

**THE SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY
THE DAY OF PENTECOST
9:00 A.M.**

Welcome

(Please sign and pass the Friendship Pad to the end of the pew.)

Celebration of Praise

*Shout to the North
Power of Your Love
There Is a Redeemer*

Prayer of Thanksgiving & The Lord's Prayer

Minute for Mission – Pentecost Offering

Worship Through Giving

Special Music Handbell Ensemble
Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah

Scripture Lesson – Acts 2:1-21 NT Page 119

Sermon Rev. Blaine Walker
“More Than We Expected!”

Closing *O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing*

Benediction

Response *He Is Lord*

He is Lord. He is Lord.
He is risen from the dead and He is Lord.
Every knee shall bow, every tongue confess
That Jesus Christ is Lord. (repeat)

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11:00 A.M.**

PREPARATION

ASSEMBLING – Greet one another as we enter God's house.

WELCOME & CONCERNS OF THE CHURCH

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MINUTE FOR MISSION – Pentecost Offering

MEDITATION IN MUSIC Handbell Ensemble
Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah

A PRAYER FOR PERSONAL MEDITATION

All the earth is full of your glory, O God; the heavens resound in praise of your name. Streams ramble along the course you designed for them; leaves whisper of your manifold ways. Fields murmur as you pass through them; in the skies the thunder sounds its applause. With countless tongues and voices creation welcomes your presence. We join that throng and lift up our chorus, “Praise God, from whom all mercies flow!” Amen.

SPECIAL MUSIC Mr. Ken White

CALL TO WORSHIP – Responsive

LEADER: Alleluia! The Spirit of the Lord fills the entire world.
PEOPLE: Let the righteous be glad and rejoice before God. Alleluia!
LEADER: With tongues of fire, the Spirit kindles the apostle's zeal.
PEOPLE: They declare in new tongues the wonderful works of God.
LEADER: Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.
PEOPLE: And blessed be his kingdom now and forever.
UNISON: Alleluia! Come, Holy Spirit! Come and fill the hearts of your faithful people with your love. Alleluia! Amen!

***HYMN OF PRAISE** *O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing* Page 466

***INVITATION TO CONFESSION**

***CONFESSION OF SIN** – Unison

God of wisdom and understanding, have mercy upon us as we confess our sin. Your children are scattered; language keeps them apart. Forgive us for the cultural pride that refuses to learn the language of another. Forgive us for the barriers of insensitivity that repel those whom you seek to call through us. By your Spirit's power undo the plight of Babel by the miracle of Pentecost, to the end that all may hear the gospel and praise the risen Christ with one voice. Amen.

***WORDS OF ASSURANCE**

***RESPONSE OF PRAISE** – *Gloria Patri*

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.

PROCLAMATION

THE WORD OF GOD IN MUSIC Chancel Choir
Oh, for a Thousand Tongues to Sing

SCRIPTURE LESSON – Acts 2:1-21

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LEADER: The Word of the Lord.

PEOPLE: Thanks be to God.

SERMON “More Than We Expected!” Rev. Blaine Walker

RESPONSE

***HYMN** *Spirit* Page 319

***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH** – The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth,
I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

OFFERING

OFFERTORY *Holy Spirit, Light Divine*
“Shine upon this heart of mine.”

***THE 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.

***THE PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING & THE LORD'S 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.

***HYMN** *Fill Me Now* Lao-Eng. Page 29

***CHARGE & BENEDICTION**

***CLOSING RESPONSE** *He Is Lord*

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POSTLUDE

(*) All who are able please stand. FM Listening Enhancement Devices and a Wheelchair are available. Please ask an usher for assistance. Large print hymnals are located in the cabinets in the Narthex.

THE INVITATION

We invite you to commit your life to the Lord Jesus Christ through discipleship to him through membership in his body, the church. At the conclusion of each worship service an Elder stands at the baptismal font ready to answer questions or to explain the steps toward membership. Come join us!

