

First Presbyterian Church of Tuscumbia

Established 1824



“To Glorify God, and to Enjoy Him Forever”

LORD'S DAY MORNING WORSHIP

September 27, 2026

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

Psalm 124, 47

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

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

Pastor: *Sing praises to God, sing praises!*

People: ***Sing praises to our King, sing praises!***

Pastor: *God reigns over the nations;*

People: ***God sits on his Holy throne.***

THE INVOCATION

*THE HYMN OF PRAISE

"A Mighty Fortress is Our God"

No. 92

THE OLD TESTAMENT READING

Isaiah 53:1-6

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 CONFESSION OF SIN

Almighty and most merciful Father, we have erred and strayed from Your ways like lost sheep. We have followed too much the devices and desires of our own hearts. We have offended against Your holy laws. We have left undone those things which we ought to have done; and we have done those things which we ought not to have done; and there is no health in us. O Lord, have mercy upon us, miserable offenders. Restore those who are penitent; according to Your promises declared unto mankind in Christ Jesus our Lord. Amen.

THE ASSURANCE OF PARDON

1 John 1:9

If we confess our sins, He is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

THE CONFESSION OF FAITH

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 Ghost; 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 sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body and the life everlasting. Amen.*

*catholic means universal

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 HYMN OF ASSURANCE

"Beneath the Cross of Jesus"

No. 251

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 WORD

Luke 1:5-25

Pastor: *This is the Word of God*

People: *Thanks be to God!*

THE SERMON

"A Priest, A Promise, and a Sign of Silence"

Rev. Nathan White

*THE HYMN OF RESPONSE

"Great is Thy Faithfulness"

No. 32

*THE BENEDICTION

*Congregation Standing

LORD'S DAY EVENING WORSHIP

September 27, 2026

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, 21

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

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

Pastor: *Be exalted, O LORD, in Your strength!*

People: ***We will sing and praise Your power.***

THE INVOCATION

*THE HYMN OF PRAISE

"O Word of God Incarnate"

No. 140

THE 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

Psalm 119:121-128

Pastor: *This is the Word of God*

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

THE SERMON

"Precious Precepts"

Dr. Gary Nantt

*THE HYMN OF RESPONSE

"Wonderful Words of Life"

No. 697

*THE BENEDICTION

*Congregation standing

AM Service

"A Priest, A Promise, and a Sign of Silence"

Rev. Nathan White

Luke 1:5-25

PM Service

"Precious Precepts"

Dr. Gary Nantt

Psalm 119:121-128

I. God’s Precepts are precious in _____.

II. Persecution raises _____ from our hearts.

III. _____ are given in God’s precepts.

ANNOUNCEMENTS



THE LORD'S SUPPER will be served in next Sunday 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 next Sunday after Sunday school. If your last name begins with A-M, bring a side dish and a dessert. If your last name begins with N-Z, bring a main dish. Everyone come and enjoy the food and fellowship.

LADIES FALL BRUNCH Please join us for a fall brunch for girls and ladies hosted by Emma Tunnell on October 10th from 10:30 A.M. – 12:30 P.M. held at 401 E. 5th St. Tuscumbia, AL.



HELPING HANDS MINISTRY will meet this evening at 5 P.M. in the men's classroom. We welcome all who are interested in serving those in our church who need help.

THE OUTREACH MINISTRY CENTER will meet this evening at 5 P.M.



THE FALL FESTIVAL will be held October 28th from 6 P.M.-7 P.M. after the Chili Cookoff which will be held at 5:15 P.M. Make your best chili or soup recipe and compete for the title! Sign up for your category of choice on the annex table. Family friendly costumes are welcome!

THE YOUTH will go to Lauderdale Lanes on October 17th at 6 P.M. Please sign up on the annex table and contact Dylan Smith with any questions.

COMMUNION SCHEDULE 2026

Oct 4, Nov 1, Dec 6

THIS WEEK’S VOLUNTEER SCHEDULE

SUN 9/27

Nursery A.M.Simone Singleton, Dee Brown
Nursery P.M.John Waggoner, Barbara Collins
Greeter.....Mike Bishop, Claudia Myers
Security.....Team 3
Youth SS 2nd adult.....Adam Isbell
Media Team..... Micah Toole [Alternate: Wyatt Sanders]

NEXT WEEK’S VOLUNTEER SCHEDULE

SUN 10/4

Nursery A.M.Stephanie Isbell, Jane Morton
Nursery P.M.Gail Trapp, Dylan Smith
Greeter..... John and Cheryl Waggoner
Security.....Team 4
Youth SS 2nd adult.....Al Willis
Media Team..... Wyatt Sanders [Alternate: Elijah Holland]

PRAY FOR THE SICK, STRUGGLING, AND RECOVERING IN OUR CHURCH

Margie Beck	Etta Barnett	Janie Craigge	Joe and Sandy Finch
Benny Holland	Bob Head	Judge Hal Hughston	Hanna Ruggles
Chip Simpson	Terri Snipes	Dinie Stone	Jan Stubblefield
Doris Talley	Johnson Thompson	Bill Webb	Pam Wilson

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.	Bible Study and Prayer, Youth and Children’s Activities

CHURCH DIRECTORY

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STAFF

Dr. Jeff Hamm, Pastor

Pastor Emeritus

Rev. Drew Tunnell, Associate Pastor

Dr. Randy Thompson

Mr. Dylan Smith, Pastoral Intern

Adina Stone, Director of Music

Brian Beck, Organist

Thomas Jones, Sexton

Jennifer Richardson, Bookkeeper

Cayla Spencer, Secretary

SESSION

Jonathan Parker, Buddy Whitlock, Taylor Brooker

Elders Emeritus

Jimmy Hughston, Jameson Hughston (*Stated Clerk*)

Ron Hudson, Bill Lacey

Lee Hudson, Hal Hughston, Jr.

M.B. Myers, Rusty Trapp, Al Willis

DIACONATE

Class of 2030: Sean Jacobson, Jacob Johnson

Deacons Emeritus

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

Wyatt Simpson

Class of 2026: Beau Cooper, Gordon Ruggles

WIC COUNCIL

Stephanie Isbell, *President*

Reba Griffith, *Missions*

Gail Hughston, *Circle I Chrm.*

Rebecca Hovater, *Vice President*

Mary Brooker, *Nursery Chairman*

Jan Hudson, *Secretary*

Bethany Giles, *Historian*

Jan Hudson, *Circle III Chrm.*

Simone Singleton, *Treasurer*

NATIONAL & LOCAL MINISTRIES

All Saints Reformed Church, St. George, Utah

Providence Presbytery

Colbert Caring Center

Reformed Theological Society

Common Ground Shoals

Shoals Sav-A-Life

Covenant Christian School

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

French Camp Academy

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*