

First Presbyterian Church

Whiteville,
North Carolina

**"To be a light in our
community reflecting
Christ's love and
compassion..."**

*Ninth Sunday after
Pentecost*

August 6, 2017
THEREFORE

go
AND MAKE
DISCIPLES OF ALL
nations.

MATTHEW 28:19



Guest Minister
Rev. Walter Dinkins

Worship Assistant
Susan Smith

Gathering Around the Word

Welcome, Announcements, Joys and Concerns

*Call to Worship

We come into the Lord's house with prayers and contemplation.

Let us bring our prayers to the Lord, and lay our burdens upon the Lord of Lords.

Hear our prayers Lord, speak to our hearts and minds this day.

We ask the Holy Spirit to enrich our hearts and let us be thankful for all blessings.

Let us Worship the Lord our God. Lead us by thy Holy Spirit to show greater kindness and forgiveness.

How can God forgive us, unless we are willing to forgive others? Let us worship with songs, and prayers

and thanksgiving in our hearts. Amen

*Hymn of Praise

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"Crown Him with Many Crowns"

Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession- Scottish Confession of Faith

We confess and acknowledge one only God, to whom only we must cleave, whom only we must serve, whom only we must worship, and in whom only we must put our trust: who is eternal, infinite, immeasurable, incomprehensible, omnipotent, invisible; one in substance, and yet distinct in three persons: the Father, the Son, and the Holy Ghost; by whom we confess and believe all things in heaven and in earth, as well visible as invisible, to have been created, to be retained in their being, and to be ruled and guided by his inscrutable Providence, to such end, as his eternal wisdom, goodness, and justice has appointed them, to the manifestation of his glory. Amen

Assurance of Pardon

Friends believe in the Gospel of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ...

In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven...Amen!

Hymn

"Immortal, Invisible, God only Wise "

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*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.

*Sharing the Peace of Christ

The peace of Christ be with you; **and also with you!**

Proclaiming the Word

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

Word with the Children

Prayer for Understanding

Old Testament Lesson

This is the Word of the Lord;
Thanks be to God!

I Kings (Chapter?) 1-4

New Testament Lesson

This is the Word of the Lord;
Thanks be to God!

Matthew 28:19-20

Sermon

"Conversion and Salvation"

Rev. Walter Dinkins

Responding to the Word

*An Affirmation of Faith

Nicene Creed

Call to Offering

Giving Our Tithes and Offerings

Offertory

"Go to the World"

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*Doxology

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Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise Him, all creatures here below;
Alleluia, alleluia! Praise Him above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy
Ghost. Alleluia, alleluia! Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

The Prayer of Dedication

The Sacrament of Communion

The Invitation & Words of Institution

The Lord's Supper

The Prayer of Thanksgiving

*Closing Hymn

“Blessed Be Your Name”

*The Charge and Benediction

Recessional

*Please stand if you are able.



For Your Photography Session allow for about an hour to:

- Check-in
- Be photographed
- View your digital images and select your church directory pose
- Purchase products

If you can't make it to your church's directory photography event, you can attend the event of a nearby church organization and still have your photograph included in your church's directory.

Sign up times are Friday, August 18th from 2:00 pm-9:00 pm and Saturday, August 19th from 10:00 am-5:00 pm

All donated supplies must be turned in by today, August 6th.

To donate money, please make your check out to FPC with "School Supply Giveaway" in the memo line. *The Outreach Committee thanks you for your support!*



WELCOME! We welcome you in the name of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ! May today's worship open you to God. *Your entire family is welcome*, but we do offer a nursery for children birth to 3 years of age located in the education building behind the sanctuary.

Prayer Concerns: Bob High; Grace Palmer; Rhonda Scott; Nancy Thurston; Rita & R. L. Lewis; Geraldine Becker; John Hall. **Assisted Care:** Kenneth Smith; Ellen Thurston; Charlene Hinnant; Anna Jane Collier; Arlene Blaha. **Friends:** Donna Parker; Carole Short; Mary Bair; Hollis Salyer; Joe Youngblood; Ed Jackson; Mary Cherry; Billie Joe Conrad; Shari Dutton; Rex Ros; Brenda Walters; Hobert Wicker; David Gore; Daphne McLeod; Gail Moye; Melinda Powell; Jerome McPherson; Pat Allen; Benny McBride; Shelby Hodge; Frank Youngblood; Barbara Shepherd; Annette Caldwell; Roger Kennedy; Jerry Ford; Eli Clark; Zori Abdus-Salaam, great-granddaughter of Dolores Harris.

- The guest minister for next Sunday, August 13, 2017, will be Jerry Bron.
- The sympathy of the congregation is extended to Beth Owens and family on the death of her father.

CHURCH CALENDAR:

Tuesday: NETworX of Hope, 5:30 pm
Wednesday: Choir Rehearsal, 6:00 pm
Thursday: Chicks with Sticks, 10:30 am

Friday, August 11: Volunteers for School Supply Giveaway
Saturday, August 12: School Supply Giveaway, 10:00-12:00 pm
Friday, August 18: Life Touch Photo Directory, 2:00-9:00 pm
Saturday, August 19: Life Touch Photo Directory, 10:00 - 5:00 pm

Contact the church office: 910-642-2253	karen@fpcwhiteville.org
OFFICE HOURS: 8:30 am - 1:30 pm, Monday-Friday	fpcwhiteville.org

Nursery Team: 8/6: Kaye Pope 8/13: Sarah Gray
Sound Team: 8/6: Jim Brooks 8:13: Josh Horne
Worship Assistant: 8/6: Susan Smith 8/13: Butch Row
Head Usher: August: Sara Cartrette
Communion: Sally Medford Debbie Viets Ethan Scott Fuller Royal Greg Blackmon

SESSION

<u>Class of 2017</u>	<u>Class of 2018</u>	<u>Class of 2019</u>
Greg Blackmon	Mandy Horne	Sara Cartrette
Peggy Blanchard	Ben Kilpatrick	Coke Gray III
Joan Dorsett	Sally Medford	Kaye Pope
Coke Gray II	Fuller Royal	Douglas Spivey
Ethan Scott	Debbie Viets	

Rev. Walter Dinkins has two daughters- one in high school and one in university; and a son in the 7th grade. He has been married for over twenty years to Marilyn Lazara.