

8:30 & 11:00 a.m. Worship Services

Prelude: *Adoration* Florence B. Price

Welcome & Good News

Our momentary struggles are achieving for us an eternal weight of glory beyond all measure.

So we will fix our eyes on what is unseen, for what is seen is temporary.
2 Corinthians 4:17, 18

Introit: *Shout for Joy!*Text based on Psalm 100; Muisic: Milburn Price
Sanctuary Choir & New Voices ~ Milburn Price, *conductor*

*(REFRAIN) Shout for joy to the Lord, all the earth. Worship the Lord with gladness.
Shout for joy to the Lord, all the earth. Come before the Lord with joyful songs.*

*Know we that the Lord is God. It is God who made us, and we belong to God.
Know we that the Lord is God. We are God's people, the sheep of God's pasture.*

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*Enter the gates with thanksgiving, and go into God's courts with praise.
Give thanks and praise to God, for the Lord is good; God's love endures forever.*

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***Hymn:** *Our God, Our Help in Ages Past*No. 687

Time with the Children (11:00 a.m.)..... Jackie Wilhelm
Director of Ministry with Children

After Time with the Children, children are invited to Children's Church.

Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession (in unison):

God, we confess that we are dreamers more intent on our own importance than Your vision for us. We quickly embrace a favored position while ignoring the demands of Your blessing. We are even jealous of the privilege of others. When hardships come we are confused and question Your love. We lose patience and pursue easy, quick answers. Lord, empower us to endure and free us from our shallow perceptions. Enlarge our compassion through the struggles we have endured and empower us by Your grace to embrace the greater dream You have for us all.

Silent Confession

Assurance of Pardon

***Gloria Patri** No. 581

Anthem: *Forgive Our Sins as We Forgive* From *Southern Harmony*, 1835
Text: Rosamond Herklots, 1969, 1983; Arr. by Douglas Smith
Sanctuary Choir ~ New Voices

*"Forgive our sins as we forgive," You taught us, Lord, to pray,
But You alone can grant us grace to live the words we say.
How can your pardon reach and bless the unforgiving heart
That broods on wrongs and will not let old bitterness depart?*

*Lord, cleanse the depths within our souls, And bid resentment cease.
Then, bound to all in bonds of love, Our lives will spread Your peace.*

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Scripture: Genesis 37:15b-38 Page 32

Sermon: "How We Get to There from Here" Rev. Lisa M. Schrott

***Hymn:** *We Walk by Faith and Not by Sight*..... No. 817

Prayers of the People & The Lord's Prayer Deacon Mike Garvey

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 sins, as we forgive those who sin against us; and lead us not into temptation; but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

The Life of the Church (Please sign and pass the Friendship Pad.)

Bahati Scholar Appeal Rev. Jeff Myers (8:30 a.m.)

Lavon Stevens (11:00 a.m.)

Presentation of Tithes & Offerings

Offertory: *All Who Love and Serve Your City* Charles L. Lenz

*Doxology No. 606

*Prayer of Dedication

***Hymn:** *How Firm a Foundation* No. 463

Charge

Congregational Response:

Can Hear Your Voice Insisting, Calling..... Hiram Rollo Júnior/
(*Tua voz escuto a convocar-me*) trans. Joan Sutton

Laura Floyd, *solo* ~ Charlie Curtis, *piano*

I can hear your voice insisting, calling; I am yours and ready to obey.

Help me, Lord, to follow in your footsteps; Show me clearly your most perfect way.

All I am, and all I have I give you; Use my life to serve you ev'ry day.

I would be your instrument, O Lord, here am I; O Lord, here am I, here am I.

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***Benediction**

***Postlude:** *All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name* Gilbert M. Martin

*congregation standing as able

FPC Worship Schedule

Join us for worship on September 29.
8:30 & 11:00 a.m. traditional worship in the sanctuary
9:45 a.m. contemporary worship in Fellowship Hall

Dr. John Wall preaching
"That's a Strange Fire" ~ Genesis 3:1-15

For pastoral care needs, Pastor Lisa Schrott may be reached
on her cell phone at 318-286-3816.

