\*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!



Emmanuel College in Toronto, the largest theological school of the United Church of Canada, a denomination formed by the union of Methodists, Congregationalists, and Presbyterians.

\*Hymn 295 ...... *Go to the World* 

\*Benediction

\*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 <a href="https://www.firstpresbeaufort.org">www.firstpresbeaufort.org</a> for sermons, news, and current events.

**TODAY THE FLOWERS ARE GIVEN** by Syd and John Lubkin in memory if their beloved Frazier and to all God's creature great and small who bring us joy and unconditional love.



pick up a popsicle and some information about what's up next for Youth Ministry at FPC!

Katie + Parker Collins | YouthMinistry@FirstPresBeaufort.Org

#### MENTAL HEALTH AWARENESS

AWAKENING THE SPIRIT IN US TO BECOME MORE COMPASSIONATE.

"Courage doesn't always roar. Sometimes courage is the quiet voice at the end of the day saying, 'I will try again tomorrow."

- Mary Anne Radmacher



A Service for the Worship of God August 24, 2025 10:00 AM



Bob Burroughs 2024

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 843-524-3051 www.facebook.com/firstpresbeaufort info@firstpresbeaufort.org

Striking of the Hour

Welcome & Call to Worship - Psalm 103..... Elder Geneva Baxley

My soul, bless the Lord, bless God's holy name!

My soul, bless the Lord, remember all God's gifts!

Bless God, who forgives your sin and heals every illness,

Who steals you away from death,

And enfolds you with tender care,

Who fills your life with richness And gives you an eagles' strength.

The Lord, who works justice and defends the oppressed,

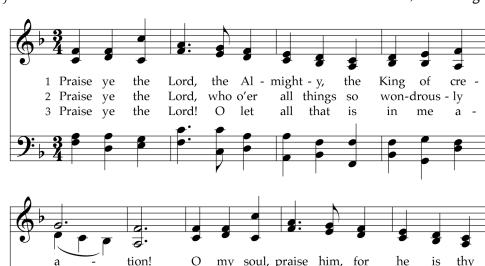
Teaches Moses and Israel divine ways and deeds. And your works to the children of Israel.

The Lord is merciful and gracious,

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Slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love.

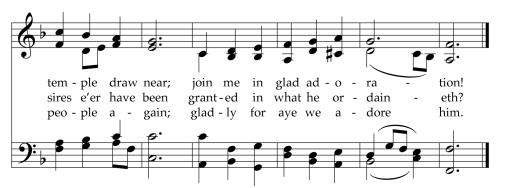






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wings, yea, so



This very strong 17th-century German hymn employs many phrases from the psalms, especially Psalms 150 and 103:1–6. It did not receive an effective English translation until the mid-19th century, but has remained popular ever since, thanks in part to its stirring tune.

### Prayer of Confession

God of perfect love, you continually bring forth life, transforming sadness to joy and despair to hope. We are weak, but you are strong. Our ways are flawed, but your ways are true. We are seldom right, but you are never wrong. Forgive us, redeem us, transform us. Take away the sin that burdens us and restore us to the people you would have us to be—for the sake of Jesus Christ our 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.

Musical Offering	O God, Show Mercy to Us
Jordan Plair, Music Director	GUSTAVE HOLST
Lily Cooper, Pianist	
Méredith Halopoff, Soloist	
Children's Sermon	Geneva Baxley
As we sing Jesus Loves Me, all children are v	welcome to come down front

Passing of the Peace

Blest be the tie that binds our hearts in Christian love.

The fellowship of kindred minds is like to that above.

Gospel Lesson......Luke 13:10-17

\*Hymn 211.....Hear O Lord, My Plea For Justice



This paraphrase emphasizes the prayerful qualities of Psalm 17 by keeping the focus on the relationship between the psalmist and God, rather than denouncing the faults of the enemy. This is a helpful reminder that our prayers need to be grounded in honest and unpretentious faith.

Prophecy Lesson..... Isaiah 58:9-14

Sermon Full Stop

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.

Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name.

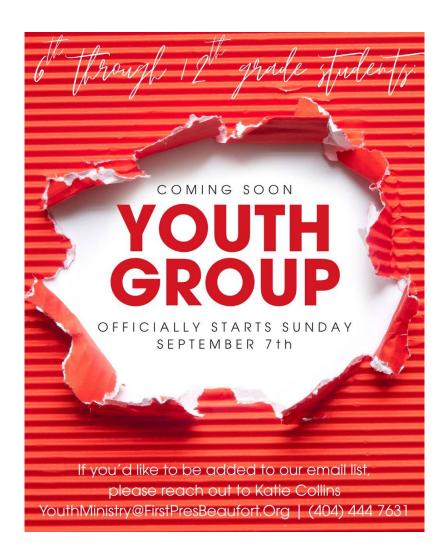
Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread;

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



11:00 SERVICE 12:00 MEAL Covered Digh

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FALL PROGRAMMING OVERVIEW!



# 2025 WALK FOR WATER WALK WITH US



SATURDAY
SEPTEMBER, 13
9:00AM
PORT ROYAL

**ALL ARE WELCOME!** 











## SAVE THE DATE SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 14TH

First Pres Beaufort is proud to partner with United Way of the Lowcountry in support of Showers of Dignity.

Join us after worship for a peek inside their mobile shower unit & to learn more about this community initiative.





## Please join us

### Fall 2025 New Member Class

Sunday, September 21st

12:30-2pm Lunch will be provided

Childcare provided upon request.

Contact: Geneva Baxley gbaxley@ firstpresbeaufort.org