



4<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Lent  
March 30, 2014

Rev. Monty Clendenin

Guest Organist: Edna Carr

Lay Reader  
Wayne Claeren

Elder Greeter  
Laura Underhill

Ushers  
Cosper Bell and Wayne Claeren

Gathering

First Ringing of the Bell ☞ Music for Meditation  
Second Ringing of the Bell ☞ Opening of the Bible  
Welcome, Joys, Concerns, and Announcements

Prelude "Larghetto" from Sonata Cirri

Call to Worship  
John 1

One: In the beginning was the Word and the Word was with God and the Word was God.

All: The Word was with God in the beginning. Through the Word all things came to be.

One: All that came to be had life in the Word and that life was the light of all people.

All: The light shines in the darkness, and the darkness did not overcome the light.

One: The Word became flesh and lived among us, and we have seen his glory, the glory of a father's only son, full of grace and truth.

All: From his fullness we have all received, grace upon grace.

Prayer of Adoration and The Lord's Prayer

†Hymn God of the Ages Hymnal #262  
Introduced by Carlton Ward

†Affirmation of Faith The Apostles' Creed Hymnal Page 14  
traditional

Prayer of Confession

O God, we confess that we forget who we are and to whom we belong. We have been lost in the desert of our willfulness and have not taken the time to listen for your still small voice. Forgive us our squandering, our wandering, our lack of commitment. Continue to call us by name as stewards of all your good gifts, that we might proclaim through word and deed your glorious hope; through our Lord, Jesus Christ. Amen.

what we believe

Moment for Personal, Silent Confession

The Kyrie Eleison -All are invited to sing- Hymnal # 572  
Lord, have mercy upon us. Christ, have mercy upon us. Lord, have mercy upon us.

Declaration of Forgiveness

†The 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.

The Word

📖 Verse The Power of the Cross by Keith Getty  
Read by Carolyn Padgett & Stuart Townend

†Hymn Be Thou My Vision Hymnal #339  
Introduced by Jetta Manners

📖 Verse Polonius' Advise to Laertes by William Shakespeare  
And

When I Was One-and-Twenty by A.E. Housman

Both Read by Carlton Ward

Prayer for Illumination

First Reading 2 Timothy 3:10-17 NT Page 213  
Paul's Charge to Timothy

One: The Word of the Lord. All: Thanks be to God.

Time for the Young Church

Second Reading 2 Peter 1:16-20 NT Page 236  
Eyewitnesses of Christ's Glory

One: The Word of the Lord. All: Thanks be to God.

Homily The Great Ends of the Church and TULIP Rev. Monty Clendenin

†Hymn At the Name of Jesus Hymnal #148  
Introduced by Edna Carr



† Please stand if you are able.

Prayers of the People

Offertory Glory Be to Jesus setting by Haan

†Doxology

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

Prayer of Dedication

Sending

†Hymn My Shepherd Will Supply My Need Hymnal #172  
Introduced by Sharon Ward

†Charge and Benediction

†Hymn When in Our Music God is Glorified Hymnal # 264  
When in our music God is glorified,  
And adoration leaves no room for pride,  
It is as though the whole creation cried: Alleluia! Alleluia! Amen.

Postlude "Allegro" from Sonata Cirri

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The proclamation of the gospel for the salvation of humankind  
The shelter, nurture, and spiritual fellowship of the children of God  
The maintenance of divine worship  
The preservation of the truth  
The promotion of social righteousness  
The exhibition of the Kingdom of Heaven to the world



T Total Depravity  
U Unconditional Election  
L Limited Atonement  
I Irresistible Grace  
P Perseverance of the Saints

## Welcome to our Visitors

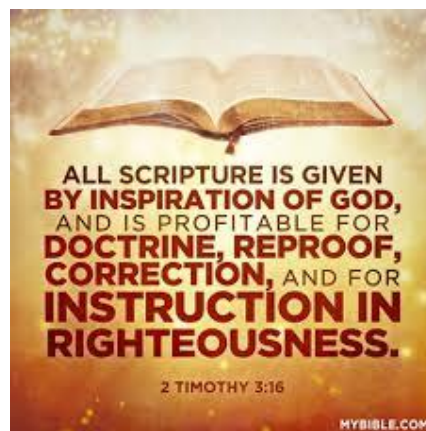
We are happy to have you worship with us and we hope you will return to worship with us again in the near future. Please indicate your attendance by filling out a visitor's card and placing it in the offering plate. If you are interested in learning more about membership in First Presbyterian Church, please speak to our Pastor after the service.

