

THE LORD’S DAY

November 23, 2025 † 11:00 AM

ORDER OF WORSHIP

“This is a faithful saying and worthy of all acceptance, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners, of whom I am chief.”
– 1 Timothy 1:15

The Welcome & Announcements

The Call to Worship

The Choral Call to Worship..... *“Sing! Make A Joyful Sound”*

*The Bible Song (Green) # 220..... *“Motives to Gratitude”*

*The Invocation and The Lord’s Prayer

*The Nicene Creed..... Back of Bulletin

The Children’s Message

The Anthem *“How Can I Keep from Singing”*

The Pastoral Prayer

*The Psalm (back of bulletin) *“Lord, from the Depths to Thee I Cried”*

*The Scripture Reading 1 Corinthians 15:3

The Sermon “Christ Died for Our Sins”

*The Hymn (Red) # 459..... *“I Am Not Skilled to Understand”*

*The Benediction

*The 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: NOV 16, 2025

Morning Worship: 110; Evening Worship: 22; Online: 31

Sunday School: Jimmy S: 13; Ladies: 7; Adults:16;
Young Adults: 2; Youth: 9; Children: 11 ; Nursery: 0
Kids Night: 11 children, 9 adults

\$ Needed per week to meet Gen. Fund budget	\$8,559.00
Average weekly General Fund offering YTD.....	\$8,980.98
Offerings for November 16, 2025	
General Fund	\$15269.45
500 Fund.....	\$1000.00
Simons Fund.....	\$600.00
Faith Promise.....	\$2000.00
Faith Promise Offering YTD	\$11254.00
Synod Thanksgiving Offering	\$1090.00

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

Sundays

Prayer Meeting	9:30 AM
Sunday School.....	10:00 AM
Worship Service	11:00 AM
Evening Worship Service	5:00 PM
Kids Night	5:00 PM
Middle School Youth Group.....	6:00 PM
High School Youth Group.....	6:00 PM

Tuesdays

Choir Practice.....	6:00 PM
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Wednesdays

Men’s Prayer Meeting	8:00 AM
Wednesday Prayer Luncheon.....	Noon
Youth Bible Study	6:00 PM
Men’s Bible Study	OFF till January 7, 2026

FLOWERS

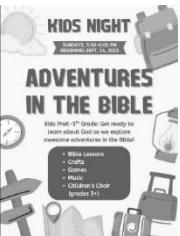
If you would like to place flowers in the sanctuary for a worship service in 2026, please put your name on the flower calendar located on the bulletin board in the hallway next to the church office.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

SUNDAY EVENING ACTIVITIES

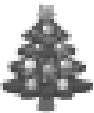
Tonight we will have evening worship at 5:00 PM, and Kids Night will also meet at 5:00 PM. Middle and High School Youth will meet at 6:00 PM.

KIDS’ NIGHT



The Kids Night program, Adventures in the Bible, meets each Sunday evening from 5:00PM to 6:00PM. In tonight’s Bible lesson we will continue our review of the account of David and Goliath from 1 Samuel 17. All children from pre-K to 5th grade are encouraged to join us for this time of learning and fun.

ANGEL TREE MINISTRY UPDATE



Thank you to our congregation for generously adopting *all* of the angels from this year’s Angel Tree! Your kindness will bless many children in our community this Christmas. A quick reminder:

- All gifts are due back no later than Sunday, November 30, 2025.
- Please do not wrap the gifts.
- Clearly label each gift with the angel’s code using masking tape.
- Gifts may be placed in the **designated drop-off boxes** located near the Angel Tree in the education building.

If you have any questions, please contact Kelly Hodges @ 704-214-0235. Thank you again for sharing Christ’s love in such a meaningful and joyful way!

DECEMBER CIRCLE MEETINGS

The Morning Circle will meet at 11:30 AM on Tuesday, December 16 at the home of Terry Killian.

The Maranatha Circle will meet at 6:30 PM on Monday, December 8 at the home of Robin Killian.

MEN’S BIBLE STUDY

The Men's Bible Study has concluded our study on the Nicene Creed. We will begin a new study of 1 Timothy beginning on January 7th. Details will be made available at a late date. The Men’s Bible Study meets Wednesday evening at 6:00 PM in the Fellowship Hall.

