# FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH 310 Plantation Road Perry, FL 32348

3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Lent 11:00 am March 20, 2022

## WE GATHER IN GOD'S NAME

**PRELUDE** 

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

INTROIT "Come, Bring Your Burdens to God"

No. 851

(sing twice)

\*CALL TO WORSHIP Lamentations 3: 22 - 25

Leader: The steadfast love of the Lord never ceases, his

mercies never come to an end;

People: they are new every morning; great is your

faithfulness.

Leader: "The Lord is my portion," says my soul, "therefore

I will hope in him."

People: The Lord is good to those who wait for him,

to the soul that seeks him.

Leader: Praise the Lord!

People: The Lord's name be praised.

\*HYMN "We are one in the spirit" No.300

### PRAYER OF CONFESSION

God of mercy, you sent Jesus Christ to seek and save the lost. We confess that we have strayed from you and turned aside from your way. We are misled by pride, for we see ourselves pure when we are stained, and great when we are small. We have failed in love, neglected justice, and ignored your truth. Have mercy. O God, and forgive our sin. Return us to paths of righteousness through Jesus Christ, our Savior. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

\*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

ANTHEM

"Thy Will" Words and Music by Bernie Herms, Emily Weisband, and Hillary Scott Sung by Kristie Harper and Sandy Hilgendorf

SCRIPTURE READING

Isaiah 55:1-9

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Psalm 63:1-8

SERMON

Rev. Larry Green

\*Hymn

"Savior, like a shepherd lead us"

No. 187

#### 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.

**OFFERING** 

\*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

"Seek ye first"

No. 175

\*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

"Softly and Tenderly Jesus is Calling" No. 418 (Verse 1)

\*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; Marilyn Culpepper, Liturgist; Leah Metzger, Accompanist & Director.

## **Announcements**

- ❖ Youth Group Today, March 20th 6 7:30
- Called Congregational meeting Sunday, April 3rd immediately following the service.
- ❖ Tuesday Bible Studies: Beach Bible Study 9:30 am, FPC Bible Study 10:00 am
- DEVOTION AND SOUP Wednesdays in Lent at 12 noon, Downtown Pavilion. Bring a lawn chair and a Bible, Upper Room devotional and Soup provided.
- ❖ Fellowship Supper Wednesdays 5:45 pm (No Wednesday night supper for holy week Wednesday April 13th)
- ❖ Choir Rehearsal Wednesdays 7 pm
- ❖ Prayer Group Thursdays 9:30 am in the church office
- Ushers for March 27th: Warren Gregory, Polly Kincaid, Betty Culbreath, Tuckie Maultsby



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## Prayers Of and For The People First Presbyterian Church March 17, 2022

Rachel becoming an aunt Danny, tests Marne, tests Kristie H, eyes Jeanne H, eyes Calvin's Dad, home Williams, grieving Continued prayers, Glenn K Lynn W Ron P Neals **Jenkins** Donna S Dianna S **Caregivers** Our families

Our congregation

Our town, county, state and federal elected officials
Ukraine and world gov.

- ➤ You are invited to join Prayer Group, 9:30 am each Thursday morning at the Church office.
- You can now email all prayer requests directly to <a href="mailto:prayer@firstpresperry.org">prayer@firstpresperry.org</a> or submit on our website and the request will go out to the entire congregation.
- > If you don't have an email and would like to receive prayer requests, please notify the church office.