

\*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

Pastoral Prayer 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

Giving and Receiving

Offertory..... *The Strife is O'er*  
GIOVANNIE PIERLUIGI DA PALESTRINA

\*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.*

\*Hymn..... *We Walk By Faith and Not by Sight*

Musical notation for the hymn "We Walk By Faith and Not by Sight". The notation includes a treble clef, a key signature of one sharp (F#), and a 3/4 time signature. The melody is written on a staff with notes and rests. Below the staff, the lyrics are written in four lines, corresponding to the four verses of the hymn. The lyrics are: 1 We walk by faith and not by sight; with 2 We may not touch your hands and side, nor 3 Help then, O Lord, our un - be - lief; and 4 And when our life of faith is done, in

Chords: D G Bm A A7 D G D

Lyrics: gra - cious words draw near, O Christ, who spoke as fol - low where you trod; but in your prom - ise may our faith a - bound to call on you when realms of clear - er light may we be - hold you

Chords: Bm G F#m A D

Lyrics: none e'er spoke: "My peace be with you here." we re - joice and cry, "My Lord and God!" you are near and seek where you are found. as you are, with full and end - less sight.

\*Benediction

Postlude..... *Pass the Joyful News Along*  
AIMEE SEMPLE MCPHERSON

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

**WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS**

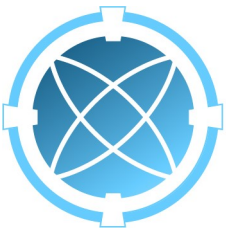
**WELCOME to all who join us for worship today.** If you are without a church home, you will be warmly welcomed into our fellowship. We are glad you are here! Please like us on Facebook and visit our website at [www.firstpresbeaufort.org](http://www.firstpresbeaufort.org) for sermons, news, and current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

**TODAY THE FLOWERS ARE GIVEN** by the Barnes family to in honor the bravery of the people of Ukraine, and to remind us to pray for them.

**MENTAL HEALTH AWARENESS.**

**AWAKENING THE SPIRIT IN US TO BECOME MORE COMPASSIONATE.**

"The bravest thing I ever did was continuing my life when I wanted to die."- Juliette Lewis



**First Presbyterian  
Church of Beaufort**

**A Service for the Worship of God  
April 24, 2022  
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.*

**Sanctuary:** 410 Church Street

**Office, Education & Outreach Building:** 1201 North Street  
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Striking of the Hour

Prelude.....*Awaken My Heart with Gladness*  
RUDOLF MOSER

\*Welcome & Call to Worship - From *Psalms* 150.....Geneva Baxley

*Christ is risen!*  
**Christ is risen indeed!**  
*Alleluia! Celebrate God in this sacred space!*  
*Celebrate God in all places under heaven!*  
**Give praise for God's mighty deeds!**  
**Give praise for God's resurrecting power!**  
*Praise God with a fanfare of trumpets.*  
**Praise God with the harp and cello!**  
*Praise God with tambourines and dancing!*  
**Praise God with mighty organ music!**  
*Praise God with cymbals and drums!*  
**Let everything with life and breath praise God!**

+\*Hymn .....*Christ the Lord is Risen Today!*

1 "Christ the Lord is risen to - day!"  
2 Love's re-deem-ing work is done, Al - le - lu - ia!  
3 Lives a - gain our glo - rious King,  
4 Hail the Lord of earth and heaven!

All cre - a - tion, join to say:  
Fought the fight, the bat - tle won,  
Where, O death, is now your sting? Al - le - lu - ia!  
Praise to you by both be given,

Raise your joys and tri - umphs high,  
Death in vain for - bids him rise,  
Je - sus died, our souls to save, Al - le - lu - ia!  
Ev - ery knee to you shall bow,

Sing, O heavens, and earth re - ply,  
Christ has o - pened par - a - dise. Al - le - lu - ia!  
Where your vic - to - ry, O grave?  
Ris - en Christ, tri - um - phant now.

Prayer of Confession

God of the empty tomb and our empty hearts, when we are afraid to speak faith in the world, forgive us and help us to find our voice. When we are afraid to forgive and love again, forgive us and give us the power to forgive. When we are afraid to stand up to misguided authority, join with the weak to make us all strong. When we are confined by our hurts, touch us with your wounded hands and set us free. When we are locked behind our doubts and fears, pass through our barricades, open our hearts, and give us peace. (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.*

Sacrament of Baptism

Hayley and Jeffrey Dawson present their daughter Scottie for Baptism  
They are accompanied by Elder AnnMarie Bowden

Children's Sermon ..... Geneva Baxley  
(As we sing *Jesus Loves Me*, children 3 to 8 are dismissed to Sonshine Club)

Music Offering ..... The Strain Upraise of Joy and Praise  
Vic Varner, Music Director DIETTERICH  
Lily Cooper, Organist  
Meredith Halopoff, Cantor

New Testament Lesson ..... Revelation 1:4-8

\*Hymn ..... *Christ Is Alive*

1 Christ is a - live! Let Chris - tians sing. The cross stands  
2 Christ is a - live! No lon - ger bound to dis - tant  
3 In ev - ery in - sult, rift, and war where col - or,  
4 Wom - en and men, in age and youth, can feel the  
5 Christ is a - live, and comes to bring good news to

emp - ty to the sky. Let streets and homes with  
years in Pal - es - tine, but sav - ing, heal - ing,  
scorn, or wealth di - vide, Christ suf - fers still, yet  
Spir - it, hear the call, and find the way, the  
this and ev - ery age, till earth and sky and

prais - es ring. Love, drowned in death, shall nev - er die.  
here and now, and touch - ing ev - ery place and time.  
loves the more, and lives, where e - ven hope has died.  
life, the truth, re - vealed in Je - sus, freed for all.  
o - cean ring with joy, with jus - tice, love, and praise.

