

**To Our Guests:** 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 in the offering plate, talk to the ushers or call the church office at 850-526-2430. [www.firstpresmarianna.org](http://www.firstpresmarianna.org)

**Nursery Care** is available for children Kindergarten and below

during our Worship Service each Sunday morning.

**The Flowers** gracing our Sanctuary this morning are given to the Glory of God by Buddy and Sharon Bannerman in honor of their Grandchildren.

### **THIS WEEK IN OUR CHURCH**

#### **Today, October 9th**

8:30 a.m. – 9:30 a.m. Endowment Comm.Mtg in Parlor  
8:30 a.m. – 9:30 a.m. – Christian Ed Com Mtg  
8:30 a.m. – 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  
12:15 a.m. – Worship & Music Comm. Mtg.  
6:00 p.m. – Youth Group

#### **Monday, October - 10th**

9:00 a.m. - Ladies Exercise Class  
6:00 p.m. – Girl Scouts mtg

#### **.Tuesday, October 11th**

3:30 p.m.- Food Pantry Bagging  
6:00 p.m. Food Pantry Banquet

#### **Wednesday, October 12th**

9:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. –Food Pantry  
3:30 – 5:15 p.m. Wild Wonderful Wednesday  
**4:00 p.m. – Choir Rehearsal**  
6:00 p.m. – God's Warriors Mens Group at Sam Andreu's

#### **Thursday, October 13<sup>th</sup>**

5:30 Alzheimer's Group Mtg  
7:00 p.m. – NA Meeting

#### **Friday, October 14th**

9:00 a.m.-Ladies Exercise Class

#### **Saturday, October 15th**

**8:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. Very Special Arts**  
Children & Youth with Autism or other disabilities

#### **Sunday, October 16th**

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  
12:00 p.m. – **Called Congregational Meeting to elect elders**  
6:00 p.m. - Youth Group

### **First Presbyterian Prays for: (new requests in bold!)**

Darryl Carpenter

Matt Goold

Jackie Spivey

Don Morris

Travis Lawson

Savannah McCroan Merrifield

Shelley Fite (requested by Donna Moore, aunt)

Suzanne Payne (requested by family)

Bobbie Harris (requested by Kathy Roberts)

Charlotte Hunter (requested by family)

Jane Powell

Sybil Schmidt King (requested by Mary B. Schmidt)

Melanie Turner McCroan (requested by family)

Shelby Kandle (requested by family)

Gina Stuart (requested by family)

Louise Pumphrey (requested by family)

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

J. R. Gortemoller (requested by family)

Jeff Allen (requested by Hazel Nelson)

Destry Burch (requested by Mary B. Schmidt)

Fletcher Dunaway (requested by Mary B. Schmidt)

Bob Ward (requested by Mary Wierman)

Kena Nelson (requested by Hazel Nelson)

Marie Lanier (requested by Joy Lewis)

Frankie Stewart

Daun Crews

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**It's Coming !! October 15<sup>th</sup> our Pumpkins will be delivered and we have a good crew ready to "unload" and "set up" This will be a big fundraiser for our church's mission and our youth and children ministry. Ask Merian Milton how you can help and contribute to the cause. For one thing – we have a sign up list for people to volunteer to be here to help with sales (you will be trained/ instructed) for 2 -4 hour shifts from October 16<sup>th</sup> – 30<sup>th</sup>.**

**Merian Milton and Tina Bigale are our point people.**

**[Mmerian713@gmail.com](mailto:Mmerian713@gmail.com); 850-209-1286 (text)**

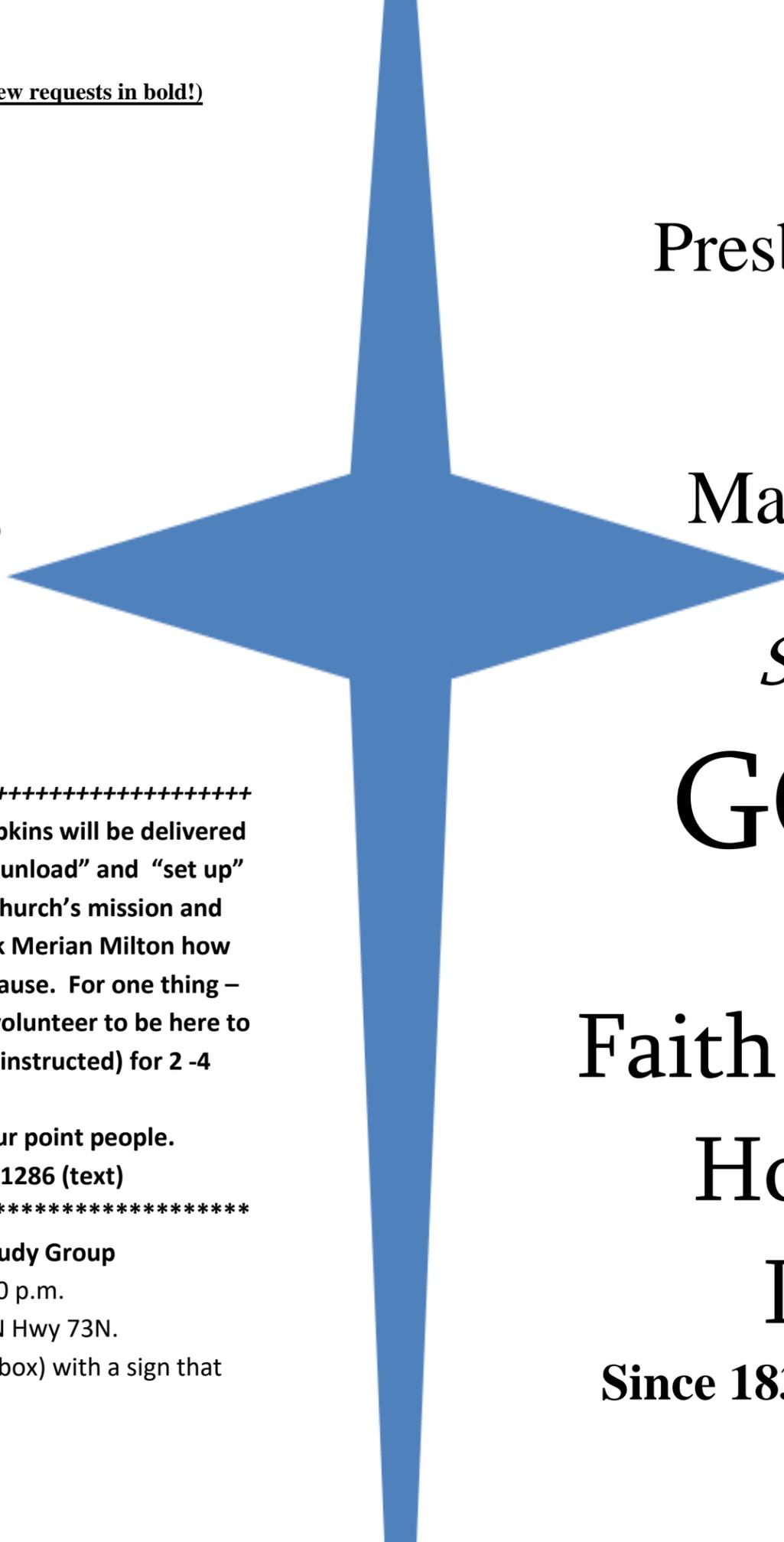
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**God's Warriors Bible Study Group**

