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FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF KINGWOOD

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FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF KINGWOOD

A FAMILY OF FAITH. A HOME FOR YOU.

WELCOME!

We're glad you've chosen to worship with us. We like to say here at First that "we're a family of faith with a place for you." We hope you sense God's presence with you as we worship. If you're new to our church, take a moment after worship to introduce yourself to one of the pastors. Each week, at the end of worship, we invite worshippers to become members of Christ's church in this place. A brochure in each pew explains how that happens. Once again then, welcome! We're glad you're here. Now let's worship God with all our heart and mind and soul and strength.

PREPARING TO HEAR GOD'S WORD

Prelude *Darwall's 148th* J. Darwall
(Please remember to silence your cell phone during the Prelude.)

Choral Introit *The Big Picture* J. Johnson
Cherub Choir - Adrien Biklen, director

Welcome & Announcements

Call to Worship

L: I was glad when they said unto me.
P: Let us go to the house of the Lord.

***Hymn #18** *Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise* ST. DENIO

Prayer of Confession

Glorious God, whose face is hidden from us by our sins, whose righteous standards we forget in selfishness; cleanse us now we pray of stubborn pride. Remove our offenses from your sight. Prepare us, we pray to listen to your word. Then grant us humility and courage to walk in your ways as we walk out of worship and back to the work you call us to do in the world. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

L: Hear these words of assurance. "The LORD your God is a merciful God. He will not destroy you or forget the covenant He made with you."
P: Through the covenant made with the world in Jesus Christ, God's mercy has atoned for our sins. Thanks be to God.

*Gloria Patri

*Passing the Peace

L: The peace of the Lord be with all of you.
P: And also with you.

| FPC-KINGWOOD STAFF | | | |
|---|-----------------------|---|--------------------------|
| Senior Pastor | Dr. Jim Davis (105) | Parish Associate | Dr. Bryan Kile (103) |
| Dir. of Music/Principal Conductor | Dr. Todd Miller (111) | Dir. of Administration | Donna Hanson (130) |
| Dir. of Adult & Lay Ministries | Mary Lee Irwin (112) | Dir. of Children & Family Ministry | Angela Howard (129) |
| Dir. of Children's First School | Cindy Johnson | Dir. of Communications | Mike Doyle (107) |
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| Dir. of Senior Ministry | Ann Kruse (110) | Co-Dir. of Student Ministry | Angela Alanowski (125) |
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| Finance Associate | Paula Trigg (114) | Music Associate | Sandy Van Cleve (111) |
| Pastoral Associate | Cheryl McGeough (106) | Payables & Properties Associate | Lisa Cummins (109) |

THE SESSION & COMMITTEES

Jack H. Morrison, Clerk of Session

Class of 2011

Doug Arrick, D-Students
*Lelia Beckelman, Missions
*Gary Chapman, Missions
*James Demases, Finance
David Hemphill, D-Adult
*John Johnston, Worship
*Cindy Little, Church Life
Ann Owen, Personnel
Onnie Sherrer, Church Life
*Cindy Trammell, D-Adult

Class of 2012

*Chip Benton, Personnel
*Dot Chapman, Evangelism
*Mary Gilbert, Finance
*Judy Hinckfoot, D-Students
*Harvey Louderback, B&G
Tom Mattox, B&G
*Greg Olson, Evangelism
*Joe Ramirez, Worship
*Sue Sterrett, D-Children
*Lori Tatum, D-Students

Class of 2013

Andrew Boyd, D-Children
Susan Curling, Mission
JQ Delap, D-Adult
Glenda English, Worship
Sam Mowrey, B&G
Chris Wallace, D-Students
Dick Watts, Personnel

*Designates Chair/Co-Chair

DEACONS & SHEPHERD GROUPS

Russ Nipe, Moderator ■ Mary Ann Brauer, Secretary

Class of 2011

Judith Anderson, SG 23
Mike Browne, SG 12
Ann Burns, SG21
Helen Doyle, SG 14
Judy Duncan, SG 24
Roger Eddy, SG 2
Mabryn Fleener, SG 18
Mike Watson, SG 3
Kalen Webb, SG 19

Class of 2012

Sarah Jensen, SG 1
Doug McGrath, SG 5
H.B. Moreland, SG 20
Jane Quebedeaux SG 26
Rick Rickert, SG 9
Lexie Rose, SG 17
Ev Stephen, SG 16
Ester Zavala, SG 8

