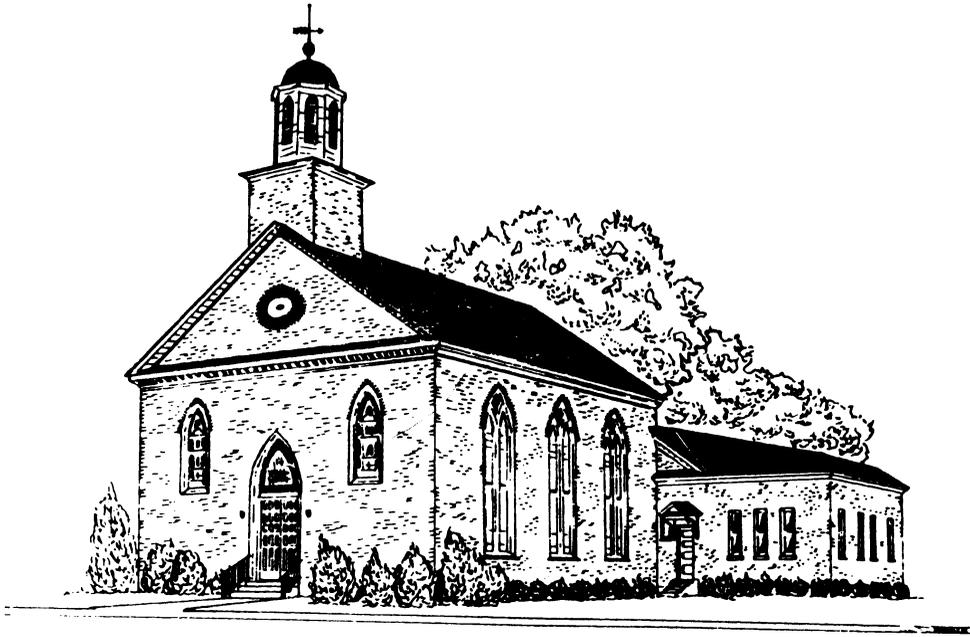


# First Presbyterian Church of Tuscumbia

Established 1824



*“To Glorify God, and to Enjoy Him Forever”*

# LORD'S DAY MORNING WORSHIP

March 22, 2026

Nine-Thirty A.M.

Tuscumbia, Alabama

*(Please turn off all electronic devices)*

*When you enter into the doors of the sanctuary, silently prepare to meet the Triune God.*

THE PRELUDE

Mr. Brian Beck

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP

Church Choir

THE CALL TO WORSHIP

Joshua 24:15

**Pastor:** *And if it is evil in your eyes to serve the LORD, choose this day whom you will serve,*

**People:** *Whether the gods your fathers served in the region beyond the River,*

**Pastor:** *Or the gods of the Amorites in whose land you dwell.*

**People:** *But as for me and my house, we will serve the LORD.*

THE INVOCATION

\*THE HYMN OF PRAISE

“Rejoice, All People, Homage Give”

No. 73

THE OLD TESTAMENT READING

Psalm 16:1-11

THE CONFESSION OF SIN

Augustine of Hippo, 397 AD

*O Lord, my God, cleanse me from my secret sins, and keep Your servant from the sins of others; let me not be deceived by self-love, but confess to You my transgressions, that I may love Your good ways and turn from my evil deeds; for You Alone can forgive and purify my heart. Amen.*

THE ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Galatians 1:3-4

*Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ, who gave Himself for our sins to deliver us from the present evil age, according to the will of our God and Father.*

## THE CONFESSION OF FAITH

## The 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 Ghost; 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 Ghost; the holy catholic\* church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body and the life everlasting. Amen*

*\*catholic means universal*

## THE OFFERING

## \*THE DOXOLOGY

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise Him, all creatures here below;  
Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host: praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.*

## THE PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

THE HYMN OF ASSURANCE      "O Sacred Head, Now Wounded"      No. 247

## THE PASTORAL PRAYER

*Our Father, who art in Heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen*

THE READING OF THE SCRIPTURE      Acts 2:14-41

Pastor: *This is the Word of God*

**People: Thanks be to God!**

THE SERMON      "No Message in a Bottle"      Dr. Jeff Hamm

\*THE HYMN OF RESPONSE      "The God of Abraham Praise"      No. 34

## \*THE BENEDICTION

\*Congregation standing

# LORD'S DAY EVENING WORSHIP

March 22, 2026

Six P.M.