**Prayer requests** - Yellow folders in the pew racks may be used to request prayer. The Pastor will receive requests before the Prayers of the People.

## Announcements

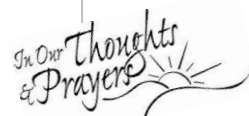
**Special Offering** - Next Sunday we will receive our monthly JCOC offering.

**Worship Service** - The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be celebrated next Sunday.



### Please keep the following people in your prayers.

Daniel Davis (friend of Hannah Underhill)  
Gene Fair  
John Franklin (Glen and Barbara Franklin's son)  
Kelly Garner  
Bobby Haynes  
Stacy Boozer Mariani  
Ken Mount  
Dan Neisler  
Diane Mount Nisbet (Dorothy Jane Nisbet's daughter-in-law)  
Carolyn Paris  
Kathy Peters (Gary Brown's cousin)  
Martha Rogers (friend of Margaret Pope)  
Ellen Simpson  
Thompson Nash Wagoner  
Gary Wilborn (friend of the Boozers)



## Next Sunday – April 6 Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

*Bill Wills*

### Scripture

Ezekiel 37:1-14; Psalm 130;  
Romans 8:6-1; John 11:1-45

### Elder Greeter

Cosper Bell

### Lay Reader

Nancy Stewart

### Ushers

Jerry Boozer and Rodney Petty

### Servers

Cosper Bell, Ethelyn Brown,  
Carolyn Padgett and Sharon Ward



### Worship Opportunities for this Week

<b>Today</b>	9:45am	Sunday School
	10:30am	Between the hours fellowship
	11:00am	Worship Service
	5:00pm	Bible Study – Lenten Series
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**Dr. Susie F. Dempsey, Church Organist; Carlton Ward, Treasurer  
Mary Furlow, Secretary**

### The Session

**Class of 2014**  
Wayne Claeren  
Barbara Franklin  
Laura Underhill

**Class of 2015**  
Aleta Bell  
Carolyn Padgett  
Sharon Ward

**Class of 2016**  
Ethelyn Brown  
Margaret Pope  
Don Seymour

Lana Boozer

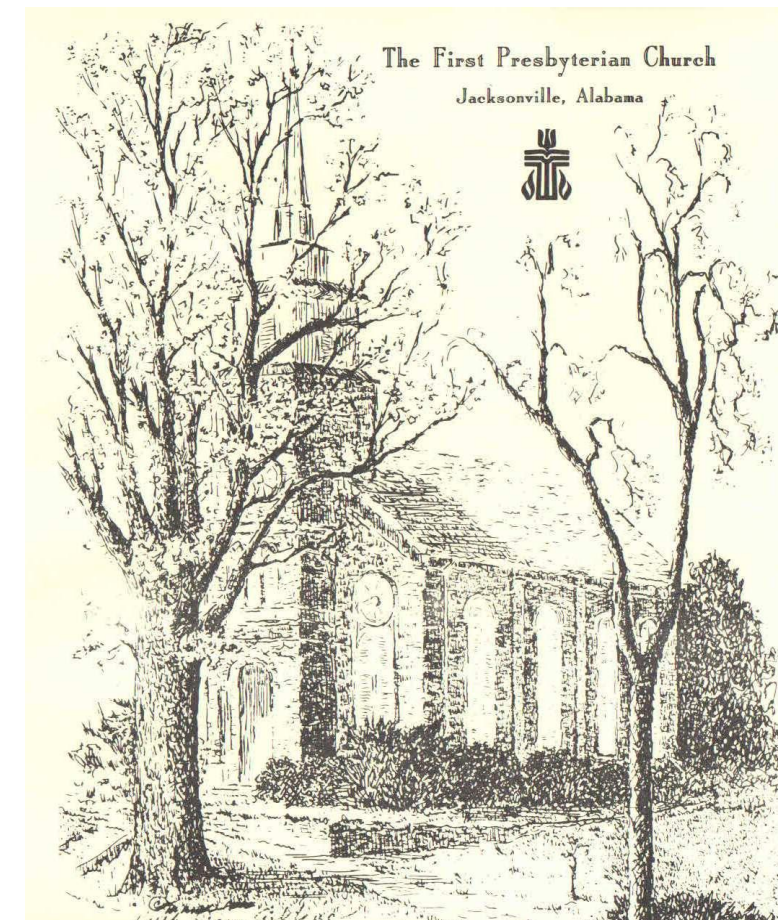
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Members are received into our fellowship by baptism and profession of faith, by letter of transfer from another Christian congregation, and by reaffirmation of faith. We invite you to become a member of this congregation of God's people.



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