

## Assemble in God's Name

(As the Prelude begins, please assume a quiet and respectful attitude of worship. Also, please turn off your cell phones and pagers.)

**Prelude** *In the Hour of Trial* Charles Callahan  
Dr. Frank Contreras, Organist

### Welcome and Announcements

### Tolling of the Bell

\***Processional Hymn 218** *New Song of Celebration Render* RENDEZ À DIEU

### \*Call to Worship

### \*Prayer of Adoration

#### Prayer of Confession

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

**People: Lord, hear our cry!**

Leader: If you should mark iniquities, who could stand?

**People: Our sins have crippled us and bound us.**

**They cut us off from you.**

Leader: But there is forgiveness with you. With you is great power to redeem.

*(A moment of silence follows)*

Leader: Breath into us your breath, O God. Breath into us your Spirit.

**People: Open your graves and call us to you that we may**

**live in the full knowledge of your power and love.**

### Silent Prayer of Confession

### Kyrie Eleison (Choir and Congregation)

**Lord, have mercy upon us. Lord, have mercy upon us. Lord, have mercy upon us.**

**Christ, have mercy upon us. Christ, have mercy upon us. Christ, have mercy upon us.**

**Lord, have mercy upon us. Lord, have mercy upon us. Lord, have mercy upon us.**

### Assurance of Pardon

\* **Hymn 85 (Verses 1 and 3)** *What Wondrous Love is This* WONDROUS LOVE

**What wondrous love is this, O my soul, O my soul.**

**What wondrous love is this, O my soul.**

**What wondrous love is this, that cause the Lord of bliss,**

**To bear the heavy cross, for my soul, for my soul.**

**To bear the heavy cross, for my soul.**

**And when from death I'm free I'll sing on, I'll sing on,  
and when from death I'm free, I'll sing on;**

**And when from death I'm free, I'll sing and joyful be,  
and through eternity I'll sing on, I'll sing on,**

**And through eternity, I'll sing on.**

## Proclaim God's Word

**First Lesson** Romans 8:6-11 Pew Bible Page 157  
Reader, Frances Kyser

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.

**People: Thanks be to God.**

**Anthem** *Is not His Word like a Fire from Elijah* Felix Mendelssohn  
Jeremy Jordan, Baritone

**Time for Young Disciples** Karen Madison  
*At this time all children will be invited to come to the chancel steps. Children ages KINDERGARTEN AND YOUNGER are dismissed to the nursery. FIRST GRADE AND UP should remain in the sanctuary with parents.*

**Second Lesson** Ezekiel 37:1-14 Pew Bible Page 806

**Sermon** Dry Bones Dr. Mueller

## Respond To God's Word

\***Creed** *The Apostles' Creed* Hymnal Page 14

**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 rose 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 catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.**

**Prayers of the People and The Lord's Prayer** Hymnal Page 16

**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**

### Presentation of God's Tithes and Our Offerings

(Please pass the Friendship Folders at this time.)

**Offertory** *All Men Are Mortal* Johann S. Bach  
Dr. Frank Contreras, Organist

\***Offertory Response (Hymn 592)** *Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow* OLD HUNDREDTH

### \*Offertory Prayer

\***Hymn 293** *This is My Father's World* TERRA BEATA

### \*Benediction

\***Choral Response** *Now Unto the King Eternal* WINTON  
Chancel Choir

\***Postlude** *Italian Concerto, first movement* Johann S. Bach  
Dr. Frank Contreras, Organist

## PRAYER AND CARE CONCERNS

(Names in bold type indicate new prayer concerns.)

**Members** Horace Bibb **Carlotta Gattis** Sharon Hudson Washio Ishii  
Anne Causey **Stacy Owens** Matt Fowler Ted Paludan

