

GATHERING

PRELUDE *“Prelude on Kingsfold”* arr. Sikes

CHIMING OF THE HOUR

CHORAL INTROIT “Make a Joyful Noise Unto the Lord” Jerry Kirk

+CALL TO WORSHIP

Make a joyful noise to God, all the earth;

sing the glory of God’s name;

give God glorious praise.

Say to God:

How awesome are your deeds!

Because of your great power,

Your enemies cringe before you.

All the earth worships you;

they sing praises to you,

sing praises to your name.

Come and see what God has done:

he is awesome in his deeds among mortals.

The fear of the Lord

is the beginning of wisdom;

all those who practice it have understanding.

God’s praise endures forever.

HYMN # 54 *“Make a Joyful Noise to God”* DIX

CALL TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Compassionate Christ,

you send us to cure the sick,

but we blame the sick for their choices.

You ask us to restore the unclean,

but we separate them into high risk pools.

You compel us to raise the dead,

but we insist some are beyond help.

In your patient and persistent mercy, forgive us, O Lord.

Teach us to heal without condition and help without limitation.

Enable us to love one another as you love us,

that as recipients of unmerited grace,

we may freely shower care upon all people.

(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

In the name of the One

who restores the lost,

raises the dead, and reigns on high,

I proclaim to you that your sins are forgiven.

Believe the good news of the gospel:

In Jesus Christ we are forgiven,

Healed and made whole.

+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 2 Kings 5: 1-15

Pew Bible page

ANTHEM *“The Lord’s My Shepherd”* Bob Chilcott
Chancel Choir

NEW TESTAMENT READING Luke 17: 11-19

Pew Bible Page

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks Be to God.

SERMON “Biblical Healing: Faith, Gratitude, and God’s Mercy”

Len Sparks

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 #22 *“God of the Sparrow”* ROEDER

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE/THE LORD’S PRAYER

THE OFFERTORY

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An offering plate is located in the rear of the sanctuary or you may mail your

contribution to First Presbyterian Eufaula at 201 N. Randolph Ave, Eufaula, AL 36027,

drop it by the church office, or give online at www.firstpresbyterianeufaula.org/give.

+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 #726 *“Will You Come and Follow Me ”*

KELVINGROVE

+BENEDICTION

+POSTLUDE *“Go With Us Lord”* Thomas Tallis

+ Congregation Standing

ANNOUNCEMENTS

WELCOME: We welcome back to our pulpit today, Len Sparks.

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 Schwab 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.

Cares & Concerns: David Nix, Teresa Barrett, Kaitlin Hoover Black, Betty Suddath, Judy Umstattd, Eden Coates, Fred McWaters, Carter McDonald, Darryl Kornegay, Melissa Scholl, Della Huffman, Carla Collins, Hilda Retherford, Linda Creel, Lincoln, Jane Nix, Christine Fisher, Teresa Orr, Margaret Beasley, Bill Elkins, John Mott, Don Wood, Tim Dykes. 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.

Worshippers 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, Tabettha Taylor, Hailey Beard, Logan Adams, John Stephen Powers, Gray Mitchell

Weekly Calendar

Sunday, October 12th

9:30 AM – Choir Rehearsal
10:15 AM - Coffee and Fellowship
11:00 AM –Worship with Len Sparks

Wednesday, October 15th

12:00 noon – noon prayer
5:30 PM – WOW dinner and Bible study following

Thursday, October 16th

5:30PM – PNC meeting

Sunday, October 19th

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

SESSION

<i>Class of 2025</i>	<i>Class of 2026</i>	<i>Class of 2027</i>
Edie Fiquett	Callie Strickland	Arnie Cutchen
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October 12th, 2025