

# First Presbyterian Church

January 29, 2012

## THE LORD'S DAY

10:20 a.m.

But alas, how little fit for heaven are many who talk of going to heaven, when they die, while they manifestly have no saving faith and no real acquaintance with Christ. You give Christ no honor here. You have no communion with Him. You do not love Him. Alas, what could you do in heaven? It would be no place for you. Its joys would be no joys for you. Its happiness would be a happiness into which you could not enter. Its employments would be a weariness and a burden to your heart. Oh, repent and change before it be too late!

~J.C. Ryle, 1888

\*CONGREGATION STANDS AS ABLE.

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

## Welcome and Announcements

### Prelude

### Call to Worship

Hebrews 12:28-29

\*Hymn 34 *The God of Abraham Praise*

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### \*Prayer of Adoration

### \*Confession of Faith

The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of Heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ His only Son, our Lord, Who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate; Was crucified, dead and buried. He descended into hell, the third day He arose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty, from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Ghost, the holy church universal, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting. AMEN

### Hymn

*What Manner of Love*  
Eric J. Alexander

O Christ, what love is this, that all your loved ones know;  
That brought you down from highest bliss  
to live in such a world as this,  
The Father's will to do, the Father's will to do.

O Christ, what burdens these, you bore on your own soul;  
Our guilt, our judgment and God's wrath:  
The man of sorrows died our death,  
And all to make us whole, and all to make us whole.

O Christ, what dread reproach! The Holy one made sin,  
The King of kings with thorns is crowned,  
the Lord of heav'n and earth disowned,  
And sinners welcomed in, and sinners welcomed in!

O Christ, what joy is this? The joy of sins forgiv'n,  
No condemnation now we have,  
nor dark despair beyond the grave,  
Instead, the hope of heav'n, instead, the hope of heav'n.

O Christ, what glory waits the objects of your love!  
No eye has seen nor ear has heard,  
what God in his great grace prepared,  
In that blest world above, in that blest world above.

### Scripture Reading

Psalms 42-43

### Prayer of Intercession

### Offering

*Seek the Lord*  
JOHN CARTER

CHOIR

Seek the Lord while he may be found,  
Call upon him, call while he is near;  
Let the wicked forsake his way,  
and the unrighteous man his thoughts;

Let him return to the Lord, that he may have mercy on him,  
and to our God, for he will abundantly pardon.

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.

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 HUNDREDETH

*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

Matthew 5:1-12  
(pp. 809-810 in pew Bible)

### Sermon

Rev. Phillip Palmertree

*"Hunger and Thirst for Righteousness"*

*The Sermon on the Mount: Discipleship for Dummies*

\*Hymn 527 *The Beatitudes [v.1-4]*

QUEBEC

\*Hymn 662

AS THE HART

*As the Hart Longs for Flowing Streams [Psalm 42]*

### \*Benediction

### \*Response

from *Joy to the World*

***He rules the world with truth and grace and makes  
the nations prove the glories of his righteousness and  
wonders of his love.***

### NEED PRAYER? HAVE QUESTIONS?

*At the conclusion of the service, an elder or pastor is available  
to pray with you or talk with you at the organ bench on the  
right-hand side of the sanctuary.*

**Morning Worship broadcast live on  
WKOZ 1340 AM and WKOZ-FM 98.3.  
Listen live online at [www.breezynews.com](http://www.breezynews.com).**

## Nominations for Elder and Deacon

are open through February 12.

Nomination forms are available at both  
bulletin locations.

### Sunday, February 5:

- Evening Worship at **4:30 p.m.**
- **Super Bowl Fellowships**, immediately following Evening Worship.

Pizza and beverages will be provided. **Please sign up on the bulletin board by Wednesday, February 1**, if you plan to attend.

## Evening Worship

5:00 pm

### Call to Worship

Psalms 95:1-7

### Sing for Joy

Hymn 2

*O Worship The King*

### *Seek Ye First*

Words: William Hurn Music: Chris Miner

Seek ye first the kingdom of God and His righteousness  
And all these things shall be added unto you. Allelu, alleluia.

Man does not live by bread alone but by every word  
That proceeds from the mouth of God. Allelu, alleluia.

Ask and it shall be given unto you seek and ye shall find  
Knock and the door shall be opened unto you. Allelu, alleluia.

Hymn 691 *It Is Well with My Soul*

### Deacon Prayer

Scott Pickle

### Scripture Reading

Jude 20-23  
(p. 1027 in pew Bible)

### Sermon

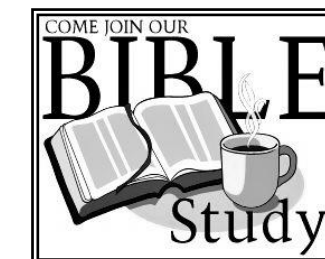
Rev. Phillip Palmertree

*"Reach Out"*

*Grow Up: 2 Peter and Jude*

### \*Benediction

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**When:** Thursdays, 8:00-9:00 a.m. in the Mary Thornton Room.

**Study:** *James: An Inductive Bible Study* by Deborah McQuilkin

Contact Lynda Temple for more information.

**GriefShare** – A grief recovery support group for people who are grieving the death of someone close to them meets **Thursdays from 6:30–8:30 p.m. in the Mary Thornton Room**. Registration fee is \$15.00, which covers the cost of the workbook. Contact the church office, 289-2435, for more information.

