

Faith Presbyterian Church
Service for the Lord's Day
September 27, 2015 10:45 AM

Faith Presbyterian Church Germantown strives to bring glory to God through our sustained efforts to lead people to place their faith in Jesus Christ. We provide an environment that encourages people to develop and live their Christian faith through prayer, worship, fellowship, and service while equipping them to contribute to the spiritual well-being and needs of others.



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A Global Movement of
Evangelical Presbyterian Churches

Gathering

Introit

Change My Heart, O God

Call to Worship

***Hymn #302**

“Rejoice, the Lord is King”

***Prayer of Adoration**

***Hymn #81**

“He Leadeth Me! O Blessed Thought”

Greeting One Another in Christ

Welcome and Announcements

Children's Message, Jon Fuschi

Following the message, children ages 3 through 3rd grade are dismissed for children's church

Anthem

I Am the Way

Pastoral Prayer

Scripture Lesson: Luke 11:33-36

Sermon

“The Light of the Christ-Centered Life”

Andrew Nordine

Presentation of God's Tithes and Our Offerings

***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**

***Affirmation of Faith**

The Apostle's 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 #524**

“Seek Ye First”

***Charge and Benediction**

**Please stand as able*

UPCOMING EVENTS

WEDNESDAYS WITH GOD

Dinner at 5:30 p.m., programs for all ages to follow

Menus:

September 30: Lasagna

October 7: Fried Chicken

October 14, 21, & 28: No WWG

NACOME FAMILY CAMP

OCTOBER 2—4

Please see Donna Gambill TODAY about payment. Lodging (2 nights) and all 6 meals are provided for the reasonable cost of \$125 for adults (age 13 and above) and \$90 for children between the ages of 3 and 12. Registration forms available at the front desk. Look forward to seeing you there.

MEN'S FISHING TRIP

Mountain Home, Arkansas

November 6-8

Sign up at the front desk

WORSHIP SCHEDULE FOR OCTOBER

October 4th	10:45 a.m. Worship in the Chapel John 4:1-19
October 11th	10:45 a.m. Worship in Faith Hall John 4:19-26
October 18th	10:45 a.m. Worship in the Chapel John 4:27-38
October 25th	10:45 a.m. Worship in Faith Hall, A. Carroll Stewardship Theme, Worship, Rev. 4:1-11

QUANTUM FAITH SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS SCHEDULE

October 4th	The second reconstruction of the south and the tyranny of political correctness
October 11th	Is the real world really a virtual world?
October 18th	The robots are coming! The robots are coming!

SAVE THE DATE: OMOM Benefit Dinner

Thursday October 22nd at 6:30 p.m. here at Faith. Join us to hear about Orange Mound Outreach Ministries and find out about all the great things going on there. Tickets are available for \$20 from Pastor Greg for a great BBQ dinner.

FAITH PRESBYTERIAN GOLF ASSOCIATION

We had 14 faithful golfers travel to Kirkwood National Golf Club in Holly Springs, MS in search of fame and fortune on Saturday, September 12. Our champions were Archie Fisher, Rob Draughon, and Dave Kemper. The real winner was charity as we raised \$120 for the DeLille's ministry. This concluded our 2015 season for the F PGA. We had 77 participants this year and raised \$770 for charity and that was with one rained out event. This was our sixteenth year for the F PGA. In those 16 years we have had 1255 participants and raised \$12,540 for charity. I want to thank everyone who participated this year. We had a lot of great fun and fellowship and continued to raise some money for charity. I want to give a special THANK YOU to Archie Fisher who again this year acted as our Treasurer and Official Starter.

TODAY: MEN'S MEETING FOR SEPTEMBER

This month our meeting is on September 27 and is our cook-out and games meeting. Since our days are getting shorter, we will be starting at 5:00 p.m. to give us a little more daylight for the games. So guys, come out and enjoy some hamburgers, hot dogs, fellowship and games. The guys from the youth group are also welcome to come and join in the fun! Please sign up at the information desk so we will know how much to prepare.

WOMEN'S DINNER

October 25 at 6:00 p.m.

Guest speaker: Karin Conlee, Women's Ministry Director, Highpoint Church

Please join us for this very special evening of fellowship and spiritual enlightenment.

Invitations will be arriving in your mailbox soon!

SAVE THE DATE:

Women's Annual Merry Mingle
Tuesday, December 3rd

YOUNG AT HEART

55 & over group

Seniors, retirees, or those young at heart

Quarterly Lunch and fellowship

October 15

11:30 a.m.—1:00 p.m.

RSVP by Monday, October 12 to Georgann at georgannp@aol.com or 754-4840

PASTORAL NOTES

Welcome to Faith Presbyterian church. I am glad you have come to worship God this morning. The fall season is a busy time for us all. Many of us retired members go on vacation this time of year. If you have children in school, this is also an active time. Those who are great football fans, it is the best time of year... and there is still work and things to do.

Sometimes life gets so hectic that we neglect the spiritual aspects of our life. We get caught up in work, play, family, and the list goes on, but do not remember to take time to nurture the soul. Going to worship is important, prayer is important, reading and reflecting on the scriptures is important, and fellowship with other Christians is important.

Just some things to think about as we fully enter the fall season.

The Lord Jesus be with you all, and to God be the glory,

Pastor Greg

ORANGE MOUND OUTREACH MINISTRIES

Needed now-- Orange Mound Outreach Ministries (OMOM) is **seeking volunteers** to assist with a new reading program that is being implemented at OMOM starting in September. We need volunteers in the afternoon and early evenings on Monday through Thursday to:

- (1) read out loud to the children as they follow along,
- (2) read with the children,
- (3) monitor the computer lab as the children read and take tests on the books they've read, etc.

