

GATHERING

PRELUDE *“As the Deer” “I Love You, Lord”* Medley arr. Sikes

CHIMING OF THE HOUR

CHORAL INTROIT “This is the Day” Lloyd Larson

+CALL TO WORSHIP

You shall eat in plenty and be satisfied,
and praise the name of the Lord your God,
who has dealt wondrously
God’s people shall never again be put to shame.
O you who answers prayer!
To you all flesh shall come.
When deeds of iniquity overwhelm us,
you forgive our transgressions.
God’s people shall never again be put to shame.
You water the furrows of the fields abundantly,
the pastures of the wilderness overflow,
the hills gird themselves with joy.
God’s people shall never again be put to shame.
The Lord stood by me and gave me strength,
so that through me the message might be fully proclaimed
and all might hear it.
God’s people shall never again be put to shame.
All who exalt themselves will be humbled,
but all who humble themselves will be exalted.
God’s people shall never again be put to shame.

HYMN # 401 *“Here in This Place”* GATHER US IN

CALL TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Loving God,
too often we hide beneath the veil of religion
or trust too much in the good things we do.
Smug and safe in our pews, we look down on those not here,
thankful we are not like them.
Shatter us with the truth that all have sinned, even us.
We have failed to live as the people you call us to be.
Cleanse us and restore us,
for the sake of Jesus, our Savior.
(Silent Confession)

KYRIE #551

Lord, have mercy, Christ, have mercy, Lord, have mercy upon us.
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ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Whether we are close
or whether we are standing far off,
God’s love in Jesus Christ seeks us out
and gathers us in.
This is good news!
In Jesus Christ we are forgiven!

+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 106: 1-8
Pew Bible page 557

ANTHEM *“Built on the Rock”* Gordon Young
Chancel Choir

NEW TESTAMENT READING John 6: 1-13
Pew Bible Page 97

The Word of the Lord.
Thanks Be to God.

SERMON “When Little is Much” Reverend Herman Parker

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 #39 *“Great is Thy Faithfulness. Stanzas 1 & 3”*
FAITHFULNESS

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 #275 *“A Mighty Fortress is Our God”*
EIN FESTE BURG

+BENEDICTION

+POSTLUDE *“O Splendor of God’s Glory Bright”* Michael Praetorius

+ Congregation Standing

ANNOUNCEMENTS

WELCOME: We welcome back to our pulpit today, Reverend Herman Parker.

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.

WOW Dinner at 5:15 on Wednesday, October 29th where we will gather after supper and stuff goodie bags to hand out October 31th.

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.

Worshippers at Home: Pegge Abraham, Jane Price

Military Members: Nicole Barrett

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 26th

9:30 AM – Choir Rehearsal
10:15 AM - Coffee and Fellowship
11:00 AM –Worship with Reverend Herman Parker

Wednesday, October 29th

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

Thursday, October 30th

5:30PM – PNC meeting

Friday, October 31st

5:15PM – 7:00 Trick or Treat in front of the church.
Volunteers needed! Call Cathy Childree, 334-703-4295

Sunday, November 2nd

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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20th Sunday after Pentecost
October 26th, 2025