



First Presbyterian Church of Beaufort

A Service for the Worship of God
January 30, 2022
11:00 AM



LIRBY ROBERTSON, ARTIST

*To all who are weary and need rest,
To all who mourn and need comfort,
To all who are lonely and need friendship,
To all who are glad and would serve their neighbors,
To all who are complacent and need disturbing,
To all who sin and need a Savior,
This church opens wide its doors
In the name of Christ and bids you welcome.*

Sanctuary: 410 Church Street

Office, Education & Outreach Building: 1201 North Street

firstpresbeaufort.org

www.facebook.com/firstpresbeaufort

843-524-3051

info@firstpresbeaufort.org



Striking of the Hour

Prelude *Jesu, the Very Thought of Thee*
C.S. LANG

*Welcome & Call to Worship - *from Psalm 71*..... Geneva Baxley

In you, O Lord, I take refuge;

Don't let me ever be put to shame!

Deliver me and rescue me by your righteousness!

Incline your ear to me and save me.

Be to me a rock of refuge,

A strong fortress, to save me,

For you are my rock and my fortress.

Let us worship God together!

+*Hymn..... *I'm Gonna Live So God Can Use Me*

1 I'm gon-na live so (live so)
2 I'm gon-na work so (work so)
3 I'm gon-na pray so (pray so)
4 I'm gon-na sing so (sing so)

God can use me an - y -

where, Lord, an - y - time! (an - y - time!)

I'm gon-na
I'm gon-na
I'm gon-na
I'm gon-na

live so (live so)
work so (work so)
pray so (pray so)
sing so (sing so)

God can use me an - y -

where, Lord, an - y - time! (an - y - time!)

(my Lord,)

Prayer of Confession

Mighty and merciful God, you have called us to be your people and claimed us for the service of Jesus Christ. We confess that we have not lived up to our calling. We have been timid and frightened disciples, who are forgetful of your powerful presence and the strength of your Spirit among us. O God, forgive our foolish and sinful ways. As you have chosen us and claimed us in our baptism, strengthen us anew to choose Christ's way in this world. Give us your Holy Spirit that each one in ministry may be provided with all the gifts of grace needed to fulfill our common calling; through Jesus Christ our Lord and Savior. (Let us continue in prayer silently)

Congregational Response

*Hear our prayer, O Lord. Hear our prayer, O Lord.
Incline thine ear to us and grant us thy peace. Amen.*

Assurance of Pardon

*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, Amen.*

Children's Sermon.....Geneva Baxley

Music Offering May God Support You All Your Days
Vic Varner, Music Director DICKINSON COLLEGE
Lily Cooper, Organist
Kevin Walsh, Bass

Hebrew Scripture Lesson Jeremiah 1:4-10

*Hymn *Take My Life*

1 Take my life and let it be con-se - crat-ed, Lord, to thee;
2 Take my hands and let them move at the im - pulse of thy love;
3 Take my voice and let me sing al-ways, on - ly, for my King;
4 Take my sil - ver and my gold; not a mite would I with-hold;



take my mo - ments and my days; let them flow in
 take my feet and let them be swift and beau - ti -
 take my lips and let them be filled with mes - sa -
 take my in - tel - lect and use ev - ery power as



cease - less praise; let them flow in cease - less praise.
 ful for thee, swift and beau - ti - ful for thee.
 ges from thee, filled with mes - sa - ges from thee.
 thou shalt choose, ev - ery power as thou shalt choose.

5 Take my will and make it thine;
 it shall be no longer mine.
 Take my heart, it is thine own;
 it shall be thy royal throne,
 it shall be thy royal throne.

6 Take my love; my Lord, I pour
 at thy feet its treasure store;
 take myself and I will be
 ever, only, all for thee,
 ever, only, all for thee.

Epistle Lesson..... 1 Corinthians 13:1-13

Sermon..... **A Yet More Excellent Path**
 Dr. Patrick Perryman

Pastoral Prayer & 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

Giving and Receiving

Offertory..... *Goodness is Stronger than Evil*
 JOHN L. BELL

*Doxology and Prayer of Dedication

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
 Praise God all creatures here below;
 Praise God above, ye heavenly host;
 Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

Order For Ordination and Installation (see insert)

Capo 1: (Em) Fm (Bm) Cm (Em) Fm




1 We are one in the Spir - it; we are one in the Lord;
 2 We will walk with each oth - er; we will walk hand in hand;
 3 We will work with each oth - er; we will work side by side;
 4 All praise to the Fa - ther, from whom all things come,

(Am) Bbm (Em) Fm




we are one in the Spir - it; we are one in the Lord,
 we will walk with each oth - er; we will walk hand in hand,
 we will work with each oth - er; we will work side by side,
 and all praise to Christ Je - sus, God's on - ly Son,

(Am) Bbm (Em) Fm



and we pray that all u - ni - ty may one day be re - stored:
 and to - geth - er we'll spread the news that God is in our land:
 and we'll guard hu - man dig - ni - ty and save hu - man pride:
 and all praise to the Spir - it, who makes us one:

Refrain (C) Dbm (Em) Fm



And they'll know we are Chris - tians by our love, by our

(Am) Bbm (Em) Fm (Am) Bbm (Bm) Cm (Em) Fm (Am/E) Bbm/F (Em) Fm



love; yes, they'll know we are Chris - tians by our love.

