

French Camp Presbyterian Church

The Lord's Day

May 21, 2023

Flowers for May are in honor of Adele Coblenz by Alex & Mary Nell Coblenz

Announcements

Prelude: *O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing*

Call to Worship from the Psalms

Response #153: *Worthy of Worship*

Prayer of Invocation

*Hymn 82: *Praise the Lord! Ye Heavens Adore Him*

Shepherd's Prayer: Dennis Cox

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

Offertory: *Jesus, the Very Thought of Thee*

*Doxology and Prayer of Dedication

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

*Hymn #620: *Under His Wings*

Sermon: Under His Wings

Alex Coblenz

Psalm 63 (Page 479 in pew Bible)

*Hymn #630: *What A Friend We Have In Jesus*

*Benediction and Postlude

*Congregation Standing

The New City Catechism for Kids

Q. 25 Does Christ's death mean all our sins can be forgiven?

Yes, because Christ's death on the cross fully paid the penalty for our sin, God will remember our sins no more.

Q. 26 What else does Christ's death redeem?

Every part of fallen creation.

Life of the Church

Upcoming Sunday School:

- **May 21 & 28:** Lance Ragsdale will teach one class for all ages.
- **June 4** - Choctaw Bible Translation Team will be here!
- **June 11- July 2** - Dennis Cox will teach a class for youth & adults.
- Children's classes during Summer School still to be determined. *(We have a volunteer for elementary boys. Any volunteers for a younger class or for elementary girls? Speak with Mary Nell.)*

Tonight, 6:00pm: We're all invited to French Camp Baptist Church for a concert by Alan Sibley and the Magnolia Ramblers.

Next Sunday, 6:00pm - Ice Cream Social & Hymn Sing: Join us for an evening of ice cream and a hymn sing with Anne Katherine Ragsdale. Plan to bring either homemade or store-bought ice cream, toppings or cookies – **OR JUST COME AND ENJOY!**

Dresses & Leggings Needed by May 30: Erin and Ellen Ulerich are going to Ethiopia June 1 – 16 and are collecting new and gently used dresses and leggings, sizes Children's Medium to Adult Small, to take to the girls who live in the three group homes run by Hope for the Fatherless. This Christian ministry provides a safe and loving environment for orphans taken out of government orphanages and placed into small family-based children's homes where they receive a quality education and life skills training.

VBS: Grace Evan Coming Back! We're delighted Grace Evan will be here again this year to provide VBS for the French Camp community, for children 4 yrs to rising 6th grade. This year's theme is "Under Construction – Following the Master Builder." Please help us get the word out to others who would like their children or grandchildren to participate!

Thanks from the FC Community Club to those who donated items for the Country Store. They made \$1455 to support projects that benefit our community, including refurbishing the Christmas scenes. They are giving away Christmas scenes no longer being used, so if you'd like one for your home, they'll be outside the entrance of the pole barn until this Tuesday. Help yourself! The next Community Club meeting will be in August to help plan for the Harvest Festival.

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, James Cantey

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 William McKinley, Jason Purvis

Greeters Polly Allen

Next Sunday, May 28

Ushers TBA

Greeters Polly Allen, Donna Perkins

Calendar of Events

Today	10:00am - SS with Lance Ragsdale	11:00am - Worship
	6:00pm - Alan Sibley in Concert @ FC Baptist	
Wednesday	6:00pm - Prayer Meeting	
Friday	5:30am - Men's Bible Study at Welcome Center (RUAH)	
Next Sunday	10:00am - SS with Lance Ragsdale	11:00am - Worship
	6:00pm - Ice Cream Social & Hymn Sing	
June 4	10:00am - SS with Choctaw Bible Translation Team	
	No Sunday Evening Service	
June 6-8	ARP General Synod - Bonclarken	
June 8-9	ARP World Focus Mission Conference - Bonclarken	
June 20-23	Save the Date: VBS with Grace Evan	

Ministry of Prayer

Sympathy: The PCA church has lost two of its great leaders this past week: Dr. Harry Reeder III, pastor of Briarwood PCA in Birmingham, died in a car accident Thursday, May 18. Dr. Tim Keller, founder and pastor of Redeemer PCA in New York City died of pancreatic cancer on Friday, May 19. Pray for their families and churches in this time of sorrow.

Marlene Armstrong, Bruce Beswick, Royce & Mechelle Burson (Royce is in ICU, recovering from a lawn mower accident), Vicki Carlisle, Dennis Cates, John Robert & Peggy Cockrell, Sylvia Dickson (immunotherapy this Wednesday; surgery June 27 to remove tumor), Skylyr Effler (rare brain cancer; will have chemo & radiation with 85% chance of full recovery), Glen Goldman (recovering from bypass surgery), Mary Ida Harper, Marilyn Johnson, Alex Lawson (making good progress), Roy Nail (constant chest pain; echocardiogram this Tues & will be scheduled for heart cath), Margie Newman, Lesa Rhodes, Sally Richardson (very low BP), Ken & Lyn Utley.



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