us"

How deep the Father's love for us, How vast beyond all measure, That He should give His only Son To make a wretch His treasure.

How great the pain of searing loss, The Father turns His face away, As wounds which mar the chosen One Bring many sons to glory.

Behold the Man upon a cross, My sin upon His shoulders; Ashamed I hear my mocking voice Call out among the scoffers.

It was my sin that held Him there
Until it was accomplished;
His dying breath has brought me lifeI know that it is finished.

I will not boast in anything, No gifts, no power, no wisdom; But I will boast in Jesus Christ, His death and resurrection.

Why should I gain from His reward?
I cannot give an answer;
But this I know with all my heartHis wounds have paid my ransom.