

**MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES THIS WEEK (10/8)**

**NURSERY CAPTAIN**

Charity Miles

**INFANTS**

Keightley Daniels, TBD

**1 YEAR OLDS**

Melissa Miles, TBD

**2 YEAR OLDS**

Jasmin Hill, TBD

**TODDLER**

Leah & Suzanna Underwood, Min Jae & Grace Kim

**USHERS**

Anders Martin, David Salsler, Mike Foley, John Jones\*,  
Caleb Johnson (Deacon on Duty)

**SOUND**

Ken Hayes

**EVENING**

Maggie Banks, Shirley Foley

**MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES NEXT WEEK (10/15)**

**NURSERY CAPTAIN**

Maggie Banks

**INFANTS**

Marsha Grovenstein, Catherine Fender

**1 YEAR OLDS**

Anders Martin, Sara Daniels

**2 YEAR OLDS**

Karra and Autumn Harden

**TODDLER**

Clay Harden, Jeff and Morgan Christopher

**USHERS**

Joel Daniels, David Baranowski, Steve Mack, James Hardison \*,  
Travis Cope (Deacon on Duty)

**SOUND**

Ryan Brown

**EVENING**

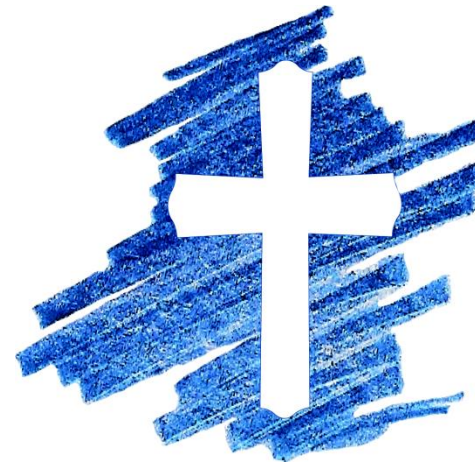
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**First  
Presbyterian  
Church**

Pooler, Georgia

*The Lord's Day*

OCTOBER 8, 2017

*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 FOR ALL AGES (10:00 - 10:45AM)

### 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

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

## SMALL GROUPS

**AUGUSTINE:** Young adults: Meets the 2nd and 4th Tuesday's at the church. | **October 10, 2017** | Dinner at 6:30pm | Study of Judges @ 7:15-8:15pm. | Led by Kevin Eck.

**COVENANTER:** For those who have children out of the house, retired or entering retirement. Meets 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesday | **October 11, 2017** | 6:00pm at Carl & Nancy Story's home | Study of Galatians | Led by Bill Gleason

**RINCON:** For adults of all ages. Meets the 2nd and 4th Wednesdays at the Larson's home in Rincon. | **October 11, 2017** | Dinner at 6:00pm | Study in Romans @ 6:45-7:45 pm. | Led by Michael Brown

**WOMEN'S MORNING STUDY:** 10 week study | Thursday 9:30-11:00am | At the church. | Childcare provided. | **October 12, 2017** | Study on Prayer | Led by Cindy Doud & Jill Warfield

**WOMEN'S EVENING STUDY:** 10 week study | Thursday 6:30-8:30pm | At the church. | No childcare. | **October 12, 2017** | Study on Ephesians | Led by Maggie Banks and Leslie Fender

**MEN'S 7:00 AM STUDY:** Meets 2nd and 4th Friday mornings Chick-fil-A on Pooler Parkway | **October 13, 2017** | Study of John MacArthur's Twelve Ordinary Men | @ 7:00-7:45 am | Led by John Fender

**CALVIN:** For adults and families with young children: Meets the 1st and 3rd Mondays at the church. | **October 16, 2017** | Dinner at 6:00pm | Study in Romans @ 6:45-7:45pm. | Led by Michael Brown

**KNOX:** For adults and families with school aged children: Meets the 1st and 3rd Wednesdays at the church. | **October 18, 2017** | Dinner at 6:00pm | Study in Romans @ 6:45-7:45pm. | Led by Michael Brown

**WESTMINSTER:** For adults and families with youth group age children: Meets the 1st and 3rd Wednesdays at the church. | **October 18, 2017** | Dinner at 6:00pm | Study in 2 Peter @ 6:45-8:00pm. | Led by John Twibell

**YOUTH GROUP:** For students in grades 6-12: Meets the 1st and 3rd Wednesdays at the church. | **October 18, 2017** | Dinner at 6:00pm | Study in the Romans @ 6:30-8:00pm. | Led by Aaron Francis

**MEN'S 6:30 AM STUDY:** Meets 1st and 3rd Friday mornings Chick-fil-A on Pooler Parkway | **October 20, 2017** | Study of John MacArthur's Twelve Ordinary Men | @ 6:30-7:30 am | Led by John Fender

## ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Please **refrain from bringing food or beverages** into the sanctuary. Thank you for your cooperation!

