

**“We Walk by Faith” J. Paul Williams and Jan Sanborn**

*We walk by faith and not by sight. We trust in God and not in might. For in our darkness He is light. We walk by faith and not by sight. Sometimes trials come our way. We don't know what to do or say. But we know God will make a way if we will trust, trust and obey. We walk by faith and not by sight. We trust in God and not in might. For in our darkness He is light. We walk by faith and not by sight. We trust in God and in His Son. What God has promised will be done. And as each journey is begun, His Holy Spirit makes us one. We walk by faith and not by sight. We trust in God and not in might. For in our darkness He is light. We walk by faith and not by sight. We may not fully understand, but we are guided by His hand. And as we follow faith's command, God leads us to the promised land. We walk by faith and not by sight. We trust in God and not in might. For in our darkness He is Light! We walk by faith and not by sight!*

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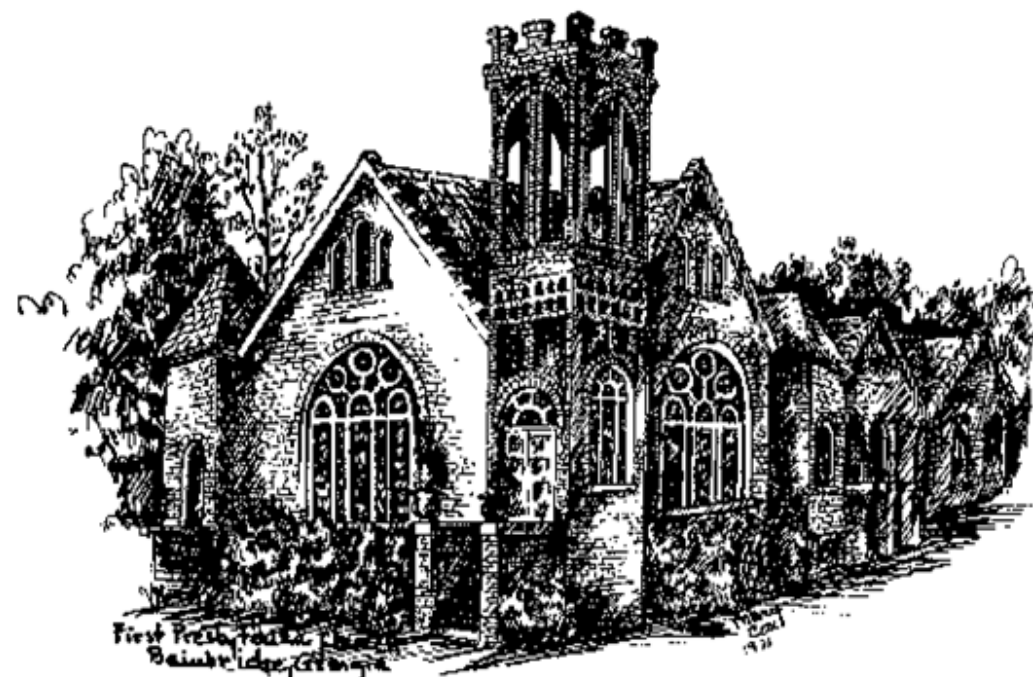
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**First Presbyterian Church  
Bainbridge, Georgia  
Service 10:30 a.m.  
February 11, 2024**

*This church welcomes you no matter who you are, where you come from, or why you are here. If you are passing through, Godspeed; if you are looking for a home, stay here; if you need instruction, learn from us as we learn from you. We invite visitors to join us, but most of all, to return often.*

# Transfiguration of the Lord

February 11, 2024

Elder on Call ~ David Bryan (229) 220-5205 ~ February 12-18, 2024

Liturgist ~ Jason Lee

## Striking of the Hour

## Greetings and Announcements

### Prelude

*"Bless the Lord"*

*arr. Mark Hayes*

### Choral Introit

*"Hark! Ten Thousand Harps and Voices"*

*Lowell Mason*

## Call to Worship

**Jason Lee**

L: As we live in God's presence,

**P: God will not leave us.**

L: When fire devours, and storms blow us astray,

**P: God will not leave us.**

L: When truth is veiled and confusion reigns,

**P: God will not leave us.**

L: When the world changes around us,

**P: God will not leave us.**

L: When we long to speak but find no words,

**P: God will not leave us.**

L: When all around us is silent,

**P: God will not leave us.**

L: When faithfulness feels beyond us,

**P: God will not leave us.**

L: As we live in God's presence,

**P: We worship the One who will not leave us.**

## Prayer of Invocation

**Jason Lee**

### \* Hymn of Praise # 682

*"Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah" (Optional last stanza setting)*

### \* Congregational Prayer (Unison)

**Jason Lee**

God of life, you never stop shining. Yet, sometimes we forget to keep looking. It is not always easy to remember to keep our eyes on you – to watch until you are out of sight, to remember that you are never really out of sight. For you know us better than we know ourselves and are always with us. Entrust us with a double portion of your spirit that we may boldly proclaim to Bainbridge your love, mercy, forgiveness, and grace. In the name of the Father, the Son, and the Holy Ghost. Amen.

### \* Gloria Patri # 813

*"Glory Be to the Father"*

## Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

**Rev. Stephen Webb**

### \* Hymn of Hope and Assurance # 431

*"Shine, Jesus, Shine"*

## Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

### Offertory

*"Love Divine, All Loves Excelling"*

*arr. Tom Fettke*

### \* Doxology # 815

*"Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"*

## Prayer of Dedication

**Jason Lee**

### Choral Anthem

*"We Walk by Faith"*

*J. Paul Williams and Jan Sanborn*

## Scripture Reading

**John 1:1-5**

*(Pew Bible Page 89 NT)*

Minister: This is the word of the Lord.

**People: Thanks be to God.**

### Sermon

*"In the Word"*

**Rev. Stephen Webb**

### \* The Apostles Creed ~ Traditional (Unison)

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of Heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ, His only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; He descended into hell; the third day He arose again from the dead; He ascended into Heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

### \* Hymn of Commitment # 33

*"Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise"*

## Pastoral Benediction

### Postlude

*"God Will Make a Way"*

*Don Moen*

*\*Those who are able please stand.*

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*If there is a pastoral need, you may contact Rev. Stephen Webb by phone @ 229-220-5591 or the church office.*