

**MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES THIS WEEK (9/16)**

**NURSERY CAPTAIN**

Charity Miles

**INFANTS**

Marsha Grovenstein, Missy Ritchey

**1 YEAR OLDS**

Travis Cope, Jennifer Mullis

**2 YEAR OLDS**

Stephen Mullis, Pamela Terry

**TODDLER**

Thomas Miles, Scott Terry, TBD

**USHERS**

Matt Helton, Permetheus Thomas, Thomas Miles, Jacob Terry\*

Travis Cope (Deacon on Duty)

**SOUND**

Christopher Larson

**EVENING**

Infants- Leslie Fender, Meghan Helton | Toddlers- The Macks

**MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES NEXT WEEK (9/23)**

**NURSERY CAPTAIN**

Kim Hayes

**INFANTS**

Madison Terry, TBD

**1 YEAR OLDS**

Jacob Terry, Anna Hayes

**2 YEAR OLDS**

TBD, TBD

**TODDLER**

Nate Warfield, Wes & Cody Daniels

**USHERS**

Thomas Miles, Mike Foley, John Twibell, James Hardison\*

David Brodmann (Deacon on Duty)

**SOUND**

Ken Hayes

**EVENING**

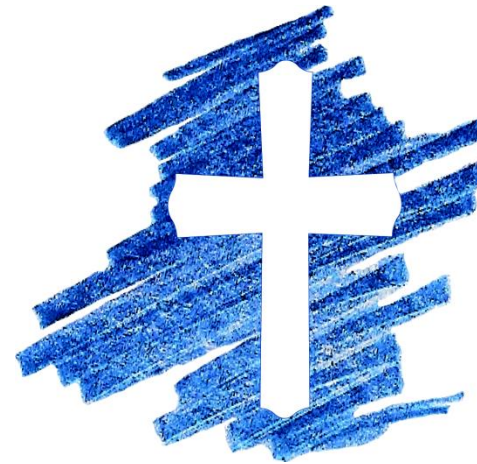
Infants- Scott & Pamela Terry | Toddlers- The Macks

\*Front door

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**First  
Presbyterian  
Church**

Pooler, Georgia

*The Lord's Day*

**SEPTEMBER 16, 2018**

*A congregation of the Presbyterian Church in America (PCA)*

## Welcome to the First Presbyterian Church!

### SMALL GROUPS

*Mature spiritually - connect relationally*

#### 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 & DINNER (5:30 — 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](http://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](mailto:crystal@firstprespooler.com)

#### OUR CHURCH LEADERSHIP

**Pastors:** Rev. John D. Fender & Rev. Michael Brown | **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: James Ritchey, Director of Youth Ministry | Rev. Cheol Kim, Korean Ministry

**CALVIN:** | For adults and families with young children: | Meets the 1st and 3rd Mondays @ FPCP | **September 17, 2018** | Dinner at 6:00 pm | Study @ 6:45-7:45 pm | Study on *How People Change* by Paul Tripp | Led by Michael Brown | Childcare provided

**YOUTH GROUP:** | For students in grades 6-12 | Meet every Wednesday @ FPCP | **September 19, 2018** | Dinner @ 6:00 pm | Study @ 6:45-7:45 pm | Study on Luke | Led by James Ritchey

**KNOX:** | For adults and families with school aged children: Meets the 1st and 3rd Wednesdays @ FPCP | **September 19, 2018** | Dinner at 6:00 pm | Study @ 6:45-7:45 pm | Study on *How People Change* by Paul Tripp | Led by Michael Brown | Childcare provided

**WESTMINSTER:** | For adults and families with youth group age children: Meets the 1st and 3rd Wednesdays @ FPCP | **September 19, 2018** | Dinner at 6:00 pm | Study @ 6:45-7:45 pm | Study on *Your Walk With God* by Paul Tripp | Led by John Twibell | Childcare provided

**WOMEN'S MORNING STUDY:** 12 week study that meets every Thursday morning | **September 20, 2018** | 9:30-11:00 am @ FPCP | Study on *Even Better Than Eden* by Nancy Guthrie | Led by Maggie Banks | Childcare Provided

**WOMEN'S EVENING STUDY:** 12 week study that meets every Thursday evening @ Panera | **September 20, 2018** | 6:30-8:30 pm | Study on *Even Better Than Eden* by Nancy Guthrie | Led by Maggie Banks

**MEN'S 6:15 AM STUDY:** | Meets 1st and 3rd Friday mornings Chick-fil-A on Pooler Parkway | **September 21, 2018** | @ 6:15-7:00 am | Study on *The Christian Life* by Sinclair Ferguson | Led by John Fender

**AUGUSTINE:** | Young adults: Meets the 2nd and 4th Tuesday's FPCP | **September 25, 2018** | Dinner at 6:30 pm | Study @ 7:15-8:15 pm. | Study on *The Gospel in the Book of Isaiah* | Led by Kevin Eck. | Childcare provided

**COVENANTER:** | For those who have children out of the house, retired or entering retirement. Meets 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesday @ the Foley's or Story's home | **September 26, 2018** | Study on *How People Change* by Paul Tripp | Led by Bob Sharp

