

First Presbyterian Church of Tuscumbia

Established 1824



“To Glorify God, and to Enjoy Him Forever”

LORD'S DAY MORNING WORSHIP

November 2, 2025

Nine-Thirty A.M.

Tuscumbia, Alabama

(Please turn off all electronic devices)

When you enter into the doors of the sanctuary, silently prepare to meet the triune God.

THE PRELUDE

Mr. Brian Beck

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP

Church Choir

THE CALL TO WORSHIP

Acts 17:22-23

Pastor: So Paul, standing in the midst of the Areopagus, said: "Men of Athens, I perceive that in every way you are very religious.

People: *For as I passed along and observed the objects of your worship,*

Pastor: I found also an altar with this inscription: 'To the unknown god.'

People: *What therefore you worship as unknown, this I proclaim to you.*

THE INVOCATION

*THE HYMN OF PRAISE

"Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise"

No. 38

THE OLD TESTAMENT READING

Isaiah 5:1-7

THE CONFESSION OF SIN

Psalm 38

O LORD, rebuke us not in Your anger nor discipline us in Your wrath. There is no soundness in our flesh, nor health in our bones because of our sin. For our iniquities have gone over our heads; like a heavy burden, they are too heavy for us. We are feeble and crushed; we groan because of the tumult of our hearts. We confess our iniquity, and we are sorry for our sin. Do not forsake us, O LORD! Make haste to help us, O LORD of our salvation! Amen.

THE ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Isaiah 53:5

But He was pierced for our transgressions; He was crushed for our iniquities; upon Him was the chastisement that brought us peace, and with His wounds we are healed.

*Congregation standing

Q. What is your only comfort in life and death?

A. That I am not my own, but belong with body and soul, both in life and in death, to my faithful Savior Jesus Christ. He has fully paid for all my sins with his precious blood, and has set me free from all the power of the devil. He also preserves me in such a way that without the will of my heavenly Father not a hair can fall from my head; indeed all things must work together for my salvation. Therefore, by his Holy Spirit he also assures me of eternal life and makes me heartily willing and ready from now on to live for him.

THE OFFERING

*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.*

THE PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

THE PASTORAL 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

THE READING OF THE SCRIPTURE

John 15:1-17

Pastor: *This is the Word of God*

People: *Thanks be to God!*

THE PREACHING OF SCRIPTURE

“Jesus the True Vine”

Dr. Jeff Hamm

*THE HYMN OF PREPARATION

“How Sweet and Awesome Is the Place”

No. 469

THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD’S SUPPER

*THE HYMN OF RESPONSE

“My Faith Looks Up to Thee”

No. 528

*THE BENEDICTION

*Congregation standing

LORD'S DAY EVENING WORSHIP

November 2, 2025

Six P.M.

Tuscumbia, Alabama

(Please turn off all electronic devices)

When you enter into the doors of the sanctuary, silently prepare to meet the triune God.

THE PRELUDE

Mr. Brian Beck

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 124, 117

Pastor: *Our help is in the name of the LORD,*

People: ***Who made heaven and earth.***

Pastor: *Praise the LORD, all nations!*

People: ***Extol Him all peoples!***

Pastor: *For great is His steadfast love toward us,*

People: *And the faithfulness of the LORD endures forever.*

THE INVOCATION

*THE PSALM OF PRAISE

“Come, Let us Sing to unto the Lord”

No. 16

OFFERING

*THE DOXOLOGY

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise Him, all creatures here below; Alleluia, Alleluia.

*Praise Him above, ye heav’nly host: praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost O praise Him, O praise Him,
Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia.*

*THE PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

THE EVENING SONGS

THE EVENING PRAYER

THE READING OF THE SCRIPTURE

Job 2:1-13

Pastor: *This is the Word of God.*

People: ***Thanks be to God!***

THE SERMON

“One is the Loneliest Number”

Dr. Jeff Hamm

*THE HYMN OF RESPONSE

“It Is Well With My Soul”

No. 691

*THE BENEDICTION

*Congregation standing

“Jesus the True Vine”

AM Service

John 15:1-17 (*So That You May Believe* #47)

Dr. Jeff Hamm

“One is the Loneliest Number”

PM Service

Job 2:1-13 (*The Glory of God in the Grief of Job* #2)

Dr. Jeff Hamm

ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE LORD'S SUPPER will be served in this morning's worship service. As you enter the sanctuary, please prepare for this sacred time by prayer and meditation.

OUR MONTHLY FELLOWSHIP MEAL will be this morning after Sunday school. Everyone come and enjoy the food and fellowship.

NEW FPCT CLASS: For anyone interested in learning about the church and/or membership we will begin a new class Sunday evenings at 5:00 P.M. The class began October 16th but you are still welcome to join.

MEN'S MINISTRY is having a work day trip to Rome, Georgia for a MNA Disaster Relief on November 15th. This will be a day trip. Please join us and sign up on the piano in the annex!

THE WIC COUNCIL will meet Sunday, November 2nd at 5 p.m..

CIRCLES: Circle I will meet November 11th at 10 a.m. Circle II will meet November 3rd at 2 p.m. Circle III will meet November 3rd at 6:30 p.m.

