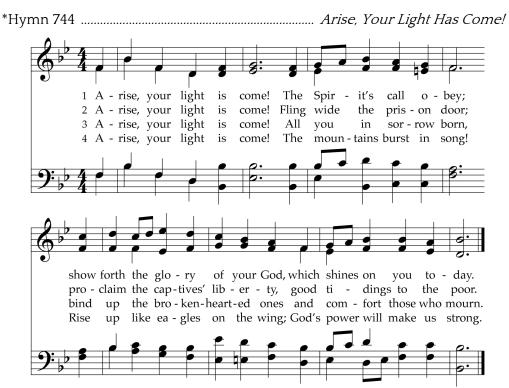


Sacrament of the Lord's Supper (see insert)



*Benediction

Choral Benediction

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

OUR STAFF

Dr. Patrick H. Perryman Pastor. Head of Staff Geneva Baxley Associate for Ministry: Children, Families & Membership Ellie Laita Director of Youth Ministries Jordan Plair Director of Music Lily Cooper Organist Nora Graczyk Office Administrator Becky Bradshaw Nursery Supervisor Tracy Greco Bookkeeper

<u>Our Session</u>			
Class of 2024	Class of 2025	Class of 2026	
AnnMarie Bowden	Geneva Baxley	Hank Amundson	
AK Harper	Emily Harris	Kevin Dukes	
Donna Sĥeetz	Kathy Hodges	Owen Hand	
Gene Rugala	Charles Tumlin	Sallie Sheppard	
	Nan Krueger, Clerk		

Treasurer Charles Tumlin

OUR DIACONATE

Class of 2024 Penny Abbott	Class of 2025 Kati Barnes	Class of 2026 Joe Antinori
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Ben Coppage John Myrick	Sharon McElveen Sally Post	Gary Pennington Tony Pierro

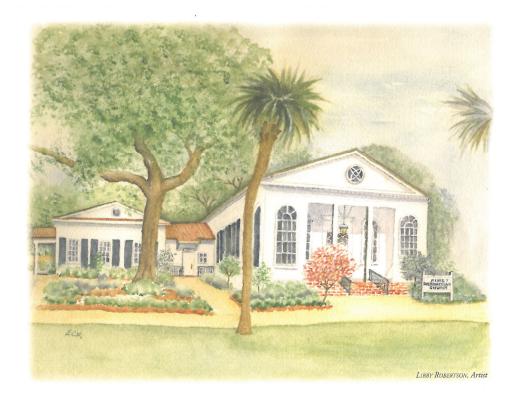
MENTAL HEALTH AWARENESS:

AWAKENING THE SPIRIT IN US TO BECOME MORE COMPASSIONATE.

"As human beings, our job in life is to help people realize how rare and valuable each one of us really is, that each of us has something that no one else has or ever will have, something inside that is unique to all time." — Fred Rogers



A Service for the Worship of God February 4, 2024 11:00 AM



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.

Striking of the Hour

Choral Introit

*Welcome & Call to Worship - from Psalm 147..... Elder Geneva Baxley

Hallelujah!

It's a good thing to sing praise to our God;

Praise is beautiful, praise is fitting.

God's the one who rebuilds Jerusalem,

Who regathers Israel's scattered exiles.

God heals the heartbroken and bandages their wounds.

Counts the stars and assigns each a name.

Our Lord is great, with limitless strength;

We'll never comprehend what God knows and does.

God puts the fallen on their feet again And pushes the wicked into the ditch.

Sing to God a thanksgiving hymn,

Play music on your instruments to God,

Who fills the sky with clouds, preparing rain for the earth,

Then turning the mountains green with grass, Feeding both cattle and crows.

Those who fear God get God's attention; And can depend on God's strength.

Hallelujah!

+*Hymn 305 Come Sing! O Church in Joy!



Prayer of Confession

God, you are everlasting, the creator of all that is. Your understanding is beyond measure. We confess that we have sinned against you and our neighbors. In your compassion, forgive us, for we place our hope in your steadfast love. (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

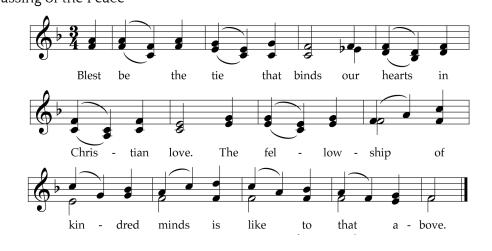
*Gloria Patri

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.

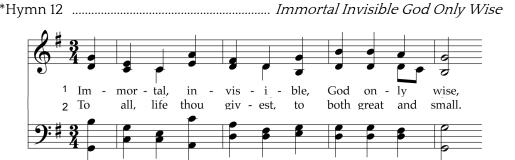
Anthem	To God Be the Glory
Jordan Plair, Music Director Lily Cooper, Organist	arr. George bayley
Children's Sermon	Geneva Baxlev

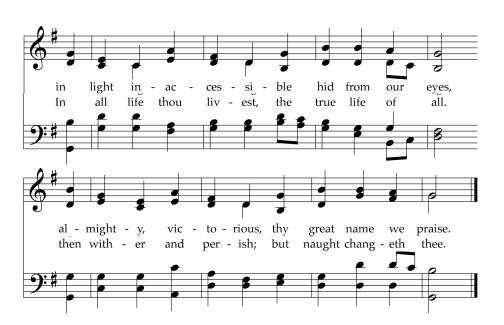
As we sing *Jesus Loves Me*, all children are welcome to come down front

Passing of the Peace



Gospel Lesson Mark 1:29-39





Prophecy Lesson...... Isaiah 40:21-31

Sermon What Do You Know? What Have You Heard?

