



SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS



WELCOME VISITORS: *We are glad you are here today! Please take a moment to sign the visitor card in the pew rack and drop it in the offering plate. We hope you feel free to join us again in worship!*

MEN'S GROUP - The Men's group will meet every Monday morning at 8 a.m. at Brock Hall.

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY - We will have a women's bible study Tuesday morning 8:30 a.m. – 10:00.

FPC LITTLE FREE LIBRARY - We need and are accepting books for our little free library out front.

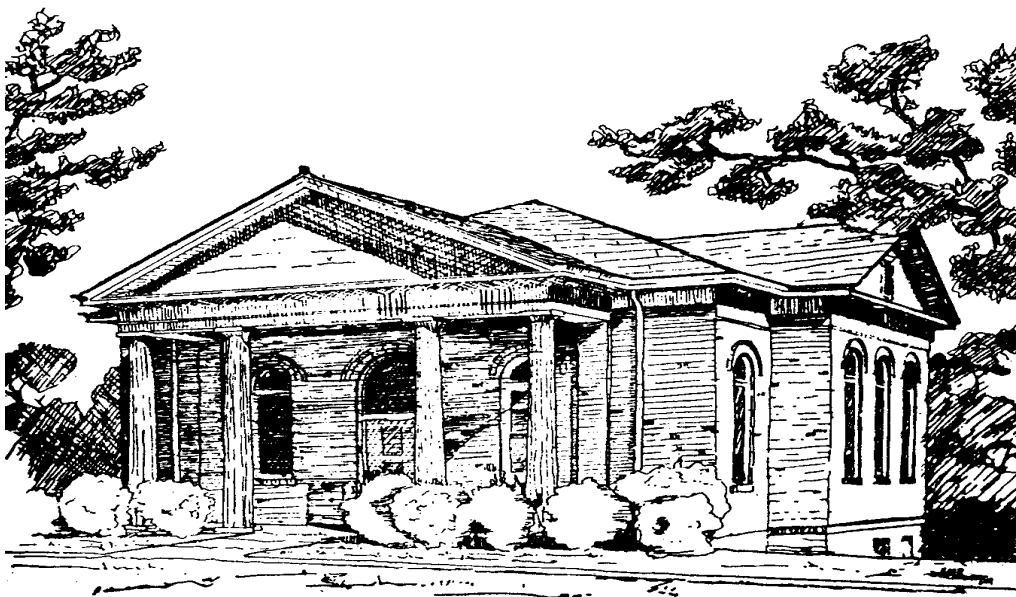
CHURCH DONATION - **You can now make a PayPal donation to the church by scanning the QR code below. (Open your smartphone camera and face it toward the QR code until a PayPal link appears at top.)**



The flowers in the Sanctuary are placed here this morning to the glory of God by *John McClendon*.

PRAYER CONCERNS:

Gwen “Bambi” Carter (Lauretta’s older sister who is on hospice) and her younger sister Stephanie Louis, who is recovering from recent brain surgery., Margaret Dean (Karen’s mother), Billy Griffith, The family of David Henderson, Verna Johnson (Linda Rass mother), Roger King, Alex Marovich, Sarah Martin, Billy Rollings, Charles Whatley (Martha McClendon’s brother).



*“Our Mission is to Glorify God, Make Disciples of Jesus Christ,
and Meet Human Need.”*



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Temporary Supply Pastor - Laretta Moore

ORDER OF WORSHIP

SUNDAY, JUNE 28, 2026

10:30 A.M.

PLEASE TURN OFF ALL CELL PHONES

GATHERING

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP

L: When we walk the pathways of destruction ...

P: We are met by the God of peace and reconciliation

L: When we sit and wonder if there is any way we can be of help ...

P: We encounter the Holy One who invites us to faithful service.

L: When we least expect it ...

P: The Holy One through the Spirit offers us life-giving water!

*OPENING HYMN

“Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee”

No. 1

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Patient God, each and every day you offer to us new hope and special blessings. From the rising of the sun to its descent, the light of your love pours on your creation. We love all these things, but we want to hold onto each of your blessings just for ourselves. Teach us to share openly and willingly with others. Forgive our selfishness and turn it to selflessness in service to you. Clear our minds and spirits from sadness to a sense of joy and adventure; for we offer this prayer in Jesus' name. AMEN.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

For as the heavens are high above the earth so great is God's steadfast love toward those who hold God in awe. As far as the east is from the west, so far God removes our sins from us. (Ps 103, vv11-12)

In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven!

*GLORIA PATRI

No. 623

*PASSING OF THE PEACE

SONG

“What an Awesome God” (Phil Wickham) *FPC Praise Band*

THE MESSAGE

SCRIPTURE READING

Matthew 10:40-42

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SERMON

“Reward Maintenance?”

Elder Moore

RESPONSE

SONG OF RESPONSE

“What a Beautiful Name it is” (Hillsong)

FPC Praise Band

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD’S PRAYER (debts/debtors)

OFFERING AND PRAYER OF DEDICATION

***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.**

***SONG OF SENDING**

“I Believe” (Phil Wickham)

FPC Praise Band

***CHARGE AND BLESSING**

**You go nowhere by accident. Wherever you go, God is sending you.
Wherever you are, God has put you there. He has a purpose in your being there.
Christ who dwells within you has something He wants to do through you where
you are.
Believe this and go in His love to “glorify God, make disciples of Jesus Christ, and
meet human need”.**

***POSTLUDE**

***Those who are able may stand**