

First Presbyterian Church
December 31, 2023
Order of Worship

Prelude

Welcome and Sharing of Joys and Concerns

Al Roark

*God's Word Calls Us to Worship

**Glory to God in the highest, and on earth, peace, good will
towards men.
Come and worship
Worship Christ, the Newborn King.**

*Invocation

Al Roark

*Hymns of Praise:

Congregation

#138 Go, Tell It on the Mountain (1, 2, 3)
#345 Blessed Assurance (1, 2, 3)

Confession 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**

Confession of Sin and Assurance of Pardon

Romans 5:8-9

**But God demonstrates His own love toward us, in that while we
were still sinners, Christ died for us. 9 Much more then, having
now been justified by His blood, we shall be saved from the
wrath of God through Him.**

Stewardship of Tithes and Offerings

*Doxology

*Hymn

Congregation

#66 To God Be the Glory (1, 3)

Children's Message

Special Music

Casey Rowland

Morning Prayer

Scripture

Matthew 13: 1-23

Sermon

“The Parable of the Sower”

Daniel Rowland

*Benediction

Postlude

*All who are able please stand

Calendar of Events:

Wednesday — Prayer Meeting – 7:30-8:00 am

Happy Birthday this week:

Cassie Tennyson – January 2

In charge today:

Deacon – J. T. — Elder – Al — Children – Isabel

In charge next Sunday:

Deacon – Nick — Elder – Tyrone — Children – Elaine V.

Prayer List: (New in bold)

Bloodworth, Marie	Lavender, Vicki
Brown, Erin Trout	Little, Don Ray
Brownlee, David	Lofton, Leslie
Burkhalter, Walter	Lowery, Christie
Collins, Larry & Ann	Mabus, Jimmy & Susan
Country, State, City	McElrath, Pete
Crouch, Tony	McFerrin, Clay
Dacus, Rick	Miller, Dolores
Dew, Field	Miller, Glenn
Donaldson, Emy Cay	Morgan, Melinda
Draper, Jimmy	Morrow, Dawn
Edenfield, Joe & Patty	Perry, David
Flautt, Mike	Raney, Mike
Gilliam, Grant & family	Reece, Ann
Greer, Aubrey	Rowland, Davin
Griggs, Mike	Sanders, Bill
Hardy, Gay	Sanders, Linda
Hartley, Betsy	Shook, Edward
Henry, Sharon Roberts	Staten, Donald W.
Hill, Billy	Strider, Carol
Hurdle, Byron	Supreme Court
Israel	Tindle, Marlee
Johnson, Mike	Williams, Hoppy
Jones, Andrea	World
Knowles, Greg	



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