

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES THIS WEEK (6/24)

NURSERY CAPTAIN

Elizabeth Brown

INFANTS

Marsha Grovenstein, Stephen Mullis

1 YEAR OLDS

Jennifer Mullis

TODDLER

Ryan Brown, Scott & Pamela Terry

USHERS

Tim Hicks, Mike Foley, David Salsler, John Jones*,
Anders Martin (Deacon on Duty)

SOUND

Kevin Eck

EVENING

Infants- Kim Hayes, Nancy Peavy | Toddlers- Leslie Fender, TBD

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES NEXT WEEK (7/1)

NURSERY CAPTAIN

Kim Hayes

INFANTS

Kimberly Cope, Emma Kornegay

1 YEAR OLDS

Travis Cope, Anna Hayes

TODDLER

Nate Warfield, Faith Eck

USHERS

John Twibell, Steve Mack, Jeff Christopher, Bob Glover *,
Stephen Mullis (Deacon on Duty)

SOUND

Ryan Brown

EVENING

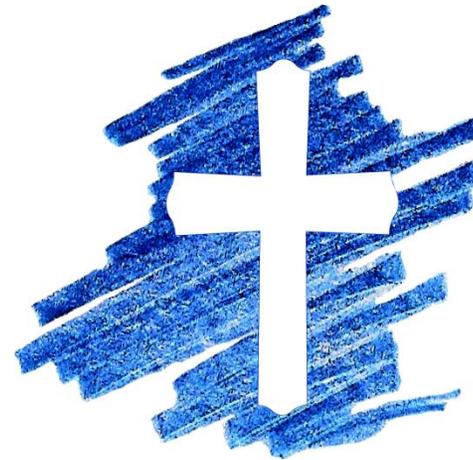
Infants- Crystal Twibell | Toddlers- Maggie Banks

*Front door

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**First
Presbyterian
Church**

Pooler, Georgia

The Lord's Day

JUNE 24, 2018

A congregation of the Presbyterian Church in America (PCA)

Welcome to the First Presbyterian Church!

VISITING TODAY?

Welcome! We are so glad you have come to worship our great God with us today! We pray that God will use this worship service to increase your knowledge of, faith in, and love for Jesus Christ. If you are a visitor, please fill out the welcome card in the pew rack and drop it in the offering plate during the service. We do encourage children to be in and participate in our worship service, but we do have four nurseries available for them if needed. There is also a nursing mother's room in the women's restroom. If we can help you in any way, please feel free to speak with one of the ushers or pastors.

PRAYER MEETING (9:15 - 9:45 AM)

SUNDAY SCHOOL (10:00 - 10:45 AM)

WORSHIP (11:00 AM - NOON)

-Nursery: Ages 0-3

-Children's Church: Ages 3-4, Children worship together with the congregation until the Offertory when they are dismissed with their teacher to train for worship with age-accessible prayers, hymns, and lessons.

DISCIPLESHIP & DESSERT (6:30 – 7:30 PM)

OUR PURPOSE & GOAL

We seek to glorify God by holding out the hope of the Gospel of Jesus Christ to our community, our country and our world to impact others to do the same. In holding out the gospel we pray that God would save, sanctify and equip His people to serve.

WEBSITE

Visit www.fpcpooler.org for more about our beliefs and upcoming events. We also invite you to join us on Facebook at First Presbyterian Church of Pooler. Questions or more info? Contact crystal@firstprespooler.com

OUR CHURCH LEADERSHIP

Pastor: Rev. John D. Fender | **Elders:** Randy Grovenstein, Caleb Johnson, Kelly Larson, Bob Sharp, Nate Warfield | **Deacons:** David Brodmann, Ryan Brown, Travis Cope, Kevin Eck, Ken Hayes, Anders Martin, Stephen Mullis, Scott Terry | **Staff:** Michael Brown, Discipleship Ministry | Rev. Cheol Kim, Korean Ministry

SMALL GROUPS

Mature spiritually - connect relationally

A small group gives you the additional opportunity to mature in your relationship with Jesus by going deeper in your study of God's word and to connect relationally with others who are seeking to grow in their relationship with Jesus. We believe meeting in this setting will be a tremendous blessing to you and your family.

Our hope for each group is that they provide a place to...

