FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH 310 Plantation Road Perry, FL 32348 6th Sunday after Pentecost 10:00 am July 17, 2022

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!

WE GATHER IN GOD'S NAME

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

PASSING OF FRIENDSHIP PADS

*CALL TO WORSHIP (Based on Luke 10:38-42)

Leader: Christ invites and welcomes us; **People:** We come to sit at Jesus' feet. Leader: There is need of only one thing:

People: Let us not be distracted during this sacred

time.

*Hymn "Great God of Every Blessing" No. 694

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Christ our Savior, we are worried and distracted by many things. Our minds wander. Our apathy reigns. We prefer to focus on ourselves rather than on you. Forgive our lack of attention. Forgive us for not prioritizing you and attending to you. Humbly, we sit at your feet and ask for your grace. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

*GLORIA PATRI No. 623

"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

SCRIPTURE READING Exodus 3:1-8b

SCRIPTURE READING Luke 13:1-9

SERMON Velveteen Rabbit

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

*Hymn "Love Divine All Loves Excelling" No. 366

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."

*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

*HYMN "Day is Done"

No. 676

Rev. Dr. Bob Lutz

*Those who are able, please stand.

Leading Worship: Rev. Dr. Bob Lutz; Zach Wiggins, Liturgist;

Prayers Of and For The People First Presbyterian Church

Please give thanks for our rain, remembering those where fires are raging and reservoirs low

Friends of FPC grieving

Our Tuesday Bible Study

Bethea Family, Addison

Blue Creek ministry at nursing home

Betty, Jennifer, Glenn, Danny, Neals, Ron, Jim & Margie,

Carol G.

Those absent: Loisell, Elvena, Patricia, Ben, Mary Lou,

Gretchen

Government

Malones & Helbergs, grief

Jalen, covid recovery

Our extended families

Helbergs traveling

Rev. & Chris Lutz

Rev.McGarity and Bonnie

Earlys travel safety

Session Members

Jeanne Hilgendorf Class of 22 **Heather Speas** Class of 22 Class of 22 Alex Lutz Joey Ratliff Class of 23 Marne Helberg Class of 23 Rachel Poppell Class of 23 Sandi Hilgendorf Class of 23 Martha Davis Class of 24 Chuck Eckel Class of 24



FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH PERRY, FLORIDA

Announcements



The Flowers this morning are given to the Glory of God by Bob and Nancy Bell in honor of their children.

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD
JULY 23RD 9:30 To Noon

PLANNING FOR 2022 SHOE BOXES

How to collect

Use online box filling?

CHECK WHAT WE HAVE

CHECK ROOMS TO GROW ITEMS

START FILLING MEDICINE BOTTLES

Please JOIN US
In the
FELLOWSHIP HALL



Bible Study

Wednesday Evening Fellowship and Bible Study in Fellowship Hall July 20th, 27th, Aug 3rd and 10th. BYODinner at 5:30 pm & Bible study at 6 pm, Cindy leading adults.

Notes:

- FPC website <u>www.firstpresperry.org</u>
- Ushers for July 24th: Warren Gregory, Polly Kincaid, Tuckie Maultsby.
- Session Meeting July 31st