

First Presbyterian Church

October 9, 2011

THE LORD'S DAY

10:20 a.m.

“A man can no more diminish God's glory by refusing to worship Him than a lunatic can put out the sun by scribbling the word, ‘darkness’ on the walls of his cell.”

~C. S. Lewis, *The Problem of Pain*

*CONGREGATION STANDS AS ABLE.

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

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude

Call to Worship

Psalms 90:1-2

***Hymn 30** *Our God, Our Help in Ages Past*

ST. ANNE

*Prayer of Adoration

Psalms 90:13-17

Hymn

How Sweet and Awesome Is the Place

How sweet and awesome is the place
with Christ within the doors,

While everlasting love displays the choicest of her stores.

While all our hearts and all our songs join to admire the feast,

Each of us cries, with thankful tongue,

“Lord, why was I a guest?

“Why was I made to hear your voice

and enter while there's room,

When thousands make a wretched choice

and rather starve than come?”

We long to see your churches full, that all the chosen race

May with one voice and heart and soul,

sing Your redeeming grace.

I Need Thee Ev'ry Hour

I need Thee ev'ry hour, most gracious Lord;

No tender voice like Thine can peace afford.

I need Thee, O, I need Thee,

Every hour, I need Thee;

O bless me now, my Savior; I come to Thee.

I need thee ev'ry hour; stay Thou nearby;

Temptations lose their pow'r when Thou art nigh.

I need Thee ev'ry hour, in joy or pain,

Come quickly and abide, or life is vain.

In Christ Alone

In Christ alone my hope is found;

He is my light, my strength, my song;

This cornerstone, this solid ground,

Firm through the fiercest drought and storm.

What heights of love, what depths of peace,

When fears are stilled, when strivings cease!

My comforter, my all in all –

Here in the love of Christ I stand.

In Christ alone, who took on flesh,

Fullness of God in helpless babe!

This gift of love and righteousness,

Scorned by the ones He came to save.

Till on that cross as Jesus died,

The wrath of God was satisfied;

For every sin on Him was laid –

Here in the death of Christ I live.

There in the ground His body lay,

Light of the world by darkness slain;

Then bursting forth in glorious day,

Up from the grave He rose again!

And as He stands in victory,

Sin's curse has lost its grip on me;

For I am His and He is mine –

Bought with the precious blood of Christ.

No guilt in life, no fear in death –

This is the power of Christ in me;

From life's first cry to final breath,

Jesus commands my destiny.

No power of hell, no scheme of man,

Can ever pluck me from His hand;

Till He returns or calls me home –

Here in the power of Christ I'll stand.

Prayer of Intercession and the Lord's Prayer

Offering

THE OFFERING IS A WAY FOR OUR CHURCH FAMILY TO SUPPORT THE WORK OF FPC.

IF YOU ARE OUR GUEST TODAY, PLEASE FEEL UNDER NO OBLIGATION TO GIVE.

Lay Up Your Treasures in Heaven

CHOIR

PEPPER CHOPLIN

Based on Matthew 6:19-34

Lay up your treasures in heaven.

O people, lay up your treasures in glory

Where nothing in this world can take them away,

O listen people, hear the Master say,

Come and lay up in heaven, lay up in glory,

Your treasures in this world will fade away

But the things of the Lord will last forevermore!

Well, the Lord looked out and saw the people there.

Tied up in worry and burdened with care,

He said, Seek first the kingdom and you will see

The things that will last for eternity.

Some people trust in their silver and gold,

They put their faith in the wealth they hold.

But fortunes will fade and kingdoms fall.

So put your trust in the Lord of all.

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 HUNDRETH

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 14:18

(p. 901 in pew Bible)

Sermon

Rev. Phillip Palmertree

“I Will Come to You”

Indeed I Will: What Jesus Says He Will Do

*Hymn

Holy Spirit

Holy Spirit, living Breath of God,

Breathe new life into my willing soul;

Bring the presence of the risen Lord,

To renew my heart and make me whole.

Cause Your Word to come alive in me;

Give me faith for what I cannot see.

Give me passion for Your purity;

Holy Spirit breathe new life in me.

Holy Spirit, come abide within; may Your joy be seen in all I do.

Love enough to cover every sin

In each thought and deed and attitude.

Kindness to the greatest and the least;

Gentleness that sows the path of peace.

Turn my strivings into works of grace;

Breath of God, show Christ in all I do.

Holy Spirit, from creation's birth,

Giving life to all that God has made.

Show Your power once again on Earth,

Cause Your church to hunger for Your ways.

Let the fragrance of our prayers arise;

Lead us on the road of sacrifice,

That in unity the face of Christ

Will be clear for all the world to see.

*Benediction

Response

He Is Risen!

TEXT: ERIC SCHUMMACHER, 2004

MUSIC: LASST UNS ERFREUEN

O! Let the nations sing the fame

Of Christ the Lamb who once was slain!

He is risen! He is risen!

Now we await the coming day

When all those raised in Christ will say:

*“Give him glory! Give him glory! He is risen! He is risen!
Hallelujah!”*

**Morning Service broadcast live on WKOZ 1340 AM,
Live online at www.breezynews.com.
AND NOW ALSO LIVE ON WKOZ-FM 98.3!**

“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.*

FPC Prime-Timers!

We’re going to **Senior American Day** at the **Mississippi State Fair**
Wednesday, October 12

Meet at the church at 8:00 a.m.

