



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 as it is passed late in the service. We hope you feel free to join us again in worship!*

MEN'S GROUP – The Men's group meets at 8 a.m. on Monday morning upstairs at Brock Hall.

WILDCAT PANTRY DONATIONS NEEDED

Please consider donating to our mission, the Wildcat Pantry. The pantry is a way for the Guntersville School system to address student poverty needs through offering a discreet way to obtain clothing, food, school supplies and personal hygiene items. Please bring items to the church and we will take them to the school.

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 Betsey Adams.

PRAYER CONCERNS:

Billy Griffith, Alex Marovich, Sarah Martin, Billy Rollings



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



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Supply Pastor - Laurette Moore

ORDER OF WORSHIP

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 26, 2025

10:30 A.M.

PLEASE TURN OFF ALL CELL PHONES

GATHERING

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP

L: God calls us to live a life of righteousness; but at the same time. God wants us to be honest in the confession of our sins.

P: **It is too easy for us to be silent about our sins and remind God of the good things we have done.**

L: God is pleased with our righteousness. But God also knows about our sinfulness and wants us to repent with true humility.

P: **May God be merciful to us for we are sinful people.**

*OPENING HYMN

“What A friend We Have in Jesus”

No. 435

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Many times, we have repented of our sins, Lord; but mentally we like to think we are keeping life in balance with our righteousness. Forgive us when we have tried to justify ourselves by deeds of righteousness. Forgive us when we have resisted the humility needed for an honest confession of sin. Reveal to us our sinful nature that we may seek your forgiveness with sincere penitence. We pray through Christ, our Redeemer. Amen

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

“As far as the east is from the west, so far hath He removed our transgressions from us.” (Psalms 103:12)

Friends, believe the good news of the gospel

In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven!

GLORIA PATRI

No. 623

*PASSING OF THE PEACE

CONTEMPORARY SONG

“Nobody” (Casting Crowns)

FPC Praise Band

THE MESSAGE

SCRIPTURE READING

Luke 18:9-14

pg. 1681

SERMON

“Be Exhalted”

Elder Moore

RESPONSE

SONG OF RESPONSE

“Peace (Bethel Music)

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

“Homesick for Heaven” (Phil Wickham)

FPC Praise Band

CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

**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**