Dr. Patrick Perryman

*Affirmation of Faith - 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

*Doxology and Prayer of Dedication

Praise God from whom all blessing flow.
Praise God, all creatures high and low.
Alleluia, alleluia!
Praise God, in Jesus fully known:
Creator, Word, and Spirit one.
Alleluia, alleluia!
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!





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 by Jennie and Bob Burroughs in honor of their parents, Jean & Dale Meyers, and Betty & Clifford Burroughs.

THE 2022 STATISTICAL REPORT is available for review in the church library.

ATTENTION PARENTS:



ANNUAL CHILI COOKOFF

And live auction featuring Donna Sheetz' famous sweets

SUNDAY, FEB. 4TH

Following worship

SCAN TO PAY NOW & SKIP THE TICKET LINE



SUGGESTED DONATION:

\$10 INDIVIDUAL \$25 FAMILY

ALL PROCEEDS BENEFITING FPC YOUTH PROGRAMS

Join us throughout the SEASON OF LENT

3:30-5:30 ANCHOR KIDS

5:30 SIMPLE SUPPER 6:15-6:45 SERVICE

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 21
WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 28
WEDNESDAY, MARCH 6
WEDNESDAY, MARCH 13
WEDNESDAY, MARCH 20





ANCHOR KIDS SPRING SESSION: CREATIVE SPIRITUALITY

> WEDNESDAYS 3:30-5:30PM STARTING FEBRUARY 21ST

AGES KINDERGARTEN-5TH GRADE

CONTACT GENEVA BAXLEY AT GBAXLEY@FIRSTPRESBEAUFORT.ORG



HELP US COLLECT COOKIES FOR THE RESIDENTS OF "RESORTS AT BEAUFORT" (FORMERLY BAYVIEW)

Men's Breakfast



FIRST AND THIRD WEDNESDAY

7:30-8:30 am

FELLOWSHIP HALL GUESTS WELCOME

Mental Health SUPPORT GROUP

Strategies for faith and healing.

All are welcome

First Tuesday of the Month

5:30pm Sanctuary Parlor

410 Church St.

Questions? Contact Mary Tatum: (843) 812-9331







ASH WEDNESDAY FEBRUARY 14TH

5:30-6:15PM

A service for all ages.

Nursery Available 3 & under

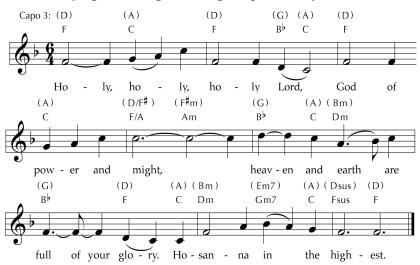
The Lord's Supper

Invitation to the Lord's Table

Great Prayer of Thanksgiving and Our Lord's Prayer

The Lord be with you.
And also with you.
Lift up your hearts.
We lift them to the Lord.
Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
It is right to give our thanks and praise.

'What have you to do with us,' chaos cried out, and you rebuked it, Holy One, whispering, 'be silent,' and with a Word all that is good and true came forth—salt marsh teeming with life, oysters and dolphins and shrimp. You raised us up in your image, but we worshiped the idols, sin and death, becoming so accustomed to them we would follow them anywhere. You put words into the prophets' mouths, so they could speak your words of hope, but we refused to listen. So you sent Jesus, from whom all things are, so we might live with you. Thus, with prophets and those who never listen, with the foolish, as well as the faithful, of every age, we sing our songs of praise to you:



Holy are you, Awesome Creator, and blessed is Jesus Christ, Redeemer of all. He teaches, as one with authority, those who rebel against you. He heals, as one with compassion, those who struggle with pain and illness. He calls, as one with the words of life, those who have lost their way. He dies, as one with complete trust, for those who have no hope. He rises, as one known by God, so we may live for you.

As we remember what Jesus has done for us, as we celebrate his life, death, and resurrection, we speak of that mystery we know as faith:

Christ died, as we fell silent in grief;
Christ is raised, silencing the power of sin and death;
Christ fills the silence of our fears with songs of praise and joy.

You long to have everything to do with us, God of wonders, and so you call us to this table of peace, hope, reconciliation. Here, in the bread and the cup transformed by your Spirit, we are reminded that there is no God but you. For, in the life of the bread, we feast on that grace which can heal a broken world. For in the sweet taste of the cup's hope, we taste those promises which we can share with all people:

Peace where there is only war,
Love where there is only evil
Wonder where there is only despair...

For from you come all things; to you, we all would turn to follow. And when all human time and history is done, when we are gathered with our sisters and brothers in that time with you we call eternity, we will praise you forever, singing glory to you. Hear us as we pray the prayer Jesus teaches us:

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

Words of Institution

Communion of the People

Post Communion Prayer

There are gluten free elements in the center of the table.