October 12<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 p.m.

At Home of Sam Andreu at 3396 N Hwy 73N.

There is a mailbox post (without mailbox) with a sign that says "The Farm".



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# Celebration of Worship

October 9, 2016, 2016

11:00 a.m. Worship Service

*Gather - Assemble in God's Name*

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Prelude

The Chiming of the Hour

Welcome and Sharing of Community Life

Call To Worship

Leader: With what shall we come before the Lord,  
and bow ourselves before God on high?

**People: He has told us what is good,  
for the Lord requires of us to do justice,  
to love kindness, and to walk humbly  
with our God.** *Adapted from Micah 6:6,8*

OPENING PRAYER

O Lord God, grant us grace to desire you with our whole heart; so that so desiring, we may seek and find you; and so finding you we may love you; and loving you, and loving you, we may hate those sins from which you have redeemed us; for the sake of Jesus Christ.

*Anselm, 1033-1109*

\*Hymn of Praise "Come, Christians, Join to Sing"  
Page #150, Blue Hymnal

\*Prayer of Confession  
(In Unison)

**Forgive us, we pray, for timidity in witness, for our quickness in judgement, for our reluctance in forgiveness, for our weakness in conviction, and for our paucity in giving.**

**Pardon us for our sins, and help us to be more worthy followers of the One who cared for the poor and oppressed, who loved the outcast, and who turned aside to help whenever he saw a need.**

\*A time for Silent Confession

\*Assurance of Forgiveness

Friends believe the Good News of the Gospel!

**In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven!**

\*THE RESPONSE OF PRAISE AND GRATITUDE

Page #322, Blue Hymnal

*Spirit of the living God, Fall a-fresh on me;  
Spirit of the living God, Fall a-fresh on me.  
Melt me, mold me, Fill me, use me.  
Spirit of the living God, Fall a-fresh on me.*

## Grow - Proclaim God's Word

Children's Message

Choral Anthem "On Eagle's Wings"  
Text by: Michael Joncas  
Arranged by: Douglas Wagner

1) You who dwell in the shelter of the Lord,  
who abide in his shadow for life, say to the Lord,  
" My refuge, my rock in whom I trust!"

*(Refrain vs 1-4)*

And he will raise you up on eagle's wings, bear you on the breath of dawn, make you to shine like the sun, and hold you in the palm of his hand.

2) The snare of the fowler will never capture you,  
and famine will bring you no fear;  
under his wings, your refuge, his faithfulness  
your shield.

3) You need not fear the terror of the night,  
nor the arrow that flies by day,  
though thousands fall about you,  
near you it shall not come.

4) For to his angels he's given a command to guard you in all of your ways;  
upon their hands they will bear you up,  
lest you dash your foot against a stone.

Gospel Lesson

Luke 17:11-19  
*Pew Bible page #852*

Message "ONE" John T. Wamsley

Affirmation of Faith (In Unison)

\*Hymn "Jesus, Thy Boundless to Me"  
Page #366, Blue Hymnal

Prayers of the People and The Lord's Prayer  
(debts and debtors)

Offertory

\*Response & Prayer of Dedication  
Page #428, Blue Hymnal

## Go - In God's Name

\*Hymn "Spirit" Page #319, Blue Hymnal

\*CHARGE AND BLESSING

\*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE

\*"Alleluia, Alleluia! Give Thanks"  
Page #106, Blue Hymnal

Alleluia, alleluia! Give thanks to the risen Lord.  
Alleluia, alleluia! Give praise to His Name.

\*Postlude

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**\*Those who are able, please stand.**

**\*\*Please silence cell phones.**