

To Our Guests: We are happy to have you worship with us to today. We invite you 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 in the offering plate, talk to the ushers or call the church office at (850) 526-2430. www.firstpresmarianna.org

Nursery Care is available for children Kindergarten and below during our Worship Service each Sunday morning.

THIS WEEK IN OUR CHURCH

Sunday, June 26

9:45 a.m. – Sunday School
10:00 a.m. – Choir Practice
11:00 a.m. – Worship

Monday, June 27

9:00 a.m. - Ladies Exercise Class

5:30 p.m. – Evangelism & Fellowship Comm

Tuesday, June 28

3:30 p.m. Food Pantry Bagging

5:30 p.m. Session Meeting

Wednesday, June 29

9:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. –Food Pantry

Thursday, June 30

7:00 p.m. – NA Meeting

Friday, July 1 –

9:00 a.m.-Ladies Exercise Class

Saturday, July 2

Sunday, July 3

9:30 a.m. – Coffee, Juice and Fellowship
9:45 a.m. – Sunday School
10:00 a.m. – Choir Rehearsal
11:00 a.m. Worship

First Presbyterian Prays for.....(New Requests in Bold!)

Joy Hinton (requested by family)

Suzanne Payne (requested by family)

Bobbie Harris (requested by Kathy Roberts)

Charlotte & Don Hunter (requested by family)

Jane Powell

Sybil Schmidt King (requested by Mary B. Schmidt)

Beth Westmoreland (requested by family)

Paige Lawson (requested by family)

Guy Green (requested by family)

Janie Pulliam (requested by family)

Melanie Turner McCroan (requested by family)

Shelby Kandle (requested by family)

Frankie Stuart (requested by family)

Stanley Littleton

Louise Pumphrey (requested by family)

Gail Stearn Guy Green's Sister (requested by family)

J. R. Gortemoller (requested by family)

Elizabeth Littleton Walker (requested by Stanley Littleton)

Jeff Allen (requested by Hazel Nelson)

Destry Burch (requested by Mary B. Schmidt)

Fletcher Dunaway (requested by Mary B. Schmidt)

Bob and Michael Ward (requested by Mary Wierman)

Kena Nelson (requested by Hazel Nelson)

Marie Lanier (requested by Joy Lewis)

Gina Stuart

Daun Crews

JoAnn Rountree

Our Sympathies:

We extend our sympathies to the family and friends of Herman Williams who passed away on June 20th.

Our sympathies are also extended to Margo Lamb and family in the loss of her Father, Kenneth Bruce Adams on June 23rd.

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Faith

Hope

Love

Since 1835

Celebration of Worship

June 26, 2016

11:00 a.m. Worship Service

Gather - Assemble in God's Name

Prelude Eva Marie & Stephen Stafford
Children

Call to Worship Carlee Wilson

Leader: This is the day the Lord has made;

PEOPLE: WE WILL REJOICE AND BE GLAD IN IT.

Leader: This is the day the Lord has made;

PEOPLE: WE WILL WORSHIP THE LORD, OUR MAKER AND SAVIOR

Leader: This is the day the Lord has made;

PEOPLE: WE WILL OPEN OUR LIVES TO GOD'S HOLY SPIRIT.

Opening Prayer Natalie Milton

As we gather in worship, we pray for clear minds and open hearts, so that we may be receptive to your Holy Spirit. Then, as we leave this place, send us forth with power and joy, bearing witness to the fact that we have met you here.

*Opening Song "He is the Light"

*Prayer of Confession

Merciful God, we confess we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what We have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole Heart and mind and strength We have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. In your mercy, forgive what we have been, help us to amend what we are, and direct what we shall be, that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name...

*A Time for Silent Confession

*Assurance of Forgiveness

Now the Lord is the Spirit, and where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is freedom. 2 Corinthians 3:17

*Passing of the Peace

Lord, prepare me, to be a sanctuary

Pure and Holy, tried and true.

With thanksgiving, I'll be a living

Sanctuary for you

Grow - Proclaim God's Word

VBS Celebration LuAnne Law

"Everywhere I Go"

Prayer for Illumination

Old Testament Reading Genesis 11:1 – 9 Evan Barber

New Testament Reading Acts 1:4 – 8 Galen Olds

VBS Song "I Have Decided to Follow Jesus"

Message "What Montreat Means To Me" Beth Beasley

*Affirmation of Faith (in unison) VBS Creed

We believe that Jesus gives us HOPE.

Prophets foretold the Light of the world.

"O Lord, you alone are my hope." Psalm 71:5

We believe that Jesus gives us COURAGE.

Jesus AND Peter walked on the water.

"Take courage, I am here!" (Matthew 14:27)

We believe that Jesus gives us DIRECTION.

Jesus guides and provides. "He will show you

which path to take." (Proverbs 3:6)

We believe that Jesus gives us LOVE.

Jesus died and came back to life for me.

"We know what real love is because Jesus

gave up His life for us." (1 John 3:16)

We believe that Jesus gives us POWER.

"Our great power is from God, not from

ourselves.) (2 Corinthians 4:7)

*Song of Response "Prince of Peace"

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer (*debts & debtors*) Gracie Wallace

Offertory

*Doxology and Prayer of Dedication

Praise God from whom all blessings flow

Praise Him all creatures here below.

Praise Him above ye heavenly hosts.

Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. A-men.

Go - In God's Name

*Closing Song "Here I Am Lord" #525, Blue Hymnal

*Benediction Alexis Pueschel

The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ,
the love of God,
and the communion of the Holy Spirit
be with you all. Amen.

*Postlude

Today we are being led by children who participated in Vacation Bible School this past week. LuAnne Law was our director for a great week of "Cave Quest" The Senior High Youth Group are also leading us in worship. They attended the Montreat Conference June 11-18 and their theme was "A World of Difference"

*Those who are able, please stand.

** Please silence cell phones.