Chancel Flowers: The chancel flowers are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of her husband, George, and her parents, Donald and Helen Kirkpatrick, by Dona Pavloff. The memorial rose is in honor of Dr. Gary Goodear who entered the Church Triumphant on September 18, 2019.

Guest Composer & Conductor: First Presbyterian Church wishes to thank Dr. Milburn Price for his leadership during this morning's worship services. A native of Mississippi, Milburn Price holds the B.M. degree from the University of Mississippi, the M.M. degree from Baylor University and the D.M.A. degree from the University of Southern California. He has served as Dean of the School of Performing Arts at Samford University, Dean of the School of Church Music at Southern Baptist Theological Seminary in Louisville, Kentucky, and Chair of the Music Department at Furman University. After retiring from Samford, he served as Visiting Professor at Stetson University, Mercer University and Mississippi College. He is married to the former Barbara Stevens of Jackson, Mississippi, and they have one son, Steven, a daughter-in-law, Catherine, a granddaughter, Shelby, and a grandson, Sidney.

Today's Introit: *Shout for Joy* was commissioned for the dedication of the Gathering Space and new choir suite at First Presbyterian Church, Hilton Head Island, SC.

Love Letters: Look for new "love letters" in the Gathering Space this Sunday morning extending blessings from our members to others who are in need of support.

LARGE-PRINT BULLETINS, hearing devices and children's bulletins are available from the ushers.

Connection Card: Connections with our members and visitors are important to us. Drop your completed card in the offering plate during worship or leave it at the Welcome Center in the narthex after worship.

If You See Something, Say Something! If any concerns arise within the church facility or on campus, notify one of the ushers and/or pastors or staff immediately. Ushers may be found in the rear of the sanctuary and Fellowship Hall.

In the Life of the Church

Welcome Visitors! Whether this is your first visit or you have been here many times, we are happy to have you with us! Please come into the Gathering Space following worship for coffee and fellowship and stop by the Visitor's Table to say hello, and find out what is happening here at First Presbyterian Church.

"All In": Let's be "All In" during this season of transition at First Presbyterian Church. There are new challenges and exciting opportunities happening as we begin the next chapter in the life of FPC. Show your support by wearing an orange wristband: "We're All In...I'm All In!" Look for baskets filled with orange wristbands on the center table in the Gathering Space and the table in Fellowship Hall.

Pizza with the Pastors: Are you new to the church? Interested in learning more about the Presbyterian church? Then Pizza with the Pastors is for you! Join our pastors in Fellowship Hall today following the 11:00 a.m. service for conversation and fellowship. Older children are welcome to participate; the nursery is available for younger children.

College Ethics Symposium: The College Ethics Symposium planning team is looking for a few more hosts for housing and meals for participating college students and faculty mentors. The symposium will be held at First Presbyterian on October 17-19. If you are able to help out, please contact Mike Brock at hhilife2003@yahoo.com. More information on the symposium can be found at www.ethicssymposium.org.

Weekly Happenings: Please see FPC's "Weekly Happenings" found at the Welcome Center and in the information rack outside Fellowship Hall to learn about the many FPC activities scheduled during the week.

AN EVENING WITH OUR PRINCE OF SCRIBES SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 29, AT 5:00-6:30 P.M. IN THE SANCTUARY *Writers remember Pat Conroy*

New York Times best-selling author Pat Conroy inspired devoted fans among readers and writers around the world. This free evening session features a panel of writers sharing their personal stories about Conroy and his writing. Those on the panel include Jonathan Haupt, the executive director of the Pat Conroy Literary Center, and writers Stephanie Austin Edwards, David Lauderdale, Bren McClain and Kathy L. Murphy.

Open to the public, this special event is presented by the Pat Conroy Literary Center in partnership with First Presbyterian Church of Hilton Head Island.

