

\*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.

Pastoral Prayer and 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..... *Jesu, the Very Thought of Thee*  
C.S. LANG

\*Doxology and Prayer of Dedication

*Praise God from whom all blessings 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!*

\*Hymn 772.....*Live into Hope*



1 Live in - to hope of cap - tives freed, of sight re -  
2 Live in - to hope! The blind shall see with in - sight  
3 Live in - to hope of lib - er - ty, the right to  
4 Live in - to hope of cap - tives freed from chains of



gained, the end of greed. The op-pressed shall be the  
and with clar - i - ty, re - mov - ing shades of  
speak, the right to be, the right to have one's  
fear or want or greed. God now pro - claims our



first to see the year of God's own ju - bi - lee!  
pride and fear, a vi - sion of our God brought near.  
dai - ly bread, to hear God's word and thus be fed.  
full re - lease to faith and hope and joy and peace.

\*Benediction

Postlude ..... *Blest Be the Tie that Binds*  
LUDWIG LENEL

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



# First Presbyterian Church of Beaufort

A Service for the Worship of God  
July 6, 2025  
10:00 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.*

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Prelude.....*Beloved Jesus, Here We Stand*  
MARCEL DUPRE'

*Hear, O Lord, and be gracious to me! O Lord, be my helper!"*  
 You have turned my mourning into dancing; you have  
 taken off my sackcloth and clothed me with joy,  
*So that my soul may praise you and not be  
 silent. O Lord my God, I will give thanks to you  
 forever.*

1 When morn - ing gilds the skies, my heart a - wak - ing  
 2 Does sad - ness fill my mind? A so - lace here I  
 3 Let earth's wide cir - cle round in joy - ful notes re -  
 4 Be this, while life is mine, my can - ti - cle di -

cries: may Je - sus Christ be praised! A -  
 find: may Je - sus Christ be praised! Or  
 sound: may Je - sus Christ be praised! Let  
 vine: may Je - sus Christ be praised! Be

like at work and prayer to Je - sus I re -  
fades my earth - ly bliss? My com - fort still is  
air and sea and sky from depth to height re -  
this the e - ter - nal song through all the a - ges

pair: may Je - sus Christ be praised!  
 this: may Je - sus Christ be praised!  
 ply: may Je - sus Christ be praised!  
 long: may Je - sus Christ be praised!

God, you have caught us in our sinful behavior. We walk with our heads held high, without noticing others and their burdens. We are even blinded to our own! We keep our mouths silenced when we are full of stories to share about the good things that you have done for us. We even keep our actions silenced as we become so overwhelmed with the needs of the world that we do nothing to overcome them. Fill us with your peace and with your mercy. Free us from the destruction of sin and restore us to a life lived in you. Amen.

(Let us continue in prayer silently)

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

*Peace! Peace is what we receive from God  
when we know that our sins are forgiven.*  
We are not alone in our journey of life.  
Together we share the good news:  
*In Jesus we have received forgiveness,  
and we have been restored!  
Thanks be to God!*

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

*Blest be the tie that binds our hearts in Christian love.  
The fellowship of kindred minds is like to that above.*

Epistle Lesson ..... Galatians 6:1-10

1 Called as part-ners in Christ's ser-vice, called to min-is-tries of grace,  
 2 Christ's ex-am-ple, Christ's in-spir-ing, Christ's clear call to work and worth,  
 3 Thus new pat-terns for Christ's mis-sion, in a small or glob-al sense,  
 4 So God grant us for to - mor-row ways to or - der hu - man life

we re-pond with deep com-mit-ment fresh new lines of faith to trace.  
 let us fol-low, nev-er fal-tering, rec-on-cil-ing folk on earth.  
 help us bear each oth-er's bur-dens, break-ing down each wall or fence.  
 that sur-round each per-son's sor-row with a calm that con-quests strife.

May we learn the art of shar-ing, side by side and friend with friend,  
Men and wom-en, rich - er, poor - er, all God's peo-ple, young and old,  
Words of com - fort, words of vi - sion, words of chal-enge, said with care,  
Make us part-ners in our liv - ing, our com-pas-sion to in - crease,

e - qual part-ners in our car-ing to ful-fill God's cho-sen end.  
blend-ing hu-man skills to-geth-er gra-cious gifts from God un-fold.  
bring new power and strength for ac-tion, make us col-leagues, free and fair.  
mes-sen-gers of faith, thus giv-ing hope and con-fi-dence and peace.

Sermon..... **Two “isms” Juxtaposed**  
Dr. Rob Blumer



## 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.firstpresbeauport.org](http://www.firstpresbeauport.org) for sermons, news, and current events.

**TODAY THE FLOWERS ARE GIVEN** by the Corbin Family in honor and celebration of Nan and Gordon Krueger's 53rd wedding anniversary on July 7.



**GET TO KNOW OUR GUEST MINISTER:** Rob Blumer graduated from Furman University in 1977 with a BA in Political Science. After a brief stint in the Office of the Governor in the State of South Carolina, he attended Columbia Theological Seminary. After his first year at Columbia, Rob completed his required summer internship here at First Presbyterian, under the supervision of Frank Sells. He attained his Doctor of Ministry Degree in 1983.

Before retiring on October 31, 2021, Rob served as Senior Pastor of Sharon Presbyterian Church for 12 years. Rob had served congregations previously in South Carolina, Georgia, Kentucky. Rob has been married to Pat McCauley Blumer, for forty-three years. Together they have two sons, Bobby and Hastings, one daughter-in-law, Kristin, and two grandchildren, Berkeley (7) and Bear (2). Rob and Pat live on Dataw and have made their church home with us.

### **MENTAL HEALTH AWARENESS:** **AWAKENING THE SPIRIT IN US TO BECOME MORE COMPASSIONATE.**

"The past can hurt, but the way I see it, you can either run from it or learn from it." - Rafiki, The Lion King

# 2025 WALK FOR WATER SAVE THE DATE



**SATURDAY  
SEPTEMBER, 13  
9:00AM  
PORT ROYAL**

**ALL ARE WELCOME!**



*Walk with us*

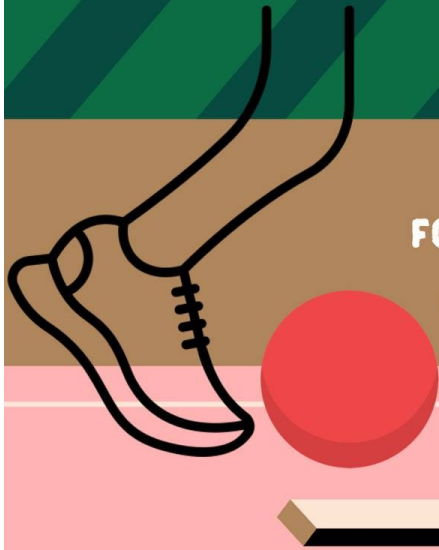


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KICKBALL TEAM**

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GAMES JULY & AUGUST**

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**SUNDAY, JULY 13TH**

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WALK-FOR-WATER  
T-SHIRT TO WORSHIP**



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CHURCH & CHURN  
WEDNESDAY, JULY 16TH**

**5:30-7PM**

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