

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES THIS WEEK (10/07)

NURSERY CAPTAIN

Melissa Miles

INFANTS

Carlie Martin, Catherine Fender

1 YEAR OLDS

Anders Martins, Grace Miles

2 YEAR OLDS

Cristina & Adrianna Larson

TODDLER

Jeff & Morgan Christopher, Jason Buda, Elaine Li Causi

USHERS

Jacob Terry, Matt Helton, Permetheus Thomas, Thomas Miles*
Travis Cope (Deacon on Duty)

SOUND

Ryan Brown

EVENING

Infants- Faith Eck, Shirley Foley | Toddlers- Maggie Banks, Tracy
Duncan

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES NEXT WEEK (10/14)

NURSERY CAPTAIN

Charity Miles

INFANTS

Joel & Penny Horton, Laina Twibell

1 YEAR OLDS

Josh & Rachel Lanier

2 YEAR OLDS

Thomas Miles, TBD

TODDLER

Annie & Millie Twibell, YoungJu & Dohwan Kim

USHERS

Joel Daniels, Mike Foley, John Twibell, James Hardison*
Scott Terry (Deacon on Duty)

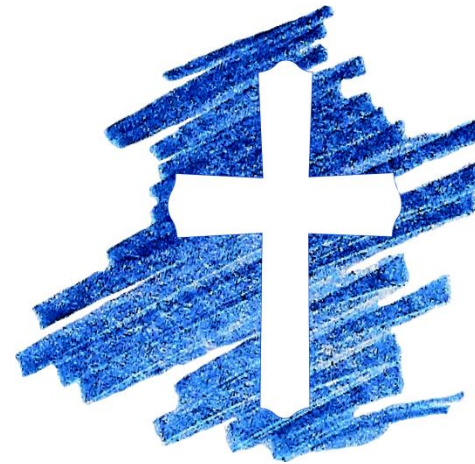
SOUND

Christopher Larson

EVENING

Infants- Meghan Helton, Leslie Fender | Toddlers- Maggie Banks,
Tracy Duncan

*Front door



**First
Presbyterian
Church**

Pooler, Georgia

The Lord's Day

OCTOBER 7, 2018

A congregation of the Presbyterian Church in America (PCA)

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH POOLER

1115 HWY 80 E Pooler, GA 31322

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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 & 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 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

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

SMALL GROUPS

Mature spiritually - connect relationally

AUGUSTINE: | Young adults: Meets the 2nd and 4th Tuesday's FPCP | **October 9, 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 2nd & 4th Wednesday @ the Foley's or Story's home | **October 10, 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. | **October 10, 2018** | Dinner at 6:00 pm | Study @ 6:45-7:45 pm. | Study on *How People Change* by Paul Tripp | Led by Michael Brown

YOUTH GROUP: | For students in grades 6-12 | Meet every Wednesday @ FPCP | **October 10, 2018** | Dinner @ 6:00 pm | Study @ 6:45-7:45 pm | Study on Luke | Led by James Ritchey

WOMEN'S MORNING STUDY: 12 week study that meets every Thursday morning | **October 11, 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 | **October 11, 2018** | 6:30-8:30 pm | Study on *Even Better Than Eden* by Nancy Guthrie | Led by Maggie Banks

MEN'S 7:00 AM STUDY: | Meets 2nd and 4th Friday mornings Chick-fil-A on Pooler Parkway | **October 12, 2018** | @ 7:00-7:45 am | Study on *The Christian Life* by Sinclair Ferguson | Led by John Fender

CALVIN: | For adults and families with young children: | Meets the 1st and 3rd Mondays @ FPCP | **October 15, 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

KNOX: | For adults and families with school aged children: Meets the 1st and 3rd Wednesdays @ FPCP | **October 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

WESTMINSTER: | For adults and families with youth group age children: Meets the 1st and 3rd Wednesdays @ FPCP | **October 17, 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

MEN'S 6:15 AM STUDY: | Meets 1st and 3rd Friday mornings Chick-fil-A on Pooler Parkway | **October 19, 2018** | @ 6:15-7:00 am | Study on *The Christian Life* by Sinclair Ferguson | Led by John Fender

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Starts Today! | New Member's Class | Sunday, October 7, 14, 21, 28 |
10:00 – 10:45 am (During Sunday School) | Led by Rev. John Fender |
Conference Room

MOPS Mom's Night Out | Thursday, October 11th | 7:30 pm | @
FPCP | Chalkboard Couture | Do not have to be a member to attend |
Questions? Contact Miriam Hayes @ mmyates421@yahoo.com

