

# First Presbyterian Church of Tuscumbia

Established 1824



“To Glorify God, and to Enjoy Him Forever”

## LORD'S DAY MORNING WORSHIP

February 22, 2026

Nine-Thirty A.M.

## Tuscumbia, Alabama

*(Please turn off all electronic devices.)*

When you enter into the doors of the sanctuary, silently prepare to meet the Triune God.

## THE PRELUDE

Mr. Brian Beck

## WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

## PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP

## Church Choir

## THE CALL TO WORSHIP

Malachi 1:11

**Pastor:** *For from the rising of the sun to its setting my name will be great among the nations,*

**People:** *And in every place incense will be offered to my name, and a pure offering.*

**For my name will be great among the nations, says the LORD of hosts.**

## THE INVOCATION

## THE OLD TESTAMENT READING Psalm 67:1-7

## THE CONFESSION OF SIN

Matthew Henry, 1712

*Oh Lord, my God, I am ashamed and blush to lift my face to You, for our iniquities have risen*

*Oh Lord, my God, I am ashamed and blush to lift my face to You, for our iniquities have risen higher than our heads, and our guilt has mounted up to the heavens. Have mercy upon us, most merciful Father, for Your Son our Lord Jesus Christ's sake. Forgive us all that is past, and grant that we may ever hereafter serve and please You in newness of life, to the honor and glory of Your name. Amen.*

## THE ASSURANCE OF PARDON

John 3:16

*For God so loved the world, that he gave his only Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life.*

\*Congregation standing

## THE CONFESSION OF FAITH

The 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*

\*catholic means universal

## THE OFFERING

### \*THE DOXOLOGY

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise Him, all creatures here below;  
Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host: praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.*

## THE PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

THE HYMN OF ASSURANCE      "How Sweet the Name of Jesus Sounds"      No. 647

## THE PASTORAL PRAYER

*Our Father, who art in Heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen*

## THE READING OF THE SCRIPTURE

Matthew 16:13-21

Pastor: *This is the Word of God*

People: *Thanks be to God!*

## THE SERMON

"His Mighty Church"

Dr. Dominic Aquila

\*THE HYMN OF RESPONSE      "Christ Shall Have Dominion"      No. 439

## \*THE BENEDICTION

\*Congregation standing

# LORD'S DAY EVENING WORSHIP

February 22, 2026

Six P.M.

Tuscumbia, Alabama

(Please turn off all electronic devices)  
When you enter into the doors of the sanctuary, silently prepare to meet the Triune God.

THE PRELUDE

Mr. Brian Beck

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 124, 96

Pastor: *Our help is in the name of the LORD,*

**People:** *Who made heaven and earth.*

Pastor: *Sing to the Lord, bless his name;*

**People:** *Tell of his salvation from day to day.*

Pastor: *Declare his glory among the nations,*

**Pastor:** *His marvelous works among all the peoples!*

THE INVOCATION

\*THE HYMN OF PRAISE

"Christ for the World We Sing"

No. 447

OFFERING

\*THE DOXOLOGY

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise Him, all creatures here below; Alleluia, Alleluia.  
Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host: praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost, O praise Him, O praise  
Him, Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia.*

\*THE PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

THE EVENING SONGS

THE EVENING PRAYER

THE READING OF THE SCRIPTURE

Acts 16:11-40

Pastor: *This is the Word of God.*

**People:** *Thanks be to God!*

THE SERMON

"All Sinners: Candidates for Grace"

Dr. Dominic Aquila

\*THE HYMN OF RESPONSE

"Come Ye Sinners, Poor and Wretched"

No. 472

## AM Service

## “His Mighty Church”

Matthew 16:13-21

Dr. Dominic Aquila

## PM Service

## “All Sinners: Candidates for Grace”

## Acts 16:11-40

Dr. Dominic Aquila

## ANNOUNCEMENTS



The Sacrament  
of the  
Lord's Supper



COLLEGE  
AND  
YOUNG ADULTS



**THANK YOU** for your generous donation to Gideons International. The total given was \$2,357.

**THE LORD'S SUPPER** will be served in next Sunday morning's worship service. As you enter the sanctuary, please prepare for this sacred time by prayer and meditation.

**OUR MONTHLY FELLOWSHIP MEAL** will be next Sunday after Sunday school. If your last name begins with N-Z, bring a side dish and a dessert. If your last name begins with A-M, bring a main dish. Everyone come and enjoy the food and fellowship.

**DINNER FOR 8** will be beginning again! Sign up to host or attend a meal and drop your form off in the bowl on the annex table. Dinners will be held in the Spring.

**WOMEN'S RETREAT MARCH 13-14TH** Mark your calendars and plan to join us in the Fellowship Hall, as we gather for worship, prayer, great food and fellowship. We will be looking into God's Word and the beauty of Christian hospitality. Register now on the church's website. [tuscumbiapres.com/women](http://tuscumbiapres.com/women) Cost \$15; Nursery/childcare is not available for this event but small babies are welcome to come with their mom if needed. Ladies, plan to join us for another great retreat weekend together.

**FEBRUARY COOKING CLASS:** Saturday 28th 2-4pm. Women and girls are invited to share in the joy of cooking together and preparing delicious meals. Classes will be in the Fellowship Hall kitchen. There is no cost to participate. Contact Bethany Giles to reserve your spot (class size is limited).