DATES OF NOTE

Sunday, November 30- Psalm sing and covered dish supper at 5:00 PM at Bethany ARP Church. No evening worship service or Kids Night at Clover ARP.

Sunday, December 14- Clover ARP youth service project in the afternoon at Clover Area Assistance Center. Details coming soon.

Sunday, December 21- Congregational meeting following morning worship to elect officers and approve the 2026 budget.

Sunday, December 21 @ 5:00 PM- Christmas cantata and candlelight service.

Wednesday, December 24 @ 5:00 PM- Christmas Eve communion service.

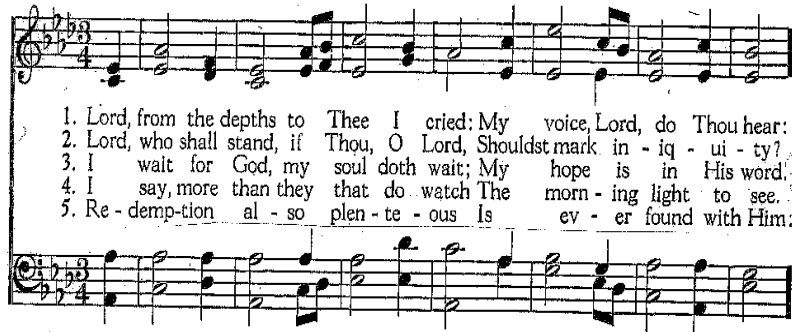
SPECIAL FALL OFFERING

We are still accepting contributions for the ARP Denomination's Special Fall Offering. This offering is for the benefit of: The Christmas Benevolent Fund, Erskine College and Erskine Theological Seminary. Donations can be made using the offering envelope provided Nov. 9.

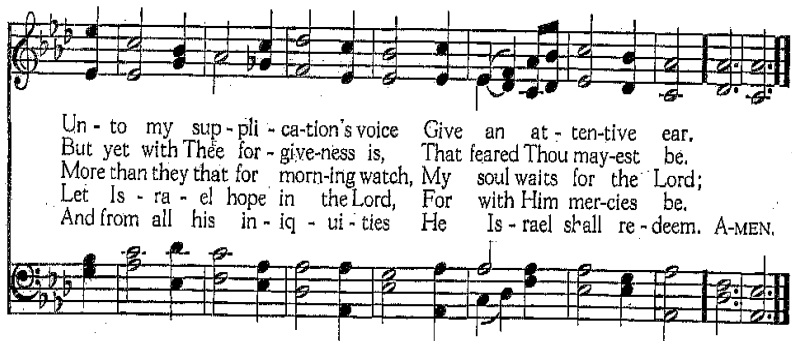
Lord, from the Depths to Thee I Cried

From Psalm 130
Scottish Psalter, 1650

SONG 67 (Gibbons): C. M.
Orlando Gibbons, 1623



1. Lord, from the depths to Thee I cried; My voice, Lord, do Thou hear:
2. Lord, who shall stand, if Thou, O Lord, Shouldst mark in - iq - ui - ty?
3. I wait for God, my soul doth wait; My hope is in His word:
4. I say, more than they that do watch The morn - ing light to see.
5. Re - demp-tion al - so plen - te - ous Is ev - er found with Him:



- Un - to my sup - pli - ca-tion's voice Give an at - ten-tive ear,
But yet with Thee for - give-ness is, That feared Thou may-est be.
More than they that for morn-ing watch, My soul waits for the Lord;
Let Is - ra - el hope in the Lord, For with Him mer-cies be.
And from all his in - iq - ui - ties He Is - rael shall re - deem. A-MEN.

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

C. Cox, chairman

Class of 2025

Russell Beard
Jimmy Bryant
Chris Cox
Tommy Santoriello

Class of 2026

Tyler Lowe
Chris Munsey

Class of 2027

Judd Baird
Kyle Hodges
Ryan Postma

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John Currence
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Jim Young

Class of 2026

David McElwee
Ron Wallace
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