

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 *Eternal Father, Strong to Save* John B. Dykes
Dr. Frank Contreras, Organist

Welcome and Announcements

Tolling of the Bell

***Processional Hymn** 561 *My Country, 'Tis of Thee* AMERICA

*Call to Worship

Prayer of Confession

God of fire and wind, holy and powerful, mighty and mysterious, we are drawn by your Spirit to this place. As we gather and behold your glory, we are aware of how unworthy we are in your presence. We have ignored your word. We have rejected your gifts. We have failed to love justice, to seek kindness and walk humbly with you.

O God, let your Spirit burn away our sins. Fill us with faith and courage so that we might live into the promise of this day and receive the fullness of what you have prepared for us in Jesus Christ, our Lord and Savior. Amen.

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. Christ, have mercy upon us. Lord, have mercy upon us. Lord, have mercy upon us. Lord, have mercy upon us.

Assurance of Pardon

***Hymn 280** (verse 1, 4) *Amazing Grace* AMAZING GRACE

**Amazing grace, how sweet the sound, that saved a wretch like me!
I once was lost, but now am found, was blind but now I see.
The Lord has promised good to me. His word my hope secures;
He will my shield and portion be as long as life endures.**

Proclaim God's Word

The Sacrament of Holy Baptism Jenny Dare Bryant

First Lesson Acts 17: 22-31 Pew Bible Page 137
Reader, Mary Romer

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.
People: Thanks be to God.

Anthem *Battle Hymn of the Republic* BATTLE HYMN
Chancel Choir Traditional American Melody

*Congregation Standing

Time for Young Disciples

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

Second Lesson John 14: 15 Pew Bible Page 109

Sermon The Visible Spirit Dr. Mueller

Respond To God's Word

***Creed** Brief Statement of Faith Book of Confessions
Page 268

We trust in God the Holy Spirit, everywhere the giver and renewer of life. The Spirit justifies us by grace through faith, sets us free to accept ourselves and to love God and neighbor, and binds us together with all believers in the one body of Christ, the Church. The same Spirit who inspired the prophets and apostles rules our faith and life in Christ through Scripture, engages us through the Word proclaimed, claims us in the waters of baptism, feeds us with the bread of life and the cup of salvation, and calls women and men to all ministries of the Church. In a broken and fearful world the Spirit gives us courage to pray without ceasing, to witness among all peoples to Christ as Lord and Savior, to unmask idolatries in Church and culture, to hear the voices of peoples long silenced, and to work with others for justice, freedom, and peace. In gratitude to God, empowered by the Spirit, we strive to serve Christ in our daily tasks and to live holy and joyful lives, even as we watch for God's new heaven and new earth, praying, "Come, Lord Jesus!"

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 *Nocturne, E flat major* Frederic Chopin
Dr. Frank Contreras, Organist

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

*Offertory Prayer

***Hymn 564** *O Beautiful for Spacious Skies* MATERNA

*Benediction

***Choral Response** *The Grace of Our Lord Jesus* James A. Brown, Jr.
Chancel Choir Setting K. Lee Scott

***Postlude** *Fugue, A major* Friedrich W. Zachau
Dr. Frank Contreras, Organist

PRAYER AND CARE CONCERNS

(Names in bold type indicate new prayer concerns.)

Members Horace Bibb Anne Michael Causey Emma Huber
Jeanette Hollis Matt Fowler Howell & Susan Lee
Laura Dale Priest Doris Williams Dave Butler

Others Albert Baker - friend of Katie Harlan
Justin Baker - friend of Mary Lou Danner
Hilde Benton- friend of Jinny Bouldin
Katherine Boles - friend of Wendy Tucker and Libby Smith
Mary Brookshire - aunt of Mary Margaret Cofield
Joy Day - friend of Susan & Howell Lee
Brett Edmonds - friend of David Goodwin
Kearny and Nina Hacker - uncle and aunt of Bruce Hacker
Michael Gill - son of Nancy Gill
Hannelore Glasow - cousin of Irmie Hamner
Jack Harbarger - father of Mark Harbarger
Miriam Howard - mother of Woodward Howard
The Hunt family - friends of Craig & Mary Romer
Donna Kidd - cousin of Cay Lambert
Lucy Lilly - mother of Sandy McKenzie
Britt Lovelace - friend of Leigh Brown and Libby Smith
Neal Luke - friend of Babbs Lundy
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
Carolyn Milton - friend of Heidi Meadows
Mr. & Mrs. Larry Partesotti and family - friends of Anne Boles
Dave & Kathy Payne - friends of Ed & Jean Walker
Bob Romer - father of Craig Romer
Betsy Garrison Vincent - friend of Laura & Darren Malone

Names are rotated off the prayer list every six weeks if room is needed for additional requests. If you have a friend or family member that needs to be back on the list please contact Brenda at the church office ext. 132.

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 - Cogburn Nursing Home
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.

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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, Peggy Collins, 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. - Mary Hart Brown and Barbara Martin: 10:30 a.m. - Mary Wikle, Amy Cornelius, Kevin Heard, Chris Caudle, Pat Golley, Houston Matthews, and Joyce Stephens.