Youth Outing | Saturday, October 13th | 1:00-2:30 pm | @ Tom Triplett
Park | Join us for Frisbee and some time to enjoy the outdoors! |
Questions? Contact James Ritchey at james@firstprespooler.com

Youth Dad's Prayer Breakfast | Tuesday, October 16th | 6:30 am | @
Henry's Restaurant in Pooler | Join us as we pray for students and families
and have a time a fellowship | Hope to see you there! | Questions?
Contact James Ritchey at james@firstprespooler.com

MOPS Meeting | Wednesday, October 17th | 9:30-11:30 am | contact
Miriam Hayes for more information: mmyates421@yahoo.com

MOPS Pumpkin Patch Play Date | Wednesday, October 24th | 9:30 am
| @ Holiday Farms | Do not have to be a member to attend | Must RSVP
by October 20th | Questions? Contact Miriam Hayes @
mmyates421@yahoo.com

LOST & FOUND! | Please check the Lost & Found box in the
fellowship hall

Financial Update:

YTD Anticipated Income: \$416,157

YTD Actual Income: \$367,480

Order of Worship

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

SILENT PRAYER OF PREPARATION

Almighty God, You have set a table before us, and called us to feast with you. Prepare us in mind and spirit to worship you and your great name, And to honor the one who died to save us from our sin. Our Lord, Jesus Christ. Amen.

CALL TO WORSHIP

PSALM 99:1-5

The LORD reigns; let the peoples tremble! He sits enthroned upon the cherubim; let the earth quake! The LORD is great in Zion; He is exalted over all the peoples. Let them praise your great and awesome name! Holy is he! The King in his might loves justice. You have established equity; you have executed justice and righteousness in Jacob. Exalt the LORD our God; worship at his footstool! Holy is He!

† HYMN OF PRAISE

TRINITY HYMNAL NO. 57

“Hallelujah, Praise Jehovah, O My Soul”

† INVOCATION

MEMORY VERSE FOR OCTOBER

PSALM 145:3-4

Great is the LORD, and greatly to be praised, and his greatness is unsearchable. One generation shall commend your works to another, and shall declare your mighty acts.

CONFESSION OF SIN

From Book of Common Prayer, 1552

Almighty and most merciful Father, We have 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. But You, O Lord, have mercy upon us miserable offenders. Spare them, O God, which confess their faults. Restore them that are repentant, according to Your promises given to us in Your Word, through Christ Jesus our Lord. And grant, O most merciful Father, for His sake, that we may now live a godly, righteous, and sober life, to the glory of Your holy name. Amen.

HYMN OF CONFESSION

“Out of the Deep I Call”

W Words by Henry W. Baker, music by Brian T. Murphy, ©2001 Brian T. Murphy Music.

RETURNING GOD'S TITHES AND OFFERINGS

"For you know the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, that though he was rich, yet for your sake he became poor, so that you by his poverty might become rich." 2 Corinthians 8:9

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

OFFERTORY

"King of Love"

Adapted from Psalm 23 by Henry W. Baker, 1868; music by *I Am They*, 2015

† DOXOLOGY

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

† OFFERTORY PRAYER

TRAVIS COPE, DEACON

SERMON

HEBREWS 1 1:4-6

"Pleasing God by Faith"
Rev. John Fender

HYMN OF PREPARATION

"Let Us Love and Sing and Wonder"

Words by John Newton, music by Laura Taylor; © 2001 Laura Taylor Music.

THE LORD'S SUPPER

The Lord's Supper is a sacrament in which, by giving and receiving bread and wine according to Christ's appointment, his death is proclaimed, and those who receive rightly are by faith (and not by the mouth in a physical manner) made partakers of his body and blood, with all his benefits, to their spiritual nourishment and growth in grace.

† CLOSING HYMN

"Let Us Love and Sing and Wonder"

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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

"Pleasing God by Faith"

Hebrews 11:4-6

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The Power of Stories

Abel's story: By faith _____ God

Genesis 4:1-8

God does not want a mere _____ act, but instead calls us to _____.

Enoch's story: By faith _____ with God

Genesis 5:21-24

When?

What?

Application:

1. Are you _____?
2. Are you walking _____?

Link between Hebrews 11:1 and Hebrews 11:6

Conviction of things not seen: Believing that God _____.

Assurance of things hoped for: Believing God is the _____ of those who seek him.