**Others** Julie Adams - mother of Tim Adams  
Mac Alves - friend of Everett and Dev Mosley  
Albert Baker - friend of Katie Harlan  
Burns Carnes - friend of Charlotte Wessel  
Maricarmen Castro - New Church Development Pastor for NAP  
Todd Faircloth - uncle of Maggie and Anna Adams  
**Phillip Floesser - child of First Friends teacher**  
Michael Gill - son of Nancy Gill  
Hannelore Glasow - cousin of Irmie Hamner  
**Aaron Haulenbeek - LOGOS student**  
Jack Harbarger - father of Mark Harbarger  
Miriam Howard - mother of Woodward Howard  
The Hunt family - friends of Craig and Mary Romer  
Donna Kidd - cousin of Cay Lambert  
Lucy Lilly - mother of Sandy McKenzie  
Britt Lovelace - friend of Leigh Brown and Libby Smith  
Barbara & Ben Matthews - grandparents of Houston, Nate, Molly, & Sarah Matthews

Tom McClain - son-in-law of Bill Johnson  
Kathy Lewis McCool - friend of Bill & Sydna Johnson  
Kelly McCoy - friend of Florrie Rose  
The family of Lewis McCurdy - friends of the Eidt family  
Mr. & Mrs. Larry Partesotti and family - friends of Anne Boles  
Donna Payne - Julia Fowler's first grade teacher  
Bob Romer - father of Craig Romer  
Ricky Roundtree - friend of Glen Adams  
Eric Smith - friend of Bruce & Patricia Hacker  
The family of Morris King Thompson - Betty Thompson's family  
Betsy Garrison Vincent - friend of Laura & Darren Malone

**Specialty Care** Annabell Aust - Regency Village  
Joe Burson - Brookdale Place  
Dick Dickson - Magnolia Trace  
Corinne Fanning - Country Cottage  
Dieter Grau - Regency Village  
Taylor Hamilton - Floyd E. Tut Fann Veterans Home  
Barbara Harlan - Regency Village  
Edna Hitt - Clare Bridge of Hampton Cove  
Bill Ivy - Harbor Chase  
Doris Landrum - Magnolia Trace, Willowbrook  
Mildred Lilienkamp - Hearthstone  
Marilyn Milner - Cogburn Nursing Home  
Ernestine Roberson - Brookdale Place  
Ray Rose - Big Spring Manor

**Missions** Big Cove Presbyterian Church - Partnership  
St. Mark's Presbyterian Church, Johannesburg, S. Africa - Partnership

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TO ADD NAMES TO THE PRAYER AND CARE LIST, please call the church office and speak with Brenda Engelking, ext. 132, or use the Prayer and Care page by printing your prayer request and placing it in the offering plate. If you know of someone who is in the hospital or need to inform the church of a death in your family, please call Brenda at the church, ext. 132. Thank you.

**CCLI #1345744**

\*Congregation Standing

### WELCOME VISITORS

The Session and congregation welcome you as a participant in worship. We pray that you will find this service meaningful. Worship is but one of the ministries of First Presbyterian Church.

**PLEASE REMEMBER** to turn off cell phones and pagers.

**PLEASE SIGN IN:** Both members and visitors are asked to "sign in" each Sunday on the friendship folders passed down the pews during the offering. This is our only record of your attendance.

**Looking for a church home?** You may talk to Dr. Mueller or an elder standing in front of the sanctuary following the 10:30 a.m. worship. A Stephen Minister, Ann McClure, is also available in the chancel following the worship service for prayer or to answer questions about the church.

### USHERS SERVING THIS MORNING:

8:00 a.m. - Doug Madison and Becky Buckner; 10:30 a.m. - Kay Noller, Don Alan Hankins, Shelia Fogle, Cindy Caldwell, Marta Schonhoff and Karen Lastovic.

**The flowers in the Sanctuary** are given to the glory of God.

**Xavier Joseph Senior Vocal recital** April 14 at 7:00 PM at the GBH.

### IN MEMORIAM

**CHARLES S. GILLESPIE**

December 11, 1922- March 31, 2011

**Spirit, Come**

**TODAY**

**5:00 p.m.**

**Gideon Blackburn House**

### FOOD PANTRY NEEDS

canned fruit  
cereal (hot and cold)  
condiments (mayonnaise, ketchup, mustard) toothpaste

### APRIL MEMORY VERSE

*If you confess with your lips that Jesus is Lord and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved.*

Romans 10:9

Thanks to Linda McAllister for assisting with our music today. Patricia is attending Cursillo.

**There will be a covered dish luncheon** on Sunday, April 17th following the 10:30 worship service. Meat will be provided; please sign up to bring vegetables, salads, and desserts. Children ages 2 through 5th grade will enjoy an Easter egg hunt immediately following lunch.