**COLLEGE AND YOUNG ADULTS** will meet Friday February 27th at 6:00pm we will continue in our study of John Bunyan's book on prayer. We will meet at Jimmy and Gail Hughston's house 323 Martin Dr. Muscle Shoals, AL 35661

**SAVE THE DATE! VBS 2026** will be held June 1st-5th make sure to mark your calendars!

**THE COLBERT CARING CENTER** services an average of 30-50 families per week. The center is always in need of the following items: jelly, toilet paper, baby diapers (any size), and personal hygiene items like, deodorant, shampoo/body wash, toothpaste and toothbrushes. This is ongoing, and items can be put in the box in the Traveler's Classroom. Thanks so much for your continued support and generosity.

*The flowers today are placed to the glory of God and in memory of Leland and Aurelia Lee and Willard and Esther Harland by Gary and Ann Harland and Penny Graves.*

## **COMMUNION SCHEDULE 2026**

Mar 1, Apr 5, May 3, Jun 7, Jul 5, Aug 2, Sep 6, Oct 4, Nov 1, Dec 6

### **THIS WEEK'S VOLUNTEER SCHEDULE:**

#### **SUN 2/22**

|                         |                               |
|-------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Nursery am .....        | Simone Singleton, Leslie Reed |
| Nursery pm .....        | Jennifer Karr, Taylor Brooker |
| Greeter.....            | Mike Bishop, Claudia Myers    |
| Security.....           | Team 2                        |
| Youth SS 2nd adult..... | Chase Kilpatrick              |

### **NEXT WEEK'S VOLUNTEER SCHEDULE:**

#### **SUN 3/1**

|                         |                                  |
|-------------------------|----------------------------------|
| Nursery am .....        | Kim Norris, Elizabeth Marchman   |
| Nursery pm .....        | Jason Tucker, Elizabeth Mitchell |
| Greeter.....            | Grady & Edna Hensley             |
| Security.....           | Team 3                           |
| Youth SS 2nd adult..... | Adam Isbell                      |

### **PRAYERS FOR THE SICK, STRUGGLING, AND RECOVERING IN OUR CHURCH FAMILY**

|                     |                        |                    |
|---------------------|------------------------|--------------------|
| Janie Craigie       | Jimmy and Etta Barnett | Margie Beck        |
| Joe and Sandy Finch | Bob Head               | Judge Hal Hughston |
| Elaine Kelsoe       | Mary Ann Ligon         | M. B. Myers        |
| Hanna Ruggles       | Chip Simpson           | Terri Snipes       |
| Dinie Stone         | Doris Talley           | Pam Wilson         |

### **REGULARLY SCHEDULED SERVICES:**

|               |            |                                                                               |
|---------------|------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>Sunday</b> | 9:00 A.M.  | Men's Prayer, Men's Classroom<br>Women's Prayer,<br>Carrie Belle Johnson Room |
|               | 9:30 A.M.  | Morning Worship, Sanctuary                                                    |
|               | 10:45 A.M. | Sunday School                                                                 |
|               | 6:00 P.M.  | Evening Worship, Sanctuary                                                    |

**Wednesday**      6:00 P.M.      Adult Bible Study in the Psalms, Youth, and Children

## CHURCH DIRECTORY

Office (256) 383-2412 ~ Church Building (256) 383-7494  
108 North Broad St., Tuscumbia, AL 35674

Website: [www.tuscumbiapres.com](http://www.tuscumbiapres.com) Email: [tuscumbiapres@gmail.com](mailto:tuscumbiapres@gmail.com)  
Office hours: Monday through Friday, 8am to 3pm (closed from noon to 1 for lunch)

### STAFF

Dr. Jeff Hamm, Pastor  
Dr. Gary Nantt, Pastoral Assistant  
Adina Stone, Director of Music  
Brian Beck, Organist

Rev. Drew Tunnell, Associate Pastor  
Jennifer Richardson, Bookkeeper  
Cayla Spencer, Secretary  
Thomas Jones, Sexton

### SESSION

Jonathan Parker, Buddy Whitlock, Taylor Brooker  
Jimmy Hughston, Jameson Hughston (*Stated Clerk*)  
Al Willis, Lee Hudson, Hal Hughston, Jr.

*Emeritus Elders*  
Ron Hudson, Bill Lacey  
M.B. Myers, Rusty Trapp

### DIACONATE

Class of 2030: Sean Jacobson, Jacob Johnson  
Class of 2028: Adam Isbell, Russ Tate, Jason Tucker (*Chairman*)  
Class of 2026: Beau Cooper, Gordon Ruggles

*Emeritus Deacons*  
Wyatt Simpson

### WIC COUNCIL

Stephanie Isbell, *President*  
Rebecca Hovater, *Vice President*  
Karen Willis, *Secretary*  
Simone Singleton, *Treasurer*

Reba Griffith, *Missions*  
Marie Woodall, *Christian Growth*  
Mary Brooker, *Nursery Chairman*  
Bethany Giles, *Historian*

Gail Hughston, *Circle I Chrm.*  
Susanne Wadsworth, *Circle II Chrm.*  
Jan Hudson, *Circle III Chrm.*

### NATIONAL & LOCAL MINISTRIES

All Saints Reformed Church, St. George, Utah  
Colbert Caring Center  
Common Ground Shoals  
Covenant Christian School  
French Camp Academy  
Gideon's International  
Good Shepherd Presbyterian Church Plant  
Mission to North America

Providence Presbytery  
Reformed Theological Society  
Shoals Sav-A-Life  
RUF: Alabama A&M University, *Marcus Nobles*

### INTERNATIONAL MISSIONARIES

Rev. & Mrs. Richard Bailey, *Australia*  
Rev. & Mrs. Joel Linton, *Taiwan*  
Rev. & Mrs. Rob Ilderton, *England*  
Rev. & Mrs. Verne Marshall, *Chile*

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