

PROCLAIMING THE WORD

THE WORD FOR CHILDREN

All the children are invited to come forward for the Word for Children. Afterward, children kindergarten and younger may go to children's activities downstairs.

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE LESSON

Acts 2:1-18, 38-47

SERMON

William B. Wade, Jr.
A New Thing?

RESPONDING TO THE WORD

- * ANTHEM *The Day of Pentecost* Hopson
Sanctuary Choir and Handbell Ensemble

A SERVICE OF INSTALLATION Day Kennon
(see insert)

- * AFFIRMATION OF FAITH *The Apostles' Creed*
p. 14 in front of hymnal

CONCERNS AND CELEBRATIONS

THE OFFERING OF SUBSTANCE AND LIFE

OFFERTORY

Albrecht
All Glory Be to God on High

- * GLORIA PATRI Hymn 579
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. Amen.

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

Come, Holy Spirit. Come with wind and fire. Shake us to our foundations. Breathe upon us. Send us out into the world with tongues passionately proclaiming the gospel, in Jesus' name. Amen.

SEALING OF THE WORD

THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

INVITATION

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING AND INTERCESSION

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God...

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

COMMUNION

Eat the bread when you feel ready to do so. This signifies God's presence to you individually. We will drink the cup together after all are served. This signifies God's presence to the Church.

- * THE LORD'S PRAYER p. 16 in front of hymnal

BEARING AND FOLLOWING THE WORD INTO THE WORLD

- * HYMN 335 (stanza 3) O WALY WALY
Come, Spirit, come, our hearts control, our spirits long to be made whole. Let inward love guide every deed; by this we worship and are freed.

- * CHARGE Acts 2:46-47
And day by day, attending the temple together and breaking bread in their homes, they partook of food with glad and generous hearts, praising God and having favor with all the people. And the Lord added to their number day by day those who were being saved.

BENEDICTION

- * CHORAL RESPONSE Hymn 319
Choir: refrain

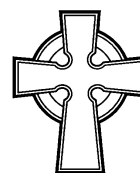
Spirit, spirit of gentleness, blow through the wilderness, calling and free, spirit, spirit of restlessness, stir me from placidness, wind, wind on the sea.

All: stanza 1

You moved on the waters, you called to the deep, then you coaxed up the mountains from the valleys of sleep, and over the eons you called to each thing, "Awake from your slumbers and rise on your wings."

All: refrain

- * POSTLUDE Michael Burkhardt
Now Thank We All Our God



WORSHIP NOTES

- * Dan Walden, Director of Youth and Children's Ministries, is assisting with the worship service today.
- * Please stand if you are able.
- * Please enter the sanctuary in a spirit of reverence as we prepare to worship God. Remember to **turn off cell phones** during the service.

IN OUR THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS

†Bettie Miller—broken foot
†Rucker Ginn—Rockdale Health Care Center (father of Amanda Rydel)
†Betsy (daughter of Betty Robinson)—home
†Carol McGiboney—surgery
†Troy Turner—non-Hodgkins lymphoma (Jean Oldham's son)
†Sandy Neisser—multiple leg surgeries over several weeks
†Patrick Carmichael—home
†Anita Huff—lung cancer, (step-daughter of Jean Oldham)
†Alton Gaston—cancer, (brother of Carolyn Jordan)
†Lori Pullan, hospice care (Doug Arnold's sister)
†Courteney LeCroix Hoover—waiting for double lung transplant, Florida
†Shirley Smith, needs kidney transplant (Clarence Price's sister)

Covington Square

†Rita Harrell
†Joy Knight

Assisted Living/Nursing Homes:

†Sarah Chesnut - Covington Manor
†Mary Cline -Azalea Gardens, Conyers
†Margie Rutherford -Rockdale Health Care Center
† Russ Cole—Azalea Gardens
†Gretchen Buendia - Parkwood Nursing and Rehabilitation Center, Snellville
†Helen and George Stamps—Benton House
†Mary Crudup—Benton House

Military:

†Savannah Cannon
†Mike Laib
†John Rossi
†Renee Boston
†Charles Bailey

We extend our sympathy and prayers for Bob and Darcel Tabb and family in the death of his father, James Tabb, who died on Tuesday.

Hospital Visitor:
Mary Bollinger

THIS WEEK AT FPC

Sunday, June 12

Day of Pentecost

9:30 Children's Choir
9:45 Sunday School
11:00 Worship Service with Elder Installation & Communion

Noon Session Meeting

Tuesday, June 14

4:00 Exercise Class

Wednesday, June 15

2:00 Session-sponsored Children's Party at Homeless Shelter

Thursday, June 16

10:30 Ambassador Choir
2:00 Movie "Sea Biscuit" and Popcorn for Cov. Square Residents

Sunday, June 19

Trinity Sunday

Father's Day

9:45 Sunday School
11:00 Worship Service

Activities in the Life of the Church

An Exercise Class is held on Tuesdays at 4:00 p.m. in the fellowship hall. All adults are invited to participate.

