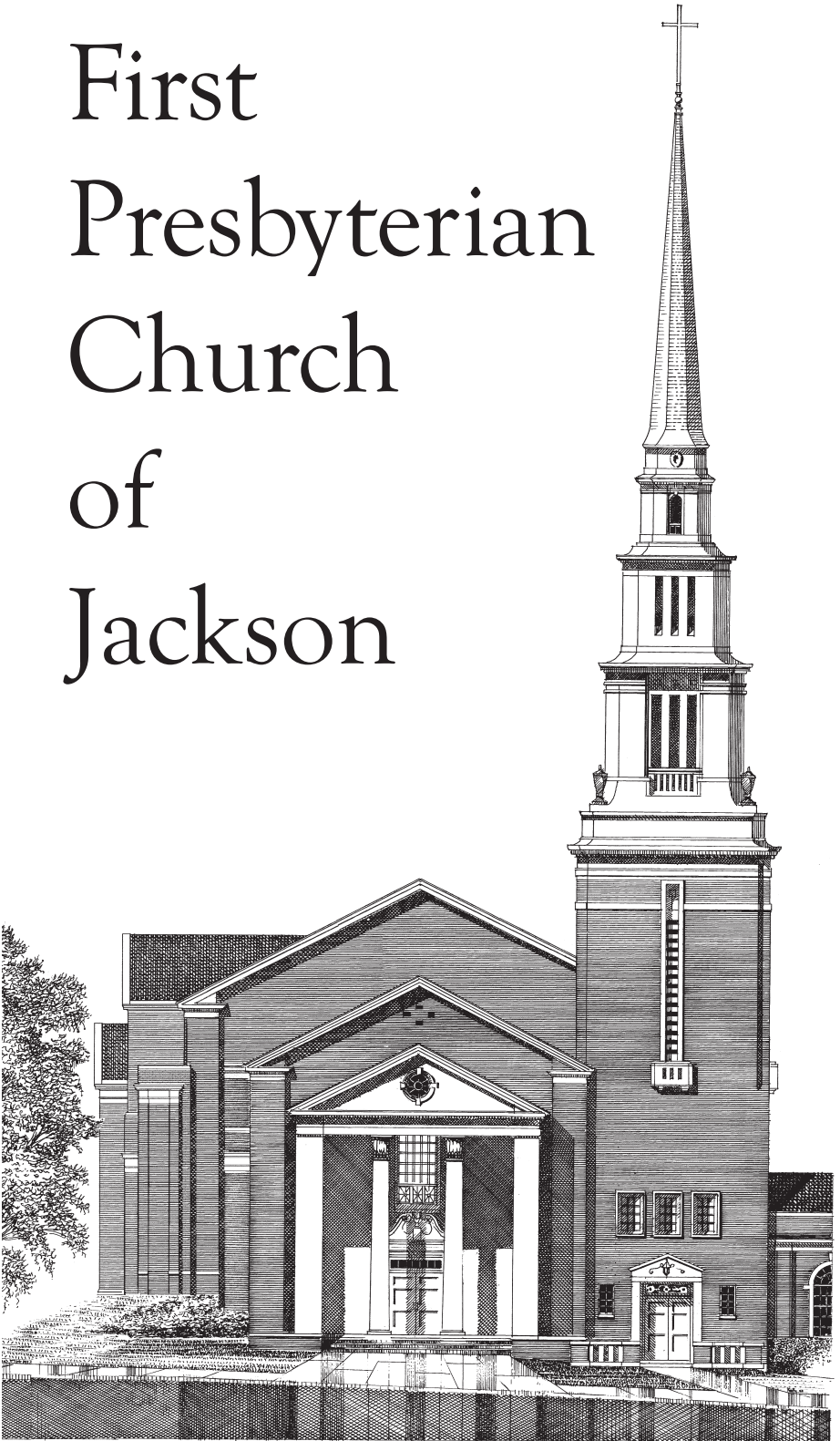


The
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Jackson



“To Glorify God, And Enjoy Him Forever”

THE LORD'S DAY

The Third Day of July, Two Thousand Twenty-Two
MORNING WORSHIP
Eight-Thirty and Eleven O'Clock

The Reverend Mr. Wiley P. Lowry III — Minister of Teaching & Pastoral Care
The Reverend Mr. James C. Peipon — Assistant Minister of Music & Worship

APPROACHING GOD'S THRONE

The Greetings and Announcements (8:25 and 10:55 a.m.)

The Prelude — "Battle Hymn of the Republic" Smith/Hustad
Dr. Grace Shumaker, Piano; Rae Shannon, Organ

The Introit — "Almighty God of Our Fathers" Will James

The Call to Worship

The Hymn No. 710 — "God of Our Fathers"

SEEKING GOD'S FACE

The Invocation

The Doxology (tune: *Hyfrydol*)
Alleluia! Alleluia! Glory be to God on high;
Alleluia to the Savior, who has won the victory.
Alleluia to the Spirit, fount of love and sanctity.
Alleluia! Alleluia to the Triune Majesty.