WEDNESDAYS AT FPC

For Children & Youth

Children's WOW at 3:45 p.m.

in the second floor classrooms; registration on-line

Youth AiM choir at 4:15 p.m. in the Choir Room

Middle & High School Youth Group at 6:15 p.m. in Honey Horn Chapel/Youth Space

New Voices at 5:30 p.m. in the Choir Room

Fellowship Dinner resumes September 18 thru November 6 at 5:45 p.m.
in the Gathering Space

September 25 menu:

BBQ Pork with rolls/corn pudding/salad/cowboy cookies/beverage

Provided by SERG Take-Out Kitchen

Cost: \$11/adult; \$5/youth (6th-12th grade); \$2/child (pre-school-5th grade)

Reservations by Monday at 5:00 p.m.

Sign up on the easel in the Gathering Space or call the church office.

Adult programming thru November 6 at 6:30 p.m. in Fellowship Hall
"In a World Divided, In Christ United" with Pastors Lisa Schrott & John Wall

September 25 program: "The Church's One Foundation"

We will consider how we live as a community that exemplifies that belief despite our theological, socio-cultural, political and generational differences. This week we will discuss Christian denominations, examining our origins, differences and how we can teach each other.

Sunday Schedule

Three years-grade 12

Please check in your child at the registration table adjacent to the elevator in the Gathering Space.

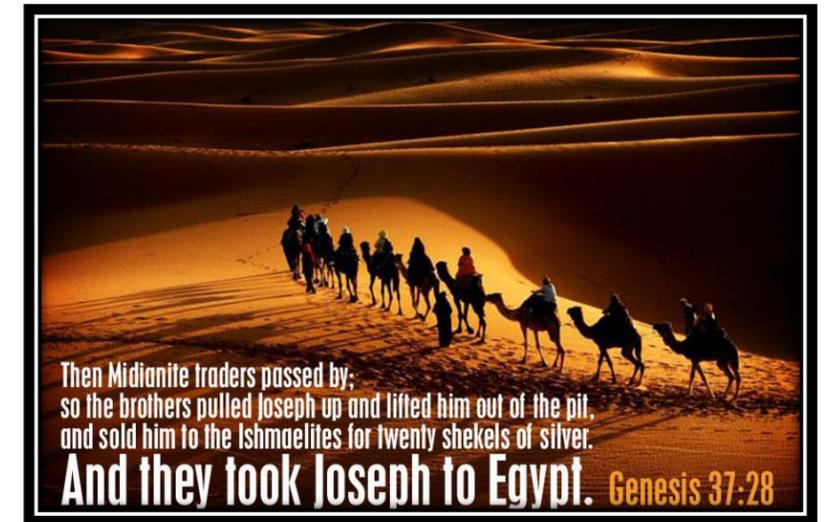
All morning: Nursery for babies-2 years of age in the Day School/children's wing
9:45 a.m.: Sunday school for ages 3 years-5th grade;
Ages 3 years – Kindergarten – Room 113 in the Day School/children's wing
11:00 a.m.: 1st – 5th grades – Creation Station/Room 216
Youth Sunday school: Grades 6-12 in Youth Room
Children's Church following Time with the Children in Creation Station/Room 216

Adults

9:45 a.m. Work in Progress in Honey Horn Chapel; a discussion of current events in relation to scripture and Christian beliefs
Living in the Word in the library; September 22: "The Three Temptations of Jesus by Satan"
Family Faith in Room 202; following the FPC study of *The Story* thru the lens of families nurturing children and youth in their homes
Seekers in the South Room exploring the biblical message and how to apply it to daily life
Lowcountry Lessons in the sanctuary combining a study of *The Story* with stories about the lowcountry
11:00 a.m. J.O.Y. Group in the library exploring *The Story*



September 22, 2019



Our Mission:

Changing Lives . . . Making Disciples

Our Vision:

Every Member in Ministry

In Christ United, Our Values of Ministry:
Joyful Worship, Gracious Invitation, Prayerful Study,
Sacrificial Service & Caring Connections

Dr. John R. Wall ~ Stated Supply Pastor
Rev. Lisa M. Schrott ~ Associate Pastor
Dr. S. Russell Floyd, III ~ Minister of Music
Charles D. Frost ~ Organist

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