Even if you only have 30 minutes each week to help it would be a great help. If you want more information about this project please email Patti Ruleman at pattiruleman@gmail.com or call the church at 754-4840.

There will be a training session to get you ready to work with the children.

FEED THE CHILDREN FIRST

The food bags project we have been doing at Orange Mound has been very successful. We started this project at the end of February of 2013 so it's been long enough now to see the effect it has had. The kids look forward to getting them each week, and the bags are a big help for the children to have access to some food over the weekend of their own. It really helps the center to not have to buy food for the kids they know don't have adequate food to eat over the weekend. We currently are sending 45 bags to the center every week. In October and November we would like to focus on increasing donations of food to pack the bags. We had enough food donated over the summer and packed by the kids at VBS, but as of October 1st that supply is completely used up. Food that is especially needed are individual packaged protein items. We want to focus on healthy foods. Good examples are individual peanut butter packs, pasta and meat canned meals. A complete list of suggested items is in the **OMOM Information Center** in the hallway by the coke machine, where you can find hand-outs, see pictures and examples of the bags. You can also leave your donations there any time. Also, we always need people to pack bags if you would like to volunteer in that capacity. Questions : Call Georgann Patterson at 754-4840.

PRAYER LIST

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER CONCERNS:

- Margaret Moon
- Frank Wilbourne
- Melissa Pruett
- Neely Draughton and Elizabeth Draughton
- Pat Holland
- Burline Jones
- Michael Vernon
- Norma Pittenger

OTHER REQUESTS FOR PRAYER:

- Nancy A., a friend of Mike and Nancy Patton
- John Shoemaker, friend of the Hillpots
- Johnathan Mross, grandson of Donald and Jane Heath
- Gary Baldwin, uncle of Dave Hillpot
- Sandi Yenser, daughter of Sandra Yenser
- Ned Grove, from the Rutherford family
- Keri Kircher and her family, niece of John and Di Randles
- Fran Jones, sister of Sherry Byrd
- Larry Mix, brother of Peggy Jones
- Jack Carter Mix, great nephew of Peggy Jones
- Amanda Cummings, from Erin Darden
- Carly Wright, from the DeLille family
- Jerry Reppert, brother-in-law of Robert Roberson
- Kathy Birdsong, from the Campbell family
- Allison, great niece of Jim and Peggy Jones
- Lisa Allen, from the Perry family
- Carl Mac Holmes, from the Adkins family
- Norma Roddy, friend of the Mannings
- Ed Reynolds from Steve and Sharon Chandler
- Robin and Makayla Fraizer, from the Farese family

*Send prayer requests to mattersoffaith@aol.com,
or call the church office at (901) 754-4840.*

PRAYERS FOR CONCERNS IN THE WORLD

- Refugees fleeing to Europe
- Kamal Fatmi, Evangelical Tunisian National Church, Tunis, Tunisia
- War in Syria, Iraq, Afghanistan; fighting in North Africa, and the ongoing tensions in the Ukraine
- Persecution and martyring of Christians in the Middle East

LOCAL MISSION EFFORTS

- Neighborhood Christian Center
- Memphis Family Shelter
- Orange Mound Outreach Ministry
- Soup Kitchen at 1st Presbyterian Church

THOSE IN MISSION FIELD & MINISTRY:

- Craig, Mary, Gennifer & Shelby DeLille
- South America Mission
- Nick & Amanda Unnerstall & family, World Outreach
- Brandon & Liz Wells & family, World Outreach

FOR THOSE STATIONED IN THE U.S. ON ACTIVE DUTY:

- LCDR Tim Foster USNR, Pastor, Highland Heights Pres.
- Jon David Hunter, Airman First class, Guam
- Pvt Will Locastro
- Sergeant Walt Krueger— son of Ginny and Eric Alter
- Anthony Snodgrass
- Master Sergeant Lisa Adkins
- Major Norvel Adkins
- Lcpl Keith Matthews
- CWO 3 Matt Letterman
- CWO2 Nathan Dziadosz
- Captain William Ceballos and family—Hillpots son in-law

THOSE DEPLOYED ABROAD DUTY:

- SPC4 Matthew Deal, grandson of Rosemary Timms
- ### INTERNATIONAL MISSION PROJECTS
- New church development in Dois Unidos, Brazil
 - Igreja Presbiteriana Renovada, Recife, Brazil
 - Rio Doce, New church development, Brazil

SUNDAY HOSPITALITY TEAMS

September 27

Di and John Randles
Bill and Kae King

October 4

Pam Bradshaw
Catherine Lawhead

Paul Lawler

Jeff Miller

October 11

Vickie Dunn

Tammy Strain

David Hayes

Gary Yenser

October 18

Bob and Barbara Kelly

Lisa and Norvel Adkins

October 25

Angela and Darren Aghabeg

Barbara and Jim Harris

November 1

Gloria Campbell

Marcia McCullough

Lynn Burdge

Carol Thorne



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Dr. C. Gregory Darden

September 20

YTD

Tithes & Offerings	\$8,425	\$430,905
Debt Reduction	\$2,000	\$91,210
Roof/H&AC/Other	\$0	\$189,500

Flowers

The flowers in the Chapel are given today by Ann Burgett to the glory of God and in loving memory of Don Burgett.