The Prayer of Confession

The Assurance of Pardon

The Offering

The Anthem — "The Last Words of David" Randall Thompson
He that ruleth over men must be just,
ruling in the fear of God.
And he shall be as the light of the morning,
When the sun riseth, even a morning without clouds;
As the tender grass springs out of the earth
by clear shining after rain.
Alleluia, Amen.

The Hymn — "O Church, Arise" (hymn insert)

The Pastoral Prayer and Lord's Prayer

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name.
Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts,
as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but
deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power
and the glory, forever. Amen.

HEARING GOD'S VOICE

The Old Testament Reading — Exodus 19:16-20; 1 Kings 19:8-18
(pew Bible pages 61 & 301)

The New Testament Reading — Luke 9:28-36..... (pew Bible page 867)

The Sermon — A Glimpse of Glory in Days of Distress..... Mr. Lowry

The Hymn No. 165 (stzs. 1-3) — “Ye Servants of God, Your Master Proclaim”

The Benediction

The Congregational Response

Then let us adore, and give Him His right,
All glory and power, and wisdom and might.
All honor and blessing, with angels above,
And thanks never ceasing for infinite love.

The Postlude — “America”..... Samuel A. Ward

WELCOME

Welcome to First Presbyterian Church! We are so glad you are here. If you are a visitor, we would love to know more about you. Please leave your contact information in the “Welcome Pad” located at the end of your pew. We will follow up with you to introduce ourselves and tell you about ways to get plugged in to the church.

O Church, Arise



O church, a - rise, and put your ar - mor on; Hear the
Our call to war, to love the cap - tive soul; But to
Come, see the cross, where love and mer - cy meet, As the
So Spir - it, come, put strength in eve - ry stride; Give —



call of Christ our cap - tain. For now the
rage a - gainst the cap - tor; And with the
Son of God is strick - en; Then see His
grace for eve - ry hur - die. That we may



weak sword can say that they are strong In the
that makes the wound - ed whole, We will
foes lie crushed be - neath His feet, For the
run with faith to Win the prize Of a



strength that God has giv - en. With shield of
fight with faith and val - or. When faced with
Con - quer - or has ris - en! And as the
ser - vant good and faith - ful. As saints of



faith and belt of truth, We'll stand a - gainst the dev - il's
trials on eve - ry side, We know the out - come is se -
stone is rolled a - way, And Christ e - merg - es from the
old, still line the way, Re - tell - ing tri - umphs of His



lies. An ar - my bold, whose bat - tle
cure. And Christ wil have the prize for
grave, This vic - t'ry march con - tin - ues
grace, We hear their calls, and hun - ger



cry is love, Reach - ing out to those in dark - ness.
which He died: An in - her - it - ance of na - tions.
till the day Ev - 'ry eye and heart shall see Him.
for the day When with Christ we stand in Glo - ry.

EVENING WORSHIP

Six O'Clock

The Reverend Mr. Gary W. Sinclair — FPDS Chaplain
Mr. James R. Post — College Ministry Intern

The Greetings and Announcements (5:55 p.m.)

The Prelude — “Adagio for Two Violins” Antonio Tartinni
Bonnie Brown and Shellie Kemp, Violins

The Call to Worship

The Hymn No. 457 — “Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing”

The Invocation

The Hymn — “Thy Mercy, My God” (hymn sheet)

The Greetings

The Evening Prayer Mr. Steve Edwards, Ruling Elder

The Offering

The Offertory — “Calm in the Night” Karl Bohm

The Young Children's Devotional — The *Children's Catechism*

Q118. What is the third petition? A: The third petition is “Thy will be done in earth, as it is in heaven.”

Q119. What does it mean to pray, “Thy will be done in earth, as it is in heaven”? We are asking God to make us able and willing to serve him on earth just as he is served in heaven.

The Meditation and Prayer... Mr. Jamie Peipon, Assistant Minister of Music & Worship

The Hymn (stzs. 1 & 2) — “Before the Throne of God Above”.... (hymn sheet)

The Prayer of Illumination

The Reading of Holy Scripture — Psalm 19 (pew Bible page 456)

The Sermon — God's Works and Word Declare His Glory Mr. Sinclair

The Benediction

The Congregational Response

Behold him there, the risen Lamb,
my perfect, spotless righteousness,
the great unchangeable I AM,
the King of glory and of grace!
One with himself I cannot die.
My soul is purchased by his blood!
My life is hid with Christ on high,
with Christ, my Savior and my God,
with Christ, my Savior and my God.

