

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 Ph 850-526-2430, or 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 by Jim and Mary Ann Gibbs and Frankie Stewart to the Glory of God and to honor Pastor John and Linda for their first year of service at First Presbyterian Church.

THIS WEEK IN OUR CHURCH

Today, February 19th

8:30 a.m. – Christian Education Committee
9:30 a.m. – Coffee & Juice Fellowship
9:45 a.m. – Sunday School
10:00 a.m. – Choir Rehearsal
11:00 a.m. – Worship Service
12:00 p.m. – Montreat Luncheon

Monday, February 20th

9:00 a.m. – Ladies Exercise Class
11:30 a.m. – Lunch Bunch @ Home of Betty Joyce Hand
4:00 p.m. – Administrative Committee Meeting

Tuesday, February 21st

3:30 p.m. – Food Pantry Bagging

Wednesday, February 22nd

9:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. – Food Pantry
9:30 a.m. – Noon – Marianna Garden Club
3:15 p.m. – 5:15 p.m. – Wild Wonderful Wednesday
4:00 p.m. – Choir Practice
6:00 p.m. – Covered Dish Dinner, Lesson 4,
“Pray Audacious Prayers”

Thursday, February 23rd

7:00 p.m. - NA Meeting

Friday, February 24th

9:00 a.m. - Ladies Exercise Class

Saturday, February 25th

Sunday, February 26th

9:30 a.m. – Coffee & Juice Fellowship
9:45 a.m. – Sunday School
10:00 a.m. – Choir Rehearsal
11:00 a.m. – Worship
5:30 p.m. - Youth Group

First Presbyterian Church Prays for:

(new requests in bold!)

Kip & Betty Blighton (sympathy)

Macky Gortemoller
Joy Hiott (Hanni Daffin's granddaughter)
Doris Irwin
Mike Evans
Ronnie Heath- Heart Transplant, Nephew of Larry & Jackie Spivey
Frankie Stewart
Beth Westmoreland
Gina Stuart
Dustin Reidesel (requested by Betty Joyce Hand)
Louise Pumphrey
Linda Bevis, (requested by Mary Bevis Schmidt),
Louise Daffin,
Gil Lowe,
Matt Goold, (requested by family)
Bobbie Harris (requested by Kathy Roberts)
Sybil Schmidt King (requested by Mary B. Schmidt)
Melanie Turner McCroan
Shelby Kandle (requested by family)
Gail Stearn (Guy Green's Sister)
Jeff Allen (requested by Hazel Nelson)
Destry Burch (requested by Mary B. Schmidt)
Kena Nelson (requested by Hazel Nelson)
Marie Lanier (requested by Joy Lewis)

The Lenten Luncheon Schedule is as follows: (Thanks to Ginger Green)

March 7 The Lunch Bunch

14 Wildflowers

21 Circle I

28 Circle II

April 4 Good News Women

11 God's Warriors (yes, the men!)

Pastor John has decided to do the short messages on

T.U.L.I.P. – the five disputed points of Calvinism.

He will present this in language we in the pews can understand.

These are basic truths of the Reformed faith made believable (biblical)

and captivating (interesting and helpful).

GLORY DAYS: Our Wednesday Night Bible Study continues with the

Following Schedule:

February 22 - Covered Dish Dinner Lesson 4 “Pray Audacious Prayers

Book Chapters 9-12 (We will finish “Glory Days” on March 1)

PLEASE stay for Lunch and support our youth !!

Today's meal will be a Spaghetti Dinner. Make a generous donation ! ☺



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Celebration of Worship

February 19, 2017
11:00 a.m.

Gather - Assemble in God's Name

Prelude

The Chiming of the Hour

Welcome and Sharing of Community Life

Call To Worship (In Unison)

Leader: We will recount the gracious deeds of God,

People: the praiseworthy acts of our LORD,

Leader: because of all that he has done for us

People: and for his acts of mercy

Leader: according to the abundance of his love.

- Adapted from Isaiah 63:7

*Hymn of Praise

"How Firm A Foundation"

Page #361, Hymnal

*Prayer of Confession (In Unison)

Leader: Out of the depths we cry to you, O LORD;

PEOPLE: LORD, HEAR OUR VOICES.

Leader: Let your ears be attentive to our pleas.

**PEOPLE: IF YOU, O LORD, SHOULD KEEP A RECORD OF
OUR FAILURES,**

Leader: who of us could stand?

**PEOPLE: WE WAIT FOR THE LORD, AND IN GOD'S PROMISES
WE HOPE.**

- Adapted from Psalm 130:1 - 5

*A Time for Silent Confession

Words of Assurance

Psalm 130:7-8

*Assurance of Forgiveness

Leader: Friends,

believe the Good News!

People: In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven!

*The Response of Praise and Gratitude

"Thy Word Is a Lamp unto My Feet"

(See Insert)

Grow - Proclaim God's Word

Children's Message

Scripture Lesson

Psalm 119: 33 - 40

Pew Bible, Page #494

Choral Anthem

"Open My Eyes That I May See"

Hymnal # 324

Scripture Lesson

Matthew 6: 25 - 34

Pew Bible, Page #787

Message

Rev. John T. Wamsley

"God's Life - App"

*Song of Response

"I Love To Tell the Story"

(See Insert)

Affirmation of Faith (In Unison)

We trust in God,

whom Jesus called Abba, Father.

In sovereign love God created the world good

and makes everyone equally in God's image,

male and female, of every race and people,

to live as one community.

In everlasting love,

the God of Abraham and Sarah chose a covenant
people to bless all families of the earth.

Hearing their cry,

God delivered the children of Israel

from the house of bondage.

Loving us still,

God makes us heirs with Christ of the covenant.

Like a mother who will not forsake her nursing child,

like a father who runs to welcome the prodigal home,

God is faithful still.

Prayers of the People and The Lord's Prayer

("debts and debtors")

Offertory

*Doxology & Prayer of Dedication

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. A-men.

Go - In God's Name

*Hymn "Help Us Accept Each Other"

Page #358, Hymnal

*Benediction and Congregational Response

Blest be the tie that binds Our hearts in Christian love:

The fellowship of kindred minds Is like to that above.

*Postlude

*Those who are able, please stand.

*Please silence cell phones.