

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Missions Committee will meet today at 3:00p.m., in the library. Anyone interested in the missions ministry is welcomed to attend.

Day Circle will meet Mon. April 13th, 10:30a.m., in the choir room.

Midweek at FPC will be Wed., April 15th. The meal will start at 5:45p.m., followed by classes for children, youth and adults. Pastor Heath will be teaching on the series "Christology: The Person and Work of Christ." The cost of the meal will be \$5.00 per person or \$15.00 per family.

The Youth will be going to RUF at Mississippi State Wed., April 15th. They will leave the church at 5:45p.m.

VBS 2026 has been planned for Mon., July 20th-Wed., July 22nd. If you are willing to help in any way please contact Edna Joy Prisock at 601-562-7966 or call the church office.

Ushers for April

Weston Eldridge, Head Usher Zach Madison
John Woodward Max Hudson
Mike Boyles Drew Edwards

Nursery Schedule for April

Sun. April 12th— Dawn Wigington, David Willers, & Lily Claire Willers

Dessert List for Midweek

Wed. April 15th-Lisa Suttle & Linda Wiggins
Wed., April 22nd-Nancy Peters & Bonnie Fair
Wed., April 29th— Pat Sims & Emily Cravens

Sunday School classes are available for all ages at 9:30a.m.

The nursery is available during the morning worship service for children ages 0 to 5years old, located in the Family Life Building.

To Our Visitors:

Thank you for joining us for worship today. If you have questions about the gospel, the Christian faith, or our church, our pastors will be happy to talk with you after the service.

FPC THIS WEEK

Sunday, April 12, 2026

9:30a.m. Sunday School.....Various
10:30 a.m. Morning Worship Service.....Sanctuary
3:00p.m. Missions Committee Meeting.....Library
5:00p.m. Evening Service.....Sanctuary
6:00p.m. Youth Meeting.....The Hall's Home at LFR

Monday, April 13, 2026

10:30a.m. Day Circle.....Choir Room

Tuesday, April 14, 2026

7:00 a.m. Men's Prayer Breakfast.....Family Life Building

Wednesday, April 15, 2026

6:30a.m. Men's Bible Study.....Library
5:45p.m. Midweek at FPC.....Family Life Building

Sunday, April 19, 2026

9:30 a.m. Sunday School.....Various
10:30 a.m. Morning Worship Service.....Sanctuary
5:00p.m. Evening Service.....Sanctuary
6:00p.m. Youth Meeting.....Family Life Building

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Order for the Worship of God
April 12, 2026

MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE

10:30A.M.

The Welcome and Announcements

The Instrumental Prelude *O Worship the King*

†The Responsive Call to Worship *Psalms 96:1-9*

Oh sing to the LORD a new song; sing to the LORD, all the earth!

Sing to the LORD, bless his name; tell of his salvation from day to day.

Declare his glory among the nations, his marvelous works among all the peoples!

For great is the LORD, and greatly to be praised; he is to be feared above all gods.

For all the gods of the peoples are worthless idols, but the LORD made the heavens.

Splendor and majesty are before him; strength and beauty are in his sanctuary.

Ascribe to the LORD, O families of the peoples, ascribe to the LORD glory and strength!

Ascribe to the LORD the glory due his name; bring an offering, and come into his courts! Worship the LORD in the splendor of holiness; tremble before him, all the earth!

Let us worship God

†The Prayer of Invocation

†The Hymn *O God beyond All Praising* No.660

†The 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 Spirit, 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 is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from there He will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit; the holy, catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

The New Testament Reading *Hebrews 12:3-13*

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God!

The Pastoral Prayer

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. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever, Amen.

†The Hymn *How Firm a Foundation* No.94

The Offertory *Choral Anthem*

†The Doxology

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below; Praise Him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

†The Prayer of Dedication

The Old Testament Reading

1 Kings 15:1-5, 2 Sam. 11:26-27

The grass withers, the flower fades;

But the Word of our God will stand forever.

The Sermon *Rev. Heath Cross*

"Can a Christian Displease God?"

†The Hymn *Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me* No.499

†The Benediction

†The Choral Response *Threefold Amen* No.740

†The Postlude

(† Congregation will stand)

EVENING WORSHIP SERVICE

5:00P.M.

The Instrumental Prelude *He Lives*

†The Call to Worship *Isaiah 61:10-11*

†The Prayer of Invocation

†The Hymn *O Praise Ye the Lord* No.361

The Old Testament Reading *Isaiah 49:8-18*

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God

The Corporate Confession of Sin

Our God, we confess the evil in our lives. Our hearts are stubborn towards you, often blind to our sin. We are casual with temptation—forgetting that it cost you the life of your Son to redeem us. Although you give us your Word to preserve us and give us life, we often complain that obeying you feels like death. We say that we long for your deliverance, yet we cast you off when you show us our folly or ask us to turn from our sin. We have not been grateful for your grace. O Lord, forgive us our sins through the cross of Christ. Renew us again by your Spirit. Amen.

The Silent Confession of Sin

The Assurance of Pardon *Psalms 130:3-4*

The Offertory Hymn *Turn Your Eyes upon Jesus* No.481

The New Testament Reading *Luke 24:13-35*

The grass withers, the flower fades;

But the Word of our God will stand forever.

The Sermon *"Jesus for the Downcast"* Rev. Matt Miller

†The Hymn *When the Roll Is Called Up Yonder* No.541

†The Benediction

The Postlude