ATTENTION CIRCLE III: The November Circle meeting will be held at the home of Bethany Giles, 305 E. 4th St. Apt. B in Tuscumbia at 6:30 on Monday, November 3rd.

ALL MINISTRY CENTERS: As we look forward to the next year, Please prepare and submit a budget proposal for 2026 by November 10th.

CHURCH MEMBERS: Please see the annex table for a letter from the deacons regarding a request for additional nursery volunteers and prayerfully consider stepping up to serve.

THE BEREAN SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS is looking for volunteers to watch children during their Christmas Party December 5th from 5:15pm-7:45pm. Please sign up at the annex table or contact Mary Brooker if you are available to serve!

Dr. Hamm and Pastor Drew want to express their heartfelt gratitude to the WIC for their generous gift during Pastor Appreciation Month. Your kindness and encouragement mean so much to the Hamm and Tunnell families. It is a joy and privilege to serve alongside such a faithful and loving group.

Dear First Pres Family, Thank you for your prayers and support as I have navigated my cancer diagnosis, treatments, and surgeries. I have felt loved and supported throughout this journey. I am grateful for each prayer, card, call, text, flower, and gift. Your support and prayers have lifted my spirits throughout. Amy Davis

THIS WEEK’S VOLUNTEER SCHEDULE:

SUN 11/2

Nursery A.M.Virginia Fletcher, Debra Kilpatrick
Nursery P.M.Nancy Ruggles
Greeter.....Lee & Jan Hudson
Security.....Team 4
Youth SS 2nd adult.....Allyson Johnson

NEXT WEEK’S VOLUNTEER SCHEDULE:

SUN 11/9

Nursery amJackie Stutts, Leslie Reed
Nursery pmAmy Davis
Greeter.....Russ Tate, Reba Griffith
Security.....Team 5
Youth SS 2nd adult.....Chase Kilpatrick

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK, STRUGGLING, AND RECOVERING IN OUR CHURCH FAMILY

Jimmy and Etta Barnett	Margie Beck	Jainie Craigge	Amy Davis
Penny Graves	Bob Head	Hal Hughston Jr.	Elaine Kelso
Mary Ann Ligon	Hanna Ruggles	Chip Simpson	Terri Snipes
Dinie Stone	Doris Talley	Keller Thompson	Pam Wilson

PRAY FOR EXPECTANT MOTHERS IN OUR CHURCH

REGULARLY SCHEDULED SERVICES:

Sunday	9:00 A.M.	Men’s Prayer, Men’s Classroom Women’s Prayer, Carrie Belle Johnson Room
	9:30 A.M.	Morning Worship, Sanctuary
	10:45 A.M.	Sunday School
	6:00 P.M.	Evening Worship, Sanctuary
Wednesday	6:00 P.M.	Adult Bible Study in the Psalms, Youth, and Children

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STAFF

Dr. Jeff Hamm, Pastor

Dr. Gary Nannt, Pastoral Assistant

Dinie Stone, Director of Music

Brian Beck, Organist

Rev. Drew Tunnell, Assistant Pastor

Jennifer Richardson, Bookkeeper

Cayla Spencer, Secretary

Thomas Jones, Sexton

SESSION

Class of 2029: Jimmy Hughston, Jameson Hughston

Emeritus Elders

Class of 2027: Al Willis, Lee Hudson, Hal Hughston, Jr.

Ron Hudson, Bill Lacey,

Class of 2025: Tommy Crosslin, Wes Marchman, *Stated Clerk*

M.B. Myers, Rusty Trapp

John Waggoner, Bret Waldrep

DIACONATE

Class of 2030: Taylor Brooker, Sean Jacobson, Jacob Johnson

Emeritus Deacons

Class of 2028: Adam Isbell, Russ Tate (*Chairman*), Jason Tucker

Wyatt Simpson

Class of 2026: Beau Cooper, Gordon Ruggles

WIC COUNCIL

Adina Stone, *President*

Reba Griffith, *Missions*

Gail Hughston, *Circle I Chrm.*

Stephanie Isbell, *Vice President*

Marie Woodall, *Christian Growth*

Susanne Wadsworth, *Circle II Chrm.*

Barbara Collins, *Secretary*

Mary Brooker, *Nursery Chairman*

Jan Hudson, *Circle III Chrm.*

Simone Singleton, *Treasurer*

Sarah Cooper & Rebecca Hovater, *Historians*

NATIONAL & LOCAL MINISTRIES

Colbert Caring Center

Providence Presbytery

Common Ground Shoals

Reformed Theological Seminary

Covenant Christian School

Shoals Sav-A-Life

French Camp Academy

RUF: Alabama A&M University, *Marcus Nobles*

Gideon's International

Good Shepherd Presbyterian Church Plant

Mission to North America

INTERNATIONAL MISSIONARIES

Rev. & Mrs. Richard Bailey, *Australia*

Mr. & Mrs. Mike Sabin

MTW Enterprise, *Europe*

Rev. & Mrs. Joel Linton, *Taiwan*

Mr. & Mrs. Craig Gahagen, *Peru*

Third Millennium Ministries

Rev. & Mrs. Rob Ilderton, *England*

Rev. & Mrs. Atanasov, *Parvomai, Bulgaria*

Mr. Danny Lynch, *International*

Rev. & Mrs. Verne Marshall, *Chile*

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Cohen, *Globeworks*