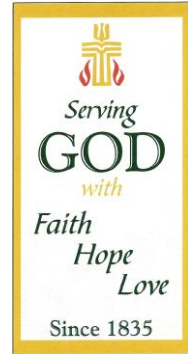


**A Celebration of Holy Communion**  
**Service of Worship**  
**Sunday, July 6, 2014**  
**at 11 a.m.**



**THE CHURCH GATHERS . . .**

**PRELUDE**

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

**THE CHIMING OF THE HOUR**

**INTROIT No. 398**

**“There’s a Sweet, Sweet Spirit”**

**CALL TO WORSHIP**

Leader: Jesus says: Come to me, and I will give you rest.

**People: The Lord is gracious and merciful,  
full of compassion, abounding in love.**

Leader: Jesus says: My yoke is easy, and my burden is light.

**People: The Lord supports those who are weak,  
and lifts up those who are falling.**

**\*HYMN OF PRAISE No. 508**

**“For the Bread Which You Have Broken”**

**\* UNISON PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

**O Lord our God, we confess  
that we do not reflect your glory.  
You gave your law to guide us  
but we remain enthralled by evil.  
We do the very things we claim to hate,  
and fail to do the things we say we love.  
Forgive us; restore and reorder our lives  
by the grace of the Lord Jesus Christ.  
From sin and death, set us free—  
free to love and serve you alone,  
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 LESSON**

**Psalm 45:10-17**  
***Pew Bible Page #648***

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

**THE NEW TESTAMENT LESSON**

**Matthew 11:16-19; 25-30**

*Pew Bible Page #15-16*

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

People:    **Thanks be to God**

**ANTHEM**

**SERMON**

**“How can I describe this Generation?”**

**Rev. Dr. Ted Land**

**\*HYMN OF AFFIRMATION No. 513**

**“Let Us Break Bread Together”**

**\*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 CELEBRATE THE LORD'S SUPPER

#### INVITATION TO THE LORD'S TABLE

#### THE PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

Leader: The peace of the Lord be with you.

**People: And also with you.**

Leader: Lift up your hearts.

**People: We lift them up to the Lord.**

Leader: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**People: It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

## **COMMUNION OF THE PEOPLE**

**(Please hold the elements until all have been served)**

### **TO GO OUT AND SERVE**

**\* HYMN OF PROCLAMATION No. 514**

**“Let Us Talents and Tongues Employ”**

**\*THE CHARGE AND BENEDICTION**

**\*THE RESPONSE FOR CHOIR AND CONGREGATION No. 599**

**“Jesus, Remember Me”**

**\*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.

Everyone who seeks to love and serve our Lord Jesus Christ is invited to share in the **Sacrament of the Lord’s Supper** with us. According to the tradition of this congregation, we will hold the bread and the cup in order that we might eat and drink together when we are invited to do so. You are encouraged to hold the bread with the napkin provided as you break off your piece.

**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 Toni Nowell in memory of her husband Dr. Rex Nowell.

**Our Prayer Calendar:** Cliff Stewart (requested by Ginger Green), Betty Pettis, Rosemary Hand Battle (requested by Betty Joyce Hand), Richard 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 Love Builds Up I *Corinthians: 8.* Upstairs the Adult Class in Room 4 will be studying the texts to be used in the worship service.

The office is attempting to update **Church member information**. If you are a new member, please fill out the Information Sheet that was given upon acceptance of membership and return it to the office. If you have moved, changed your e-mail address or phone numbers, we also thank you in advance for forwarding the information to the Church office. Please e-mail the office at [firstpresmarianna@earthlink.net](mailto:firstpresmarianna@earthlink.net).

**The Christian Education Committee** is currently seeking loving disciples to nurture and teach our children, ages Kindergarten through 5th grade, requiring only a ONE MONTH commitment. Beginning in September, a class for this age group will be offered with teachers committing to a one month rotating cycle. Please prayerfully consider being a part of the cloud of witnesses for the next generation of the church. Please contact Peggy Peacock, Chairperson of Christian Education at 850- 693-1854 or [ppeacock@embargmail.com](mailto:ppeacock@embargmail.com) for more information or to volunteer.

*"Teach me to do thy will; for thou art my God; thy spirit is good; lead me into the land of uprightness." Psalm 119:10*

**This week in the life of the church . .**

- Monday Ladies Exercise Class at 9:00 a.m.  
Vacation Bible School from 9:00 -11:00 a.m.
- Tuesday Bagging for the Food Pantry at 1:30 p.m.  
Vacation Bible School from 9:00 -11:00 a.m.
- Wednesday Food Pantry open 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.  
Vacation Bible School from 9:00 -11:00 a.m.
- Thursday Vacation Bible School from 9:00 -11:00 a.m.
- Friday Ladies Exercise Class at 9 a.m.
- Sunday Youth Led Early 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 at 11:00 a.m.

**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 Assistants: Tina Wilson and Trey Weeks**

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