

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Lake City, Florida

March 29, 2026

Palm Sunday

10:30am Service

TRINITY CHIME

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

* CALL TO WORSHIP

Minister: Rejoice greatly, O daughter of Zion!

People: Shout aloud, O daughter of Jerusalem!

Minister: Lo, your King comes to you;

People: triumphant and victorious is he,

Minister: humble, and riding on a donkey,

People: on a colt, the foal of a donkey.

Minister: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

* PRAYER

* PROCESSION INTO SANCTUARY

Minister: Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord!

People: Hosanna in the highest!

* PROCESSIONAL HYMN #197 "Hosanna, Loud Hosanna"

ELLACOMBE

*Hosanna, loud hosanna, the little children sang;
through pillared court and temple the joyful anthem rang.
To Jesus, who had blessed them, close folded to his breast,
the children sang their praises, the simplest and the best.*

*From Olivet they followed 'mid an exultant crowd,
the victor palm branch waving, and chanting clear and loud;
the Lord of earth and heaven rode on in lowly state,
nor scorned that little children should on his bidding wait.*

*"Hosanna in the highest!" That ancient song we sing,
for Christ is our Redeemer; the Lord of heaven, our King.
O may we ever praise him with heart and life and voice,
and in his blissful presence eternally rejoice.*

* 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.

Unison: Amen.

* GLORIA PATRI #581

"Glory Be to the Father"

GREATOREX

Announcements

Presbyterians celebrate an open communion. All professing Christians who have been baptized in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit are encouraged to partake of this Holy Sacrament.

Session Meeting TODAY – RM106 after Worship

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

Jay Fraser & Jennifer Renfroe

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

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

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

Fellowship Dinner – Wednesday – April 7th: (5:45pm) FH: Potluck – No cost, bring a dish!

Life Groups – Wednesday: (4:15pm) Heinz 57 - RM104 & (6:30pm) Salt & Light - RM106

Choir Rehearsal – Wednesday: (6:30pm)

Youth Group – Wednesday: (6:30pm) RM202

Personnel – Thursday: (9am) RM112

Men’s Breakfast – Friday: (8am) IHOP (see Larry Elshoff)

Scouts – Monday (6:30pm) EB: Scouts Den Mtg

(7pm) Scout Hut: **Scout Troop 85**

– Tuesday (6pm) EB : **Girls Troop 9085**

Maundy Thursday Worship – April 2nd @ 6:00pm

Easter Sunday – April 5th

Church Picnic @ Alligator Park – April 12th 1pm – 4pm

Staff & Support

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

Music Director/Worship Coordinator – Tim Redding

Office & Financial Administrator – Nikki Hubler

Administrative Assistant – Jazmin Halley

Youth Director – Johnny Brown

Sexton – Luke Stanziani

Musicians – Sharon Christensen, Dalton Weatherford & Joel St. John

The Session Elders & Committee Chairs

Clerk of Session – Janie Killian 386-984-5742

Personnel – Don Baggett 863-634-3625

Congregational Life – Cheryl Whigham 324-397-3246

Property – Gerry Klauber 540-809-1124

Christian Ed. – Marty Fraser 386-365-1454

Seekers – Jennifer Renfroe – 386-292-2491

Finance – Lee McDuffie 386-365-4965

Stewardship – Mike Millikin 386-623-0901

Mission Outreach – Lisa Smith 386-697-6010

Youth – Beverly Schulz 386-965-0224

Nominations – Charles Kime 386-755-4937

Worship – Anne Carroll 386-365-2771

Pastor Nominating Committee

Anne Carroll Marty Fraser Mike Millikin Lisa Smith

Prayer List

1. Graham Anthony
2. Don Baggett & Julia Baggett
3. Bobbie Bennett
4. Judy Benvenuti
5. Erik Brown (Sharon Persons's son)
6. Doris Clark
7. Greg Dooley (Marion Dooley's son)
8. Marion Dooley
9. Holly Durrenberger (Rev. Dr. Don & Bonnie McGarity's daughter)
10. James Elliott (Roger & Ann Elliott's son)
11. Elizabeth Ellis (Herb Ellis's sister)
12. Larry Elshoff
13. Ruth Fraser (Jay Fraser's mother)
14. Alison Goodrich
15. Anne Graves
16. **Art Graves**
17. Art Grover
18. Rodger Hadley
19. Janie Hollis
20. Tom & Joanne Hudson
21. Bereaved family & friends of Racheal Jones (service to be held in Georgia)
22. **Sandy Kishton (Roberta Whitaker's friend)**
23. Bereaved family & friends of Marilyn Lawrence (Lisa Smith's mother)
24. Rev. Dr. Don & Bonnie McGarity
25. Marty Morper
26. Peace in the world
27. Bereaved family & friends of Elaine Phillips (services to be held privately)
28. Kelly Poe (Marty Fraser's sister)
29. Beverly Schulz
30. Phyllis Skinner
31. Pattie Smith (Janie Hollis's friend)
32. Walt Stancil (Bill & Kathy Groover's friend)
33. Blaine Walker (former FPCLC Associate Pastor)
34. Joanne Zamesnik

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:

Linda Sutton 3/31 Mary Brown Whitehurst 3/31
Debbie Baugh 4/1 Cathy Glass 4/1

Anniversaries:

Herb & Diane Ellis 4/2 Robert & Kitty March 4/2

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!