**There will be a pancake breakfast** on Easter Sunday from 7:00 a.m. until 10:00 a.m. sponsored by our youth. Stop by fellowship hall and enjoy breakfast before going to Sunday School at 9:00 a.m.

### Kirkin' o' the Tartans

First Presbyterian Church

May 15, 10:30 a.m.

### GOODTIMERS NEWS!

**Madison Baptist Association** is sponsoring an event called "The Academy of Performing Arts & Clowns of Huntsville High" on April 19 at Willowbrook Baptist Church at 10:00 a.m. This involves 60+ High School kids with talent galore. The cost is \$10 and includes the performance and catered lunch. We'll meet at the church at 9:00a.m. and travel over to Willowbrook together. This is an outstanding performance you won't want to miss. Check out the flyer and sign up on the bulletin board TODAY! Call Brenda at ext. 132 for details.

### PYC NEWS

The Youth will not meet this Wednesday morning at 6:45 a.m. in the Library for Bible Study and breakfast. Also remember we will be cooking and serving pancakes to our FPC family on Easter Sunday from 7:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. Questions, call Andrew Bevel - 256-293-9692.

### General Fund Update January 1 through March 30, 2011

YTD Income from Operations	\$350,220.32
YTD Expenses	\$257,178.12
YTD Difference	\$ 93,042.20

Current Loan balance	-0-
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### This week's calendar!

#### SUNDAY, April 10

8:00 a.m.- Worship in GBH  
9:00 a.m.- Sunday School  
9:00 a.m.- Order of St. Luke/Library  
10:30 a.m.- Worship in Sanctuary  
4:00 p.m.- Westminster Ringers  
5:00 p.m.- DISCIPLE JITG  
5:00 p.m.- DISCIPLE IA  
5:00 p.m.- DISCIPLE IV-A  
5:00 p.m.- Presbyterian Youth Connection  
5:00 p.m.- Spirit, Come

#### MONDAY, April 11

9:30 a.m.- DISCIPLE JITG  
9:30 a.m.- Romans Bible Study  
10:00 a.m.- PW Circle 1 meets at the home of Annette Phillips; 1517 Sun Valley Rd. (01)  
10:00 a.m.- PW Circle 2 meets at the home of Mamie Jones; 707 Lily Flagg Rd. (02)  
2:00 p.m.- PW Circle 3 meets in the Library  
6:00 p.m.- PW Circle 4 meets in the Carriage House

#### TUESDAY, April 12

9:30 a.m.- Yoga/Centering Prayer  
12:00 p.m.- Reunion Group Bible Study  
3:30 p.m.- Reunion Group Bible Study  
5:30 p.m.- Session

#### WEDNESDAY, April 13

7:00 a.m.- Fellows Pursuing Christ  
9:00 a.m.- Ladies Bible Study  
1:30 p.m.- Ladies Knitting Mission  
6:00 p.m.- DISCIPLE II-A  
7:15 p.m.- Chancel Choir

#### THURSDAY, April 14

9:00 a.m.- DISCIPLE III-A  
9:00 a.m.- Reunion Group Bible Study  
9:30 a.m.- Yoga/Centering Prayer  
12:00 a.m.- Organist Concert/First Christian  
12:15 p.m.- Fellowship AFG AL-Anon  
6:00 p.m.- DISCIPLE JITG  
7:00 p.m.- Xavier Joseph Recital/GBH

#### FRIDAY, April 15

8:00 a.m.- Reunion Group Bible Study  
8:15 a.m.- Mom's in Touch  
9:00 a.m.- DISCIPLE I  
11:00 a.m.- He Has Heard Our Cries/CH

#### SUNDAY, April 17

**Palm Sunday**  
**Sacrament of Holy Communion**  
**Ella Grace Bryan Baptism**  
8:00 a.m.- Worship in GBH  
9:00 a.m.- Sunday School  
9:00 a.m.- Order of St. Luke/Library  
10:30 a.m.- Worship in Sanctuary  
11:30 p.m.- Church-wide Luncheon  
Easter Egg hunt 2yr-5th grade  
5:00 p.m.- DISCIPLE JITG-B  
5:00 p.m.- DISCIPLE IA  
5:00 p.m.- DISCIPLE IV-A  
5:00 p.m.- Presbyterian Youth Connection

