



FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH (USA)

“Seeking to know Christ and make Christ known”

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FEBRUARY 2018

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Clerk of Session – Zoe Powell

Treasurer – Al Peak

Newsletter – Barbara Osburn

Sexton – Veronica Curry

ELDERS – 2018

Ruby Burggrabe

Bobby Dixon

Al Peak

ELDERS – 2019

Wayne Fiquett

Doug Metz

Mickey Straughn

ELDERS – 2020

Terry Honan

Richard Martin

Karen Sterling

News from Reverend John Brock

Dear Friends,

I can't fully explain how excited I am that you have chosen me to become your installed pastor! I want to thank the PNC for the opportunity to continue to minister and love this church. I want to thank the session and the congregation for trusting in my ability to lead and shepherd the church in the coming years.

I want you all to know that you are constantly in my prayers, and so I also ask that you pray for the church and for me in the coming months. We are at the beginning of a journey to find what new ways we can minister in our wonderful community. Let us pray for discernment in this time of transition.

Grace, Peace, and Love,

John

FIRST PRES HAPPENINGS

We, the congregation, are very elated and jumping with joy over the selection of John T. Brock as our new minister. The members of the PNC are to be congratulated on a job well done and with much appreciation from us. The PNC members were: Mickey Straughn, Terry Honan, Arnie Cutchen, Karen Sterling, Steve Hawkins and Cathy Childree.

CONGRATULATIONS to two members of First Presbyterian and members of the choir for being named “Employees of the Year ‘backbone’ of schools”: Jenni James Clark, Eufaula Elementary School and Cathy Childree, Eufaula Primary School. Thank you both for the work you do on behalf of “our” children.

Persons may enter into active church membership in the following ways:

- a. Public profession of faith, made after careful examination by the session in the meaning and responsibilities of membership; if not already baptized, the person making profession of faith shall be baptized.
- b. Certificate of transfer, when a person is a member of another Christian church at the time of transfer.
- c. Reaffirmation of faith, for persons previously baptized in the name of the triune God and having publicly professed their faith.

Yoga classes with Nicole Olszyk are Monday and Thursday evenings from 5:30 to 6:30 in our Fellowship Hall. \$10 per class. Bring a yoga mat, water and an open mind. Yoga is good for your body and good for your soul. Nicole Olszyk (334.695.5448)

PRAYERS and HEALTH CONCERNS

HEALTH CONCERNS

Glady Flake, Wes Ludlam, Eddie Hinds, Jane & David Nix, Crawford Perninci, Eric Maddox, Pam Culberson, Jean Thomas, Ragan Cain, Josh Jones, Don DeCastro, John & Lou Martin, Beth Hicks, Carolyn Johnson, Travis Wilson, Tami Robinson, Willie Bledsoe Berwick, Frank Grant, Haldine Baxter, Sam Williams, Scott Gann

WORSHIPERS AT HOME

Pegge Abraham, Bette Bland, Emma Foy, Barbara Morrison, Jane Price, Van Smith, Bobby and Lanette White

Prayers and/or Health concerns - please send the information via email:

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MISSIONARIES:

Zamorano family
(YWAM in Jarabacoa, Dominican Republic)

Charles & Sarah Kaye
(The Bridge in Granada, Nicaragua)

MILITARY SERVICE:

Reed Burggrabe, Lamar Flowers,
Brooks Welk, and Taylor Welk

NINE COMMUNITIES WE SERVE WITH LIVING WATERS:

Los Higos, Hatillo, Matagorda, Limonal, Mata de Plantano,
Los Corrales, Piedra Blanca Abajo, La Quebrada, Pasa Bajito

The deadline for submissions to the March newsletter is Friday,
February 23rd at **NOON**.

Contact Barbara Osburn beosburn33@gmail.com

Sunday worship services are televised on Wednesday and Sunday nights at 8:00 pm on Channel 97 with Cable. If you have a flat screen with no cable box, tune in to 115.5. The services are also on Eufaula TV1 YouTube and are broadcast one week after the actual service.

FEBRUARY - 2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1 5:30 Yoga	2	3 8:00 Men's Breakfast
4 5 th Sunday after Epiphany 9:15 Worship Committee Meeting 11:00 Worship Service	5	6 6:00 Eufaula Art Scene – Visitors Welcome	7 Noon Prayer Group 5:15 WOW – Burning of Palms 6:30 Choir Rehearsal	8 5:30 Yoga	9	10
11 Transfiguration of the Lord 9:15 Session Meeting 11:00 Worship with Communion	12 5:30 Yoga	13	14 5:30 Ash Wednesday Service – Communion by Intinction 6:30 Choir Rehearsal	15 5:30 Yoga	16	17
18 1 st Sunday in Lent 11:00 Worship Service	19 5:30 Yoga	20 6:00 Circle Meeting	21 5:30-6:00 Lenten Service led by Rev. Hamby - light supper afterwards Elders Bobby Dixon, Marian McWaters & Ruby Burggrabe will serve Communion by Intinction 6:30 Choir Rehearsal	22 5:30 Yoga	23 12 noon DEADLINE FOR MARCH NEWSLETTER ARTICLES	24
25 2 nd Sunday in Lent 11:00 Worship Service	26 5:30 Yoga	27	28 5:30-6:00 Lenten Service led by Rev. Hamby - light supper afterwards Elders Bobby Dixon, Marian McWaters & Ruby Burggrabe will serve Communion by Intinction 6:30 Choir Rehearsal			



ANNIVERSARIES
23rd – Marilyn & Bob Wheat



BIRTHDAYS
7th Tricia Cain - 7th Jack Tibbs - 8th Russell Strickland
10th Nancy Phillips - 14th Emma Shorter - 18th Sue
Winkleblack - 21st William King – 21st Meri Beth Shorter