

MORNING SERVICE
MARCH 12, 2023 • 11:00 A.M.

GATHERING TOGETHER TO WORSHIP GOD

Ring of the Bell		Jackson Greer
Prelude		Judy League
Acolyte		Wyatt Rose
Welcome & Announcements		Kenneth Selfridge
Hymn #221	“All Praise to our Redeeming Lord”	Congregation
Invocation		Braden Smith
Hymn #680	“All the Way My Savoir Leads Me”	Congregation
*Doxology #815		Congregation
Offertory Prayer		
Offertory Music	..	Frances Ward

CONFESSING OUR SINS TO GOD

Morning Prayer		Anne Peden
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PROCLAIMING THE GOOD NEWS

Scripture **Matthew 5:4** **Pew Bible p 838**

Sermon		Braden Smith
	“Blessed Are They Who Mourn”	

RESPONDING TO GOD

Hymn #592	“ Jesus Calls Us ”	Congregation
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SENDING OUT INTO THE WORLD

Benediction		Braden Smith
Ring of the Bell		Jackson Greer

**Please stand if you are able.*

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

PIEDMONT, SOUTH CAROLINA

PROCLAIMING THE GOSPEL,
MAKING DISCIPLES, SERVING OTHERS



DR. THOMAS DEVENNY
PASTOR EMERITUS

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CHURCH SECRETARY

JUDY FLOYD LEAGUE
ORGANIST

FRANCES WARD
PIANIST

MARCH 12, 2023

FOUNDED 1879, A FELLOWSHIP
SERVING THE COMMUNITY FOR 143 YEARS
TO THE GLORY OF GOD
AND FOR THE GOOD OF MANKIND

ANNOUNCEMENTS for MARCH 12, 2023

***** LET'S PRAY TOGETHER *****

As we follow the Lord's direction and for His provision of a Minister of Children & Youth and a Minister of Music.

CHILDREN'S SUNDAY SCHOOL • February 5-April 2: Have all of the fruit of the Spirit in your life. Our memory verse is: Galatians 5:22-23.



SUE CLEVELAND ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

BACKPACK PROGRAM • Thank you for all the generous donations to the Backpack Program! Our current needs: mac 'n' cheese cups, Chef Boyardee bowls, applesauce/fruit cups, juice boxes, breakfast bars/Pop Tarts/oatmeal packets, and small snack items. *****No items with nuts of any kind*****

Volunteer Opportunities

If you would like to volunteer to help with Wednesday night suppers, please contact Crystal Selfridge

Choir practice Wednesday nights at 7:45 for anyone interested in joining the choir.

Newsletter

March Newsletter submissions are due no later than Wednesday, March 22. You can turn them in to Kim Spears at the church office or email them to newsletter@fbcpiedmontsc.org

Thank you to Braden Smith for being our guest speaker today.

March Deacon of the Month: Kenneth Selfridge

BOARD OF DEACONS

2023

Crystal Selfridge, Secretary
Kenneth Selfridge, Chair

2024

Al McAbee, Vice Chair

ANNOUNCEMENTS continued

There will be a deacon meeting **TODAY** at 12:15 pm in the Howard Room.

Due to recent resignations, there will be a **deacon election** on March 19 To fill 5 vacancies

3– 2023/2024: Serves until 8/31/2024

2– 2022/2023: Serves until 8/31/2023

After the completion of a full two (2) year term, no deacon shall be eligible until after the lapse of one (1) full year.

Ineligible

Jeff Garrison (needs one year lapse)
Currently serving deacons
George O'Brien (recently resigned)
Brian Few (recently resigned)
Lewis Cowart (recently resigned)

PRAYER LIST

Foothills Presbyterian: Hazel Allen

Piedmont Post-Acute: Residents & Staff (Covid Quarantine Protocols)

Military Service: Jon McCann

Home-Bound: Martha Brown, Ann Rousseau

Continued Recovery and Strength: Sarah Allen, Katie Bradley, **Linda Cool**, Maxie Freeman, Jackson Greer, Jerry Hooper, Bill Johnson, David Lawless, Judy League, Donna Phillips, Evelyn Roper, Jane Satterfield, Aiden Selfridge, Teresa Scott, Betty Tucker, Richard White,

Weekly Offering Report

Received Last Week..... \$ 4,160.00
Budget Requirement Weekly..... \$ 3,688.06