## Church Ministries

Budget Requirements	
Monthly	40,969.58
Year-to-Date	491,635.00

Faith Promise Update	2011	2012
Pledges	\$71,548	\$55,893
Current Obligations	\$59,400	\$55,800
Adults	47	41
Youth & Children	12	8

**Sunday Youth Fellowship:** The home of Allen & Kristi Massey

**Next Sunday:** The Burge House; pizza will be served.

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

Date	Toddler AM	Infant AM	PM
Jan. 29	Danny & Lynda Temple	Mechelle Smith & Melissa Steed	Shane & Tanya Steen
Feb. 5	Angela & Meredith Thomas	Art & Deborah Templeton	Sid & Stirling Steen

**Ladies noon Bible study** – Tuesdays at noon in the Susan Smythe Room.

**Wednesday Fellowship Supper**–5:30 p.m. 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: Chapter 21-22: "A Symphony and Love" and "His Life for Ours"



### **FPC Choir and Prime-Timers: Vienna Boys' Choir concert Thursday, March 1**

The world's oldest boy band performs on the Grenada Campus of Holmes Community College Thursday, March 1 at 7 p.m. in the Corey Forum. We are offering priority bus seating and tickets for

FPC Choir members and Prime-Timers.

The Vienna Boys' Choir began in 1498. Until 1918, the small choir sang exclusively for the court at private concerts and on state occasions.

Tickets are \$25 each if you ride the church bus (includes \$5 for fuel cost and snacks) or \$20 each if you drive yourself. Ticket supplies are limited. First come, first served.

**Men's Power Breakfast** – Saturday, February 4 at 7:00 a.m.

**Lord's Supper:** We will celebrate the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper in Morning Worship next Lord's Day, February 5.



**FPC Bible Conference**  
February 24-26  
**Les Newsom**  
RUF Mid-South  
Area Coordinator

**Friday, Feb. 24** Session 1, 6:30 p.m.  
**Saturday, Feb. 25** Men's Breakfast, 7:00 a.m.  
Church-wide Dinner, 5:30 p.m.  
Session 2, 6:30 p.m.  
**Sunday, Feb. 26** Session 3, 10:20 a.m.  
Session 4, 5:00 p.m.

### *WIC Love Gift*

Women in the Church (WIC) invites you to contribute to the **WIC Love Gift Project**. PCA churches are joining to fund facility improvements at our denominational seminary, **Covenant Theological Seminary in St. Louis**. The Love Gift will help fund updating and additional seating to Rayburn Chapel and expansion of the Edwards Community Center on campus. WIC encourages you to designate gifts for this project during the month of January.

**Committee and Board Meetings**  
**Strategic Planning Meeting**–Monday, Jan. 30 at 6:30.

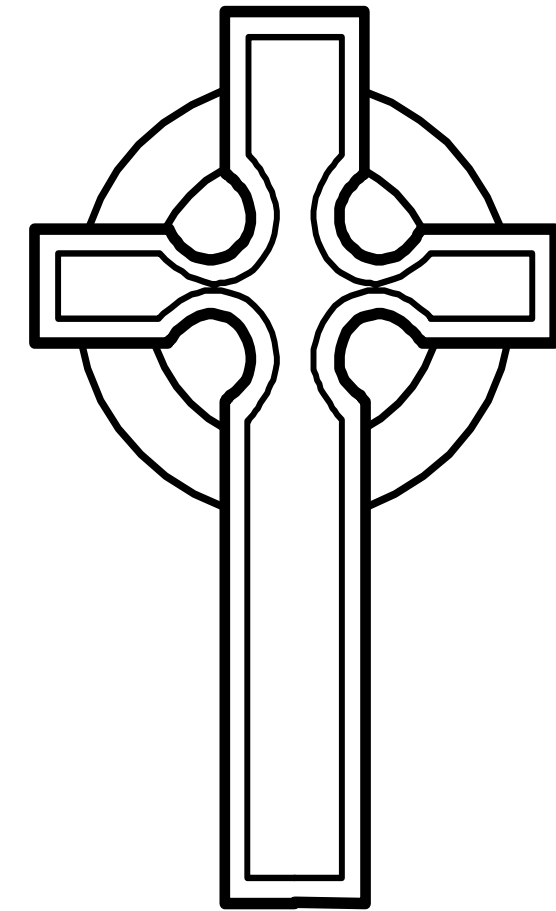
#### Activities for this Week in Our Church

SUNDAY	9:00 am	Sunday School
	10:20 am	Morning Worship
	4:00 pm	Choir Practice
	5:00 pm	Evening Worship
MONDAY	6:30 pm	Strategic Planning Meeting
WEDNESDAY	5:30 pm	Fellowship Supper
	6:00 pm	Adult WNC
		Youth WNC
		Children's Challenge
THURSDAY	6:30 pm	GriefShare
SATURDAY	7:00 am	Men's Power Breakfast
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#### **JANUARY DUTIES:**

Elders: Ken Fowler, Hugh Potts, Jr. & Don Smith  
Deacons: Culley Newman, Allen Massey & Scott Pickle

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*Sunday Worship Service  
January 29, 2012*

*Worshiping God,  
Making disciples,  
Loving others  
...FOR HIS GLORY!*

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