The Postlude — “Thine Is the Glory” G. F. Handel
Thomas Waters and Matthew Blaylock, Trumpets

FPC THIS WEEK

Sunday, July 3, 2022

8:30 & 11:00 a.m. Morning Worship Sanctuary
9:45 a.m. Sunday School..... See Signs in Greeting Courtyard
6:00 p.m. Evening Worship Sanctuary
(age 4 through 3rd grade dismissed for Children's Classes)

Monday, July 4, 2022

Church Office Closed

Tuesday, July 5, 2022

9:30 a.m. French Camp Quilters Library

Wednesday, July 6, 2022

10:30 a.m. Men's Bible Study SC 213
5:50 p.m. Adult Choir Rehearsal..... MS
No Midweek Dinner or Activities

Thursday, July 7, 2022

9:30 a.m. French Camp Quilters Library
9:45 a.m. FPCYM Service Day..... departing from YH

Saturday, July 9, 2022

7:30 a.m. Men's Prayer Meeting WH 202







Sunday, July 10, 2022

8:30 & 11:00 a.m. Morning Worship Sanctuary
9:45 a.m. Sunday School..... See Signs in Greeting Courtyard
6:00 p.m. Evening Worship Sanctuary
(age 4 through 3rd grade dismissed for Children's Classes)
7:30 p.m. Senior High Insight..... the Jordan Home (9 Pond Side Dr.)

LH—Lowe Hall MH—Miller Hall MS—Music Suite PH—Patterson Hall
SC—Study Center WH—Westminster Hall YH—Youth House

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHILDREN'S SUNDAY SCHOOL VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

We are currently in need of adult volunteers to serve our Children's Sunday School classes. The new year will begin on Promotion Sunday, September 4. If you enjoy working with children, then we have a spot for you! There are many areas of service from taking roll, helping with crafts, leading music, accompanying songs, or being a "Table Buddy" who encourages children in learning scripture and catechism memorization. To volunteer or for more information, contact Kimberly Wilkins at kimberlyw@fpcjackson.org or 601-973-9105.

CHILDREN'S SUMMER MIDWEEK

Bless the Lord, O My Soul! We know that God is big and sovereign over all things, but He also dwells with his people in close, intimate relationship. In the Psalms, we see men pour their hearts out before God, lift their eyes to Yahweh, and open their mouths in praise to Him. When we trust that He knows every little thing about us and understands our every emotion, we can freely pour out our hearts to Him. He can and will comfort and calm our troubled hearts.

Join us on Wednesday evenings this summer as we study the book of Psalms and learn to trust the triune God, the Creator, the unchanging Source of Truth, rather than the worthless idols of our human hearts. This is a God we can praise from generation to generation, as we delight in His testimonies and rest in His care. All children currently in the three-year-old Sunday School class through rising sixth grade are invited to attend.

SUMMER FOUNDATIONS CLASS

The summer Foundations Class is for members and visitors who want to know more about our church and its ministries, our denomination, Presbyterian doctrine and beliefs, church history, and church government. Join us on Wednesday evenings at 6 p.m. in WH 204! For more information please email ccare@fpcjackson.org.

REPORT FROM GENERAL ASSEMBLY

On August 3 during Midweek, David Strain will give us a report on the 49th General Assembly which was held in June in Birmingham, AL.

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II THESSALONIANS 3:1 — *“Finally, brethren, pray for us...”*

Carter & Caroline McWhorter – serving with MTW as part of the Adams’ church planting team in SE Asia; email: themcwhorters710@gmail.com.

Michael & Beth Gregory – serving as church planters of a predominately Chinese/Asian church in East Los Angeles with Pacific Crossroads Church; email: michaelg31@gmail.com.

FLOWERS

The flowers in the sanctuary are given in memory of Robert C. Cannada, a ruling elder of First Presbyterian Church, who was instrumental in the founding of the PCA and RTS.

COMMUNION NEXT WEEK

Communion will be observed in the morning worship services next week. Please begin prayerfully preparing your hearts and minds to receive the Lord’s Supper. Professionally prepared, gluten-free elements will be available to pick up on the table on the south wall of the Greeting Courtyard.

COLLEGE MINISTRY SOCIAL — JULY 7

The College Ministry would like to invite all college students to the home of Kirk and Kortney Anderson (63 Saint Andrews Dr.) on July 7, 6-8 p.m. We’ll cater Chick-fil-A and briefly hear wisdom from a few older students about navigating freshman year. We hope to see you there!

MEN’S MINISTRY GOLF TOURNAMENT — JULY 21

Men, join us for our annual men’s golf tournament! This year will feature some exciting changes as we have moved the course location to Lake Caroline Golf Club in Madison! We will have lunch and fellowship time beforehand. There will be side games and prizes to add to the fun and competition. Bring your friends and join us for an afternoon of golf, fellowship, and fun! Register online at fpcj.ms/men.

LIVE, LAUGH, LOVE FELLOWSHIP GROUPS — JULY 19

Women’s Ministry Fellowship Groups are small groups made up of women of all ages who desire fellowship with one another. These groups meet three times throughout the year on porches or patios around the metro area in an effort to encourage relationships and help make our large church seem a little smaller! Join us Tuesday, July 19, from 7:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m. Find the information to register on the church website or app.

MOMS BIBLE STUDY

Ladies, we hope you’ll join us for MOMS this fall! This year we will have two options: one meeting every Wednesday morning and one for working women that will meet on the third Tuesday night of each month. MOMS is a Bible study for expectant moms, those who hope to become moms, and those whose youngest child is in the sixth grade or below. This semester, led by church member Jane Wiggins, we will study the book of Hosea. A nursery is available, but space is limited. Registration is available on the church website or app beginning August 1. For more information, email moms@fpcjackson.org.