

## THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR

SUN. SEPT. 22	5:00 PM	High School Youth Group
	6:00 PM	Middle School Youth Group
MON. SEPT. 23	5:30 PM	Joint Session & Deacons Meeting
TUE. SEPT. 24	11:00 AM	Spirituality Class with Rev. Becky Albright
WED. SEPT. 25	4:15 PM	Bell Choir
	7:00 PM	Chancel Choir
THUR. SEPT. 26	9:30 AM	Grow Class with Dr. Patrick Perryman
	10:15 AM	River Oaks
FRI. SEPT. 27	5:00 PM	Youth – Serving Washington Street Supper



### THE SPIRIT IN OUR SAILS

Sunday, September 29<sup>th</sup>

Worship at 10 a.m.

Lunch provided by Sea Eagle at 11:30 AM

Facilitator Training at 12:30 PM

**Who is God leading us to be and what should we do now in the place where we find ourselves?** This is the central question we are exploring together as a sailboat church. We set sail on September 29 with a special worship service led by the Rev. Dr. Dan Holloway who will give us exciting information about how we will practice discernment and discipleship together in the upcoming year. Following worship, we will celebrate with outstanding food and fellowship—dinner provided for you and your family! Child Care provided

**USHERS GREETERS AND ACOLYTES** please remember to check your email as we now email out the schedules.

**SUNSHINE CHOIR:** Children from age 3 – 5<sup>th</sup> grade will begin each Sunday morning by making a Joyful Noise to the Lord. As they learn words to familiar tunes, they will be encouraged to grow in God's love and grace through song and movement. The practice times will be on Sunday mornings at 8:45 and following supper on the Second Wednesday at First. Please contact Liz O'Neill with any questions at 843-476-9421 or email her at mgoneill@embarqmail.com.

**NEW MEMBER CLASS:** Our next class for new members will be on Sunday, October 20, 2019 from 11:00AM -2:00PM in the Fellowship Hall. Lunch will be provided. New members will be presented to the Session on Sunday morning, November 3, and introduced to the congregation at the 10:00 AM worship service that morning. Please call Rev. Becky Albright at 843-524-

3051 or email her at balbright@firstpresbeaufort.org to sign up for this class or obtain additional information.

**GROW CLASS: IN THE BEGINNING – A DEEPER LOOK AT GENESIS-** This class is for anyone wanting to have fun and learn about the Bible with others.

**Study:** Genesis – a survey in 10 parts

**Facilitator:** Dr. Patrick Perryman

**Phone Number:** 843-812-5252

**Email:** pperryman@firstpresbeaufort.org

**When:** Thursdays 9:30am

**Description:** The stories of Genesis make up a good part of our Sunday School childhood. Adam & Eve, Cain & Abel, Noah & the Ark, Sarah & Abraham, Isaac, Jacob, and Joseph all take up residence in our memories. Together we explore new ways of understanding these formative stories and how we are called to be open to a living conversation with ancient texts and each other. Listening, laughing, thinking, and wrestling all characterize our time together on Thursday mornings. Please let me know you are coming!

**SPIRITUALITY CLASS:** This class is for adults interested in a study and lively conversation about the movement of the Holy Spirit in our own lives as we read Bible Stories that seem distant and removed from our daily encounters.

**Study:** *Inspired* by Rachel Held Evans & Lectio Divina

**Facilitator:** Rev. Becky Albright & Mary Tatum

**Phone Number:** 843-816-3060

**Email:** balbright@firstpresbeaufort.org

**When:** Tuesdays at 11:00 AM

**Childcare:** Provided

**Description:** : In this thought and spirit-provoking book, Evans examines some of our favorite Bible stories and explores various interpretations of them. She then retells the stories through memoirs, original poetry, short stories, soliloquies, and even a short screenplay. She is undaunted by the Bible's most difficult passages, as she wrestles through the process of doubting, imagining, and debating the mysteries found in the pages of scripture. She discovers and argues that The Bible is not a static work, but is a living, breathing, captivating, and confounding book that is able to equip us to join God's loving, work in the world. As we lives, we will experience ancient spiritual practice spiritual and redemptive deepen our own spiritual the Bible through the of Lectio Divina.



First Pres supports the leadership and community outreach youth ministry of Beaufort Young Life. Come see and hear how God is using Young Life to impact teenagers everyday at the **Beaufort Young Life Celebration** Tuesday, October 8 6:00-8:30 PM Heavy Hors D'oeuvres



First Presbyterian  
Church of Beaufort

A Service for the Worship of God  
September 22, 2019  
10:00 AM



*To all who are weary and need rest,  
To all who mourn and need comfort,  
To all who are lonely and need friendship,  
To all who are glad and would serve their neighbors,  
To all who are complacent and need disturbing,  
To all who sin and need a Savior,  
This church opens wide its doors  
In the name of Christ and bids you welcome.*

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As we gather to worship, may we enter prayerfully.

