

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The WIC Executive Council will meet this afternoon, 3:00p.m., in the church library.

There will be a Fall concert of the Community Choir Mon., Oct. 6th, 7:00p.m., at First Baptist Church in Louisville. FPC has several members who will be singing and Mrs. Leah Boydston is an accompanist.

Pastor Heath will start a new teaching series on “Managing Anxiety as a Christian” Wed., Oct. 8th, at Midweek at FPC.

Kindly join us for a wedding shower honoring Bella Brownlee and Jake Weekly on Sun., Oct. 12th at 2:00p.m. at Fairfield Farm, 409 Fentress Rd, Weir, MS. RSVP to Ashleigh Coleman. The couple is registered on zola.com under Sadie & Jake.

Join us for MS Valley Presbytery Women's Ministry Coffee and Connection Sat., Oct. 18th, 9:30a.m.-12:00p.m. Registration begins at 9:15a.m. Hosted by Macon Presbyterian Church 455 E 8th St, Macon, MS 39341. This is an opportunity to meet other women and to be encouraged by all that God is doing in our churches!

The FPC Fall Festival is scheduled for Wed. Oct. 29th, at the home of Drew and Ashley Edwards. There will be a chili/stew contest, games, and more. Please contact the church office if you would like to provide a trunk for trunk-or-treat.

Ushers for October

Jay McCown, Head Usher David Forster
Eliot Hall Jackson Forster
Max Hudson

Nursery Schedule for October

Sun. Oct 5th-Wanda Hudson, Weston Eldridge, Keylee Ford
Sun. Oct 12th-Meri Eldridge & Elizabeth Miller
Sun. Oct. 19th— Beth Crawford & Anje Morgan
Sun. Oct. 26th-Edna Joy Prisock, Chad Chapman, Mary Grace Madison

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 5 years 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, October 5, 2025

9:30 a.m. Sunday School.....Various
(Adult Class #1 in Family Life Building: Mike Forster)
(Adult Class #2 in Hallway Class Room, Family Life Building:
Nick Hall & Weston Eldridge)
10:30 a.m. Morning Worship Service.....Sanctuary
3:00p.m. WIC Council Meeting.....Church Library
5:00 p.m. Evening Worship Service.....Sanctuary
6:00 p.m. Youth Meeting.....Family Life Building

Tuesday, October 7, 2025

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

Wednesday, October 8, 2025

6:30 a.m. Men’s Bible Study.....Church Library
5:45 p.m. Midweek.....Family Life Building

Sunday, October 12, 2025

9:30 a.m. Sunday School.....Various
10:30 a.m. Morning Worship Service.....Sanctuary
2:00p.m. Wedding Shower.....Coleman’s Home
5:00 p.m. Evening Worship Service.....Sanctuary
6:00 p.m. Youth Meeting.....Family Life Building

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Order for the Worship of God
October 5, 2025

MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE

10:30A.M.

The Welcome and Announcements

The Instrumental Prelude

✠The Responsive Call to Worship

Zephaniah 3:14-17

Sing aloud, O daughter of Zion; shout, O Israel! Rejoice and exult with all your heart, O daughter of Jerusalem!
The LORD has taken away the judgments against you; he has cleared away your enemies. The King of Israel, the LORD, is in your midst; you shall never again fear evil.
On that day it shall be said to Jerusalem: "Fear not, O Zion; let not your hands grow weak. The LORD your God is in your midst, a mighty one who will save;
He will rejoice over you with gladness; he will quiet you by his love; he will exult over you with loud singing.
Let us worship God.

✠The Prayer of Invocation

✠The Hymn

Sing, Choirs of New Jerusalem

No.271

✠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 Old Testament Reading

Psalm 87

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

Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken

No.345

The Offertory

Choral Anthem

✠The Doxology

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

✠The Prayer of Dedication

The New Testament Reading

Hebrews 10:19-39

The grass withers, the flower fades;
But the Word of our God will stand forever.

The Sermon

Rev. Heath Cross

“Identity:Technology and Community”

✠The Hymn

O Praise Ye the Lord

No.361

✠The Benediction

✠The Choral Response

Threefold Amen

No.740

✠The Postlude

(✠ Congregation will stand)

✠The Call to Worship

Psalm 105:1-6

✠The Prayer of Invocation

✠The Hymn

Lead On, O King Eternal

No.580

The New Testament Reading

Acts 5:27-42

This is the Word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God!

The Corporate Confession of Sin

Heavenly Father, we confess our sin and foolishness. Although You never fail us, in moments of trial and testing, we quickly question Your character—forgetting your past care and doubting Your faithfulness in the future. You give generously to your children, yet our prayers are tentative and faithless. Our own wisdom, rather than your Word, has been our standard for judging what is just and true. Please forgive our sins in Christ Jesus, our wisdom and righteousness and sanctification and redemption. Amen.

The Silent Confession of Sin

The Assurance of Pardon

Psalm 130:3-4

The Hymn and Offertory

My Faith Looks Up to Thee

No.528

The Old Testament Reading

Daniel 3:14-30

The grass withers, the flower fades;
But the Word of our God will stand forever.

The Sermon

Rev. Matt Miller

“Quenching the Power of Fire”

✠The Hymn

Trust and Obey

No.672

✠The Benediction