

CALL TO CONFESSION

LITANY OF CONFESSION

Leader: Lord Jesus Christ, we want to be your people, to do your work and will, and to live under your authority alone.

Unison: Lord Jesus Christ, from all that holds us captive and prevents us living as your people, come and set us free.

Leader: Lord Jesus Christ, you know the sin that so easily entraps us, and how easily we yield to the temptations that confront us.

Unison: Lord Jesus Christ, from all that holds us captive and prevents us knowing the fullness of life you desire for us, come and set us free.

Leader: Lord Jesus Christ, we are conscious of the pride, the envy, the jealousy, the lust, the love of money and of other things that so easily stand in the way of our love for you.

Unison: Lord Jesus Christ, from all that holds us captive and prevents us loving you and loving other people as you desire, come and set us free.

Leader: Lord Jesus Christ, we know the anger that so easily wells up within us and can eat away at all of the joy and peace you want to bring to our lives.

Unison: Lord Jesus Christ, from all that holds us captive and prevents us knowing your joy and peace in our lives, come and set us free.

Leader: Lord Jesus Christ, we come to you with all of the addictions of our lives over which we feel so powerless and helpless.

Unison: Lord Jesus Christ, from all that holds us captive and prevents us knowing the abundant life you desire for us, come and set us free.

PERSONAL PRAYERS OF CONFESSION IN SILENCE

THE ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Leader: Hear the good news! Our Lord Jesus Christ has come to set at liberty all who are held captive.

Unison: Lord Jesus Christ, help us to claim your gifts of forgiveness and freedom in our lives.

Leader: By the power of the Holy Spirit, our Lord Jesus Christ wants all people to know fullness of life.

Unison: Thanks and praise be to God for all of God's concern for us shown in our Lord Jesus Christ.

*** THE SUNG RESPONSE OF PRAISE No. 579** *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 **Rachel Christopher**
(Children age 5 and under are excused to go downstairs after our Children's Time)

THE PSALMIST REFLECTS ON OUR RELATIONSHIP WITH GOD **Psalm 111:1-10**

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

ANTHEM

"Holy Lord of All"
Words by Frances Williams
Music based on Welsh Chorale, "Sanctus" by Isalaw
arranged by Frances Williams

JESUS SPEAKS AND ACTS WITH AUTHORITY **Mark 1:21-28**

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

* **THE OFFERTORY RESPONSE No. 592**

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.**

* **THE PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING**

* **THE LORD'S PRAYER** (*Presbyterian Hymnal, page 16 traditional, using debts and debtors*)

TO GO OUT AND SERVE . . .

* **HYMN OF GOD'S FAITHFULNESS No. 276**

Faithfulness

"Great Is Thy Faithfulness"

* **THE CHARGE AND BENEDICTION**

* **THE RESPONSE FOR CHOIR AND CONGREGATION**

"What Does the Lord Require"

Words based on Micah 6:8 and Music by Jim Strathdee

**Part 1: (All Sing) What does the Lord require of you?
 What does the Lord require of you?**

**Part 2: (Women) To seek justice, and love kindness
 and walk humbly with your God**

***Repeat Twice All Together:
Men singing Part 1; Women singing Part 2.***

* **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 the pastor, 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.

Our Prayer Calendar: Jeannette Vickery, John Lewis, Kathy Sloan and Cheryl Waldee (requested by Susie Stevens), Betty Linton (mother of Frankie Stewart), Glenda Mullins (sister of Dot Carpenter) Grace Champion (requested by Joy Lewis), Bill McQuagge (cousin of Bob Pitman), Frank Syfrett (requested by Gina Stuart) Laura Creasy (grand-daughter of Clyde Hand), Leo Ramin (requested by Bryan Milton), Steve Hebb (requested by Larry and Hazel Nelson, Melody Hatcher (daughter of Betty Jo Hatcher), Emory Singleary, Jr. (requested by Alex and Joy Lewis), Ken Roussy (requested by Alex and Joy Lewis) and from our Presbytery Prayer Calendar: First Presbyterian Church of Monticello, Florida

The **flowers** gracing our sanctuary this morning are given to the Glory of God by Jason and Lu Anne Law in memory of W.O. and Mary Helen Bell who planted and tended them for many years. The seeds planted and tended today will bring joy long into the future.

