

Order for the Worship of God

11 A.M.

*“For the Son of Man goes as it is written of him,
but woe to that man by whom the Son of Man is betrayed!
It would have been better for that man if he had not been born.”*
~ Mark 14:21

The Prelude *O Morning Star, How Fair and Bright* arr. Charles Ore

The Welcome & Exhortation to Worship

The Introit *Now Let Us All Praise God and Sing* Gordon Young

* The Call to Worship – Proverbs 6:20-23

Pastor: My son, keep your father’s commandment, and forsake not your mother’s teaching.

People: Bind them on your heart always; tie them around your neck.

Pastor: When you walk, they will lead you; when you lie down, they will watch over you;

People: and when you awake, they will talk with you.

Pastor: For the commandment is a lamp and the teaching a light,

ALL: and the reproofs of discipline are the way of life.

* **Hymn of Praise No. 295** *Crown Him with Many Crowns*

* The Prayer of Invocation

* **The Psalm of Assurance – Psalm 2B** *Psalms for Worship* ABERYSTWYTH

The Pastoral Prayer

Choral Response *Almighty Father*

The LORD’s Tithes and Our Offerings

(Please sign & pass the registration pad)

The Offertory *Come Down, O Love, Divine* arr. Robert Hobby

* **The Doxology** Old Hundredth
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.

* **The Old Testament Reading** – Psalm 41:1-13 (pg. 469)

The Anthem *Create in Me a Clean Heart, O God* Carl F. Mueller
Create in me a clean heart, O God; and renew a right spirit within me. Cast me not away from Thy presence; and take not Thy Holy Spirit from me. Restore unto me the joy of Thy salvation; and uphold me with Thy free spirit. Then will I teach transgressors Thy ways; and sinners shall be converted unto Thee. Create in me a clean heart, O God.

* **Hymn of Preparation No. 30** *Our God, Our Help in Ages Past*
(Children K4-1st grade dismissed to children’s church)

* **The New Testament Reading** – Mark 14:10-21 (pg. 850-51)

The Sermon *Anatomy of a Hypocrite* Rev. Joel Smit

* **Hymn of Thanksgiving No. 668** *Who Trusts in God, a Strong Abode*

* The Benediction

* **The Congregational Chorus Psalm 23:6** CRIMOND
Goodness and mercy all my life shall surely follow me; and in God’s house forevermore my dwelling place shall be.

* **The Postlude** *Sonata on the 1st Tone* Jose Lidon

* The congregation stands.

OPPORTUNITIES FOR GROWTH

LORD’s Day - 9:15 A.M. - Prayer Time
9:45 A.M. - Adult & Children Sunday School
10:30 A.M. - Fellowship Time
11:00 A.M. - Worship of Almighty God
6:00 P.M. - Evening worship of Almighty God
7:15 P.M. - Mission Committee meeting

Tuesday - 11:30 A.M. - Keenagers luncheon meeting
Wednesday - 5:45 P.M. - Broccoli, ham & mozzarella bake dinner
7:00 P.M. - Adult Bible study, King’s Kids
PYF, Choir Rehearsal

Thursday - 6:30 P.M. - Deacon meeting
Saturday - 8:30 A.M. - Men of the Covenant

WEDNESDAY NIGHT MEAL: On Wednesday, January 17th we will have broccoli, ham, and mozzarella bake, jasmine rice, roasted squash, rolls, and dessert for dinner. The cost is \$4 per person with a \$12 cap per family. If you plan to eat dinner, please sign the sign-up sheet.

MISSION COMMITTEE MEETING: The Mission Committee will meet immediately following evening worship today in the conference room. The Missions committee is seeking more committee members. Anyone who feels led to join the committee, please notify Mark Jackson.

KEENAGER LUNCHEON: Our next luncheon meeting is Tuesday, January 16th at 11:30 a.m. at O’Charleys restaurant located at 4130 Austell Rd in Austell. Please let Jim or Lisa Ogburn know if you plan to attend.

DEACON MEETING: The Deacons will meet Thursday, January 18th at 6:30 p.m. in the conference room.

MEN OF THE COVENANT: The men of Smyrna Presbyterian Church will gather for our Bible study & a season of prayer on Saturday, January 20th at 8:30 a.m. Breakfast will be served.

BETHANY SOUP LUNCH: The annual Bethany Soup Luncheon will be Sunday, January 21st immediately following morning worship. A sign-up sheet is located in the Narthex. Church members are encouraged to donate what would be the typical cost of lunch eaten in a restaurant to Bethany Christian Services.

WIC KICK-OFF: We will have a WIC Kick-off for the New Year on Wednesday, January 24th from 6:30 to 7:00 p.m. in the sanctuary after our Wednesday night meal. This is for all women.

DINNER GROUPS: We are beginning a new round this month. There is a sign-up sheet in the narthex. If you are interested in knowing, on a more personal level, your fellow church goers please sign up. Each group is autonomous to themselves. We encourage all to participate. Contact Ralph Canup at ralphcanup@gmail.com with any questions.

CALL TO PRAYER: We’re excited to introduce a renewed emphasis on prayer. We want to be like the early church, devoting ourselves to teaching, fellowship, and prayer. (Acts 2:42). To help enrich our prayer lives, we are changing the bulletin insert to reflect specific prayer and praise requests in designated categories to help focus our prayers on timely matters. For example, we will provide specific requests for prayer for our church leaders and our church ministries. We will also feature three church families each week to be upheld in prayer. Sharing our praise and prayer requests is humbling, but it also bonds Believers in deep fellowship. It is our prayer that you will find the *Call to Prayer* helps deepen your prayer life and that of this church body. If you would like to be part of the prayer team behind a *Call to Prayer*, please see David Owen.

UPCOMING GREETER SCHEDULE

January 14th

Church Wing— Wayne & Patty Ramsey
School Wing— Jill, Gina, & Stella Fogarty

January 21st

Church Wing— Smadja Hart
School Wing— Chip & Sis Howell

UPCOMING NURSERY WORKERS

If you have a conflict, change your date with someone else and contact the staffing coordinator. Please note: You may request a CD for the message preached during your time of service; see the audio team in the sound booth for a copy.

January 14th

Infant— Kelly Becker/Page Whitfield
Toddler— Caroline Wesley/Amy Stiles
2’s & 3’s—Michele Crooks/Scott Crooks
Extra—Andy Fogarty
Floater—Mary MacGregor
Children’s Church—Emma Hovey

January 21st

Infant— Jill Fogarty/Evelyn Canup
Toddler— Britta Lee/Jordan Lee
2’s & 3’s—Susan Holland/Spencer King
Extra—Wayne Hughes
Floater—Adam Crooks
Children’s Church—Lucy Katrek

Evening Worship
6:00 P.M.

“And he said to the people, go forward. March around the city and let the armed men pass on before the ark of the LORD.”
~ Joshua 6:7

The Prelude

The Words of Welcome

* The Call to Worship

* The Psalm – 29B NORMANDY CAROL

* The Prayer of Invocation

* The Hymn – 12 *Exalt the LORD, His Praise Proclaim*

Psalter Reading Psalm 36 (pg. 797)

The Offering & Prayer of Dedication

The Offertory

The Evening Prayer

The Hymn - 64 *God, the LORD, a King Remaineth*

* The Reading of God's Word Joshua 5:13-6:7 (pg. 181)

The Sermon *Encounter with the True Joshua* Rev. Joel Smit

* Hymn of Thanksgiving – 401 *All Praise to Thee, My God, This Night*

* The Benediction

The Postlude

Elders

Let the elders that rule well be counted worthy of double honor, especially they who labor in the word and doctrine.
~ I Timothy 5:17

Class of 2018	Class of 2019	Class of 2020
Rob Hines	Rob MacGregor	Dan Hall
John Milberger	David Owen	Bill Pruett
David Stallings		

Elder Emeritus

Gene Hall Chip Howell Don Wilkes

Deacons

For they that have used the office of a deacon well purchase to themselves a good standing, and great boldness in the faith which is in Christ Jesus. ~ I Timothy 3:13

Class of 2019	Class of 2020	
Dervon Douglas	Mike Becker	Matt Ramsey
Danny Powell	Andy Fogarty	James Wesley
	Buddy Kelly	



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The ministry of Smyrna Presbyterian Church exists to worship the triune God by preaching, praying, singing, and living the Holy Scripture so as to know Christ as a covenant community of believers and to make Him known in our community and world.