Class of 2013

Randy Curry, SG7
Meredith Delap, College
Mike Dunson, SG10
Nancy Goodell, SG13
Lloyd Higdon, SG6
Leigh Marcus-Kelley, SG15
Sue Plato, SG27
Sharon Rolnik, SG22
Bill Tapley, SG11
Jan Wislar, SG4

| Sunday Attendance & Offering - Week of October 9, 2011 | |
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| 8:25 a.m. Worship..... | 152 |
| 9:45 a.m. Worship | 123 |
| 11:05 a.m. Worship | 179 |
| Kids' Church | 17 |
| Worship Total..... | 471 |
| Sunday School | 169 |
| Adult Discipleship | 214 |
| Operating | \$32,139.48 |

SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

8:25 A.M. & 11:05 A.M. — TRADITIONAL WORSHIP SERVICE

Children's Sermon (11:05 a.m.)

Anthem *True Light* K. Hampton
Sandra Campell, soprano

Prayers of the People & The Lord's Prayer

LISTENING TO GOD'S WORD

Epistle Lesson (*In Unison*)

1 John 1:1-4 (Page 1815)

¹ That which was from the beginning, which we have heard, which we have seen with our eyes, which we have looked at and our hands have touched—this we proclaim concerning the Word of life. ² The life appeared; we have seen it and testify to it, and we proclaim to you the eternal life, which was with the Father and has appeared to us. ³ We proclaim to you what we have seen and heard, so that you also may have fellowship with us. And our fellowship is with the Father and with his Son, Jesus Christ. ⁴ We write this to make our joy complete.

*Hymn #231 *Break Thou the Bread of Life* BREAD OF LIFE

*Gospel Lesson John 6:1-14 (Page 1586)
L: This is the Gospel of the Lord
P: Thanks be to God

Sermon "John's Legacy: Did You See That?" Dr. Jim Davis
(*Print or listen to each week's sermon by going to www.fpc-kingwood.org*)

RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD

*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.

Offertory *Unseen Blessings* Mark Hayes
Mary Jo Chapman, soprano

*Doxology

*Prayer of Dedication

*Hymn #297 *Turn Your Eyes upon Jesus* LEMMEL

*Benediction

(*If you'd like prayer for any reason, come to the Chapel after 11:05 a.m. worship. To join the church, please speak to one of the Pastors.*)

*Congregational Prayer NATIONAL HYMN

God of Our Fathers

God of our Fathers, whose Almighty Hand
Leads, guards and guides us when in foreign lands.
Our forces serve the cause of peace today.
Protect and bring our troops home safe we pray.

Refresh thy people on their toilsome way
Lead us from night to never ending day.
Fill all our lives with love and grace divine
And glory, laud, and praise be ever Thine.

Postlude *Fanfare Postlude* G. Martin

Today's Music

"True Light" is a new Gospel song that incorporates an old African-American Spiritual I am sure many of you sang as children—"This Little Light of Mine." It was written for the Essence of Joy choir of Penn State University. Dr. Keith Hampton, the composer, is the conductor of the Chicago Community Chorus and Director of Music Ministries at Park Manor Christian Church. This anthem takes the traditional spiritual and adds short musical motifs to it little by little until the entire choir sings joyously of letting the True Light- God -shine in everything that we do.

**Those who are able, please stand.*

SERVICE PARTICIPANTS

Sanctuary Flowers Given by:

- Patsy Clegg in love and celebration of J. R.'s birthday

Music Participants

Dr. John Cornelius, II, Piano
Dr. Jim Jinnette, Organ

Lay Reader

8:25 a.m. — Joyce Gould

11:05 a.m.— Karen Gee

Elder of the Week

Lori Tatum

Deacon of the Week

Lexie Rose

Greeters

8:25 a.m. - Don and Paula Armstrong

11:05 a.m. - Mae Dell Beatty

Ushers

8:25 a.m. — Mike Townsend (Captain), Ray Platter, Pat Murphy, Tom Mattox, Joe Ramirez, Anne Townsend, Wilson Humphrey

11:05 a.m.— Roger Whitney (Captain), Bob Dorrill, Susan Groudle, Tim Groudle, Earl Hale, Wanda Hicks, Tom Schafer, Steve Stout, Susie Swaner, Mary Whitney, Laurie Alexander, Mary Ann Brauer

Coffee Hosts

8:25 a.m. — Ellen & Russ Nipe

11:05 a.m.— *Hosts Needed!*

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