



FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

LAKE CITY, FLORIDA



August 10, 2025

9th Sunday after Pentecost

10:30am Service

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Minister: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God,
and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

People: And also with you.

Minister: Let us offer each other the peace of Christ.

Please greet your neighbor, saying: "The peace of the Lord be with you."

TRINITY CHIME

PRELUDE

"Ancient Words"

Carol Tornquist

* CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: God of all creation, the heavens declare your glory.

People: The firmament proclaims your handiwork.

Leader: Enlighten our eyes and make our hearts to rejoice in you.

People: May all we offer be acceptable to you, O Lord, our Rock and our Redeemer.

Unison: Let us worship God together!

* HYMN #14

"For the Beauty of the Earth"

DIX

* CONFESSION AND PARDON

Minister: You raise the dead to life in the Spirit: Lord, have mercy.

People: Lord, have mercy.

Minister: You bring pardon and peace to the sinner: Christ, have mercy.

People: Christ, have mercy.

Minister: You bring light to those in darkness: Lord, have mercy.

People: Lord, have mercy.

Minister: May almighty God have mercy on us, forgive us our sins,
and bring us to everlasting life.

People: Amen.

* GLORIA PATRI #581

"Glory Be to the Father"

GREATOREX

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

FIRST LESSON

Psalm 19 (responsive reading)

* PUBLIC DOMAIN HYMN

"All the Way My Savior Leads Me"

ALL THE WAY

SECOND LESSON

Revelation 7:9-17

Leader: This is the word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

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SERMON

"When You Feel Like Crying"

Dr. Don McGarity

*** AFFIRMATION OF FAITH**

Apostle's 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 #227

"Jesus, Remember Me"

REMEMBER ME

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND 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.

OFFERTORY

"Revelation Song"

Carol Tornquist

*** DOXOLOGY #606**

"Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"

OLD HUNDREDTH

*** OFFERTORY PRAYER (Unison)**

Faithful God, thank you for sustaining us through every season. As we return a portion of what we've received, may these offerings bring comfort to the weary, peace to the troubled, and encouragement to the lost. Bless both the gift and the giver, and guide us in your will, through Christ, our living Lord. Amen.

*** PUBLIC DOMAIN HYMN**

"Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus"

WEBB

*** 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.

*** CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE #601**

"Threefold Amen"

DANISH AMEN

*** POSTLUDE**

"Let It Rise"

Carol Tornquist

Announcements

Rally Day ~ August 24

9:30am Breakfast provided

Sunday School - (9:30am) Montgomery SS Class: RM106

Jay Fraser, Jennifer Renfroe & Dr. Elaine Phillips

Children – 2nd to 5th grade: RM104 – Lisa Smith Youth 6th to 12th grade: RM202 – Johnny Brown

Youth Group – today: (11:45am) FH

Life Group – Monday – Joy Seekers: (4pm) RM106

Congregational Life Mtg – Monday: (9:30am) RM106

Seekers Mtg – Tuesday: (2pm) RM106

Worship Mtg – Tuesday: (4pm) RM104

Finance Mtg – Tuesday: (4:30pm) RM106

Property Mtg – Tuesday: (5:30pm) FH

Feed My Lambs – Tuesday: (9am) St. James

Bible Study – Men's Power Lunch – Wednesdays: (12noon) FH

Choir Rehearsal – Wednesday: (6:30pm) S

Men's Breakfast at IHOP – Friday (8am) see Larry Elshoff

Scouts – Monday (6:30pm) EB: Scout Girls Troop 9085

(6:30pm) EB: Scouts Den Mtg

(7pm) Scout Hut: Scout Troop 85

Visiting Minister – Dr. Don McGarity – (352) 256-5677

The Session Elders & Committee Chairs

Clerk of Session – Janie Killian 386-984-5742

Congregational Life – Cheryl Whigham 324-397-3246

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Nominations – Charles Kime 386-755-4937

Personnel – Don Baggett 863-634-3625

Property – Gerry Klauber 540-809-1124

Seekers – Nancy Howe 386-623-4872

Stewardship – Mike Millikin 386-623-0901

Worship – Anne Carroll 386-365-2771

Youth – Beverly Schulz 386-965-0024

Pastor Nominating Committee

Anne Carroll Marty Fraser

Mike Millikin Lisa Smith

Prayer List

1. Graham Anthony
2. Don Baggett
3. Judy Benvenuti
4. Erik Brown (Sharon Persons's son)
5. David Chauncey (Bonnie Green's friend's brother)
6. Doris Clark
7. Kathy Cook
8. Katy Croas (Marion Dooley's friend's child)
9. James Elliott (Roger & Ann Elliott's son)
10. Ruth Fraser (Jay Fraser's mother)
11. Shelby Gavellas (Judy Benvenuti's granddaughter)
12. Alison Goodrich
13. **Anne Graves**
14. Robert & Thelma Griffis (David Clark's cousin)
15. Art Grover
16. Marlene Henderson (Don & Juia Baggett's daughter-in-law's mother)
17. Joanne Hudson
18. Tom Hudson
19. Racheal Jones
20. **Bereaved family & friends of Rev. Kenneth Goodrich**
21. Ashley McDavid (David Clark's granddaughter)
22. Rev. Dr. Don & Bonnie McGarity
23. Sandy Milliner (Tim Redding's friend)
24. **Janet Morgan (Joanne Hudson's friend)**
25. Peace in the world
26. **Elaine Peacock (Roy Peacock's wife)**
27. Elaine Phillips
28. Ralph Phillips
29. Bill Rankin (Ginney Rankin's son)
30. Ray & Nina (Nancy Howe's neighbors)
31. Debbie Rogers (Bonnie Green's friend's niece)
32. Ria, Lisandra & Rianne Seecharan (Stephen Seecharan's family)
33. Phyllis Skinner
34. Pattie Smith (Janie Hollis's friend)
35. Rod Sutton
36. Sherry Thomas (Marty Fraser's friend)
37. JoAnn Torrans (Olivia Adams' friend)
38. **Bereaved family & friends of Beverly Upthegrove**
39. Ann VanDenburgh
40. Bobbie Jo Watkins (Bonnie Green's friend's daughter)
41. Paul Williams (David Clark's son-in-law)

God of Comfort, God of Grace, and God of Love, we pray for your mercy, healing, and comfort for those above, as you hold them and their loved ones close to you. We pray that in your presence their hearts may know and feel your love, hope and kindness in the midst of their troubles. In Jesus Christ, we pray. AMEN. Thank you for keeping them in your daily prayers.

Birthdays:

Abigail Adams 8/4 Meredith Mulvihill 8/4 Lillie Hughes 8/7
Elaine Phillips 8/7 Patty Ives 8/10 Ruth Knoper 8/10
Tom Sawyer 8/11 Jim Free 8/12 Henry Williams 8/16

Anniversaries:

Mark & Ruth Knoper 8/5 Ralph & Elaine Phillips 8/11

We warmly welcome you to our worship service. Your presence is a great joy and we hope that you will have a wonderful experience of God's grace and love. If you are interested in becoming a member of the church or exploring becoming a member, please speak to the minister after worship today. We would love to have you as a member!