**RINCON:** | For adults of all ages | Meets the 2nd and 4th Wednesdays at the Larson's home in Rincon. | **September 26, 2018** | Dinner at 6:00 pm | Study @ 6:45-7:45 pm. | Study on *How People Change* by Paul Tripp | Led by Michael Brown

**MEN'S 7:00 AM STUDY:** | Meets 2nd and 4th Friday mornings Chick-fil-A on Pooler Parkway | **September 28, 2018** | @ 7:00-7:45 am | Study on *The Christian Life* by Sinclair Ferguson | Led by John Fender

## ANNOUNCEMENTS:

**MOPS Meeting | Wednesday, September 19<sup>th</sup> | 9:30-11:30 am | contact Miriam Hayes for more information: [mmyates421@yahoo.com](mailto:mmyates421@yahoo.com)**

**MOPS Play Date @ Chick-fil-a | Wednesday, September 26<sup>th</sup> | 9:30-10:30 am | Do not have to be a member to attend | Contact Miriam Hayes for information: [mmyates421@yahoo.com](mailto:mmyates421@yahoo.com)**

**Brothers & Biscuits | Saturday, September 29<sup>th</sup> | 8:00 - 9:30 am | @ FPCP | Join us for a Men's Gathering to consider what the Bible says about fulfilling our roles as men. | You are welcome to bring your sons that are 6th grade and up!**

**Get Your Reservation! | 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Covenant Care Dinner | Thursday, October 4<sup>th</sup> | 6:30-8:00 pm | FPCP | Reservations required – go to [fcpooler.org/covenant-care](http://fcpooler.org/covenant-care) | Limited Childcare available – Register today! | To volunteer or questions please contact Crystal @ [crystal@firstprespooler.com](mailto:crystal@firstprespooler.com)**

**Gentle Reminder | Please refrain from bringing food and beverages into the sanctuary | Thank you!**

**MOPS Childcare Worker Needed | Paid position | If interested, please contact Miriam Hayes [mmyates421@yahoo.com](mailto:mmyates421@yahoo.com)**

## Order of Worship

### WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

### SILENT PRAYER OF PREPARATION

Almighty God, You delight to pour out the riches of your grace and mercy on those who humble themselves before you. Fill us with the Holy Spirit this day. Deliver us from cold hearts and wandering thoughts, that with steady minds and burning zeal we may worship you in spirit and in truth; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

### CALL TO WORSHIP

### PSALM 91: 1-2

*He who dwells in the shelter of the Most High will abide in the shadow of the Almighty. I will say to the LORD, "My refuge and my fortress, my God, in whom I trust."*

### † HYMN OF PRAISE

### TRINITY HYMNAL NO. 1

"All People That on Earth Do Dwell"

### † INVOCATION

### MEMORY VERSE FOR SEPTEMBER

### 2 CORINTHIANS 1:3-4

*Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of mercies and God of all comfort, who comforts us in all our affliction, so that we may be able to comfort those who are in any affliction, with the comfort with which we ourselves are comforted by God.*

### READING OF SCRIPTURE

### 1 TIMOTHY 2:1-15

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### HYMN OF CONFESSION

"From the Depths of Woe (Psalm 130)"

Words by Martin Luther, 1523; music by Christopher Miner; ©1997, Christopher Miner Music

### PASTORAL PRAYER

## RETURNING GOD'S TITHES AND OFFERINGS

*"Do not lay up for yourselves treasures upon earth, where moth and rust destroy, and where thieves break in and steal. But lay up for yourselves treasures in heaven, where neither moth nor rust destroys, and where thieves do not break in or steal; for where your treasure is, there will your heart be also." Matthew 6:19-21*

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

## OFFERTORY

"Jesus Whispers"

Words by Joseph Hart, 1759; music by Clint Wells and Brian T. Murphy; © 2005 Red Mountain Music; celi #2765718

## † 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

**KEN HAYES, DEACON**

## SERMON

**HEBREWS 10:19-25**

"Full Assurance"  
Rev. John Fender

## † CLOSING HYMN

**TRINITY HYMNAL NO. 521**

"My Hope is Built on Nothing Less"

## † 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

**"Full Assurance"**

**Hebrews 10:19-25**

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**What to do: The Christian is \_\_\_\_\_ to God AND commanded to \_\_\_\_\_ to God**

**Why we do not:**

1. We fail to \_\_\_\_\_
2. We fail to \_\_\_\_\_ the truth about our God

**Why Christians should draw near:**

1. Because of our \_\_\_\_\_ in Jesus and the progressive work of the Spirit Vs. 14
2. Because God has promised to \_\_\_\_\_ . Vs. 17
3. Because you are coming not on your own merit, but through the \_\_\_\_\_ . Vs. 19
4. Because our High Priest did not simply walk through the curtain into the Most Holy Place, but He Himself \_\_\_\_\_ in order to tear down the dividing wall. Vs. 20-21

*Am I drawing near to God or am I holding back?*

**How to do it**

1. A disposition of the \_\_\_\_\_ . Vs. 22
2. It must be combined with \_\_\_\_\_ . Vs. 23
3. It is expressed in \_\_\_\_\_ by spurring others on especially as we gather for worship. Vs. 24-25