**THIS WEEK! | Copper Basin Mission Trip | October 11-14** | Please pray for Carl and Nancy Story and the team going to McCaysville, GA to minister to people in great need.

**Upcoming Mercy Event** | FPCP is hosting a banquet to benefit **Covenant Care Adoptions**. | **Thursday, October 19 | 6:30 – 8:30 pm** | There are three ways to get involved: sponsor a table so others can attend with you, register through our Eventbrite Facebook page for the event, or volunteer to help serve at the event. A representative from Covenant Care will be telling us more about this vital ministry and donations will be taken up at the event to support Covenant Care.

**Youth Fall Fun Night | Friday, October 20** | 6:00-9:00 pm | Bonfire & games | More info to follow

**Operation Christmas Child** | FPCP youth are spearheading this ministry! | Please see one of our youth for details about donations. We only have about a month to pull this project together. Thank you for your interest and help! Donations due: **October 29.**

Save the Date! | **FPCP Parenting Conference | November 10-12** | Friday evening- Sunday morning | Conference registration and childcare registration @ [fpcpooler.org/ministries/parenting-conference](http://fpcpooler.org/ministries/parenting-conference) | Make plans to join us this weekend!

**Called Congregational Meeting** | The Elders of FPCP have called for a Congregational Meeting | **November 5** | Sole purpose of electing additional Elders and Deacons | The meeting will take place immediately following the morning worship service. The following men are placed on the ballot:

For Elder: Bob Sharp and Caleb Johnson

For Deacon: Anders Martin and Scott Terry

Please make plans to attend that Sunday as you must be present to vote.

## Order of Worship

### WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

### PRAYER FOR COPPER BASIN MISSION TRIP

Carl & Nancy Story, Ralph Robinson, Jr., Steve & Jessica, Michael & Allison Mack

### RECEIVING OF ANDY & MIRIAM HAYES & ADELINE

### MEMBERSHIP VOWS FOR KEIRA WARFIELD

1. Do you acknowledge yourselves to be sinners in the sight of God, justly deserving His displeasure, and without hope save in His sovereign mercy?
2. Do you believe in the Lord Jesus Christ as the Son of God, and Savior of sinners, and do you receive and rest upon Him alone for salvation as He is offered in the Gospel?
3. Do you now resolve and promise, in humble reliance upon the grace of the Holy Spirit, that you will endeavor to live as becomes the followers of Christ?
4. Do you promise to support the church in its worship and work to the best of your ability?
5. Do you submit yourselves to the government and discipline of the church, and promise to study its purity and peace?

### 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 103:1-4

*Bless the LORD, O my soul, and all that is within me, bless his holy name! Bless the LORD, O my soul, and forget not all his benefits, who forgives all your iniquity, who heals all your diseases, who redeems your life from the pit, who crowns you with steadfast love and mercy.*

### † HYMN OF PRAISE

### TRINITY HYMNAL NO. 295

“Crown Him With Many Crowns”

### † INVOCATION

**MEMORY VERSE FOR OCTOBER****ISAIAH 40:30-31**

*[30] Even youths shall faint and be weary, and young men shall fall exhausted; [31] but they who wait for the LORD shall renew their strength; they shall mount up with wings like eagles; they shall run and not be weary; they shall walk and not faint.*

**CONFESSION OF FAITH****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 Spirit, 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 Spirit; the holy catholic church; The communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

**HYMN OF CONFESSION****TRINITY HYMNAL NO. 498**

“Jesus What a Friend For Sinners”

**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**

“The Sands of Time Are Sinking”

Words by Anne Cousin, based on Samuel Rutherford's Letters; traditional folk tune, arranged by Philip Palmertree; © 2001 Philip Palmertree Music.

**† 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****CALEB JOHNSON, DEACON****SERMON****JOHN 19:28-42**

“Our Sovereign, Suffering Savior- Part 11: The Burial of Jesus”

Rev. John Fender

**† CLOSING HYMN**

“Thy Mercy My God”

Words by John Stoker, 1777; music by Sandra McCracken, 2001; ©Same Old Dress Music.

**† 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**

**“Our Sovereign, Suffering Savior- Part 11: The Burial of Jesus”**

**John 19:28-42**

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**Why the New Testament stresses the burial of Jesus**

1. To \_\_\_\_\_ the death of Jesus
2. To fulfill an \_\_\_\_\_  
Isaiah 53:9
3. To fulfill \_\_\_\_\_  
Matthew 12:40
4. To \_\_\_\_\_ His battle over death  
1 Corinthians 15:3-4  
1 Corinthians 15:20-26  
1 Corinthians 15:51-57
5. To \_\_\_\_\_ the graves of His people
6. To point to the \_\_\_\_\_ we have in Jesus  
Romans 6:4