The flowers in the Sanctuary are given to the glory of God and in celebration of Jenny Dare Bryant's baptism by her grandparents, Bill and Judy Bryant.

The flowers in the Narthex are given to the glory of God and in honor of Steve and Amy Cornelius on their 25th wedding anniversary by Kermit and Gerry Moore. Amy and Steve were married at FPC on June 7, 1986.



**MISSION EMPHASIS
SUNDAY, JUNE 12**

MAY MEMORY VERSE

Indeed, the word of God is living and active, sharper than any two-edged sword, piercing until it divides soul from spirit, joints from marrow; it is able to judge the thoughts and intentions of the heart. Hebrews 4:12

The Sacrament of Holy Baptism will be observed at the 10:30 worship service today. Jenny Dare Bryant, daughter of Daniel and Ginger, will be baptized.

Thanks to Dr. Joe Sparks for being our liturgist in worship today.

A new Beth Moore Bible Study, Here and Now, There and Then, on Revelation begins Monday, June 6th. meeting weekly from 6-8 p.m. in Fellowship Hall. A soft cover book for note taking will be available for purchase (about \$10). If interested, please sign-up on the bulletin board. Invite friends! Questions? Contact Barbara Bozeman at 256-536-1441.

First Presbyterian Church once again is offering scholarships for graduating Seniors and current college students. Applications are in the church office and due by June 1.



JUNE 21, Crossville, TN

On Tuesday, June 21 at 8:30 am we will leave the church on our chartered Trailways bus and head over to the Cumberland Mountain State Park for lunch. After lunch we will go to the Cumberland County Playhouse to see the musical "Oklahoma." Reviews for the lunch at the park and for the musical have been outstanding. You won't want to miss it. \$50 covers your meal, tip, show, ticket and the bus. We will have box "dinners" from Jason's Deli on the bus for our return trip for \$5. Sign up on the bulletin board and have your money to Brenda by June 14. Questions 256-536-3354 ext 132. Bring a friend!



KAIROS PRISON MINISTRY

Re-scheduled for June 16-18
Cookies are due by June 15

PYC NEWS

There will be **NO PYC** this week (29th). PYC will meet again on June 5th. The Youth Summer Calendar is posted on the Web site. For details contact Andrew Bevel at 256-293-9692.

This week's calendar?

SUNDAY, 29
Jenny Dare Bryant 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
NO Presbyterian Youth Connection TODAY
MONDAY, May 30
Memorial Day
Church Offices Closed
TUESDAY, May 31
9:30 a.m.-Yoga/Centering Prayer
9:00 a.m.- Summer Splash
WEDNESDAY, June 1
7:00 a.m.- Fellows Pursuing Christ
9:30 a.m.- Mid-week Manna
12:00 p.m.- Brown Bag
7:15 p.m.- Chancel Choir
THURSDAY, June 2
9:00 a.m.- Summer Splash
FRIDAY, June 3
8:00 a.m.- Reunion Group Bible Study
SUNDAY, June 5
Communion at 8:00 and 10:30 worship
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
5:00 p.m.- Presbyterian Youth Connection



VBS
June 27 - 30

OUR NEW PICTORIAL DIRECTORIES HAVE ARRIVED!!

Stop by Fellowship Hall this morning and pick up your new pictorial directory. **One per family** for those who had their picture made. Stop by the church office any time during office hours to pick one up.

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

MAY/JUNE EVENTS

Sunday, May 29 - Jenny Dare Bryant Baptism

Monday, May 30 - Memorial Day, Church Offices Closed

Wednesday, June 1, 8, 15, 22
Mid-Week Manna 9:30-11:00 a.m.

June 3- 4th - Local Mission InTENTsive (Fri. 5pm-Sat.10am)

Sunday, June 5 - Sacrament of Holy Communion

Friday, June 10 - 12 - LOGOS Conference @ FPC

Sunday, June 12 - Mission Emphasis Sunday; 5:30 p.m.-Spirit, Come

Sunday, June 12- 13th - 'Girl's Lock-in' following PYC

June 16 -19 - KAIROS prison ministry Cookies are due June 15

Sunday, June 19 - Father's Day

Saturday, June 25 - Cooking/ Serving for the Downtown Rescue Mission (3-7ish)

Monday, June 27 - 30 - 9:00 a.m.- 12:00 p.m. - VBS

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A Combined Adult Sunday School Class will be led by Dr. Mark Mueller the month of June in Fellowship Hall.. Mark will lead a discussion on the book *Radical* by David Platt.

Mid-Week Manna will meet Wednesday mornings during June and July from 9:30 - 11:00 at the Gideon Blackburn House. This Bible study is for rising sixth and seventh graders. Come feed your souls with the Bible and your tummies with Krispy Kreme donuts.

FOOD PANTRY NEEDS

Tuna Helper
pancake syrup
spaghetti sauce
toilet paper
Plastic and paper grocery bags

FAMILY CAMP

Camp Maranatha
AUGUST 12 -14
Sign-up now!

First Presbyterian Church

Founded June 15, 1818



Sixth Sunday of Easter

May 29, 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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