

THE LORD’S DAY
August 2, 2026 † 11:00 AM

ORDER OF WORSHIP

“But He, because He continues forever, has an unchangeable priesthood. ²⁵Therefore He is also able to save to the uttermost those who come to God through Him, since He always lives to make intercession for them.” – Hebrews 7:24-25

Welcome & Announcements

Call to Worship

Choral Call to Worship *“Burdens are Lifted at Calvary”*

*Bible Song (Green) #234..... *"Our Great High Priest"*

*Invocation and The Lord’s Prayer

*Nicene Creed..... Back of Bulletin

Children’s Message

Anthem *“My Tribute”*

Pastoral Prayer

*Hymn 305 (Red) #305 *"Arise, My Soul, Arise"*

*Scripture Reading Job 16-17

Sermon "My Witness is in Heaven"

*Hymn (Red) #521 *“My Hope is Built on Nothing Less”*

*Benediction

*Doxology *Bible Song # 155*

*CONGREGATION WILL STAND

WELCOME TO WORSHIP

We extend a warm welcome to all who assemble to worship the true and living God. If you are visiting, we are glad you are here. Please fill out a visitor card (located in the pew racks) and leave it in one of the offering plates on the way out.

- Offering Plates are located by each door.
- Nurseries are available for infants & toddlers.
- Children’s Church is available for ages 2-4.

ATTENDANCE AND OFFERINGS: JULY 26, 2026

Morning Worship: 134; Evening Worship: 14; Online: 41

Sunday School: Jimmy S: 10; Ladies: 8; Adults: 17; Young Adults: 0; Youth: 11; Children: 11; Nursery: 1

Kids Night: - children -, adults -

\$ Needed per week to meet Gen. Fund budget \$7,662.00

Average weekly General Fund offering YTD..... \$7,660.46

Offerings for July 26, 2026

General Fund \$8,360.00

500 Fund \$0

Simons Fund \$0

Faith Promise \$0

Faith Promise Offering YTD \$5,610.00

RECORD OF GOD’S FAITHFULNESS

Psalm 33:4 – “For the word of the LORD is right and true; he is faithful in all he does.”

WEEKLY ACTIVITIES

Sunday

Prayer Meeting 9:30 AM

Sunday School 10:00 AM

Worship Service 11:00 AM

Evening Worship 5:00 PM

Kids’ Night Resumes September 13

Middle School Youth Group 6:00 PM

High School Youth Group 6:00 PM

Tuesday

Choir Practice 6:00 PM

Wednesday

Men’s Prayer Meeting 8:00 AM

Wednesday Prayer Luncheon Noon

Youth Bible Study Resumes after summer break

Men’s Bible Study Resumes August 19

FLOWERS

The flowers in the sanctuary this morning are given by John and Terri Nieman in loving memory of their parents.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

SUNDAY EVENING ACTIVITIES

Evening worship is tonight at 5:00 PM. MS and HS youth meet from 6:00 – 7:30 PM (a meal is provided).

RALLY DAY

Today is Rally Day. Congratulations to all students who were promoted! Thank you to all our Sunday School teachers.

WOMENS CIRCLE MEETINGS

All ladies are invited to attend the circle meetings to learn more about our mission, our Bible study, and our activities. The Morning Circle will meet Tuesday, August 4 at 11:00 AM in the Fellowship Hall. The Maranatha Circle will meet Tuesday, August 4 at 7:00 PM in the Jimmy Sherrill classroom.

MEN’S BIBLE STUDY

Men’s Bible Study will begin on Wednesday, August 19. We will be studying “*1 & 2 Thessalonians for You*” written by Ligon Duncan. If you plan to attend and would like a book ordered (cost is around \$12.00), please contact Calvin Draffin at 864-378-0265.

PRAY FOR OUR SCHOOLS

Clover schoolteachers returned to work on July 27, and students return on August 3. Other area schools also reopen in August. Please pray for our students and the 22 Clover ARP members serving as teachers, administrators, maintenance, and in other support staff positions. Pray especially for the safety of all, for right and moral teaching, and for the BSRT and First Thing ministries.

HELP NEEDED

We need volunteers to help with the nursery, children’s church, and Sunday School. If you are willing to help, signup sheets are located on the bulletin boards in the Education Building lobby and beside the office.

CARD MAKING

Libby Draffin will be hosting Card Making on Wednesday, August 12 in the Fellowship Hall at 1:30 PM. We will be making birthday, get well, and thinking of you cards, plus other options. All supplies are provided! Please let Libby know if you would like an additional time to make cards, possibly an evening or Saturday. Hope you can join us!



KIDS' NIGHT

The Kids' Night Program will kick off September 13, with lessons beginning the next week (September 20). Additional details about the Back to School/Kids' Night Kickoff event on September 13 will be shared soon.

BIBLICAL STUDIES RELEASED TIME

BSRT needs teachers starting in August for the new school year. These are paid, part-time positions. If you are interested or if you have questions, please email Kyle Hodges at hodgesgarage@hotmail.com or call/text 704-913-1823.

SAVE THESE DATES

August 12	Card Making
August 16	Covered dish lunch
August 19	Men's Bible Study resumes
August 23	Psalm Sing at Bethany ARP Church
September 13	Back to School Bash /Kids' Night kickoff

CLOVER ARP WEBSITE

The church website (<https://cloverarp.org>) is currently not available. We are working to resolve this issue as quickly as possible.

NICENE CREED

We believe in one God, the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and of all things visible and invisible.

And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of the Father before all worlds; God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God; begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father, by whom all things were made.

Who, for us men and for our salvation, came down from heaven, and was incarnate by the Holy Ghost of the virgin Mary, and was made man; and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate; He suffered and was buried; and the third day He rose again, according to the Scriptures; and ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of the Father; and He shall come again, with glory, to judge the quick and the dead; whose kingdom shall have no end.

And we believe in the Holy Ghost, the Lord and Giver of Life; who proceedeth from the Father and the Son; who with the Father and the Son together is worshipped and glorified; who spake by the prophets.

And we believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the remission of sins; and we look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

The Diaconate <i>Tyler Lowe, chairman</i>		
<u>Class of 2026</u> Jason Blair Tyler Lowe Chris Munsey	<u>Class of 2027</u> Judd Baird Kyle Hodges Ryan Postma	<u>Class of 2028</u> Robert Burnett Patrick Glenn Andrew Love Billy McCain
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