FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH 310 Plantation Road Perry, FL 32348

7th Sunday after Epiphany 11:00 am February 20, 2021

WE GATHER IN GOD'S NAME

PRELUDE

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

INTROIT "With Grateful Heart My Thanks I Bring" No. 334 (Verse 1)

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 111: 1-3, 9

Leader: I will give thanks to the Lord with my whole heart,

in the company of the upright, in the congregation.

People: Great are the works of the Lord, studied by

all who delight in them.

Leader: Full of honor and majesty is his work, and his

righteousness endures forever.

People: He sent redemption to his people; he has

commanded his covenant forever.

Leader: Praise the Lord!

People: The Lord's name be praised.

*Hymn "For the Healing of the Nations" No. 346

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Holy and merciful God, in your presence we confess our sinfulness, our shortcomings, and our offenses against you. You alone know how often we have sinned in wandering from your ways, in wasting your gifts, in forgetting your love. Have mercy on us, O Lord, for we are ashamed and sorry for all we have done to displease you. Forgive our sins, and help us to live in your light, and walk in your ways, for the sake of Jesus Christ our Savior. In his name, we pray. Amen.

*GLORIA PATRI

"Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost. As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end, Amen."

WE HEAR GOD'S WORD PROCLAIMED

SPECIAL MUSIC

Leah Metzger

SCRIPTURE READING

1 Corinthians 15:35-38, 42-50

SCRIPTURE READING

Luke 6:27-38

SERMON

"Nobody Said It Would be Easy"

Rev. Larry Green

*Hymn

"Blessed Assurance, Jesus is Mine!"

No. 839

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 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 & THE 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.

*DOXOLOGY

"Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him all creatures here below; Praise Him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen."

*Hymn

"Be Thou My Vision"

No. 450

*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

"With Grateful Heart My Thanks I Bring" No. 334 (Verse 4)

*Postlude

*Those who are able, please stand.

We warmly greet all who have come to worship God. Your presence will enhance our worship experience and our fellowship together. Sincere thanks to each of you for your participation in the service. Glory be to God!

Leading Worship: Rev. Larry Green; Bob Bell, Liturgist; Leah Metzger, Accompanist & Director.



THE FLOWERS this morning are given to the Glory of God by Jamie Poppell' family in celebration of her birthday.



FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH PERRY, FLORIDA

Announcements

Devotions and Soup Wednesdays in Lent Starting March 2nd at 12 noon At Downtown Pavilion Bring a lawn chair and a Bible Upper Room devotional and Soup provided **Shower of Love** for Huck Armstrong March 6th 2 pm, Fellowship Hall

Tuesday Bible Studies: Beach Bible Study 9:30 am, FPC Bible Study 10:00 am

Fellowship Supper Wednesdays 5:45 pm Choir Rehearsal Wednesdays 7 pm Prayer Group Thursdays 9:30 am in the church office Ushers for February 27th: Jeanne Hilgendorf, David Culpepper, Warren Hilgendorf, Jeanne Raulerson

> Prayers Of and For The People First Presbyterian Church February 17, 2022

Helberg family, grieving loss of Marne's Aunt Kaura
Jeanne Hilgendorf, thankful for successful eye surgery
June's daughter, Dawn, accident
Donna Sprigle, her health issues amid grieving
Unspoken, but heartfelt prayers
Edna Vaughan
Tammy and Champ
Earlys traveling and feeling better
Culpeppers, continued
Paul Wiggins
Healing for John Singer