

First Presbyterian Church

January 16, 2011

THE LORD'S DAY

10:20 a.m.

A gospel which is only about the moment of conversion but does not extend to every moment of life in Christ is too small.

A gospel that gets your sins forgiven but offers no power for transformation is too small.

A gospel that isolates one of the benefits of union with Christ and ignores all the others is too small.

A gospel that must be measured by your own moral conduct, social conscience, or religious experience is too small.

A gospel that rearranges the components of your life but does not put you personally in the presence of God is too small.

~Fred Sanders, *The Deep Things of God: How the Trinity Changes Everything*

*CONGREGATION STANDS AS ABLE.

PLEASE ADJUST ALL ELECTRONIC DEVICES SO AS NOT TO DISRUPT THE SERVICE.

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude

Call to Worship

Psalm 103:20-22

***Hymn 310** *Rejoice, the Lord Is King*

DARWALL

*Prayer of Adoration

Confession of Sin

Minister: *We confess we are not poor in spirit.*

People: **We think of ourselves more highly than we ought to think.**

Minister: *We confess we do not mourn our sin.*

People: **We have named the name of the Lord and not departed from iniquity.**

Minister: *We confess that we are not meek.*

People: **We are boastful, arrogant, and rude, insisting on our own way.**

Minister: *We confess our lack of hunger and thirst for righteousness.*

People: **We have lost our first love.**

Minister: *We confess we are not pure in heart.*

People: **We have been lured away by our own desires.**

Minister: *We confess we have not been peacemakers.*

People: **We have loved strife and not what makes for peace.**

Minister: For this reason, we flee for refuge to your infinite mercy, Lord Jesus Christ.

People: **Forgive us, renew us, and lead us so that we can delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name. Amen.**

Assurance of Pardoning Grace

Psalm 103:2-5

Bless the Lord, O my soul, and forget not all his benefits, who forgives all your iniquity, who heals all your diseases, who redeems your life from the pit, who crowns you with steadfast love and mercy, who satisfies you with good so that your youth is renewed like the eagle's.

Hymn 691 *It Is Well with My Soul* VILLE DU HAVRE

Hymn 642 *Be Thou My Vision* SLANE

Prayer of Intercession and the Lord's Prayer

Offering *How Firm a Foundation* CHOIR
John Rippon and Joseph Funk

How firm a foundation, ye saints of the Lord,
Is laid for your faith in His excellent Word!
What more can He say than to you He hath said,
To you who for refuge to Jesus have fled?

Fear not, I am with thee; O be not dismayed,
For I am thy God, and will still give thee aid;
I'll strengthen thee, help thee, and cause thee to stand,
Upheld by My righteous, omnipotent hand.

The soul that on Jesus hath leaned for repose,
I will not, I will not desert to his foes;
That soul tho' all hell should endeavor to shake,
I'll never, no never, no never for sake.

PLEASE TAKE A MOMENT TO SIGN THE BLACK REGISTRATION PAD LOCATED AT THE END OF THE PEW AND PASS IT TO OTHERS ON YOUR PEW.

***Doxology** OLD HUNDREDTH
*Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.*

*Prayer of Thanksgiving

Scripture Reading John 10:14-18
(p. 896 in pew Bible)

Sermon Rev. Phillip Palmertree

"The Shepherd Knows"

*Like Sheep, Like Shepherd: Sermons on
How to be a Sheep and a Mid-Level Shepherd*

***Hymn 180** *I Will Sing the Wondrous Story* WONDROUS STORY

*Benediction

***Response** *The 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.*

Morning Service broadcast live on WKOZ 1340 AM
and live online at www.breezynews.com.

"Thank God you've come!"

We thank God that you've come today, and we hope you thank God that you've come today!

Please fill out the black registration pad located at the end of your pew, so we will have a record of your visit.

We want to serve you in Christ's name in any way we can.

Evening Worship

5:00 pm

Welcome

Call to Worship

***Hymn 701** *Redeemed, How I Love to Proclaim It!* ADA

Invocation

Hymn 598 *Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah* CWM RHONDDA

Hymn 401 *All Praise to Thee, My God, This Night* TALLIS' CANON

Elder Prayer Don Smith

Scripture Reading Acts 5:12-42
(pp. 913-914 in pew Bible)

Sermon Rev. Phillip Palmertree

"Words of This Life"
Acts: What the Gospel Does

***Hymn 168** *I Greet Thee, Who My Sure Redeemer Art* TOULON

*Benediction

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Upcoming Events

Mid-South PCA Men's Rally:

Friday, January 28

FPC Bible Conference:

February 11-13 with Dr. Bill Hogan

Sanctuary Flowers: If you would like to provide flowers for the sanctuary during 2011, please sign up on the bulletin board or contact the church office, 289-2435.

2011 Mid-South Men's Rally

Friday, January 28 at

First Presbyterian Church, Jackson

Men, come be a part of this annual evening of worship and instruction from God's Word. A free supper is offered at 5:15 p.m. The first session begins at 6:30 p.m. The second session ends at 9:00 p.m. This year's speaker is Dr. Russell Moore, Dean of the School of Theology at Southern Baptist Theological Seminary in Louisville, Kentucky. You can find out more about his work at www.russellmoore.com.



Church Ministries

Budget Information	Revenue	Expense	Totals
December 2010	\$ 41,769.07	\$ 34,642.72	\$ 6,721.64
Year-to-Date	\$437,905.69	\$433,910.74	\$ 3,994.95

Nursery Schedule: Notify Marsha @ 289-2435 of any changes.

