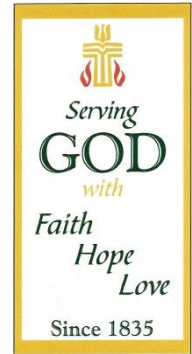


**First Presbyterian Church  
Service of Worship  
October 11, 2015  
11:00 a.m.**



**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. 357**

*Verse 1&2*

**“O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee ”**

**CALL TO WORSHIP**

*from Psalm 139*

Leader: O Lord, where can we go from your spirit?  
Or where can we flee from your presence?

**People: If we ascend to heaven, you are there.  
If we make our bed in the pit, you are there.**

Leader: If I say, “Surely the darkness shall cover me,

**People: even the darkness is not dark to you.**

**All: Let us worship God!**

**HYMN OF PRAISE No. 430**

**“Come Sing, O Church, in Joy!”**



# THE NEW TESTAMENT

**Hebrews 4:12-16**  
**Pew Bible Pg.#972-3**

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

## ANTHEM

**“Love Divine, all loves excelling”**  
**Text by Charles Wesley**  
**Music by W.P. Rowlands**

Love divine, all loves excelling,  
Joy of heaven to earth come down;  
Fix in us thy humble dwelling;  
All thy faithful mercies crown!  
Jesus, Thou art all compassion,  
Pure unbounded love Thou art;  
Visit us with Thy salvation;  
Enter every trembling heart.

Breathe, O breathe Thy loving  
Spirit,  
Into every troubled breast!  
Let us all in Thee inherit;  
Let us find that second rest.  
Take away our bent to sinning;  
Alpha and Omega be;  
End of faith, as its Beginning,  
Set our hearts at liberty.

Come, Almighty to deliver,  
Let us all Thy life receive;  
Suddenly return and never,  
Never more Thy temples leave.  
Thee we would be always blessing,  
Serve Thee as Thy hosts above,  
Pray and praise Thee without ceasing,  
Glory in Thy perfect love.

Finish, then, Thy new creation;  
Pure and spotless let us be.  
Let us see Thy great salvation  
perfectly restored in Thee;  
Changed from glory into glory,  
Till in heaven we take our place,  
Till we cast our crowns before Thee,  
Lost in wonder, love, and praise

**\*SERMON**

**“Approach with Boldness?”**

**Rev. Emily Proctor**

**\*HYMN OF AFFIRMATION 366**

**“Jesus, Thy Boundless Love to Me”**

**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. 387

**“Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us”**

### \*THE CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

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

**“Lord, Dismiss Us With Thy Blessing”**

### \*POSTLUDE

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

We welcome back our **Guest Preacher** this morning, the Reverend Emily Rose Proctor. She is a Presbyterian Church (USA) teaching elder, and has recently moved to Santa Rosa Beach, Florida, with her husband, Richard Gillespie Proctor, who is the rector at Christ the King Episcopal Church. Rev. Emily Proctor grew up nearby in Dothan, Alabama, and went to seminary at Columbia Theological Seminary in Decatur, Georgia. She has served churches in Mobile, Alabama, Baltimore, Maryland, and Jacksonville, Florida. She and her husband are expecting their first child, due March 31, 2016!

**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 this morning** are given to the Glory of God by Buddy and Sharon Bannerman in memory of R. C. Bannerman, Jr., father of Buddy Bannerman

**Our Prayer Calendar:** Destry Burch and Fletcher Dunaway (requested by Mary Bevis Schmidt), Abby Reed (requested by Mary Wierman), George McMullin (requested by Nancy McMullin), Deanna Barber Wood (requested by Melissa Krebeck), Ned Grove (requested by Betty Joyce Hand), Bob Ward and Michael Ward (requested by Mary Wierman), Kena Nelson (requested by Hazel Nelson), Marie Lanier (requested by Joy Lewis), Harold and Tammy Pumphrey (requested by Louise Pumphrey), Louise Pumphrey, Gina Stuart, Joy Gilbert, Daun Crews, Stanley Littleton, JoAnn Rountree,

**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: *Sharing All Things Acts 4:34-5:10*. Upstairs the Adult Class in Room 4 will be studying the texts to be used in the worship service.

The Youth Group will be having their **Montreat Luncheon** today. They are serving chili, hopefully getting ready for some cold weather. Everyone is invited to come and enjoy a good bowl of chili and fellowship with our youth and church family. Please come and join us.

**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 at 6:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall.
- Wednesday Food Pantry from 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.  
Wild Wonderful Wednesday from 3:30 to 5:15 p.m.  
Choir Practice at 5:00 p.m.
- Friday Ladies Exercise Class at 9 a.m.
- Sunday (18th) Coffee and Juice at 9:15 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall  
Educational Classes for all Ages at 9:45 a.m.  
Choir Rehearsal at 9:45 a.m.  
Worship at 11:00 a.m.  
Preaching: Rev. James Stansbury

**Guest Preacher: Rev. Emily Proctor**  
**Ruling Elder: Susie Barber**  
**Church Administrator: Valerie Marlow**  
**Organist: Stanley Littleton**  
**Pantry Coordinator: Melissa Krebeck**  
**Nursery Assistants: Tina Wilson and Carlee Wilson**

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