

French Camp Presbyterian Church

The Lord's Day

July 9, 2023

*Flowers for the month of July are sponsored by Donna Perkins
"in loving memory of my dear husband, Paul."*

Announcements, Minute 4 Mission: Choctaw Bible Translation Team

Prelude: *O God Beyond All Praising*

Call to Worship from the Psalms

Response #153: *Worthy of Worship*

Prayer of Invocation

*Hymn #526: *The Solid Rock*

Shepherd's Prayer

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

Offertory: *I Need Thee Every Hour*

*Doxology and Prayer of Dedication

Children's Sermon: (4th Grade and Younger)

*Hymn (Overhead): *My Worth Is Not In What I Own (At The Cross)*

Sermon: The Gospel: Part 2, I'll Fly Away. Alex Coblentz
Phil 3:13 – 4:1 (pgs 981-982 in pew Bible)

*Hymn #779: *I'll Fly Away*

*Benediction and Postlude

*Congregation Standing

The New City Catechism for Kids

Q. 38 What is prayer?

Prayer is pouring out our hearts to God.

Q. 39 With what attitude should we pray?

With love, perseverance, and gratefulness.

Life of the Church

Sunday Evening Supper, 5:00-7:00pm: Thanks to the boys' side of campus for hosting tonight's supper. All are invited to bring a covered dish to share, enough to feed your family or dorm. Also bring chairs or a blanket.

Sandy Otway, Cindy Cox's Mom, peacefully went home to the Lord last Monday, July 3. A graveside service for Sandy will be this Tuesday, 4:00pm at the French Camp Cemetery, followed by a drop-in reception and celebration of her life at Sandy's home, 6478 MS Hwy 413. Donations, in lieu of flowers, will go to FCA Griffin Home Dorm Fund.

Historical Highlight Luncheon This Thursday with Alex Lawson, 12:00pm: You don't want to miss this one! Alex Lawson, pastor of Bethsaida Baptist Church, will be telling French Camp Stories! He is a great storyteller and has lots of experiences at French Camp to draw from! Lunch is \$3. RSVP at marynellcoblentz@gmail.com or call 547-6520 and leave a message.

Next Sunday, July 16, 10:00am: Pastor Alex will share a program he did at a recent Historical Highlight luncheon: "*Over the Years.*" This is a historical review of the pastors who have served our church since it was founded in 1849. Come join us in the LSB for this informative and inspiring presentation.

Save the Date-Bridal Shower for Priscilla Anderson, August 5, 4:00pm: Please wear a shade of blue for this "Something Blue Before I Do" shower, that will be in FCARP's Kharis Kitchen. Dorothy Anderson's daughter Stephanie Gaddis is **collecting recipes as a wedding gift**; please email a favorite recipe to her at smagaddis@gmail.com or bring it to the shower. RSVP to Stephanie by July 15. Priscilla and Elvin are registered at Amazon & Walmart.

Elizabeth J: What an amazing work is going on in Southeast Asia. The Lord is providing for the work in incredible ways, but Elizabeth is short \$500/month in her personal support. If you would like to help meet this need, let us know. Please pray for them and their families as they return to this work soon.

Library Update: Book donations are now welcome. Place them on the library cart and they will be added to the library, or we will find a good home for them. Also, if you have suggestions for additional books, materials or improvements, write them on a note and put it in the suggestion box in the library.

Sunday School Teachers Needed: It's time to make plans for Sunday School this fall when all the students return! Would you pray that the Lord will raise up teachers for all the classes? If He should put it on your heart to teach, please speak with Mary Nell soon so we can be ready to start in August.

Voter Registration & Change of Address - Due Tomorrow, July 10: If your address has changed this year or if you need to register for the first time, be sure to take care of this by July 10 so you can vote in the next election August 8. Brochures are on the back table with details.

FRENCH CAMP PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

323 School St. French Camp, Mississippi 39745

website: www.fcarp.org

Pastor: Rev. J. Alex Coblentz. Ministry Coordinator: Mary Nell Coblentz

Ruling Elders: Glen Barlow (Treas.), Larry Littlejohn (Clerk of Session), John Cockrell,
Dennis Cox, Bruce Hosket, and Lance Ragsdale

Deacons: Greg Browning, David Dennis, Danny Donald (Chairman), Jason Purvis, Roy Purvis

Music Team: Anne Katherine Ragsdale, David Dennis, Kevin O'Brien, Kylie Shirley

Sunday Worship is **LIVE at fcarp.org/livestream** at 11:00 am

To watch the replay or listen to past sermons go to fcarp.org/sermons, or fcpc.sermon.net

FCARP sermons are also broadcast Sunday mornings at **8:00 am on WFCA-FM108**

Ushers Bruce Hosket, Jason Purvis

Student Ushers Grey & Ty Martin

Greeters Mike & Kathy McCollum

Next Sunday, July 16:

Ushers Lance Ragsdale, Danny Donald

Student Ushers Jesse Jones, Dylan Donald

Greeters Kevin & Mary Sorensen

Calendar of Events

Today	10:00am – Sunday School	11:00am – Worship
	5:00pm – Covered Dish Supper, FCA Boys' Side of Campus	
Tuesday	8:30am – Last Ladies Summer Bible Study @ LSB <i>(Study led by Carolyn Akers)</i>	
	4:00pm – Graveside Service for Sandy Otway & Reception	
Wednesday	6:00pm – Prayer Meeting	
	7:00pm – Session Meeting	
Wed – Sat	Choctaw Indian Fair (Starts at 10:00am)	
Thurs – Sat	5:30-8:00pm – VBS at French Camp Baptist for 4 yrs – 6 th	
Thursday	12:00pm – Historical Highlight with Alex Lawson	
Friday	5:30am - Men's Bible Study @ Welcome Center	
Next Sunday	10:00am – Alex Coblentz SS – “Over the Years” - <i>A Historical Review of the Pastors Who Have Served Our Church</i>	
July 17-22	MVP Camp at CRS, Ages 8 – 18	
July 30	6:00pm – Ice Cream Social & Hymnsing	
August 5	4:00pm – Bridal Shower for Priscilla Anderson, Kharis Kitchen	
August 13	First Sunday Students Are Back	
	6:00pm – Guest Speaker Peter Reid, Dir. of Torchbearers Int'l	

Ministry of Prayer

Michael Allen, Polly Allen (bronchitis), Marlene Armstrong, Beth Ann Beswick, Bruce Beswick, Vickki Carlisle, Dennis Cates, John Robert & Peggy Cockrell, Sylvia Dickson (possible spread of cancer; next appt. July 25), Skylyr & Abby Effler, Mary Ida Harper, Marilyn Johnson, Roy Nail, Jenni Morgan (appt. at Duke, Aug 31- possible ankle replacement), Margie Newman, Lesa Rhodes, Sally Richardson, Ken & Lyn Utley



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