Tuscumbia, Alabama

*(Please turn off all electronic devices)*

*When you enter into the doors of the sanctuary, silently prepare to meet the Triune God.*

THE PRELUDE

Mr. Brian Beck

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 124, 66

Pastor: *Our help is in the name of the LORD*

**People:** *Who made heaven and earth*

Pastor: *Bless our God O peoples;*

**People:** *Let the sound of his praise be heard,*

THE INVOCATION

\*THE HYMN OF PRAISE

"Brethren, We Have Met to Worship"

No. 381

OFFERING

\*THE DOXOLOGY

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise Him, all creatures here below; Alleluia, Alleluia.*

*Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host: praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost, O praise Him, O praise Him, Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia.*

\*THE PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

THE EVENING SONGS

THE EVENING PRAYER

THE READING OF THE SCRIPTURE

Job 15:1-35

Pastor: *This is the Word of God.*

**People:** *Thanks be to God!*

THE SERMON

"The Offense of the Gospel"

Dr. Jeff Hamm

\*THE HYMN OF RESPONSE

"It is Well with My Soul"

No. 691

\*THE BENEDICTION

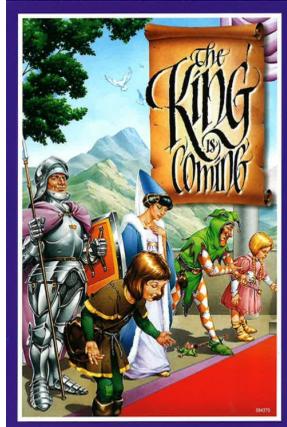
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## ANNOUNCEMENTS



**LADIES, ITS TULIP TIME AGAIN.** Peak bloom at Hubert Family Farms is projected to be during Spring Break this year. Ladies (and kids) will be gathering at the church on Tuesday March 24th at 9 A.M. and carpool to the farm. Food trucks and vendors are on site for lunch options. We plan to be back in the Shoals by 3 P.M. For pick your own tulip pricing and event info visit [hubertfamilyfarms.com](http://hubertfamilyfarms.com). Ladies interested please contact Bethany Waggoner.



**SIGN UP FOR VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL!** VBS is June 1st-5th. Child registration and adult volunteer forms are available on the annex table.

**VBS T-SHIRT DESIGN CONTEST:** Forms for the contest are available on the annex table for any child that wishes to participate. Completed designs can be placed in the folder next to the forms. Please turn your designs in by Sunday, April 12th.

**YOUTH KICKBALL GAME:** Saturday March 28th, we will be having a kickball game for our youth group. It will be at 3 P.M. at the field next to Deshler Middle School.

**EASTER EGG HUNT—** There will be an Easter Egg Hunt for the children April 4th at the Tunnell Home 401 East 5th St. at 10:00 A.M.

**2ND QUARTER NURSERY SCHEDULES** are available on the annex table. Please take one and thank you for serving!

**MEN'S MINISTRY** will gather Saturday, April 4th at 8am for food and fellowship. Please sign up on the Annex table.



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## COMMUNION SCHEDULE 2026

Apr 5, May 3, Jun 7, Jul 5, Aug 2, Sep 6, Oct 4, Nov 1, Dec 6

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### THIS WEEK'S VOLUNTEER SCHEDULE:

#### SUN 3/22

Nursery A.M. ....Amy Buchanan, Dottie Malone  
Nursery P.M. ....Kathleen Hughston, Mary Brooker  
Greeter.....Wes Marchman, Mike Bishop  
Security.....Team 6  
Youth SS 2nd adult.....Russ Tate