Our **newsletter** will be published on Thursday. All articles should be forwarded to the church office by noon on Wednesday, or E-mail to: firstpresmarianna@earthlink.net

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, “Justified by Faith in Christ” based on Galatians 2:15-21. Upstairs the Adult Class in Room 4 and the Young Adult class in Room 2 will be studying the texts to be used in our Worship Service from Isaiah 40:21-31

The **Sacrament of the Lord's Supper** will be celebrated our Worship Service next Sunday, February 5 as we reflect on the strength God offers to all who wait upon the Lord based on Isaiah 40:21-31. Anyone who is unable to attend our Worship Services on a regular basis and who would like to receive communion at home following our service next Sunday is invited to contact the church office at 526-2430 so that arrangements may be made.

Looking Ahead to Sunday, February 12

Breakfast will be served from 9 a.m. until 9:30 a.m. by our Evangelism and Fellowship Committee.

"I Love Sunday School" Assembly will be led by our Christian Education Committee from 9:30 a.m. until 9:55 a.m. Sunday School classes will follow the assembly.

The **Worship Service** at 11 a.m. will be a celebration of the Compassionate Love of God.

The **Annual Meeting of the Congregation and the Corporation** will be held at 11:55 a.m.

Statements of individual giving to the First Presbyterian Church during 2011 were mailed out last week. If you did not receive your statement or have any questions about it, please contact Valerie Marlow, our Administrative Assistant, at 526-2430 or e-mail to firstpresmarianna@earthlink.net.

Last Sunday we shared in the Service of Ordination and Installation for our **new Ruling Elders** who have been installed to the Class of 2014 of our Church Session. These new Ruling Elders are Ginger Green, Jackie Homoney, Ernest McNeill and Gina Stuart.

The Session has accepted, with the gratitude for her service, the resignation of **Ruling Elder Debbie Moxley** as an active member of our Session in order that she may be able to assist her husband, Travis, who has been called as the Interim Pastor of the White Pond Baptist Church in Alford.

The **Session** will be working with Huw Christopher and the Committee on Ministry of the Presbytery of Florida to make plans for our time of transition as our pastor prepares for retirement at the end of July. As more details of these plans are known they will be made known to the congregation.

This week in the life of the church . . .

Today	Worship and Music Committee at 12:15 p.m. Youth Music at 5 p.m. Youth Group at 6 p.m.
Monday	Ladies Exercise Class 9:00 a.m.
Tuesday	Bagging for Food Pantry: Bill Boyenton, Matt Brickler and Marianne Lonsinger
Wednesday	Food pantry is open from 9:00 - 11:00 a.m. The volunteers are Marianne Lonsinger, Matt Brickler, Cindy Morgan and Nancy Kowalczyk M and Ms (Kindergarten- 5 th Grade) meet from 3 until 5 p. m. Choir rehearsal at 5:15 p.m. JuBELLees practice at 6 p.m.
Thursday	Newsletter collated at 1 p.m.
Friday	Ladies Exercise Class 9 a.m.
Saturday	Evangelism and Fellowship Planning Meeting at 9 a.m.
Sunday (5th)	Coffee and Juice at 9:30 a.m. in the fellowship hall Sunday School for all Ages at 9:45 a.m. Children's Music at 10:35 a.m. A Celebration of God's Strength in Our Lives and of the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper at 11 a.m. Youth Music at 5 p.m. Youth Group at 6 p.m.

Pastor: Huw Christopher Ruling Elder of the Month: Betty Joyce Hand
Director of Music: Lawrence R. Nelson Organist: Stanley Littleton
Administrative Assistant: Valerie Marlow Custodian: Melissa Krebeck
Nursery Assistants: Mary Skipper and Branham Skipper

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