

## Order for the Worship of God

11 A.M.

**The Prelude** *Pastorale* Charles Wesley

### The Welcome & Exhortation to Worship

**The Introit** *Christ We Do All Adore Thee* Dubois

#### \* The Call to Worship – Psalm 100:1-3

Pastor: Make a joyful noise to the LORD, all the earth!

**People: Serve the LORD with gladness!**

Pastor: Come into His presence with singing!

**People: Know that the LORD, He is God!**

Pastor: It is He Who made us, and we are His;

**ALL: We are His people, and the sheep of His pasture.**

\* **Psalm of Praise – 100A** OLD 100<sup>TH</sup>

#### \* The Prayer of Invocation & Gloria Patri

*Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, amen.*

#### The Pastoral Prayer

**Choral Response** *Almighty Father*

#### The LORD's Tithes and Our Offerings

(Please sign & pass the registration pad)

**The Offertory** *Diapason Movement* John Keeble

\* **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 Anthem** *Draw Us In The Spirit's Tether* Harold Friedell

*Draw us in the Spirit's tether; for when humbly, in Thy name, two or three are met together, Thou art in the midst of them: Alleluya! Touch we now Thy garment's hem. As the brethren used to gather in the name of Christ to sup, then with thanks to God the Father break the bread and bless the cup, Alleluya! So knit thou our friendship. All our meals and all our living make as sacraments of Thee, that by caring, helping, giving, we may true disciples be. We will serve Thee faithfully.*

\* **Hymn of Preparation No. 521** *My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less*  
(Children K4-1<sup>st</sup> grade dismissed to children's church)

\* **The New Testament Reading** – 1 Peter 3:13-17 (pg. 1016)

**The Sermon** *Hope Through & Because of Suffering* Rev. Joel Smit

#### The Corporate Confession of Sin

Pastor: God spoke all these words saying, I am the LORD Thy God, which have brought Thee out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of bondage.

**ALL: Thou shalt have no other gods before me.  
Thou shalt not make unto Thee any graven image.  
Thou shalt not take the Name of the LORD thy God in vain.  
Remember the Sabbath day, to keep it holy.  
Honor thy father and thy mother.  
Thou shalt not kill.  
Thou shalt not commit adultery.  
Thou shalt not steal.  
Thou shalt not bear false witness.  
Thou shalt not covet. [Exodus 20:1-17]**

Pastor: Hear also the words of our LORD Jesus, how he said: Thou shalt love the LORD thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy mind. This is the first and greatest commandment. And the second is like unto it: Thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself. On these two commandments hang all the law and the prophets.

#### Prayer of Confession

##### Assurance of Pardon – 2 Chronicles 30:9

*“For if you return to the LORD, your brothers and your children will find compassion...for the LORD your God is gracious and merciful and will not turn away His face from you, if you return to Him.”*

**Hymn of Preparation. No. 247** *O Sacred Head, Now Wounded*

Fencing the Table  
The Words of Institution  
Prayer of Consecration  
Distribution of the Elements  
Prayer of Thanksgiving

\* **Hymn of Thanksgiving No. 737** *Christ, We Do All Adore Thee*

#### \* 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.*

**Stevenson Scholarship Fund Offering** Rear of Sanctuary

\* **The Postlude** *Siciliana* William Walond

\* 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  
*Monday* - 8:00 P.M. - Men's Bible study  
*Tuesday* - 6:00 P.M. - Officer training  
*Wednesday* - 5:30 P.M. - Sausage & corn chowder dinner  
6:30 P.M. - Adult Bible study, King's Kids, FACT, Choir Rehearsal  
*Thursday* - 6:00 P.M. - Officer training  
*Saturday* - 8:45 A.M. - Kindness Circle meeting

**WEDNESDAY NIGHT MEAL:** On Wednesday, October 10<sup>th</sup> we will have sausage & corn chowder, salad, cornbread, and dessert for dinner. The cost is \$4 per person with a \$12 cap per family. After the meal, we will gather for a time of prayer & Bible study. We look forward to seeing you all there.

**MEN'S BIBLE STUDY:** The Men's Bible study will meet tomorrow evening, Monday October 8<sup>th</sup> at 8:00 p.m. at the home of Matt Hammond.

**OFFICER TRAINING:** Officer training will be held the evenings of October 9<sup>th</sup> & 11<sup>th</sup> and October 23<sup>rd</sup> & 25<sup>th</sup> for anyone who would like to join in on the training. The training will begin at 6:00 p.m.

#### OCTOBER CIRCLE MEETING

**Saturday, October 13th—8:45 A.M.**

Kindness Circle - Will meet in the church fellowship hall.

**CHRISTMAS POINSETTIAS:** Please submit your order during the month of **October** to purchase a poinsettia for our Christmas services. Each poinsettia is \$8.00 (6" pot). Complete an order form and place it in the box on the table in the narthex or contact Theresa Hammond at march2528@bellsouth.net or (770) 309-3554. Payment by check or cash. Envelopes will be provided with order forms in the narthex.

**JOINT PRESBYTERY WORSHIP SERVICE:** Our annual joint presbytery worship service will be held Sunday evening, October 21<sup>st</sup> at Midway Presbyterian Church (4635 Dallas Hwy in Powder Springs) beginning at 6:00 p.m. Please plan to join us in worship at Midway. For anyone needing transportation to Midway, plan to meet at SPC by 5:00 p.m. to ride the church van.

#### UPCOMING GREETER SCHEDULE

##### October 7th

Church Wing— Jill, Gina, & Stella Fogarty  
School Wing— Howard & Jean Campbell

##### October 14th

Church Wing— Smadja Hart  
School Wing— Crystal & Lucy Katrek

**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.

**October 7th**

Infant— Hortense Bediam/Kelly Becker  
Toddler— Gail Stallings/Caroline Wesley  
2's & 3's—Julie Ramsey/Wayne Hughes  
Extra—Buddy Kelly  
Floater—Eryn Ridings  
Children's Church—Paris Garrett/Paige Crooks

**October 14th**

Infant— Amy Stiles/Kelly Becker  
Toddler— Rose Zang/Josh Stevenson  
2's & 3's—Amanda Stevenson/Leah Thomas  
Extra—Max Thelen  
Floater—Adam Crooks  
Children's Church—Britta Lee/Ella Becker

**Evening Worship**  
6:00 P.M.

The Prelude  
The Words of Welcome  
\* The Call to Worship  
The Psalm – 146A CONVERSE  
The Prayer of Invocation  
The Hymn – 98 *Now Thank We All Our God*  
The Psalter Reading Westminster Shorter Catechism 10-12 (pg. 870)  
The Offering & Prayer of Dedication  
The Offertory  
The Evening Prayer  
The Hymn – 465 *Marvelous Grace of Our Loving LORD*  
\* The Reading of God's Word Hosea 3:1-5 (pg. 752)  
The Sermon *Ransomed, Redeemed, Restored, Forgiven* Rev. Joel Smit  
\* Hymn of Thanksgiving – 76 *Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven*  
\* The Benediction  
The Postlude



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**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*

<i>Class of 2018</i>	<i>Class of 2019</i>	<i>Class of 2020</i>
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*

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

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