

**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
**310 Plantation Road Perry, FL 32348**  
3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday after Epiphany  
11:00 am January 23, 2021

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WE GATHER IN GOD'S NAME

PRELUDE

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

INTROIT *"Give Thanks"*

\*CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: O Lord, our Lord, you call the day into being,

**People: You are the joy and the beauty of each new day!**

Leader: We offer to you the deep thanksgiving of our hearts,

**People: We praise your Holy Name for the gift of your salvation!**

**ALL: AMEN**

\*HYMN *"O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing"* No. 610

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (In Unison)

**O Lord God Almighty, Ruler of heaven and earth; we dare not lift our eyes into the brilliance of your holiness. Cover us, we pray, with the cloak of your mercy and the grace of Jesus your Son. Then may we heartily turn from all that would keep us from your holy love and flee into your waiting arms for refuge and strength. Amen. (Silent Confession)**

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Leader: Almighty God, who freely pardons all who repent and turn to him, now fulfill in every contrite heart the promise of redeeming grace; remitting all our sins, and cleansing us from an evil conscience, through the perfect sacrifice of Christ Jesus our Lord.

**People: 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 *"Be Exalted"* Arr. Marty Parks

SCRIPTURE READING Psalm 98

\*HYMN *"I'm Gonna Live So God Can Use Me"* No. 700

SCRIPTURE READING Romans 16:1-16

Minister: The Word of the Lord.

**People: Thanks be to God.**

SERMON *"CALLING THE ROLL"* Dr. Don McGarity

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 of the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended into hell. The third day he arose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty, from whence 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 life everlasting. Amen**

THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY BAPTISM – Huck Timothy Armstrong  
Rev. Larry Neal, officiating

*"Welcome to the Family"*

**"Welcome to the family, we're glad that you have come to share your life with us, As we grow in love, and may we always be to you, what God would have us be, a family always there, to be strong and to lean on."**

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.”**

PRAYER OF DEDICATION (In Unison)

**Merciful Father, we offer with joy and thanksgiving what you have first given us—our selves, our time, and our possessions—signs of your gracious love. Receive them for the sake of him who offered himself for us—Jesus Christ, our reigning Lord. Amen.**

\*HYMN           *“When the Roll Is Called Up Yonder”* (see insert)

\*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

Minister: The Lord be with you.

**People: And also with you.**

Minister: May Almighty God bless you the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit.

**People: Amen.**

Minister: Go in peace.

**People: Thanks be to God.**

*“God Be With You Till We Meet Again”*

**“God be with you till we meet again; unseen wings protecting hide you daily manna still provide you: God be with you till we meet again”**

\*POSTLUDE

**\*Those who are able, please stand.**



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*“When the Roll Is Called Up Yonder”*

**When the trumpet of the Lord shall sound and time shall be no more, And the morning breaks eternal, bright and fair; When the saved of earth shall gather over on the other shore, And the roll is called up yonder, I'll be there.**

**Refrain:**

**When the roll is called up yonder, When the roll is called up yonder, When the roll is called up yonder, When the roll is called up yonder, I'll be there.**

**On that bright and cloudless morning when the dead in Christ shall rise, And the glory of his resurrection share; When his chosen ones shall gather to their home beyond the skies, And the roll is called up yonder, I'll be there. [Refrain]**

**Let us labor for the Master from the dawn till setting sun; Let us talk of all his wondrous love and care; Then when all of life is over and our work on earth is done, And the roll is called up yonder, I'll be there. [Refrain]**

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:** Dr. Don McGarity; Chuck Eckel, Liturgist; Leah Metzger, Accompanist & Director.

### **Announcements**

**Session Meeting** January 24th 6:00 pm

**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 Meeting** Thursdays 9:30 am in the church office

**Ushers for January 30<sup>th</sup>:** Warren Gregory, Polly Kincaid, Betty Culbreath, Tuckie Maultsby

**Perry Caregiver Support Group** meet every 4th Thursday of the month at 10:30 am

*Prayers Of and For The People  
First Presbyterian Church  
January 20, 2022*

*PTL fellowship suppers*

*Frank Ruttinger, cardiac*

*Lynn Williams, cardiac*

*All workers who show up*

*Huck, being baptized Sun.*

*Alex & Kristie*

*Denise, surgery recovery*

*Vaughan, ill*

*Judy Neal, also her brother*

*Jenkins, back here safely*

*Carrie, still healing*

*Marilyn, also healing*

*Rachel, recovering*

*Heather(Helbergs) treatment*

*Friends of FPC, near & far*

*Musgrove's*

*Pat Zastrow, covid*

*Pastors*

*Session*

*Grieving families*

*Tues. Bible Studies*

*Elvena, Ben, Gretchen, Fanette, Patricia, Alice and*

*Travelling safety to AJ, Sandi family*