THIS WEEK IN WORSHIP AND SERVICE

Today, May 23

9:00 A.M. Contemporary Worship Service, Sanctuary
9:45 A.M. Coffee Break/Fellowship Time, Scoggins Hall
10:00 A.M. Sunday School
11:00 A.M. Traditional Worship Service, Sanctuary
6:00 P.M. Agape Fellowship – Program: Adult Music Program
Menu: make-your-own sandwich & dessert

Monday, May 24

8:00 P.M. AA Meeting, Hoyt Room

Tuesday, May 25

12:00 Noon Al-Anon Meeting, Library
5:00 P.M. ADK Meeting, Scoggins Hall
6:00 P.M. Lao Small Group, Church Office
6:30 P.M. Young Adults Small Group, Bobby's House
7:00 P.M. Personnel Committee Meeting, Church Office

Wednesday, May 26

5:00 P.M. Youth Bible Study & Meal, Bobby's House
6:30 P.M. Chancel Choir Rehearsal, Sanctuary

Thursday, May 27

7:00 P.M. Gene White's Small Group, Bobby's House
8:00 P.M. Al-Anon Meeting, Library
8:00 P.M. AA Meeting, Hoyt Room

Friday, May 28

8:00 P.M. AA Meeting, Hoyt Room

PERSONS WHO SERVE THIS WEEK

Elders of the Month: 1. Gene White 2. Bob Kushman
3. Martha Lee Sherman 4. Mike Crawford
Greeters & Ushers: 9:00 John & Brenda Boonstra & family
11:00 Stan & Pat Perry
Sound System: 9:00 Gary Hulsey
11:00 Todd Truelove
Projection System: 9:00 Todd Coker
Audio-Video System: Toui Khamatsamay
Nursery Attendants: Ashley Galloway & Haley Black

CHURCH FLOWERS

The flowers were placed in the sanctuary in honor of Bing Dokter on her 93rd birthday today by her children, Jan and Ron White, Jack and Sheila Dokter and Karen and Ron Sprayberry.

THE WELCOME

In the name of Jesus Christ we welcome you to First Church, with the hope that this service of worship will be for you an experience of genuine communion with God and God's children. If you have not found a church home, we hope that you will consider joining us in worship, study, fellowship and service. There is a place for you here in which you can both give and receive.

“A STAR SPANGLED BANNER SALUTE TO AMERICAN HEROS”

A Memorial Day Concert will be held on Monday, May 31st at 7:30pm in the Sanctuary of the Gainesville First Baptist Church, located on Greet Street. Admission is free and all are invited! Speak to Troy Webb for more information.

KOINONIA SUNDAY

Next Sunday is Koinonia Sunday. The morning will begin with Sunday School at 10:00 a.m. We will have only one worship service which will be at 11:00 a.m. A “covered dish” meal will follow in Scoggins Hall. Please bring food to share.

YOUTH UPDATE

Join us tonight for “Movie Night” at 6:00. We will gather up some sandwiches at Agape and then make our way over to Bobby's House for the movie. (Sweets and junk food will be provided.)

We will be continuing our “Thou Shalt Laugh” bible study on Wednesday, May 26, at 5:00. A light meal will be provided.

Upcoming event: Summer LOGOS – Wednesday, June 2 – 5:00 p.m.
(Your assistance would be greatly appreciated.)

LOGOS NEWS

Final preparations are being made for our “Western Round-up Day” on June 2 at 5:00. Please let us know if you are bringing a friend with you, and our LOGOS volunteers need to let us know if they will be joining us for their special appreciation dinner that evening.

GOOD SAMARITAN OFFERING

A Good Samaritan Offering will be taken next Sunday to help someone in need.

STEPHEN MINISTRY

One of the ministries of our Stephen Ministers is to pray for the concerns of our church family. If you have a prayer request, you may use the Prayer Request Card in the pew rack. Place the card in the marked box on the hall table. Your Stephen Ministry Team: Bill and Betty Ford, Cees and Jannie de Waart and Betty Gillette.

FITNESS CLASSES

“Pilates and More” exercise classes are being offered at the church. The classes are taught by Tina Kushman. The cost per class session is \$5.00. The classes are held in one of the downstairs classrooms in the church building on Thursdays from 5:30-6:30 and Saturdays from 10:00-11:00. You will need to bring a Yoga mat and a water bottle.

Visit our Website: www.corfpc.org

Worship Services broadcast on Windstream's Channel 4

Sundays at 5 p.m. & Wednesdays at 6 p.m.

Church Office – 706-778-2822, Care Line – 706-776-3113

WELCOME



FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH CORNELIA, GEORGIA

The First Presbyterian Church exists to glorify God by inviting all people to hear God's word, and by nurturing and equipping them to become disciples of Jesus Christ.

WORSHIP SERVICES

9:00 AM & 11:00 AM

MAY 23, 2010