

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Today, Pastor Heath will begin a Sunday morning sermon series entitled, "Technology and Christian Identity." The series will discuss how technology is affecting Christians and how we can approach new technologies with biblical wisdom and imagination.

Midweek at FPC will be Wed., Sept. 3rd. The meal will begin at 5:45p.m. After the meal, there will be classes for children, youth and adults. Pastor Heath will be continuing his Bible study on Covenant Theology.

Day Circle will meet Mon., Sept. 8th, 10:30a.m., in the choir room.

Night Circle will meet Mon., Sept. 8th, 6:00p.m., in the Family Life Building. Laura Brown is the hostess. Kristi McCown is the lesson moderator. Please read Week 4.

In September, Pastor Heath will begin a new Sunday evening sermon series working verse-by-verse through 1 Corinthians 13. The subject will be applying the love of Christ to how we live.

Ushers for August

Drew Edwards, Head Usher David Willers
Chad Chapman Hank Chapman
Anders Willers

Nursery Volunteers for August

Sun. Aug. 31st— Anje Morgan & Lisa Suttle

Sunday School classes are available for all ages at 9:30a.m.

The nursery is available during the morning worship service for children ages 0 to 5 years old, located in the Family Life Building.

To Our Visitors:

Thank you for joining us for worship today. If you have questions about the gospel, the Christian faith, or our church, our pastors will be happy to talk with you after the service.

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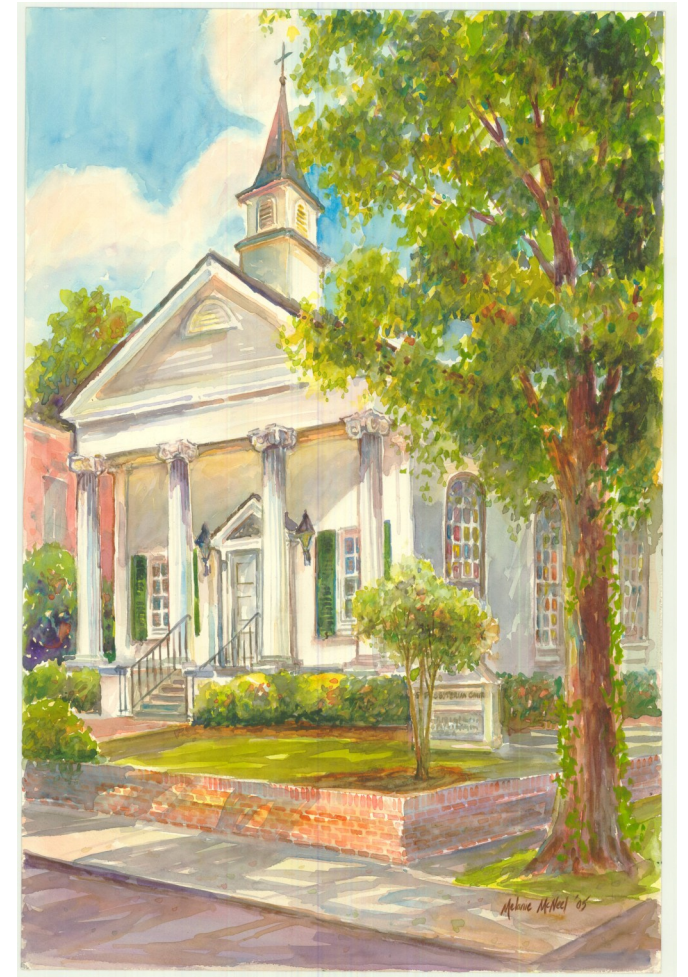
Senior Pastor Heath Cross
Associate Pastor Matt Miller
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Order for the Worship of God
August 31, 2025

MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE

10:30A.M.

The Welcome and Announcements

The Instrumental Prelude

✠The Responsive Call to Worship

Psalm 121:1-2
I lift up my eyes to the hills. From where does my help come?
My help comes from the LORD, who made heaven and earth.
Let us worship God

✠The Prayer of Invocation

✠The Hymn

Worship Christ, the Risen King!

No.286

The Old Testament Reading

Isaiah 2:1-5
This is the Word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

The Corporate Confession of Sin

Our gracious God, we have sinned times without number, and been guilty of pride and unbelief. We have failed to heed your Word. We have neglected to seek you in our daily lives. Our transgressions and shortcomings present us with a list of accusations. But we bless you that they will not stand against us, for all have been laid on Christ. Go on to subdue our corruptions, and grant us grace to live above them. We ask this in Christ's name. Amen.

The Silent Confession of Sin

The Assurance of Pardon

Hebrews 8:10-12

✠The Hymn

We Have Heard the Joyful Sound

No.448

The Giving of Tithes and Offerings

The Offertory

The Choral Anthem

✠The Doxology

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 Prayer of Dedication

The New Testament Reading

Acts 17:22-31
The grass withers, the flower fades;
But the Word of our God will stand forever.

The Sermon

Rev. Heath Cross

“A.I. and the Search for Superintelligence”

✠The Hymn

We Will Feast in the House of Zion

(Vs.1&2)

Chorus
We will feast in the house of Zion
We will sing with our hearts restored
He has done great things, we will say together
We will feast and weep no more

Verse 1
We will not be burned by the fire
He is the Lord our God
We are not consumed, by the flood
Upheld, protected, gathered up

Chorus

Verse 2
In the dark of night, before the dawn
My soul, be not afraid
For the promised morning, oh how long?
Oh God of Jacob, be my strength

Chorus

The Invitation to the Lord's Table

✠The Apostles' Creed

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 Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; He descended into hell; the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from there He will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit; the holy, catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

✠The Ten Commandments

from *Exodus 20:3-17*
1. You shall have no other gods before me.
2. You shall not make for yourself an idol; you shall not worship them or serve them.
3. You shall not take the name of the Lord your God in vain.
4. Remember the Sabbath Day, to keep it holy.
5. Honor your father and your mother.
6. You shall not murder.
7. You shall not commit adultery.
8. You shall not steal.
9. You shall not bear false witness.
10. You shall not covet.

The Lord's Supper

✠The Hymn

We Will Feast in the House of Zion

(Vs. 3)

Verse 3
Every vow we've broken and betrayed
You are the Faithful one
And from the garden to the grave
Bind us together, bring shalom

Chorus
We will feast in the house of Zion
We will sing with our hearts restored
He has done great things, we will say together
We will feast and weep no more

✠The Benediction

✠The Choral Response

Threefold Amen

No.740

✠The Postlude

5th Sunday Dinner immediately following the worship service.

NO EVENING WORSHIP

(✠Congregation Stands)