

MAY 22, 2022

MORNING WORSHIP
6TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

10:30 A.M.

GREETING THE GATHERED: The Love of Jesus Christ be with you!
ALL: And also with you!

THE WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE *The Prelude marks the beginning of worship. Please observe silence as the Prelude begins.*

THE CALL TO WORSHIP ---*Psalm 67: 1, 3, 7*

May God be gracious to us and bless us and make his face to shine upon us,

Let the peoples praise you, O God; let all the peoples praise you.

May God continue to bless us; let all the ends of the earth revere him.

***THE HYMN OF PRAISE**

HYMNAL #356

“Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing”

THE PRAYER OF CONFESSION:

Almighty and most merciful Father, we have erred and strayed from Your ways like lost sheep.

We have followed too much the devices and desires of our own hearts.

We have offended against Your holy laws. We have left undone those things which we ought to have done; and we have done those things which we ought not to have done; and there is nothing good in us.

O Lord, have mercy upon us, miserable offenders.

Spare those, O God, who confess their faults. Restore those who are penitent;

according to Your promises declared unto men in Christ Jesus our Lord.

Grant that we may hereafter live a godly, righteous, and sober life; to the glory of His name.

Amen.

THE SILENT PRAYER OF CONFESSION FOR OUR INDIVIDUAL SIN

THE DECLARATION OF FORGIVENESS

For while we were still weak, at the right time, Christ died for the ungodly.

This proves God’s love for us: while we were sinners Christ died for us.

Much more surely then, now that we have been justified by his blood, will we be saved through him from the wrath of God. -- Romans 5: 6, 8, 9

Friends, believe the good news of the gospel: In Jesus Christ you are forgiven.

ALL: Thanks be to God!

***THE GLORIA PATRI**

HYMNAL #579

TIME FOR YOUNG DISCIPLES

THE FIRST READING: Revelation 21: 10, 22-22:5 (*NT p. 259*)

THE PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

THE LESSON: Acts 16: 9-15 (*NT p. 136*)

THE SERMON: “Convinced of God’s Call”

***AFFIRMATION 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.

THE OFFERING & THE OFFERTORY

***THE DOXOLOGY**

THE DEDICATION AND PASTORAL PRAYER WITH OUR LORD’S PRAYER

***THE HYMN OF RESPONSE**

HYMNAL #525

“Here I Am, Lord”

THE CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

***PASSING THE PEACE AND BEARING CHRIST’S PEACE TO THE WORLD**

***THE POSTLUDE**

**All Who Are Able Please Stand*

WELCOME & INVITATION

*This church welcomes you, no matter who you are,
where you come from, or why you are here.*

*We are Christ's people,
and this is Christ's place with its doors open wide.*

*If you are passing through, Godspeed;
if you are looking for a home, stay here;
if you need instruction, learn from us as we learn from you.
We invite visitors to join us, but most of all, to return often.*

We are so glad you are here.

FOR YOUR INFORMATION: The RPC Office is open Monday through Wednesday
9:00 AM – 4:00 PM, & Thursday, 9:00 AM – 12:00 Noon

