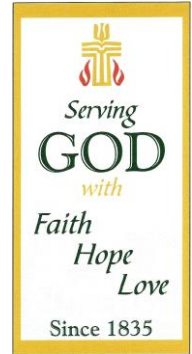


# Service of Worship for the Third Sunday after Epiphany Sunday, January 25, 2015 at 11 a.m.



## THE CHURCH GATHERS . . .

### PRELUDE

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

### THE CHIMING OF THE HOUR

### WELCOME AND SHARING OF COMMUNITY LIFE

### HYMN OF PREPARATION No. 316

*Verses 1 & 2*

**“Breathe on Me, Breath of God”**

### CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: With Simon and Andrew, we follow Jesus,

**People: learning how to fish for people.**

Leader: With James and John, we follow Jesus,

**People: proclaiming the good news of God.**

### \*HYMN OF PRAISE No. 377

**“Lord, You Have Come to the Lakeshore”**

**\* UNISON PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

**God our Creator, we confess  
that we are broken, sinful creatures.  
You call on us to change our lives,  
yet we do not heed your warning.  
You give us good news to share,  
yet we remain stubborn and silent.  
Forgive us, God of grace.  
Help us to repent and follow you,  
bearing witness to the good news  
that your holy realm is near;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord.**

**\*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**

**Jonah 3:1-5, 10**  
*Pew Bible Page #752*

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

## **THE NEW TESTAMENT LESSON**

**Mark 1: 14-20**  
*Pew Bible Page#812*

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

**ANTHEM**

**SERMON**

**“CALLED TO DO WHAT?”**

**Rev. Dr. Ted Land**

**\*HYMN OF AFFIRMATION No. 319**

**“Spirit”**

**INSTALLATION AND ORDINATION OF RULING ELDERS  
CLASS OF 2017**

**Scott Yant, Joe Busby, Susie Barber and Ellie Lawson**

**LuAnne Law**

**CLASS OF 2015**

**\*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**

##### **\*THE OFFERTORY PRAYER**

## **TO GO OUT AND SERVE**

**\* HYMN OF PROCLAMATION No. 281**

**“Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah”**

**\*THE CHARGE AND BENEDICTION**

**\*THE RESPONSE FOR CHOIR AND CONGREGATION No. 538**

**“Lord, Dismiss Us with Your Blessing”**

*Verse 1*

**\*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 Chuck and Cindy Morgan in honor of the members and supporters of First Presbyterian Church of Marianna.

**Our Prayer Calendar:** Destry Burch (requested by Mary Bevis Schmidt), Paul Burns (requested by Ernie McNeill), Louise Pumphrey, James Raymond Parker (great grandson of Alex and Joy Lewis), Mike Andrejko (requested by

Mary Wierman), Ned Grove, Margaret McRae (requested by Betty Joyce Hand), Eleanor Houyoux, Bill Nelson (requested by Hazel Nelson), Will Rountree (requested by Jo-Ann Rountree), Don Morris (requested by Jim Gibbs), Matt Lein, Gina Stuart, James Carpenter (Freddie's brother), Joy Gilbert, Daun Crews, Stanley Littleton, Kena Nelson, JoAnn Rountree, Dr. Wade Crankshaw (requested by Rev. Ted Land), Piper Montana Smith (niece of Polly Land), Millie Sica, Julie Stadskev and James Griffin.

Every Sunday morning there is an **Education Hour** for all age groups between 9:45 a.m. and 10:45 a.m. There are three classes for Adults. Next Sunday the Adults in the parlor will be studying Feasting and Fasting *Daniel 1:5, 8-17; Matthew 6:16-18*.

Upstairs the Adult Class in Room 4 will be studying the texts to be used in the worship service.

**The Christian Education Committee** encourages parents to bring their children to Sunday School. We have a class for children ages 2-5 downstairs with Mary Lu Andreu, and a class for K-5th grade upstairs with teachers rotating monthly. Mary Ann Gibbs will be teaching the K-5 class in January, and Alma Milton will be teaching in February.

**Installation and Ordination** of the Ruling Elders Class of 2017 is today. Our new Ruling Elders in the Class of 2017 of our Church Session are Scott Yant, Joe Busby, Susie Barber and Ellie Lawson. LuAnne Law will be serving in the Class of 2015. The new Session for 2015 will begin service following this worship service.

A **Montreat Luncheon** will follow the worship service and will provide an opportunity to visit with our new Ruling Elders.

First Presbyterian Church will take part in the **Souper Bowl of Caring** by passing around the Tin Can next Sunday, February 1, on Super Bowl Sunday. All proceeds will go to help feed the recipients of our Food Pantry Mission. Young people from all over the United States and Canada will be sponsoring in their local churches a very special opportunity for church members.

Church members will have the opportunity to make Super Bowl Sunday not only a “Sports Day”, but also a “day of caring and concern for those who are without even a bowl of soup to eat.” There are people worrying about staying warm, finding shelter and a warm meal all across the country. Please join young people around the country as they demonstrate God’s love by loving their neighbors through the Souper Bowl of Caring.

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

Monday	Ladies Exercise Class at 9 a.m.
Tuesday	Bagging for the Food Pantry at 1:30 p.m. Session meets at 5:15 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall.
Wednesday	Food Pantry open from 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. Wild Wonderful Wednesday from 3:30 to 5:15 in the Fellowship Hall Choir Rehearsal at 5:00 p.m. JuBELLees practice at 5:45 p.m. Covered Dish Supper at 6:30 p.m. followed by Bible Study in the Fellowship Hall.
Thursday	Newsletter Collated
Friday	Ladies Exercise Class at 9 a.m.
Sunday (1 <sup>ST</sup> )	Coffee, Juice and Fellowship at 9:30 a.m. Choir Rehearsal at 9:45 a.m. Education Hour at 9:45 a.m. Worship at 11:00 a.m. Sacrament of the Lord’s Supper

**Interim Pastor: Rev. Dr. Ted Land**  
**Ruling Elder of the Month: Peggy Peacock**  
**Church Administrator: Valerie Marlow**  
**Organist: Stanley Littleton**  
**Pantry Coordinator: Melissa Krebeck**  
**Custodian: Scott Yant**  
**Nursery Assistants: Tina Wilson and Carlee Wilson**

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