You’ll have time to walk the Midway, have an early lunch, and then catch THE SHOW at 12:00 noon in the Coliseum. THE SHOW features The Four Freshmen, Guy Hovis, guitarist Jerry Puckett, and Miss Mississippi Mary Margaret Roark. There is no admission charge to the Fair or to THE SHOW.

Sign up for a seat on the bus!

Evening Worship

5:00 pm

Call to Worship

Hymn Requests

Elder Prayer

James Boyd

CHILDREN ARE DISMISSED NOW FOR CHILDREN’S CHOIR.

Scripture Reading

2 Peter 2

(p. 1018 in pew Bible)

Sermon

Rev. Phillip Palmertree

“Ministry of Death”

2 Peter & Jude: Grow Up!

***Hymn 580**

Lead On, O King Eternal

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***Benediction**

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Church Ministries

Budget Requirements

Monthly 38,123.67
Year-to-Date 343,113.03

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

| Date | Toddler AM | Infant AM | PM |
|---------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|------------------------|
| Oct. 9 | Bill & Shara Roos | Sarah Ellen Parish & Judy Potts | Marc & Christi Sims |
| Oct. 16 | Danny & Lynda Temple | Melissa Steed & J.J. Warrington | Shane & Tanya Steen |

Circle Meetings:

Circle 1: Monday, Oct. 10 at 10:00 pm at the home of Sally Wasson; lesson 11

Circle 2: Monday, Oct. 10 at 3:00 pm in the Jackson Room; Deuteronomy 20:1-20

Lunchtime Ladies’ Bible Study – Tuesdays, 12:00 pm in the Susan Smythe room.

Wednesday night Fellowship Supper at 5:30 pm. The cost is **\$4.00 per adult** and **\$2.75 per child**. You **MUST** call the church office **NO LATER** than Tuesday at noon to **add** your name or **cancel** your reservation.

Menu: Spaghetti, green salad, Texas toast & dessert

Wednesday Night Connection 6:00 p.m.

Love Walked Among Us: Learning to Love Like Jesus

This week: ch.11: “The Secret to Love: Dependence on God”

Morning Women’s Bible Study – Thursdays, 7:45 am in the Mary Thornton room.

We’re Updating Our Church Pictorial Directory

Schedule your appointment today by:

- Signing up in the church office
- Signing up at www.signup.olanmills.com (contract 65145)

The Scheduled dates for Photography and Portrait viewing are:

- **Monday and Tuesday, November 7 and 8**
- **Monday, November 21**

Please sign up as soon as possible to get the best appointment to fit your schedule.

If you have questions, please contact Natalie McKinley at 662-582-6028 or nataliehmcinley@yahoo.com.

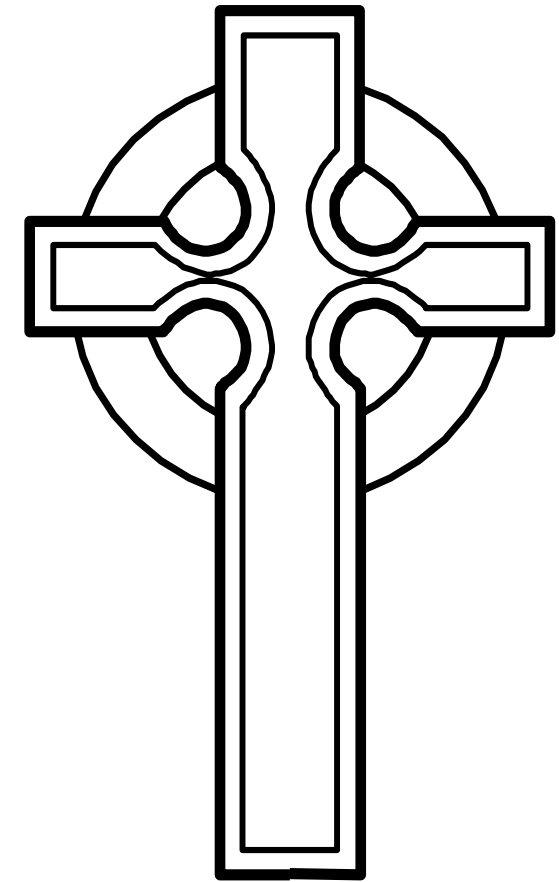
YOU CAN PARTNER WITH US IN **STRATEGIC PRAYER FOR STRATEGIC PLANNING.**

1. **Pray regularly** for the Strategic Planning Team and its work.
2. **Sign up** to be a **STRATEGIC PRAYER PARTNER**. You will be assigned one or two team members to encourage and pray for, along with a specific FPC VALUE to pray for in the weeks ahead.
3. Join us in our team prayer time after Evening Worship on **Sunday, October 16.**
4. Participate in the **Church-Wide Day of Fasting and Prayer on Thursday, October 27.**

OCTOBER DUTIES:

Elders: Ken Fowler, Hugh Potts, Jr. & Don Smith
Deacons: Culley Newman, Allen Massey & Scott Pickle
Preaching at Alexander Memorial Presbyterian Church: Hugh Potts, Jr.
Preaching at Alexander next Sunday: Paul Andrew Sechler

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Sunday Worship Service
October 9, 2011

Vision Statement:
*A Gospel-driven church pursuing
God, his ways, and people.*

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