### FAMILY CAMP

**Camp Maranatha**

**AUGUST 12 -14**

**SAVE THE DATE!**

### APRIL/MAY EVENTS

#### Sunday, April 10

5:00 p.m. Spirit, Come

**Monday, April 11** - PW Circles meet

**Thursday, April 14** - Xavier Joseph Senior Vocal recital 7:00 p.m./GBH

#### Sunday, April 17

Palm Sunday  
Holy Week Begins  
Sacrament of Holy Communion  
Easter egg hunt/Church-wide covered dish luncheon

#### Thursday, April 21

Maundy Thursday, worship 6:00 p.m. GBH  
Sacrament of Holy Communion

#### Friday, April 22

Good Friday service, 12:00 p.m. GBH

#### Sunday, April 24

Easter Sunday, Sunrise Worship Service - 6:30 a.m. in GBH courtyard  
Church-wide pancake breakfast sponsored by the Youth from 7-10:00 a.m. - **Sunday School at 9:00 a.m.**  
One Great Hour of Sharing Offering taken

#### Monday, April 25

Church Offices Closed

#### Thursday, April 28 - 30

Kairos Event

#### Friday, April 29-May 1

High/Middle School Retreat at Camp Maranatha

#### Saturday, April 30-May 1

Elementary Retreat/Maranatha; 2nd -5th grades

#### Sunday, May 1

Sacrament of Holy Communion  
7:00 p.m.- DISCIPLE Graduation

#### Friday, May 13-Sunday May 15

PHC and PYC Weekend at Maranatha

#### Sunday, May 15

Kirkin' o' the Tartans/Church-wide Luncheon  
Confirmation Sunday

#### Friday, May 20

First Friends Graduation

#### Monday, May 30

Memorial Day, Church Offices Closed

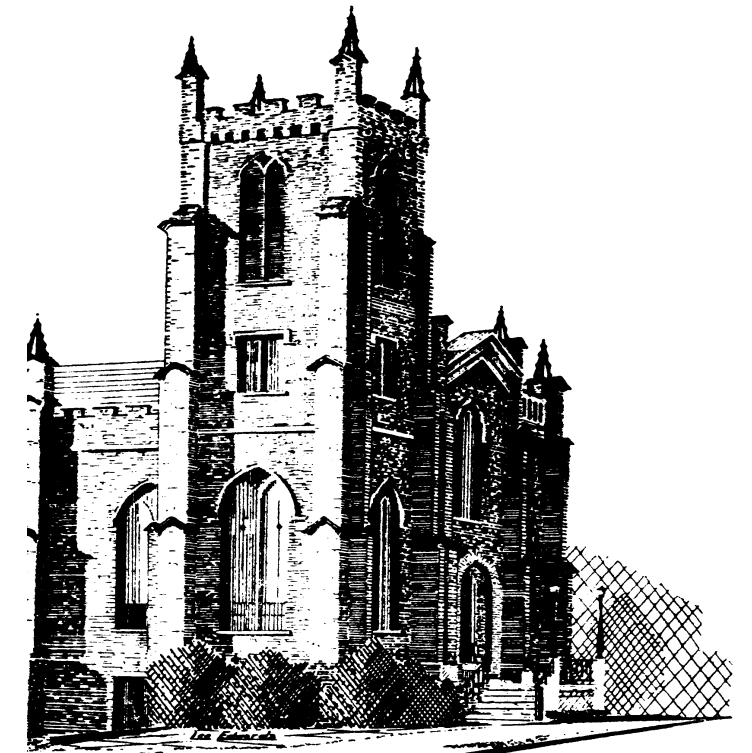
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Thanks to **Jeremy Jordan** for singing the anthem in both worship services today.

In case of emergency please contact Dr. Mueller at 256-425-3152.

# First Presbyterian Church

Founded June 15, 1818



## Fifth Sunday in Lent

April 10, 2011

10:30 A.M. Worship

## OUR MISSION STATEMENT

*Drawn into community,  
nurtured by God's Word,  
called into the world.*

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