First Presbyterian Church of Tuscumbia

Established 1824

"To Glorify God, and to Enjoy Him Forever"

LORD'S DAY MORNING WORSHIP

April 19, 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 Psalm 115:1-3

Pastor: *Not to us, O Lord, not to us, but to Your Name give glory,*
People: ***For the sake of Your steadfast love and Your faithfulness!***
Pastor: *Why should the nations say,*
People: ***"Where is their God?"***
Pastor: *Our God is in the heavens;*
People: ***He does all that He pleases.***

THE INVOCATION

*THE PSALM OF PRAISE "Hallelujah, Praise Jehovah, O My Soul" No. 57

THE OLD TESTAMENT READING Psalm 118:1-24

THE 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.

THE CONFESSION OF SIN Unknown Author

Eternal Father, Thou art good beyond all measure, but I am vile, wretched, miserable, and blind. My lips are ready to confess, but my heart is slow to feel, and my ways reluctant to amend. I bring my soul to Thee; break it, wound it, bend it, and mold it. Unmask to me sin's deformity, that I may hate it and flee from it. All my sins I mourn, lament, and for them cry pardon. Work in me a more profound and abiding repentance and give me the fullness of a godly grief. Amen

THE ASSURANCE OF PARDON Romans 8:1-2

There is therefore now no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus. For the law of the Spirit of life has set you free in Christ Jesus from the law of sin and death.

*Congregation Standing

CONFESSION OF FAITH Heidelberg Catechism #15-17

15. Q. *What kind of mediator and deliverer should we look for then?*
    A. ***One who is a true and righteous human, yet more powerful than all creatures, that is, one who is also true God.***
16. Q. *Why must the mediator be a true and righteous human?*
    A. ***God's justice demands that human nature, which has sinned, must pay for sin; but a sinful human could never pay for others.***
17. Q. *Why must the mediator also be true God?*
    A. ***So that the mediator, by the power of His divinity, might bear the weight of God's wrath in His humanity and earn for us and restore to us righteousness and life.***

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 "How Firm a Foundation" No. 94

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 4:1-22

Pastor: *This is the Word of God*
People: ***Thanks be to God!***

THE SERMON "Resistance for No Reason" Dr. Jeff Hamm

*THE HYMN OF RESPONSE "Though Troubles Assail Us" No. 95

*THE BENEDICTION

LORD'S DAY EVENING WORSHIP

April 19, 2026 | Six P.M. | Tuscumbia, Alabama

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THE PRELUDE — Mr. Brian Beck

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE CALL TO WORSHIP — Psalm 124, 147

Pastor: *Our help is in the Name of the LORD,*
People: ***Who made heaven and earth.***
Pastor: *Praise the LORD, O Jerusalem!*
People: ***Praise your God, O Zion!***

THE INVOCATION

*THE HYMN OF PRAISE — "Praise, My Soul, The King of Heaven" — No. 76

THE 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 — Nehemiah 11:1—12:47

Pastor: *This is the Word of God.*
People: ***Thanks be to God!***

THE SERMON — "A Church's Legacy" — Rev. Drew Tunnell

*THE HYMN OF RESPONSE — "A Humble Offering to Jehovah" — See Insert

*THE BENEDICTION

*Congregation standing

AM Service "Resistance for No Reason" Dr. Jeff Hamm

Acts 4:1-22 (*Turning the World Upside Down #7*)

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PM Service "A Church's Legacy" Rev. Drew Tunnell

Nehemiah 11:1—12:47 (*Ezra-Nehemiah #24*)

I. A church's legacy is built by times of _____.

II. A church's legacy is made possible through _____.

III. A church's legacy is passed down with a spirit of _____.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

SIGN UP FOR VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL! VBS is June 1st-5th. Child registration and adult volunteer forms are available on the annex table. **Registration ends May 10th**.

CHURCH EVENT CALENDAR If you have any additions to be made to the office's church event calendar or have questions about upcoming events, please contact Pastor Drew or call the office. Copies of the calendar can be made available to any member upon request.

OUTREACH MINISTRY CENTER: An organizational meeting for the Outreach Ministry Center will be held on Sunday, May 3 at 5:00 P.M. If you have a desire to be a part of this ministry center please make plans to attend.

SPRING LUNCHEON: Ladies are invited to come and enjoy a delicious lunch and hear from our speaker Kristen Thompson on Saturday, April 25th, from 11:30 A.M. - 1 P.M. in the Fellowship Hall. Nursery is not available, but babies may come with their moms. Please sign up for this event in the Annex and make plans to attend.

MEN'S MINISTRY will meet in the Fellowship Hall on Saturday, May 3rd at 8:00 A.M. for a time of food and fellowship. Please plan to join us and sign up on the table in the annex.

THE SUMMER YOUTH CALENDAR is now available on the annex table.

COMMUNION SCHEDULE 2026

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

THIS WEEK'S VOLUNTEER SCHEDULE

SUN 4/19

Nursery A.M. ……Debra Kilpatrick, Jane Morton
Nursery P.M. ……Bret Waldrep, Gail Trapp
Greeter……Al Willis, Jean Hudson
Security……Team 4
Youth SS 2nd adult……Jennifer Karr

NEXT WEEK'S VOLUNTEER SCHEDULE:

SUN 4/26

Nursery A.M. ……Virginia Fletcher, Linda Westendorf
Nursery P.M. ……Cheryl Waggoner, Taylor Brooker
Greeter……Wes Marchman, Mike Bishop
Security……Team 5
Youth SS 2nd adult……Nancy Ruggles

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

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

REGULARLY SCHEDULED SERVICES:

Sunday	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
Wednesday	6:00 P.M.	Bible Study and Prayer, Youth and Children's Activities

CHURCH DIRECTORY

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STAFF

Dr. Jeff Hamm, Pastor
Dr. Gary Nantt, Pastoral Assistant
Adina Stone, Director of Music
Brian Beck, Organist
Rev. Drew Tunnell, Associate Pastor
Jennifer Richardson, Bookkeeper
Cayla Spencer, Secretary
Thomas Jones, Sexton

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

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

WIC COUNCIL

Stephanie Isbell, *President*
Rebecca Hovater, *Vice President*
Jan Hudson, *Secretary*
Simone Singleton, *Treasurer*
Reba Griffith, *Missions*
Mary Brooker, *Nursery Chairman*
Bethany Giles, *Historian*
Gail Hughston, *Circle I Chrm.*
Susanne Wadsworth, *Circle II Chrm.*
Jan Hudson, *Circle III Chrm.*

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*

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*
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Mr. and Mrs. Ben Cohen, *Globeworks*
MTW Enterprise, Europe
Third Millennium Ministries
Mr. Danny Lynch, *International*