

Silent Confession

Assurance of Pardon



INTERCESSION

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.



BENEDICTION

*Song of Response

"Almost Home"

*Response

Blessed be the LORD I AM, who is Father, Son and Holy Spirit, amen!



ANNOUNCEMENTS

January 26 Mission Outreach to Thibodaux. Whitney Alexander is coordinating a relief trip to Thibodaux Wednesday, January 26. Those interested in attending this one-day trip should meet in the Target parking lot on Siegen Lane at 6.30 am. Contact Whitney if you have questions (225.610.2607).

Discover First Dinner Next Sunday. Discover First Dinners are an opportunity to learn more about the mission and ministry of First Presbyterian Church in a smaller setting. Our next dinner is Sunday, January 30. Please contact Jaci Gaspard to RSVP (jaci@fpabr.org).

rEcess Meets February 4. Once a month volunteers spend a few hours playing with the children of families affected by disability while parents enjoy a night out. Contact Jess Concienne if you would like to participate in monthly rEcess (jess.concienne@gmail.com or 225.892.3212).

Congregational Meeting February 6. The session has called for a meeting to be held Sunday, February 6 at 10.15 am in the Sanctuary. This meeting takes the place of adult Sunday school.

Parents' Night Out February 6. An evening of fellowship, bowling, trivia, food and fun at Red Stick Social (1503 Government St.) Sunday, February 6 from 5 to 8 pm. To sweeten the deal, we're providing childcare as well. Drop your kids off and enjoy a break before the week begins! Further details and registration online at fpabr.org. \$25 per person or \$40 per couple.

MDO and Preschool Registration for 2022-2023 opens for our church members tomorrow, January 24. Contact Whitney Weiner at mdu@fpabr.org or 225.620.0245 for more information.

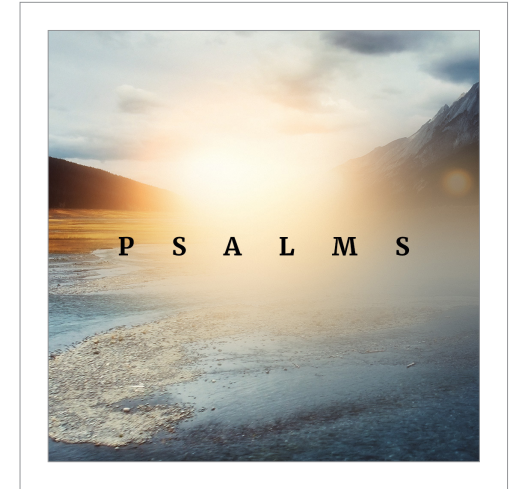
Glorious Christmas Offering. You contributed over \$55,000 to our Christmas offering for city ministry. The Christian Outreach Center and Gardere Community Christian School send their heartfelt thanks for your contributions.

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Scripture for Next Week: Ephesians 2: 19-22, Hebrews 10: 24-25
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DEEPER IN CHRIST, FURTHER INTO THE WORLD

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ORDER of WORSHIP

January 23, AD 2022

9 am



GATHERING TO PRAISE

Assisting with Worship: Colton Underwood

*Welcome and Call to Worship

From Psalm 107

Oh give thanks to the LORD, for he is good, for his steadfast love endures forever!

Let the redeemed of the LORD say so!

Let us thank the LORD for his steadfast love, for his wondrous works to the children of man!

Let us offer sacrifices of thanksgiving, and tell of his deeds in songs of joy!

Let us extol him in the congregation of the people, and praise him in the assembly of the elders.

Let us be wise and attend to these things; let us ponder the steadfast love of the LORD.

*Songs of Praise

“Come Thou Fount, Come Thou King”

“Bless the Lord My Soul”

*Blessing God

*Song of Praise

“Your Great Name”

Ordination and Installation of Officers

**Standing*



PROCLAIMING THE WORD

*Greeting and Announcements

Children Kindergarten and younger may go to Children's Church.

Time with God's Word

Prayer for the Holy Spirit

Psalm 107: 17-32

Some were fools through their sinful ways,
and because of their iniquities suffered affliction;
they loathed any kind of food,
and they drew near to the gates of death.
Then they cried to the LORD in their trouble,
and he delivered them from their distress.
He sent out his word and healed them,
and delivered them from their destruction.
Let them thank the LORD for his steadfast love,
for his wondrous works to the children of man!
And let them offer sacrifices of thanksgiving,
and tell of his deeds in songs of joy!

Some went down to the sea in ships,
doing business on the great waters;
they saw the deeds of the LORD,
his wondrous works in the deep.
For he commanded and raised the stormy wind,
which lifted up the waves of the sea.
They mounted up to heaven; they went down to the depths;
their courage melted away in their evil plight;
they reeled and staggered like drunken men
and were at their wits' end.
Then they cried to the LORD in their trouble,
and he delivered them from their distress.
He made the storm be still,
and the waves of the sea were hushed.
Then they were glad that the waters were quiet,
and he brought them to their desired haven.

Let them thank the LORD for his steadfast love,
for his wondrous works to the children of man!
Let them extol him in the congregation of the people,
and praise him in the assembly of the elders.

The secret things belong to the LORD our God.
But what has been revealed belongs to us, and to our children forever. That we may do all the words of this law.

Sermon

Gerrit Dawson

“He Makes Storms Be Still”



RESPONDING TO THE WORD

Time of Reflection

*Offering and Song of Response

“What the Lord Has Done in Me”

Please place your offering and prayer requests in the baskets.

Scriptural Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession

You, O Lord, are always ready to hear our pleas for deliverance. Why do we wait so long before turning to you for help? With your Word and through your Spirit you rescue and restore. Why do we clench our jaw and refuse to offer thanksgiving? Forgive us, we pray. We would exalt you today in this assembly, O Lifter of the needy. We would testify of your wonderful works. We would ponder the vastness of your loving-kindness. We would adore our Lord Jesus with songs of joy. Amen.