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Lona L. Lockard	Staff Secretary
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Sherry L. Odom	Housekeeper
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WORSHIP NOTES

**WE WELCOME FRIENDS AND VISITORS.** This church is for anyone who wants to be counted as a disciple of Jesus Christ, and who wants to be included in its worship and work. Thank you for signing your name and address on the attendance pad. There is an information center with material about our church and Presbyterianism in the foyer of the Jordan Street entrance to the sanctuary.

**CHILDCARE IS PROVIDED FOR PRESCHOOL CHILDREN** by Sitters' Registry and church volunteers. A nursery is available in CE-106 during both 8:45 morning prayer and 10:45 worship. During worship Extended Session is offered in CE-105.

**CHILDREN ARE WELCOME IN WORSHIP!** Bibles are available for use during worship; they are found at the end of every pew. We also provide **Worship Bags** designed for children elementary age and younger. The worship bags can be found in the narthex and at the front entrances to the sanctuary. Please return them after the service.

**TODAY WE CELEBRATE** Children's Sabbath and we welcome the children of our church to worship leadership. The children participating in today's service are Cole Ajluni, Quintan Ajluni, Caroline Carberry, Lauren Gnann, Maddie Gnann, Warner Grantham, Lorelei Green, Paige Harris, Maggie Hodges, GraceAnne Hodgson, Elizabeth Knight, Wells Peery, Rodney Snow, Ryan Snow, Emma Wilkinson, and Russ Wilkinson. The picture on the front of the bulletin was created by GraceAnne Hodgson.

**CONGRATULATIONS TO** Sarah Cooper Searight and Bill Searight on the birth of their daughter, Margaret Ann Marie "Maggie", on October 4, 2011.

**CONGRATULATIONS TO** Jennifer and Ricky Farmer on the birth of their daughter, Adelyn Grace, October 7. First Presbyterian grandparents are Maureen and Charles Grubb.

**CONGRATULATIONS TO** Sarah and Preston Lowder on the birth of their daughter, Mary Ellen, on October 12. First Presbyterian grandparents are Mary Jane and Charles Lowder.

**WE WELCOME** into the fellowship of this church Richard "Rick" Foreman, of Shreveport, by reaffirmation of faith October 9, 2011. Rick is the new Executive Director of Volunteers for Youth Justice.

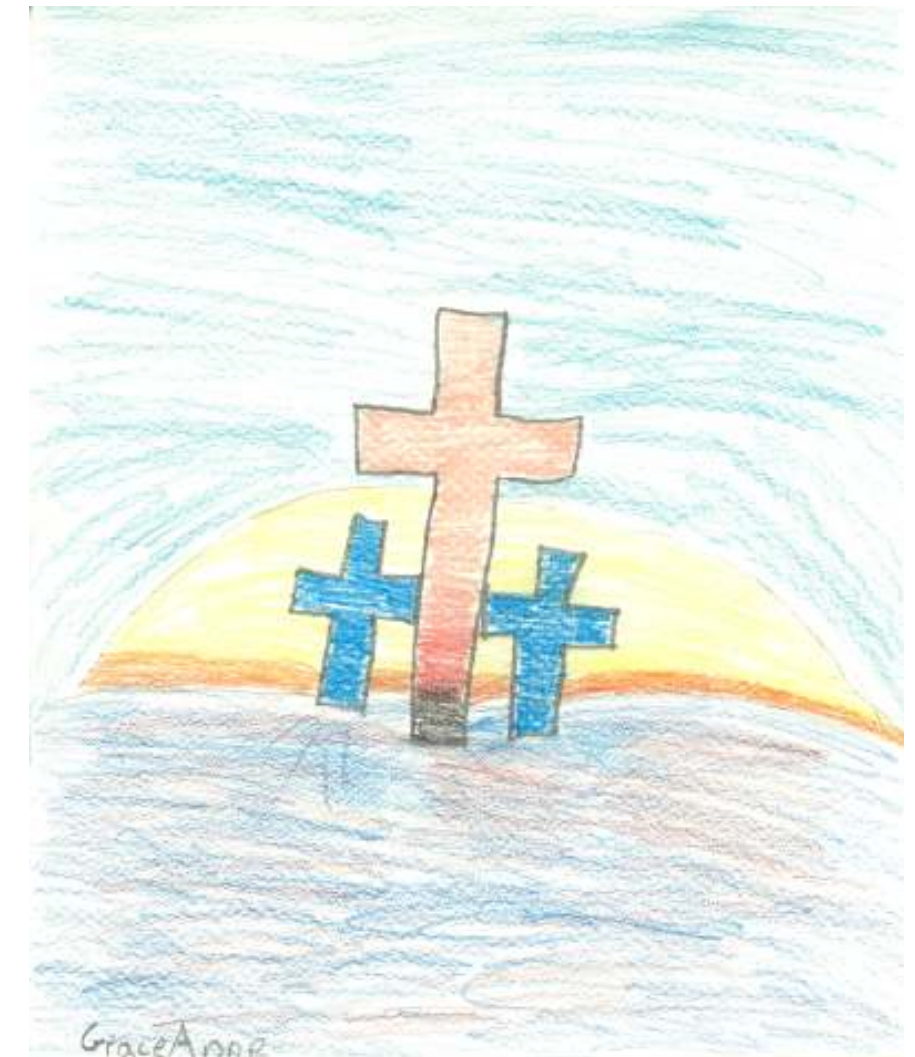
**WE EXPRESS SINCERE SYMPATHY** to Kathy Hiers and family in the death of her father, Verlin Barnes, of Orwell, Ohio, October 3, 2011.

**COPIES OF BISHOP MANKHIN'S** sermon that he preached on Sunday, October 9, are available at the volunteer desk on the first floor of the church.



**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN  
SHREVEPORT**

**A Service for the Worship of God  
Ten Forty-Five O'Clock  
October 16, 2011  
Children's Sabbath**



**WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS**

The Lord be with you.  
**And also with you.**  
Let us worship God.

**Our Mission**

*Responding to God's grace and building upon the strength of our Reformed tradition, we, the members of First Presbyterian Church, seek to: Proclaim joyfully the Good News, revealed in the life, death and resurrection of Jesus Christ; live as a welcoming and nurturing community of faith through worship, prayer, study and fellowship; and serve others - at home and beyond our community with love, compassion, respect, justice and mercy, in the name of Jesus Christ and after His example. May God empower us by the Holy Spirit to fulfill our call to be God's people.*