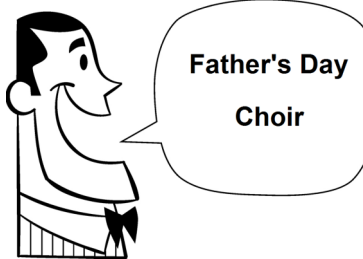
Prayer Requests may be made by filling out the yellow cards in the pew racks and placing them in the offering plate or in the box on the table in the narthex.

Popcorn and a Movie

Our neighbors residing in the high-rise are invited to view the movie "Sea Biscuit" at 2 p.m. on Thursday, June 16. Popcorn and soft drinks will be served. Members and friends of FPC are encouraged to attend the movie and provide the warm hospitality we are known to share with guests.



FATHER'S DAY CHOIR



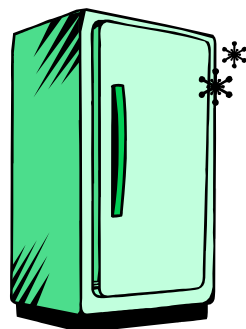
Attention men of the church! We are forming a Father's Day choir to sing on Sunday, June 19, and we would like for you to be a part of it! It has become a First Presbyterian Church tradition to have fathers in the church sing two short anthems on Father's

Day as part of worship that day. No special singing skills are required; just meet in the choir room at 9:45 am for rehearsal and we'll prepare two simple pieces to sing during worship that morning. It's that simple. If you need some coaxing or just have any questions, e-mail Alan Bunn at abunn@jackson.k12.ga.us or give him a call at 770.891.0235. We look forward to hearing you guys on Sunday morning, June 19, for the Father's Day choir!

Summertime is wonderful — a time to rest and relax and travel. If you will be away from church during the Summer, please remember to send your offering as our expenses are year-round. Thank you for your good stewardship.

Upright Freezer Needed

The Community Food Pantry has an urgent need for an upright freezer for food storage. If you know someone who would like to donate a working freezer, please contact the church office at 770-786-7321, or e-mail penihaug@bellsouth.net



WELCOME TO FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF COVINGTON

If you would like information about membership or the programs, mission, and fellowship of the church, speak to one of the pastors as you leave or call the church office at 770-786-7321.

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First Presbyterian Church is affiliated with the **Care and Counseling Center of Rockdale and Newton**, a resource to help with counseling needs. Call 404-636-1457 ext. 436, for an appointment, or ask the church staff for more information.

THANKS TO THOSE SERVING US TODAYSERVING

Caring for Our Youngest Members in the Nursery:

Garvin Family
Moss Family
Next week:
Hawley Family
Bates Family

Hosts:

Jerry Gunter

Ushers:

Carol Capell & Lelia Raines
Jonathan & Sallie Paschal

Sound System:

Ken Walker

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH SESSION

Class of 2011

Jean Blair
Carol Dunbar
Rick Gunter
Jay Lanners
Donna Weesner

Class of 2012

Bernice Bailey
Rebecca Bates
Day Kennon
Mac Cranford
Judy Hooten

Class of 2013

Patrick Carmichael
Judy Davis
Denny Dobbs
Aubrey Evans
Dave Gregory

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH CHURCH STAFF-

William B. Wade, Jr.
Louly Fowler Hay

Pastor

Parish Associate
Dan Walden
Director of Youth
and Children's Ministry

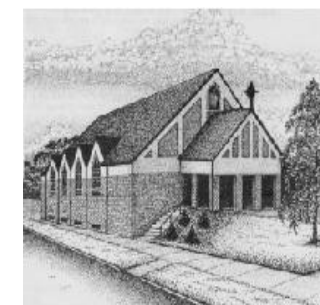
Peni Haug
Alan Bunn

Secretary-Treasurer
Music Director

Alice Walker
CAGO, AAGO
Organist/Ambassador Choir

Pauleen Green & Maria Serrato
Nursery

Krissy Jones
Director of the
Early Learning Center



FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Covington, Georgia

June 12, 2011
Pentecost Sunday

Order of Worship

GATHERING AROUND THE WORD

PRELUDE

Prelude on LASST UNS ERFREUEN Gerald Peterson
Draw Us to You ACH GOTT UND HERR

OPENING SENTENCES

Acts 2:1-4

CALL TO WORSHIP

(Text, Hymn 131: Troeger)

Choir:

Wind who makes all winds that blow—
gusts that bend the saplings low,
gates that heave the sea in waves,
stirrings in the mind's deep caves—
aim your breath with steady power
on your church this day, this hour.
Raise, renew the life we've lost,
Spirit God of Pentecost.

All:

**Holy Spirit, Wind and Flame,
move within our mortal frame.
Make our hearts an altar pyre,
kindle them with your own fire.
Breathe and blow upon that blaze
till our lives, our deeds and ways,
speak that tongue which every land
by your grace shall understand.**

Come, Come!
Children's Choir

BEDFORD

* PROCESSIONAL HYMN 466

AZMON

O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing

* PRAYER OF PRAISE AND ADORATION

* THE PASSING OF THE PEACE

The peace of Christ be with you.

And also with you.

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS