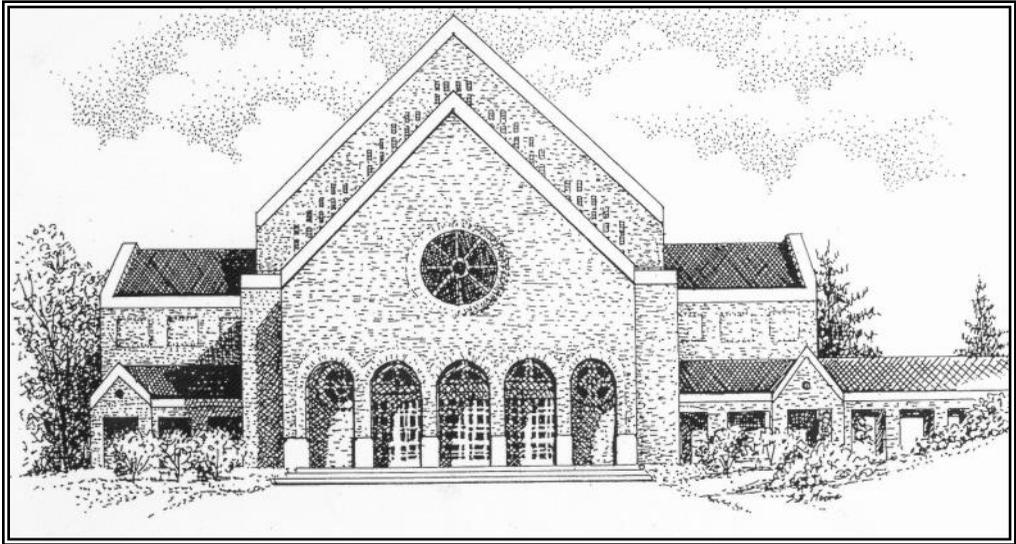


**The Lord's Day**  
**January 13, 2019**



*“Come to Me, all who are weary and heavy-laden, and I will give you rest. Take My yoke upon you and learn from Me, for I am gentle and humble in heart, and you will find rest for your souls.”*

**Matthew 11:28-29**

**Welcome** to Arden Presbyterian Church. We hope your time in worship with us is a blessing and help to you. Please fill out the **Friendship Register form** so that we have a record of your attendance. For all **first-time visitors**, there is a gift at the **Welcome Center in the Narthex**. Please drop by and see us!

## **THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR**

### **Sunday, January 13**

9:30 AM      Sunday School  
10:45 AM     Worship Service  
12:15 PM     Call to Prayer

### **Monday, January 14**

9:30 AM      Sewing Sisters, Fellowship Room

### **Tuesday, January 15**

9:30 AM      Ladies Bible Study, Fellowship Room

### **Wednesday, January 16**

5:45 PM      Children's Choir, Fellowship Room  
6:15 PM      Mid-Week Prayer Meeting, Parlor, Upstairs Sanctuary  
                 Children's Catechism and Youth Programs, Lower Level Sanctuary  
                 Ladies Bible Study, Fellowship Room  
                 Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal, Choir Room  
                 Men's Bible Study, Conference Room

### **Thursday, January 17**

6:30 AM      Gathering of Men for Prayer and Study, Sanctuary Room 9  
5:30 PM      Diaconate Meeting  
6:30 PM      Stated Session Meeting

### **Sunday, January 20**

9:30 AM      Sunday School  
10:45 AM     Worship Service

# ORDER OF WORSHIP

## Prelude

## Gathering Song

*Our Song From Age to Age*

O God of power, living Word, the One who made the stars,  
Who with your glory filled the earth, from dust made beating hearts.  
You loved us when we fell away, poured mercy on our souls;  
And promised grace would come to save to loose death's iron hold.

*(Chorus 1)*

You are our song from age to age, our voices unite to recount your praise  
Again and again.

O God of promises fulfilled, the God who took on flesh,  
Who did all that the Father willed, was humbled unto death.  
You bore our cross of sin and shame, endured our agony,  
With gladness we now bear your name and worship at your feet.

*(Chorus 2)*

You are our song from age to age, our voices unite to recount your praise  
Again and again.

You are our song from age to age, we will proclaim your power to save  
Again and again.

O God, who surely guides our steps, through tempests and through trials,  
Our Shepherd King, your way is best, though tears now veil our eyes.  
Your steadfast love, our perfect hope, our eyes are fixed on grace.  
We have no doubt you'll lead us home, to finally see your face.

*(Chorus 2)*

O God of all of history, enthroned in realms of light,  
What eyes of faith have strained to see will one day fill our sight.  
With all the saints we'll lay our crowns before the Savior's feet,  
And sing as all the heav'ns resound for all eternity.

*(Chorus 2)*

**Welcome**

Rev. Gabe Malloy

*(Please sign the Friendship Register form and pass it to your neighbor.)*

**Arden Focus**

Disaster Relief Flood Buckets, Jim Sherar

**Greeting of One Another**

**GOD CALLS US TO WORSHIP HIM**

**Call to Worship**

Dr. Craig Sheppard

Minister: Shout for joy in the Lord, O you righteous! Praise befits the upright.

**ALL: Let those who delight in His righteousness shout for joy and be glad and say evermore, 'Great is the Lord, who delights in the welfare of His servants.'**

Psalm 33:1, 35:27

**Hymn of Adoration**

*All Creatures of Our God and King*

No. 115

Verses 1, 2, 4, 5

**Prayer of Invocation (concluding with the Lord's Prayer)**

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever and ever. Amen.

**Songs of Praise**

*Jesus is Lord*

"Jesus is Lord" — the cry that echoes through creation;  
Resplendent pow'r, eternal Word, our Rock.  
The Son of God, the King whose glory fills the heavens,  
Yet bids us come to taste this living bread.

“Jesus is Lord” — whose voice sustains the stars and planets,  
Yet in his wisdom laid aside his crown.  
Jesus the man, who washed our feet, who bore our suff’ring,  
Became a curse to bring salvation’s plan.

“Jesus is Lord” — the tomb is gloriously empty  
Not even death could crush this King of love.  
The price is paid, the chains are loosed, and we’re forgiven,  
And we can run into the arms of God.

“Jesus is Lord” — a shout of joy, a cry of anguish,  
As he returns and every knee bows low.  
Then every eye and every heart will see his glory;  
The Judge of all will take his children home.

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*Awake My Soul (A Thousand Tongues)*

Oh for a thousand tongues to sing my great Redeemer's praise.  
The glories of my God and King, the triumphs of his grace.

A thousand songs are not enough to say how great you are.  
The glories of Your majesty, the triumphs of Your love.

*(Chorus)*

Awake, my soul, to sing the glories of my God and King.  
Arise and praise the One worthy of the songs of a thousand tongues.

You break the power of all our sin, you set the captive free.  
You make the broken heart rejoice, new life the dead receive.

*(Chorus)*

*(Bridge)*

Forever you are, forever you are worthy.  
Forever you are, forever you are worthy.  
Forever you are...

*(Chorus)*

*Matt Maher, Jonas Myrin, Matt Redman, and Laura Story*  
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## Corporate Confession of Faith

Rev. Malloy

Minister: What was the effect of man's first sin in the garden?

**ALL: Man fell to a state of sin by his obedience and so completely lost his ability to will any spiritual good involving salvation. Consequently, fallen man is by nature completely opposed to spiritual good, is dead in sin, and is unable by his own strength either to convert himself or to prepare himself for conversion.**

Adapted from *Westminster Confession of Faith* 9.3

## GOD GRACIOUSLY RENEWS OUR HEARTS

### Corporate Confession of Sin

Heavenly Father, we have often flattered you with our lips, all the while loving darkness, forgetting your mercies, and breaking your covenant. It is by your compassion alone that we are not consumed. Forgive us. Help us to look upon Jesus Christ by faith whom we pierced—the one slain for us. May our souls rest in you.

[Adapted from *Valley of Vision*, pp. 70-71]

### Silent Confession of Sin

### Assurance of Pardon and Pastoral Prayer

*For if, because of one man's trespass, death reigned through that one man, much more will those who receive the abundance of grace and the free gift of righteousness reign in life through the one man Jesus Christ.*

Romans 5:17

*(Following the prayer, children 4 years– Kindergarten are dismissed for Children's Church meeting downstairs in room 11)*

## The Presentation of His Tithes and Our Offerings

Offertory

Sanctuary Choir

*O Lord, Our Lord, How Majestic (Psalm 8)*

*O Lord, our Lord, how majestic is your name in all the earth!  
You set your glory above the skies by your almighty Word.  
In the sound of children's praise you have established strength,  
Our eyes we lift, how majestic is your name in all the earth.*

*O Lord, our Lord, when we contemplate the beauty of your works,  
O what is man that you think of him, or stoop to give him worth?  
Lower than the angel hosts with glory we are crowned,  
What joy, what bliss, how majestic is your name in all the earth.*

*O Lord, our Lord, you have placed the world beneath our rule and care,  
O'er every creature upon the land within the sea and air.  
Ev'ry breath a gift to praise the King all nature serves,  
Our song is this, how majestic is your name in all the earth.*

*O Lord, our Lord, all creation cries the wonders of your name,  
Where mountains rise and where oceans kneel, all teeming life proclaim,  
With the everlasting song, of your redeeming works,  
How vast, how rich, how majestic is your name in all the earth!*

*Hallelujah! Hallelujah!*

*O Lord, our Lord, how majestic is your name in all the earth!*

*Hallelujah! Hallelujah!*

*O Lord, our Lord, how majestic is your name in all the earth!*

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# GOD RENEWS OUR MINDS

**Sermon**

Rev. Sheppard

The Calling and Grace of Church Discipline

**1 Corinthians 5:9-13**

(pew Bible page 954)

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The Calling and Grace of Church Discipline

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**I. Clearing the Confusion**

vv.9-10

**II. Defining Our Response**

Matt. 18:15-18, 1 Cor. 5:2,5,7,9,11,13

**III. Short-Circuiting the Biblical Process**

A.

B.

C.

D.

E.

F.

**IV. Application**

**GOD BLESSES US AND SENDS US**

**The Lord's Benediction**

**The Church's Response**

*Doxology*

No. 731

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise Him, all creatures here below;  
Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host;  
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

*Text: Thomas Ken  
Music: Genevan Psalter, 1551, alt.  
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**Postlude**

*Elders will be available after the service at the front of the Sanctuary  
for prayer and encouragement.*

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

You are invited to **A Call To Prayer**. The purpose of the call to prayer is to pray for revival/awakening and for our church. We will meet in **Chapel** in the administrative building immediately following today's worship time and dismiss no later than 1:00 PM. A prayer leader will facilitate the prayer time guiding us through seasons of prayer. Prayer prompts will be available to aid us in this focused time of prayer. We will continue to meet the second Sunday of every month and hope you will join us as we seek God in prayer for the nations, our country, city and church.

Arden Pres will be collecting **flood buckets and hygiene kits for the Mission to North America (MNA) warehouse** through the month of January in cooperation with several other Western Carolina Presbytery churches. Buckets will be delivered to the MNA warehouse in Rome, GA in February. Information about preparing buckets and kits can be found on the MNA website ([pcamna.org](http://pcamna.org) or [pcamna.org/disaster-response](http://pcamna.org/disaster-response)) as well as on the Narthex information tables during January. **Contact Jim Sherar, [jrs4trees@gmail.com](mailto:jrs4trees@gmail.com), for more information. Donations of \$75 for a bucket or \$25 for a hygiene kit can also be made payable to Arden Presbyterian (designated for 'Disaster Relief').**

**Small Groups Welcome New Members!** Are you looking for a way to build some great friendships with others from our church? Visit a few Small Groups to find one that is a good fit for you. For more info, stop by the table in the Narthex to see the Small Group handout and to sign up today!

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Tithing Envelopes** are available in the Narthex. Contact Dan Berger if you cannot find your envelopes or need to request envelopes for 2019.

### **Ladies Bible Studies**

**Tuesday Mornings**, 9:30-11:30 AM

Fellowship Room, below sanctuary

*Ephesians*. Study guides are available in class. Loving childcare provided.

If you wish to follow along but cannot attend, pick up a guide in the Welcome Center and listen to online lectures: <http://www.apc2.org/womensministry/>

**Wednesday Evenings**, 6:15-7:15 PM

Fellowship Room, below sanctuary

*From Garden to Glory*. Books available in class, \$15.

**Ladies Book Club** will resume on January 21 at Heather Wright's home, 9 Holly Ridge Dr. (in Oak Forest) from 6:30pm-8:30pm. (Note the earlier start time). We will introduce our new book, *It's All Under Control*, by Jennifer Dukes Lee. Please join us. If you have questions, call/text **Sheila Wright, 828-708-2456** or **Heather Wright, 828-412-1078**.

**SUPER Saints Luncheon**: Join us on **Thursday, January 24 at 12:30 pm** in the **Multi-purpose Room** for our monthly SUPER Saints Luncheon. Cost is \$5 per person. Please RSVP by visiting the Welcome Center today, or by calling/emailing Linda Sease at 828-684-7221, ext 357, or [linda.apc.asst@gmail.com](mailto:linda.apc.asst@gmail.com) by Monday, January 21. **Dr. Don King**, Professor of English at Montreat College and C.S. Lewis scholar will be our guest speaker.

**Youth Mission Trip to Puerto Rico August 3-10!** To sign up or for more information, see Pastor Gabe.

**FINANCIAL UPDATE: January Financial Update as of 1/09/2019**

01/06/2019 General Fund Offering \$29,260

	<b>Jan. Giving</b>	<b>YTD Giving</b>	<b>YTD Expense</b>	<b>YTD Difference</b>
General Fund	\$29,260	\$29,260	\$32,948	\$(3,688)
Mercy Fund	\$570	\$570	\$100	\$470
Faith Promise	\$4,025	\$4,025	—	\$4025
Building	\$105	\$105	—	\$105

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Jim Wilde

**Deacons:**

Tim Bartlett

Mark Gould

Daniel Jensen

Larry Kidd

Aaron Kraft

*The flowers today are given to the Glory of God.*

**Save these dates for All Church events:**

**January 15-19:** Albany, GA Relief Trip

**January 27:** Last day for Make-Up Directory Photos

**February 3:** Indoor Picnic in Fellowship Room Following Worship Service

**February 27-March 3:** APC Missions Conference

**April 21:** Easter Sunday

**OUR VISION**

The vision of Arden Presbyterian Church is to be a vibrant, Christ-centered body of Reformed believers, who are **in the Word, in the church, and in the world**. We seek to grow in our knowledge and love of the Word, to corporately worship our Triune God reverently and joyfully, and to lovingly communicate the gospel to a lost, yet watchful world. We strive to live out our faith through the active application of our time, talents, and resources in ministry and service to our church, our local community, and across the globe.

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**Children's Sunday School Classes**  
9:30AM-10:15AM  
**Youth & Adult Sunday School Classes**  
9:30AM-10:15AM  
**Worship Service**  
10:45AM-12:00PM

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