



FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

LAKE CITY, FLORIDA



July 12, 2026

7th Sunday after Pentecost

10:30am Service

PRELUDE

"Blessed"

Heather Sorenson

TRINITY CHIME

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

*** PASSING THE PEACE OF CHRIST**

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

*** CALL TO WORSHIP**

Leader: Our Lord is the Good Shepherd. In his goodness he supplies our every need.

People: He takes perfect care of us.

Leader: He leads us into safety and gives us strength for the journey.

People: He grants us rest and restores our souls.

Leader: He seeks us out when we are lost, and calls us by our names.

People: The Lord is our Shepherd, and he carries us home.

Unison: Let us worship the Lord together!

*** HYMN #468**

"In My Life"

LORD, BE GLORIFIED

CALL TO CONFESSION

SILENT PRAYER OF CONFESSION

UNISON PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Master, Savior, Shepherd, Messiah—we know you by many names. Your presence fills our lives—all that we are and all that we have comes from you; all that you do declares your love for us. Yet when trouble comes, when adversity plagues us, we wonder where you are; we even wonder who you are. How quickly we forget that you are always with us. Forgive us, Lord. Dispel our gloom and despair. Change our garments of darkness into robes of dazzling light. Spread your table before us, and feed us from your hand. Lead us in the paths of righteousness, for it is in your name that we pray. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Leader: In Jesus Christ we are sought, we are found, we are forgiven.

People: Thanks be to God.

*** GLORIA PATRI #582 "Glory to God, Whose Goodness Shines on Me"**

VASILE

SOLO ANTHEM

"Still Waters (Psalm 23)"

Leanna Crawford

soloist: Lillie Hughes

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

FIRST LESSON

Psalm 23, KJV (in unison)

The LORD is my shepherd; I shall not want.

He maketh me to lie down in green pastures: he leadeth me beside the still waters.

He restoreth my soul: he leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for his name's sake.

Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil:

for thou art with me; thy rod and thy staff they comfort me.

Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies:

thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over.

Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life:

and I will dwell in the house of the LORD forever. Amen.

PUBLIC DOMAIN HYMN

“All the Way My Savior Leads Me”

ALL THE WAY

SECOND LESSON

1 Peter 4:8-11, NIV

Leader: This is the word of God for the people of God.

People: Thanks be to God.

SERMON

Johnny Brown

* 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.

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

“He Leadeth Me”

Heather Sorenson

* DOXOLOGY #606

“Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow”

OLD HUNDREDTH

* PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING AND DEDICATION

* PRAISE SONG

“You Never Let Go”

Matt & Beth Redman

* BENEDICTION

* SENDING SONG

“Our Church’s Mission”

FPCLC

* POSTLUDE

“The Center of Grace”

Heather Sorenson



Announcements



Choir returns next Sunday, July 19! Join us for rehearsal in the sanctuary at 9:30am.

Wednesday evening rehearsals will resume at a later date.

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

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

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

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

Worship – Tuesday: (4pm) RM104

Finance – Tuesday: (4pm) RM106

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

Fellowship Dinner - On break for the Summer

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

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

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



VBS 2026 "Emerald Crossing" – July 13-17

Session Meeting – July 19 | RM106 | 11:30am

Communion – July 19

Staff & Support

Music Director/Worship Coordinator – Tim Redding

Youth Director – Johnny Brown

Office & Financial Administrator – Nikki Hubler

Administrative Assistant – Jazmin Halley

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 386-397-3246

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Finance – Lee McDuffie 386-365-4965

Stewardship – Mike Millikin 386-623-0901

Mission Outreach – Lisa Smith 386-697-6010

Worship – Anne Carroll 386-365-2771

Nominations – Charles Kime 386-755-4937

Youth – Beverly Schulz 386-965-0224

Prayer List

1. Joshua Adams (U. S. Army)
2. Graham Anthony
3. Don & Julia Baggett
4. Judy Benvenuti
5. Erik Brown (Sharon Persons's son)
6. **Bereaved family & friends of Virginia Boyette (Nancy Howe's friend)**
7. Doris Clark
8. Jasper Dennison (Kitty Dennison's son)
9. Marion Dooley
10. Holly Durrenberger (Rev. Dr. Don & Bonnie McGarity's daughter)
11. Larry Elshoff
12. Alison Goodrich
13. Anne Graves
14. Art Graves
15. Art Grover
16. Rodger Hadley
17. Carol Hendrix (Bev Anthony's sister)
18. Janie Hollis
19. Joanne Hudson
20. Tom Hudson
21. **Indian Orphans (online request via Millie)**
22. Katherine Lyle (Nikki Hubler's mother-in-law)
23. Bonnie McGarity (Dr. Don McGarity's wife)
24. **Gene McNeill**
25. Bereaved family & friends of June Montgomery (former pastor's wife)
26. Camp Montgomery Staff
27. James Mobley (Beverly Schulz's friend)
28. Marty Morper
29. Joyce Ogden (Janie Hollis's friend)
30. Minesh Patel (Graham & Bev Anthony's friend)
31. Peace in the world
32. Kelly Poe (Marty Fraser's sister)
33. Phyllis Skinner
34. Pattie Smith (Janie Hollis's friend)
35. VBS leaders, volunteers & children
36. Blaine Walker (former FPCLC Associate Pastor)
37. Nick & Mary Brown Whitehurst
38. Pam Williams (Nancy Howe's friend)
39. **Ann York (Bobbie Bennett's sister)**

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:

Rosemary Canfield 7/12 Kate Dobson 7/12 Debbie Spencer 7/12 Wyatt Stanziani 7/12
Joe Persons 7/14 Dolly Robinson 7/18

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!*