GATHERING

PRELUDE "Air" from Water Music G.F. Handel

CHIMING OF THE HOUR

CHORAL INTROIT "This is the Day" Lloyd Larson

+CALL TO WORSHIP

The days are surely coming, says the Lord, when, just as I have watched over them to pluck up and break down, to overthrow and destroy,

so I will watch over them

to build and to plant, says the Lord.

I will put my law within the people, and I will write it on their hearts;

I will be their God, and they shall be my people.

Your commandment makes me wiser

than my enemies, for it is always with me.

We will continue in what we have learned and firmly believe:

Our help comes from the Lord,

who make heaven and earth,

and God will grant justice to his chosen ones

who cry to him day and night.

HYMN # 2 "Come Thou Almighty King" ITALIAN HYMN

CALL TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Grace-filled God, we confess that we pursue our own needs, neglecting the needs of others.

We pursue our own desires,

while slowly destroying the gifts of your creation.

We deflect the call to ministry,

ignoring the cries of those in need.

We are drawn to proclaim the gospel,

yet live it out only at our convenience.

Have mercy on us, O God.

Open our eyes to the truth of the gospel

that, whatever the time or wherever we are,

we may fully embody

your love and justice for all the world.

(Silent Confession)

KYRIE #551

Lord, have mercy, Christ, have mercy, Lord, have mercy upon us. Lord, have mercy, Christ, have mercy, Lord, have mercy upon us.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Whoever we are,

wherever we are.

however we are.

we belong to God.

Through Jesus Christ,

God cleanses us from all unrighteousness

and leads us from sin.

People of God, we are forgiven.

Thanks be to God.

+RESPONSE #581 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.

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND CONCERNS OF THE CHURCH

THE WORD

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

OLD TESTAMENT READING Psalm 121

Pew Bible page 571

"Be Thou My Vision" **ANTHEM** Traditional Irish Melody **Chancel Choir**

GOSPEL READING 2 Timothy 3: 14-45

Pew Bible Page 213

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks Be to God.

VISITING SPEAKER:

Gideon International Representative, Danny Lynn

RESPONDING TO THE WORD

+UNISON AFFIRMATION 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 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.

+HYMN #465 "What a Friend We Have in Jesus" **CONVERSE**

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE/THE LORD'S PRAYER

THE OFFERTORY

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+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.

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

SENDING

+CLOSING HYMN #69 "I the Lord of Sea and Sky"

HERE I AM

+BENEDICTION

+POSTLUDE "I To the Hills Will Lift Mine Eyes"

Froom the Scottish Psalter

+ Congregation Standing

ANNOUNCEMENTS

WELCOME: We welcome as our guest today, Gideon International Representative, Danny Lynn.

We warmly welcome you to worship this morning and ask that you please sign the Friendship pad in your pew. Christian worship joyfully ascribes all praise and honor, glory and power to the Triune God. In worship we acknowledge God, who is present in the world and in our lives. As we respond to God's claim and redemptive action in Jesus Christ, we are transformed and renewed. In worship, we offer ourselves to God and we are equipped for God's service in the world.

Visitors: We extend a special welcome to those who are visiting with us this morning. We invite you to come back and worship with us as often as possible. If you would like more information about our church, please see one of our Elders.

Lecture recital by Hailey Beard is October 24th, 4:00pm central time in the Schwob School of Music, Studio Theatre.

WOW Dinner at 5:15 on Wednesday with Bible Study afterwards.

Giving Fence needs items. If you have anything that you don't need or want and think it is in good shape, please donate it for our Giving Fence. Also needed are personal and household items.

Can Cross needs food items. Please give what you are able to help those who need food in our community. Please place your items in the Can Cross outside the pastor's office.

Wednesday Noon Prayer Service will meet at the front of the sanctuary at noon.

Large print editions of the **Glory to God Hymnal** are available for use and can be obtained from an usher.

Offering: You may now give online if you prefer using your debit/credit card. Go to https://firstpresbyterianeufaula.org/give on your phone and the website will direct you.

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Please pray for our church and the Pastor Nominating Committee, specifically during their regular meeting on Thursdays at 4:00. At this time, please stop what you are doing and pray.

Worshipers at Home: Pegge Abraham, Jane Price

Military Members: Nicole Barrett, Lamar Flowers

College Students: Jake Cournoyer, David Dixon, James Dixon, Haley Helbing, Benjamin Powers, Jake Taylor, Tabetha Taylor, Hailey Beard, Logan

Adams, John Stephen Powers, Gray Mitchell

Weekly Calendar

Sunday, October 19th

9:30 AM – Choir Rehearsal 10:15 AM - Coffee and Fellowship 11:00 AM –Gideon Speaker, Danny Lynn

Wednesday, October 22nd

12:00 noon – noon prayer 5:30 PM – WOW dinner, Bible study, Philippians

Thursday, October 23rd

5:30PM – PNC meeting

Sunday, October 26th

9:30 AM – Choir Rehearsal, 10:15 AM Coffee and Fellowship 11:00 AM – Worship

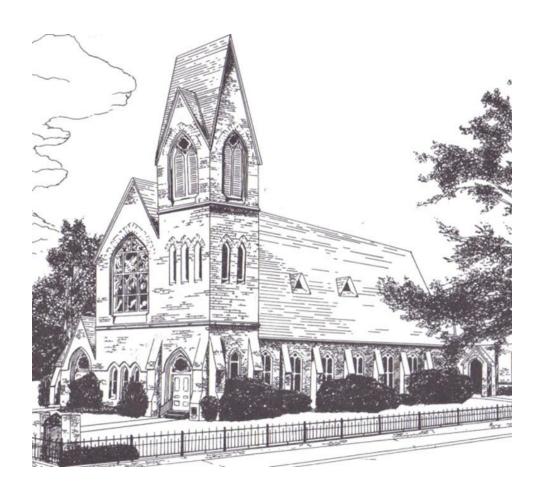
SESSION

Class of 2025	Class of 2026	Class of 2027
Edie Fiquett	Callie Strickland	Arnie Cutchen
Emily Parrish	Doug Winkleblack	Ginny Hornsby
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