Date	Toddler AM	Infant AM	PM
Jan. 16	Tammie & Heather Hudgins	Mary Ikerd & Mary Denny	William & Natalie McKinley
Jan. 23	Jeff & Misty Lacey	Rhonda Johnson & J.J. Warrington	Teresa, Victoria & Alexandria Paton

New women's weekly Bible study led by Sylvia Blaylock on Wednesdays at 8:15 am in the home of Lynda Temple. Join us this spring as we study **Job: Lessons in Comfort** by Frances Poston Bennett. Hear what the author says, "God's Word reveals things that are 'too wonderful for me'. We can take any sorrow, any loss, any fear, any pain to God's Word. We can ask any question, as Job did. We can hurl any grief to God in prayer, as Job did. And at the end of our search, we will find Christ and comfort beyond our expectation." Books are \$15 each. Call Lynda, 290-0123, for more information or to order a book.

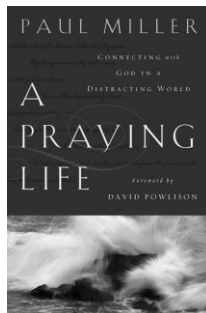
Wednesday Night Connection

Wednesday Fellowship Supper—Wednesday nights at 5:30 pm. You **MUST** call the church office **NO LATER** than Tuesday at noon to **add** your name or **cancel** your reservation.

MENU: Fried fish, baked beans, corn-on-the-cob, and peach cobbler

New adult Connection underway!

A Praying Life: Connecting with God in a Distracting World



Prayer is so hard that most of us don't pray unless an illness or a public setting demands it. Prayerlessness marks the lives of too many Christians. As a result, our lives are marked by fear, anxiety, joylessness and spiritual laziness. Join us for this honest, realistic, deep and wise encouragement to cultivate a vibrant prayer life.

You can buy a copy of **A Praying Life** from the church office for **\$10.00**.

The Truth Project – Thursday evenings at 6:30 pm in the home of Barry and Melita Bordelon. A fascinating 13 part video series exploring how a biblical worldview should impact all aspects of life. Meetings will be every Thursday evening. Please sign up on the bulletin board if you are interested. For more information, contact Melita, 289-4726.

GriefShare each Thursday evening at **6:30 pm**. If you or someone you know has lost a loved one, please call us to find out more information about this seminar/support group.



FPC members, could you help with:

- **hosting and refreshments for the weekly meetings**
- **as a group facilitator, or**
- **running the weekly DVD presentation?**

If so, contact Teresa Paton (289-1753).

Officer nominations this month: A healthy church requires God-given, committed, and qualified leaders to serve as **deacons** and **elders**. Nominations are open during the month of January. Please complete a nomination form for each nominee. Forms are found where you pick up church bulletins. Please note that you must obtain the signature of the nominee, indicating his acceptance of the nomination.

Committee and Board Meetings

Preschool Committee: Wednesday, Jan. 19 at 4:30

WIC Council: Wednesday, Jan. 19 at 4:30

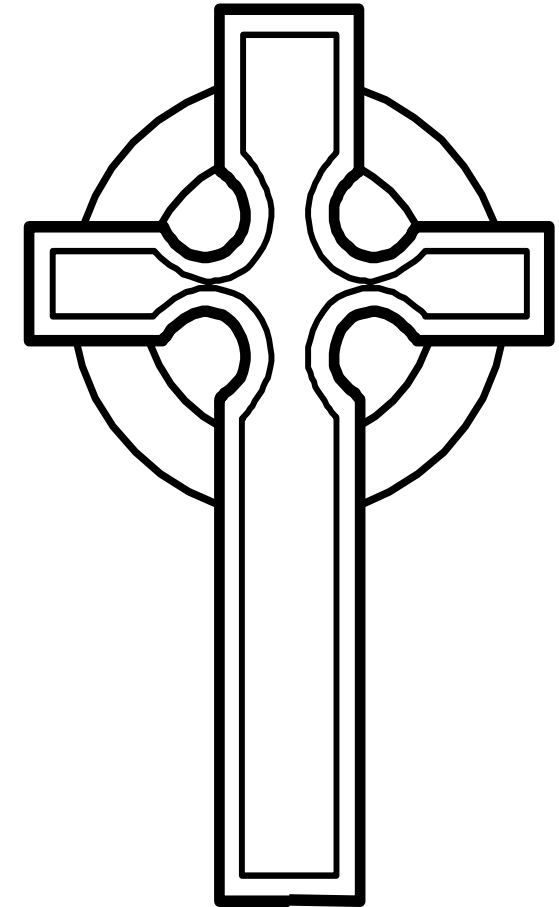
Activities for this Week in Our Church

SUNDAY	9:00 am	Sunday School
	10:20 am	Morning Worship
	3:30 pm	Communicants' Class
	4:00 pm	Choir Practice
	5:00 pm	Evening Worship
WEDNESDAY	4:30 pm	Preschool Committee Meeting WIC Council
	5:30 pm	Fellowship Supper
	6:00 pm	Wednesday Night Connection Youth Connection Children's Connection
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JANUARY DUTIES:

Elders: Ken Fowler, Eddie Thomas & Don Smith
Deacons: Owen Oliver, Allen Massey & Scott Pickle
Preaching at Alexander Memorial Presbyterian Church: Thomas Pound
Preaching at Alexander next Sunday: 4th Sunday

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Sunday Worship Service

January 16, 2011

Vision Statement:

A Gospel-driven church pursuing God, his ways, and people.

**WORSHIP
TEACHING
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