*Hymn *We Are One in the Spirit*

*Benediction

Postlude *Where Charity and Love Prevail*
 LUCIUS CHAPIN

*All Who Are Able Please Stand | + Ushers Will Seat Latecomers

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

WELCOME to all who join us for worship today. If you are without a church home, you will be warmly welcomed into our fellowship. We are glad you are here! Please like us on Facebook and visit our website at www.firstpresbeaufort.org for sermons, news, and current events.

TODAY THE FLOWERS ARE GIVEN TO the Glory of God, by the flower committee.

2022 FLOWER CHART: The flower chart is available in front on the table. If you would like to provide flowers for the Sunday morning worship service, please write your name and phone number next to the appropriate date. You may provide your own flowers, or order them from your florist of preference.



First Presbyterian
Church of Beaufort

Please join us
Winter 2022
New Member Class
Sunday, February 20th

12:30-2pm

Lunch will be provided

Childcare available

Contact: Geneva Baxley
gbaxley@firstpresbeaufort.org

MENTAL HEALTH AWARENESS:

AWAKENING THE SPIRIT IN US TO BECOME MORE COMPASSIONATE.

"My dark days made me stronger. Or maybe I already was strong,
and they made me prove it." — Emery Lord



ANNUAL CHILI COOKOFF

And live auction featuring Donna Sheetz' famous sweets

**AWARDS FOR
BEST CHILI &
CORNBREAD**



**BINGO WITH PRIZES
RAFFLE
LIVE AUCTION**

12:00 PM *Following worship*
SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 27TH

SUGGESTED DONATION:
\$10 INDIVIDUAL \$25 FAMILY

**PROCEEDS BENEFITING
FPC YOUTH PROGRAMS**

----- TEAR OFF & SIGN UP -----

O YES! I WANT TO ENTER MY CHILI

O YES! I WANT TO ENTER MY CORNBREAD

NAME:

PHONE:

TO SIGN UP VIA EMAIL CONTACT INFO@FIRSTPRESBEAUFORT.ORG

**THE ORDINATION
AND INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS
CLASS OF 2024
FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
BEAUFORT, SOUTH CAROLINA**

THE OFFICE OF DEACON

Penny Abbott
Ben Coppage
John Myrick

THE OFFICE OF ELDER

AnnMarie Bowden
AK Harper
Donna Sheetz
Gene Rugala

ORDER FOR ORDINATION AND INSTALLATION

There are varieties of gifts, but it is the same Spirit who gives them.

There are different ways of serving God, but it is the same Lord who is served.

To each is given a gift of the Spirit to be used for the common good.

Together we are the body of Christ, and individually members of it.

STATEMENT ON ORDINATION AND INSTALLATION

PROFESSION OF FAITH

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

CONSTITUTIONAL QUESTIONS

Do you trust in Jesus Christ your Savior, acknowledge him Lord of all and Head of the Church, and through him believe in one God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit?

I do.

Do you accept the Scriptures of the Old and New Testaments to be, by the Holy Spirit, the unique and authoritative witness to Jesus Christ in the Church universal, and God's Word to you?

I do.

Do you sincerely receive and adopt the essential tenets of the Reformed faith as expressed in the confessions of our church as authentic and reliable expositions of what Scripture leads us to believe and do, and will you be instructed and led by those confessions as you lead the people of God?

I do and I will.

Will you fulfill your office in obedience to Jesus Christ, under the authority of Scripture, and be continually guided by our confessions?

I will.

Will you be governed by our church's polity, and will you abide by its discipline? Will you be a friend among your colleagues in ministry, working with them, subject to the ordering of God's Word and Spirit?

I will.

Will you in your own life seek to follow the Lord Jesus Christ, love your neighbors, and work for the reconciliation of the world?

I will.

Do you promise to further the peace, unity, and purity of the church?

I do.

Will you seek to serve the people with energy, intelligence, imagination, and love?

I will.

To Deacons:

Will you be a faithful deacon, teaching charity, urging concern, and directing the people's help to the friendless and those in need? In your ministry will you try to show the love and justice of Jesus Christ?

I will.

To Elders:

Will you be a faithful elder, watching over the people, providing for their worship, nurture, and service? Will you share in government and discipline, serving in governing bodies of the church, and in your ministry will you try to show the love and justice of Jesus Christ?

I will.

Do we, the members of First Presbyterian Church of Beaufort, accept each of these as deacons and elders, chosen by God through the voice of this congregation to lead us in the way of Jesus Christ?

We do.

Do we agree to encourage them, to respect their decisions, and to follow as they guide us, serving Jesus Christ who alone is Head of the Church?

We do.

LAYING ON OF HANDS AND PRAYER OF ORDINATION

WELCOME AND CHARGE