Striking of the Hour

Prelude..... All Glory Be to God on High  
PACHELBEL

Opening Words & Call to Worship - Psalm 79 ..... Rev. Becky Albright  
Praise the Lord! Praise, O servants of the Lord:  
Praise the name of the Lord.  
Blessed be the name of the Lord  
From this time on and for evermore.  
Rejoice with me, people of God.  
Today, there is joy in the presence of the angels.  
From the rising of the sun to its setting,  
The name of the Lord is to be praised.  
The Lord is high above all nations,  
And God's glory above the heavens.  
Who is like the Lord our God, who is seated on high,  
Who looks far down on the heavens and the earth?  
God raises the poor from the dust,  
And lifts the needy from the ash heap  
To make them sit with princes,  
With the princes of God's people.  
Giving the barren woman a home,  
Making her the joyous mother of children.  
Praise the Lord!

+\* Hymn 475 ..... Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing  
NETTLETON

Prayer of Confession  
O God, who gives life and breath to us, we come before you trembling, for we have hoarded and bartered what has never been ours, in the hope of securing our future. We have yearned for wealth more than we have yearned for you. We have squandered your trust and grieved your heart with our betrayal. Help us, O God of our salvation, for the glory of your name; deliver us and forgive our sins for your name's sake. Amen.  
(Let us continue in prayer silently)

Congregational Response  
Hear our prayer, O Lord. Hear our prayer, O Lord.  
Incline thine ear to us and grant us thy peace. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

\* Gloria Patri (Hymn No. 581)  
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.

The Sacrament of Baptism  
Christopher Bond Jones  
Elizabeth Maxwell Jones

Children's Sermon .....Dr. Patrick Perryman  
(As we sing Jesus Loves Me, children K & under are dismissed for SonShine Club)

Anthem ..... There is a Balm in Gilead  
VIC VARNER, Music Director  
LILY COOPER, Organist

1) There is a balm in Gilead To make the wounded whole,  
There is a balm in Gilead To heal the sin-sick soul.

2) Sometimes I feel discouraged And think my work's in vain,  
But then the Holy Spirit Revives my soul again.

3) Don't ever feel discouraged, Our Father is our friend;  
And if you lack the Spirit He'll not refuse to lead

4) You may not preach like Peter, You may not pray like Paul,  
But you can tell the story Of him who died for all.

Prophecy Lesson ..... Jeremiah 8:18-9:1

\* Hymn 694 ..... Great God of Every Blessing  
AURELIA

Gospel Lesson ..... Luke 16:1-13

Sermon ..... Making Friends With Money  
Dr. Patrick Perryman

\* Affirmation 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

Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

Offering  
Offertory ..... Bicinium on DUNDEE  
UNKEL

\*Doxology and Prayer of Dedication

\* Hymn 697 ..... Take My Life  
HENDON

\* Benediction

\* Benediction Response

Postlude ..... All Hail the Powers of Jesus' Name  
FLEISCHER

\*All Who Are Able Please Stand | + Ushers Will Seat Latecomers

**WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**WELCOME to all who join us for worship today.** If you are without a church home, you will be warmly welcomed into our fellowship. We are glad you are here! Please like us on Facebook and visit our website at [www.firstpresbeaufort.org](http://www.firstpresbeaufort.org) for sermons, news, and current events. Members and visitors, please sign the attendance pad located on the aisle end of each pew. Your presence is very important to us!

**THE FLOWERS TODAY** are given by Swinton and Lynn Anderson in loving memory of their parents and in honor of their family.



**Spread the Love....**

**Help us reach our goal of 1,000 Peanut Butter Jars by the end of the year. We only need a little over 300 jars!**

**More than 90% of American households have one or more jars of peanut butter in their pantry making it easy to donate.**



**The Handbell Choir needs new ringers!! Join us in September on Wednesday afternoons from 4:15pm–5:30pm. We have a really good time rehearsing together and play once a month in the Sunday worship service. Interested? Just call the church office at 843-524-3051! Soon!**

**MENTAL HEALTH AWARENESS:**

**Awakening the Spirit in us to become more compassionate.**

"Ever tried. Ever failed. No matter. Try again. Fail again. Fail better."  
-Samuel Beckett