

**MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES THIS WEEK (10/28)**

**NURSERY CAPTAIN**

Maggie Banks

**INFANTS**

Marsha Grovenstein, Jennifer Mullis

**1 YEAR OLDS**

Travis Cope, Tasha Stenzel

**2 YEAR OLDS**

Please go to toddler room

**TODDLER**

Scott Terry, Stephen Mullis, Pamela Terry

**USHERS**

Matt Helton, Permetheus Thomas, Thomas Miles, Jacob Terry\*  
David Brodmann (Deacon on Duty)

**SOUND**

Kevin Eck

**EVENING**

Infants- Steve & Jessica Mack | Toddlers- Maggie Banks, Tracy  
Duncan

**MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES NEXT WEEK (11/04)**

**NURSERY CAPTAIN**

Kim Hayes

**INFANTS**

Madison Terry, Anna Hayes

**1 YEAR OLDS**

Jacob Terry, Stephanie Shaw

**2 YEAR OLDS**

Please go to the toddler room

**TODDLER**

Nate Warfield, TBD, TBD

**USHERS**

James Hardison, Mike Foley, Jeff Christopher, Joel Daniels\*  
Travis Cope (Deacon on Duty)

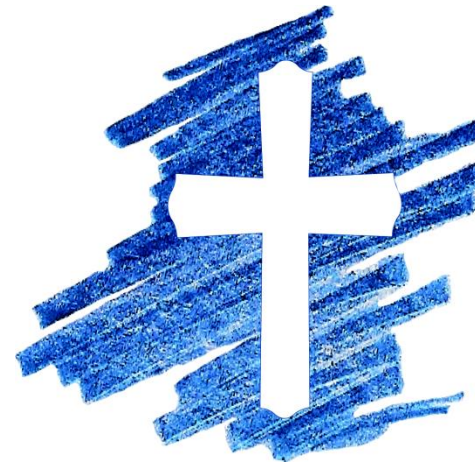
**SOUND**

Ryan Brown

**EVENING**

Infants- Nancy Peavy | Toddlers- Maggie Banks, Tracy Duncan

\*Front door



**First  
Presbyterian  
Church**

Pooler, Georgia

*The Lord's Day*

**OCTOBER 28, 2018**

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH POOLER

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*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

**WOMEN'S MORNING STUDY:** 12 week study that meets every Thursday morning | **November 1, 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 | **November 1, 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 | **November 2, 2018** | @ 6:15-7:00 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 | **November 5, 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 | **November 7, 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 | **November 7, 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

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

**MEN'S 7:00 AM STUDY:** |Meets 2nd and 4th Friday mornings Chick-fil-A on Pooler Parkway | **November 9, 2018** | @ 7:00-7:45 am | Study on *The Christian Life* by Sinclair Ferguson | Led by John Fender

**AUGUSTINE:** | Young adults: Meets the 2nd and 4th Tuesday's FPCP | **November 13, 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 | **November 14, 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. | **November 14, 2018** | Dinner at 6:00 pm | Study @ 6:45-7:45 pm. | Study on *How People Change* by Paul Tripp | Led by Michael Brown

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**New Member's Class** | **Sunday, October 28<sup>th</sup>** | 10:00 – 10:45 am  
(During Sunday School) | Led by Rev. John Fender | Conference Room

**Youth Parents Youth Winter Retreat Meeting** | **Sunday, November 4<sup>th</sup>**  
| immediately after morning worship | High school room | We will discuss  
the possibility of a youth winter retreat. | This would be an event involving  
a few other churches, and it will be a great opportunity for fellowship  
| Please joins us to hear more about the possibility of our church being  
involved!

**Boston Butt Fundraiser for Pooler MOPS** | Orders are being accepted  
now through **Monday, November 5<sup>th</sup>** | They will be hot and ready to pick  
up Saturday, November 10<sup>th</sup> @ FPCP | Freeze well if wanted for the  
upcoming holidays | \$35 each | If interested in purchasing, contact Carlie  
Martin @ [carliebmartin@gmail.com](mailto:carliebmartin@gmail.com) or Jennifer Mullis @  
[jennifer.mullis23@gmail.com](mailto:jennifer.mullis23@gmail.com)

**MOPS Meeting** | **Wednesday, November 7<sup>th</sup>** | 9:30-11:30 am | contact  
Miriam Hayes for more information: [mmyates421@yahoo.com](mailto:mmyates421@yahoo.com)

**Youth and Mercy Event** | **Saturday, November 17<sup>th</sup>** | 9:00 - 11:30 am  
| We will go to the Savannah Care Center again to assist them in preparing a  
room for their ultrasound machine and possibly do some work outdoors |  
They also accept donations of child clothes, toys, diapers, etc. | Interested?  
contact James Ritchey at [james@firstprespooler.com](mailto:james@firstprespooler.com) | Everyone is  
welcome! | Please drop donations in James' office @ FPCP before  
Thursday, November 15<sup>th</sup>

**Covenant Care Update!** | We are so thankful for everyone who joined us  
in supporting Covenant Care this month. The dinner was an exciting time  
of testimonies and encouragement. Your gifts to this vital ministry were so  
appreciated. A total of **\$7,891.00** was received and given to Covenant Care  
Ministry!

### Please save these dates!

**After Thanksgiving Brunch:** Sunday, November 25<sup>th</sup> @ 10:00 am

**Catechism and Cookies:** Sunday, December 2<sup>nd</sup> @ 5:30 pm

**Church-wide Christmas Party:** Sunday, December 9<sup>th</sup> @ 5:30 pm

**Christmas Caroling @ local nursing homes:** Sunday, December 16<sup>th</sup>

**Christmas Eve Service:** 5:00 pm

## Order of Worship

### WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

### SILENT PRAYER OF PREPARATION

Grant to us, Lord, we beseech You, the spirit to think and do always such  
things as are right; that we, who cannot do anything that is good without  
You, may by You be enabled to live according to Your will; through Jesus  
Christ our Lord. Amen.

### CALL TO WORSHIP

PSALM 105: 1- 3

*Leader:* O give thanks to the LORD; call upon his name; make known his deeds  
among the peoples.

*People:* **Sing to him, sing praises to him!**

*Leader:* Tell of all his wondrous works! Glory in his holy name.

*People:* **Let the hearts of those who seek the LORD rejoice!**

### † HYMN OF PRAISE

TRINITY HYMNAL No. 2

“O Worship the King”

### † 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.”*

### READING OF SCRIPTURE

1 TIMOTHY 5: 17- 6:2

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### HYMN OF CONFESSION

“Lord I Need You”

Words and Music by Jesse Reeves, Kristian Stanfill, Matt Maher, Christy Nockels and Daniel Carson; © 2011, ccli# 2765718

### PASTORAL PRAYER

## RETURNING GOD'S TITHES AND OFFERINGS

*"Remember the words of the Lord Jesus, that He Himself said, "It is more blessed to give than to receive." Acts 20:35b*

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

## OFFERTORY

"Speak, O Lord"

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## † 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

**RANDY GROVENSTEIN, ELDER**

## SERMON

**HEBREWS 11:13 - 16**

"God is Not Ashamed to be Called Their God"  
Rev. John Fender

## † CLOSING HYMN

"Satisfied"

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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

**"God is Not Ashamed to be Called Their God"**

**Hebrews 11:13-16**

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The \_\_\_\_\_ of God's people Vs. 14-16a

God is not \_\_\_\_\_ to be their God Vs. 16b