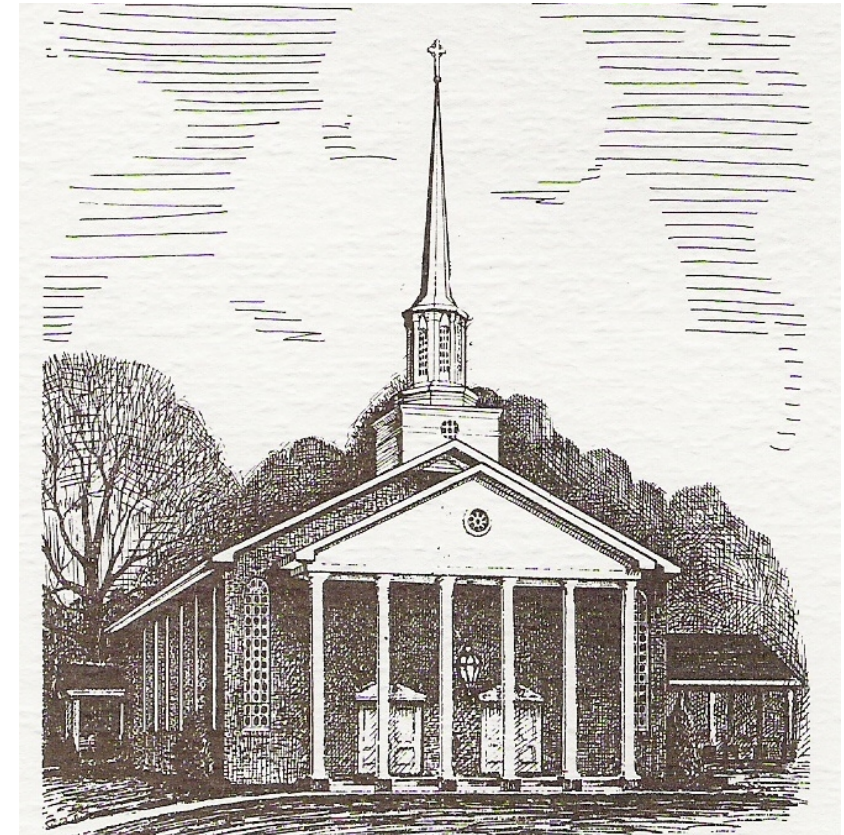
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PRAYER LIST FOR IMMEDIATE NEEDS

Gerald Hill, Steele Moreland, Carolyn Bryant, Frank Gay, Wade & Courtney Simpson and their infant son, Thomas Simpson, Lori Chapman, Janie Hopper, Jack Pham, Karl Gaillard, Teresa Sharp, Keena Glenn Strong, James & Diane Hendricks, Ticer Brown, Keith Cox, Sandra Love, Sue Gossett, Jimmy Gaillard, Gail Allensworth, Ali Rae Barkley, Jamie Wall, Calvin Austin, Bradley Childs, Leah & Miles Harrell.

OUR DEEPEST SYMPATHIES TO....

The family of Gail Hobson Winters
The family of Linda Burks
The family of Sondra Baird Roddy (MTS)

Our Homebound, Assisted Living & Nursing Home Residents

Laron Shannon, Jean Ketchum, Carolyn Caviness, Johnny Cappleman, Billie Pickens, Jimmy & Judy Hines Hopper.

RPC Weekly Financial Update

RPC Weekly 2022 Budget: \$2,710.97
Offering Received 5/15/22: \$2,490.00

May Nursery Volunteers

(10:30 Worship Service)
May 22: Grace-Anne Brown
May 29: We need a Volunteer!

PLEASE NOTE: Updated Address for Rev. Jody & Monya Hill:
290 CR 343
Falkner, MS 38629

May Mission Focus | Together For Tippah | Goal \$500.00

Total Collected as of 5/15/22: \$575.00

RPC has volunteered to be a “drop-off” site for the Together For Tippah Shoe Drive. If you would like to participate, please bring your donation by the RPC office during regular work hours or to Sunday worship service!

Thank
You

Thank you to all who worked so hard to make our May 15 potluck luncheon a rousing success! From setting up tables & chairs, cleaning, the beautiful flower arrangements, preparing the food & transporting it, and for the help with serving & cleaning up afterward – it indeed takes a village to bring it all together! You are the heart, hands, & feet of Ripley Presbyterian Church. Thank you.

Sunday June 5th | 5:00 pm

The Young Adults are invited to “The Gathering” at Kenny & Lynn Hill’s home. Meal at 5 pm, study & discussion will follow. Please make plans to join us! Please text Lynn at 662-837-6678 by May 29 to confirm! Thanks so much!