- Practice our call to be disciplined and make disciples of Jesus Christ.
- Share your needs and pray for one another.
- Serve others by bearing one another's burdens.
- Invite friends into the life of the church

Here is a list of the groups:

Covenanter's Group (*Children out of the home*)

Westminster Group (*Adults with Middle and High School Aged Children*)

Knox Group (*Adults with Elementary Aged Children*)

Calvin Group (*Adults with Pre-school Aged Children*)

Augustine Group (*Young Adults*)

Rincon Group (*Families living in the Effingham County area*)

Women's Morning and Evening Studies

Men's Morning Group

Youth Group (*Middle and High School Aged kids*)

Small Groups are on Summer Break- We will resume mid-August

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Called Congregational Meeting | TODAY, June 24 @ 12:00 pm | Pulpit Committee will make their recommendation regarding Michael Brown as a potential Associate Pastor | Please make plans to stay a few minutes after morning worship to address this matter together

Last Sunday School for the Summer. Each year we give the Sunday School teachers a six week break to allow them to rest and prepare for the next school year. This Sunday will be our last Sunday School for the summer and the new classes will resume on August 12th. Please make plans to be here for Sunday School this week and thank your teacher for their hard work this year.

Summer Sunday Nights @ FPCP | classes for all ages @ 6:30-7:15 pm | Adults led by Rev. Fender and the youth and children will continue learning catechisms. | Snacks & desserts @ 7:15-7:30 pm | *Please bring desserts to share*

Sunday Night Nursery Workers. We are in need of nursery workers for the Sunday Night service. If you can help please contact Melissa at melissa@firstprespooler.com.

SUMMER SUNDAY CHILDCARE Volunteers needed! As we all know summer months can be full of family vacations and travel. Due to this, we have a need for a little extra help in the nursery. If you are not serving but would like to help for the months of June-August, please let Melissa know at melissa@firstprespooler.com.

Annual FPCP Fireworks on the River! | Wednesday, July 4th | Gather to watch Savannah's Independence Day fireworks display at Hutchinson Island | Carpool or caravan-meet at the church @ 7:45 p.m. | Bring chairs and snacks for your kids and we will gather in the grassy area just north of the Convention Center around 8:15 p.m. | Fireworks begin around 9:30 pm!

Youth Pastor Welcome Party for Youth | Wednesday, July 11th | Youth event to welcome James Ritchey | Come enjoy food, fun and games! | @ FPCP | 6:00-8:00 p.m.

Save the Date - Youth Outing | Wednesday afternoon | July 18th | Time & location TBD | Details to follow

Order of Worship

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

SILENT PRAYER OF PREPARATION

O Lord our God, you are always more ready to bestow your good gifts upon us than we are to seek them. You are more willing to give than we desire or deserve. Help us so to seek that we may truly find, so to ask that we may joyfully receive, so to knock that the door of your mercy may be opened for us; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

CALL TO WORSHIP

PSALM 134

Come, bless the LORD, all you servants of the LORD, who stand by night in the house of the LORD! Lift up your hands to the holy place and bless the LORD! May the LORD bless you from Zion, he who made heaven and earth!

† HYMN OF PRAISE

“Come, O Come Thou Holy Spirit”

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† INVOCATION

MEMORY VERSE FOR JUNE

JOHN 14:27

“Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. Not as the world gives do I give to you. Let not your hearts be troubled, neither let them be afraid.”

READING OF SCRIPTURE

1 THESSALONIANS 4:13 - 5:11

Pew Bible Pg. #985

HYMN OF CONFESSION

“Your Love Defends Me”

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PASTORAL PRAYER

RETURNING GOD'S TITHES AND OFFERINGS

"Every man shall give as he is able, according to the blessing of the Lord your God that He has given you." Deuteronomy 16:17

Children's Church: 4 Year Olds are now released to Children's Church
Located in the Pre-K/Kindergarten Room.

OFFERTORY

TRINITY HYMNAL NO. 310

"Rejoice the Lord is King"

† 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.

† OFFERTORY PRAYER

ANDERS MARTIN, DEACON

SERMON

HEBREWS 5:11-6:3

"Spiritual Immaturity"
Rev. John Fender

† CLOSING HYMN

"The Church's One Foundation"

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† BENEDICTION

2 CORINTHIANS 13:14

"The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ and the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all."

SERMON NOTES
"Spiritual Immaturity"
Hebrews 5:11- 6:3
Pew Bible Page #1003

The Problem defined

1. _____ Vs. 11

2. _____ Vs. 14

Result: Spiritual _____ Vs. 12b-13

**The Call of Hebrews 6:1-3: Go on to Maturity by going
_____ into the Word of God**

What about Jesus' words in Mark 10:14?

There is a massive difference between a child-like _____ and a
childish _____ .