### NEXT WEEK'S VOLUNTEER SCHEDULE:

#### SUN 3/29

Nursery A.M. ....Rebecca Hovater, Virginia Tate  
Nursery P.M. ....Gordon Ruggles, Amy Davis  
Greeter.....Mike Bishop, Claudia Myers  
Security.....Team 1  
Youth SS 2nd adult.....Karen Willis

### PRAYERS FOR THE SICK, STRUGGLING, AND RECOVERING IN OUR CHURCH FAMILY

Janie Craigge	Jimmy and Etta Barnett	Margie Beck
Joe and Sandy Finch	Bob Head	Judge Hal Hughston
Elaine Kelsoe	Mary Ann Ligon	M. B. Myers
Hanna Ruggles	Chip Simpson	Terri Snipes
Dinie Stone	Doris Talley	Pam Wilson

### REGULARLY SCHEDULED SERVICES:

<b>Sunday</b>	9:00 A.M.	Men's Prayer, Men's Classroom Women's Prayer, Carrie Belle Johnson Room
	9:30 A.M.	Morning Worship, Sanctuary
	10:45 A.M.	Sunday School
	6:00 P.M.	Evening Worship, Sanctuary
<b>Wednesday</b>	6:00 P.M.	Adult Bible Study in the Psalms, Youth, and Children

## CHURCH DIRECTORY

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### STAFF

Dr. Jeff Hamm, Pastor

Dr. Gary Nannt, Pastoral Assistant

Adina Stone, Director of Music

Brian Beck, Organist

Rev. Drew Tunnell, Associate Pastor

Jennifer Richardson, Bookkeeper

Cayla Spencer, Secretary

Thomas Jones, Sexton

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### SESSION

Jonathan Parker, Buddy Whitlock, Taylor Brooker

Jimmy Hughston, Jameson Hughston (*Stated Clerk*)

Al Willis, Lee Hudson, Hal Hughston, Jr.

*Emeritus Elders*

Ron Hudson, Bill Lacey

M.B. Myers, Rusty Trapp

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### DIACONATE

Class of 2030: Sean Jacobson, Jacob Johnson

Class of 2028: Adam Isbell, Russ Tate, Jason Tucker (*Chairman*)

Class of 2026: Beau Cooper, Gordon Ruggles

*Emeritus Deacons*

Wyatt Simpson

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### WIC COUNCIL

Stephanie Isbell, *President*

Rebecca Hovater, *Vice President*

Simone Singleton, *Treasurer*

Reba Griffith, *Missions*

Marie Woodall, *Christian Growth*

Mary Brooker, *Nursery Chairman*

Bethany Giles, *Historian*

Gail Hughston, *Circle I Chrm.*

Susanne Wadsworth, *Circle II Chrm.*

Jan Hudson, *Circle III Chrm.*

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### NATIONAL & LOCAL MINISTRIES

All Saints Reformed Church, St. George, Utah

Colbert Caring Center

Common Ground Shoals

Covenant Christian School

French Camp Academy

Gideon's International

Good Shepherd Presbyterian Church Plant

Mission to North America

Providence Presbytery

Reformed Theological Society

Shoals Sav-A-Life

RUF: Alabama A&M University, *Marcus Nobles*

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### INTERNATIONAL MISSIONARIES

Rev. & Mrs. Richard Bailey, *Australia*

Rev. & Mrs. Joel Linton, *Taiwan*

Rev. & Mrs. Rob Ilderton, *England*

Rev. & Mrs. Verne Marshall, *Chile*

Mr. & Mrs. Mike Sabin

Mr. & Mrs. Craig Gahagen, *Peru*

Rev. & Mrs. Atanasov, *Parvomai, Bulgaria*

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Cohen, *Globeworks*

MTW Enterprise, *Europe*

Third Millennium Ministries

Mr. Danny Lynch, *International*