Gospel Lesson..... John 20:19-31

Sermon..... **4 Words Forward**  
Dr. Patrick Perryman

# *The Sacrament of Baptism*

*Scarlett Jane Dawson*

born January 27, 2021

to

*Hayley and Jeffrey Dawson*

baptized April 24, 2022

## The Presentation and Meaning of the Sacrament

MATTHEW 28:18-20

EPHESIANS 4:4-6

## The Parents' Affirmation of Commitment

Do you desire that Scottie should be baptized?

**I do.**

Relying on God's grace, do you promise to live the Christian faith, and to teach that faith to your daughter?

**I do.**

Trusting in the gracious mercy of God, do you turn from the ways of sin and renounce evil and its power in the world?

**I do.**

Do you turn to Jesus Christ and accept him as your Lord and Savior, trusting in his grace and love?

**I do.**

Will you be Christ's faithful disciple, obeying his Word and showing his love?

**I will, with God's help.**

## The Congregation's Affirmation of Commitment

Elder AnnMarie Bowden

Our Lord Jesus Christ ordered us to teach those who are baptized. Do you, the people of this church, promise to tell Scottie the good news of the gospel, to help her know all that Christ commands, and by your fellowship, to strengthen her family ties with the household of God?

**With the help of God, we do.**

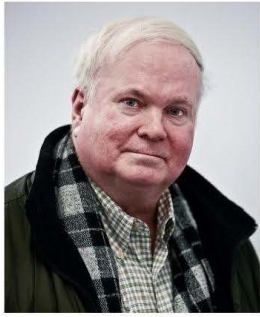
Thanksgiving and Blessing over the Water

The Baptism

The Welcome







## The Faith of Pat Conroy

Presented by **Jonathan Haupt**  
and **Holland Perryman**

Wednesday, May 18, 6:00-7:00 p.m.  
**First Presbyterian Church Sanctuary**  
410 Church Street, Beaufort

**"When I thought God had abandoned me, I discovered that He had simply given me a different voice to praise the inexhaustible beauty of the made world."**

—Pat Conroy, *My Losing Season*

Acclaimed southern storyteller **Pat Conroy** (1945-2016) is best remembered as the author of a dozen beloved books, including *The Water Is Wide*, *The Great Santini*, *The Lords of Discipline*, and *The Prince of Tides*. **The Faith of Pat Conroy** explores the famed author's spiritual and humanistic faith as reflected in his turbulent life and bestselling books—from his Roman Catholic upbringing to The Citadel's honor code to themes of spirituality in his writings to his life of service as a mentor to his fellow writers to his connections to his "second church," First Presbyterian Church of Beaufort. This special event is free and open to the public. All are welcome.

### About Our Presenters

The grandson of a Methodist minister, **Jonathan Haupt** is the executive director of the nonprofit Pat Conroy Literary Center and the former director of the University of South Carolina Press. He is co-editor of the anthology *Our Prince of Scribes: Writers Remember Pat Conroy*, the recipient of seventeen book awards. In 2020, he was recognized with the Doug Marlette Literacy Leadership Award of the Pulpwood Queens, the largest book club in the U.S.

The daughter of First Presbyterian Church's senior pastor Rev. Patrick Perryman, **Holland Perryman** is a senior at Beaufort High School, where she is student body president, winner of the second annual Ann Head Literary Prize, and the founder of DAYLO: Diversity Awareness Youth Literacy Organization. She is the first student intern of the Pat Conroy Literary Center and the Friends of South Carolina Libraries. Holland will begin her studies this fall at Vanderbilt University as a Chancellor's Scholar.



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*Pat Conroy*

PAT CONROY  
LITERARY CENTER

With thanks to **Susan DeLoach**  
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## LET'S "PAMPER" THORNWELL

**THE PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN AND THE FPC MISSION  
AND OUTREACH COMMITTEE ARE COLLECTING:**

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**BABY WIPES**

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*Presbyterian Women  
Spring Luncheon*



**Friday, May 6th**

**11:30 AM** Fellowship Hall



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(INFANT-4) FOR THORNWELL

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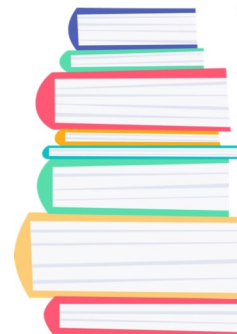
June 20-24

9am-12



Ages 3- rising 5th Graders

*Neighborhood Outreach  
Connection*



Snacks Needed:  
Individual cookie packs  
Soft granola bars  
Nutri-grain bars  
Fruit snacks

Place snacks in the **Red Wagon** in the Education Bldg.