

THE LORD’S DAY

September 13, 2026 † 11:00 AM

ORDER OF WORSHIP

“Judge me, O God, and plead my cause against an ungodly nation: O deliver me from the deceitful and unjust man.” –

Psalm 43:1

Welcome & Announcements

Call to Worship

Choral Call to Worship “Let Us Praise God Together”

*Bible Song (Green) #26 "Let Them Praise His Name”

*Invocation and The Lord’s Prayer

*Nicene Creed Back of Bulletin

Children’s Message

Anthem “Great Are You, Lord”

Pastoral Prayer

*Psalter 43A (insert) "Before a Wicked Nation, God”

*Scripture Reading Job 22

Sermon "Precious Truth and Vicious Lies"

*Bible Song (Green) #46 “The Lord’s My Shepherd”

*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: SEPT 6, 2026

Morning Worship: 97; Evening Worship: -; Online: 45

Sunday School: Jimmy S: 7; Ladies: 8; Adults: 15; Young

Adults: -; Youth: 20; Children: 4; Nursery: 0

Kids Night: - children -, adults -

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

Average weekly General Fund offering YTD..... \$7,788.26

Offerings for September 6, 2026

General Fund \$3,631.00

500 Fund \$0

Simons Fund \$0

Faith Promise \$20.00

Faith Promise Offering YTD \$6,305.00

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 5:00 PM

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 6:00 PM

Men’s Bible Study 6:00 PM

FLOWERS

The flowers in the sanctuary this morning are given to the glory of God and in celebration of Douglas Hershman’s birthday.
Love, Grandma and Pop Pop

ANNOUNCEMENTS

SUNDAY EVENING ACTIVITIES

There will be no evening worship tonight. MS and HS youth will not meet tonight.

BACK-TO-SCHOOL BASH / KIDS’ NIGHT

Tonight is our Back-to-School Bash/Kids’ Night Kickoff event from 5:00 – 6:00 PM. We will have water activities, an inflatable water slide, fire truck, pizza, and tons of fun! Wear your swimsuit, bring a towel, and invite your friends. We can't wait to see you there!



Next Sunday (September 20), we begin our new Kids’ Night program, The Bee-Attitudes. We’ll have music, crafts, games, and fun while we learn about Jesus.

YOUTH WEDNESDAY

Youth Bible study meets each Wednesday from 6:00 – 7:30 in the youth room. Pizza is provided! Please come for a time of fun, fellowship, and growth in Christ.

INQUIRERS’ CLASS

Beginning this Sunday, Preacher Mark will teach an inquirers' class during Sunday School in the sanctuary. This class will run through October 25 (except there will not be a meeting on October 4) and is for anyone considering joining Clover ARP. Members who would like to learn more or have a refresher on the basics of the ARP Church are also welcome to attend.

SESSION AND DIACONATE MEETINGS

The Diaconate will meet Monday, September 14 at 7:00 PM in the Fellowship Hall. The Session will meet Monday, September 21 at 7:00 PM in the Fellowship Hall.

YOUNG AT HEART BINGO

Come join us on Wednesday, September 16 at 1:30 PM in the Fellowship Hall for this fun time of fellowship and games. Everyone is invited!

MEN’S BIBLE STUDY

The Men’s Bible Study meets each Wednesday at 6:00 PM in the Fellowship Hall. We will be studying “1 & 2 Thessalonians for You” written by Ligon Duncan.

LADIES CIRCLE MEETINGS

The Morning Circle will meet this Tuesday, September 15 at 11:00 AM at the home of Judy Thomas (719 Wilmoth Rd, Clover). If you plan to stay for lunch following the lesson, please bring a dish to share.

The Maranatha Circle will also meet this Tuesday, September 15 at 7:00 PM in the Jimmy Sherrill classroom.

All ladies are invited to attend the circle meetings to learn more about our mission, our Bible study, and our activities.

BONCLARKEN HIGH SCHOOL FALL RETREAT

The HS fall retreat is September 25-27. We are looking forward to a fun weekend in the mountains to enjoy fellowship and glorify our creator!

WOMEN’S GATHER AND GROW EVENT

All women of the church are invited to attend the Catawba Women’s Ministry annual fall Gather and Grow event on September 19 (9:00 AM to 3:00 PM) at Tirzah ARP. The speaker will be Amy Kulbok, counselor specializing in grief and trauma. A light breakfast and lunch will be served . There is a \$10 lunch charge at the door. To attend the event, you must register at the address below OR contact Terry Killian at 803-517-4329 by **September 12.**

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLScH9pMUZCwvRSw5log2RIetAe_6MJ0MF2P7PDmsl2nfpp3lhQ/viewform?pli=1

SAVE THESE DATES

September 13	Inquirers’ Class Begins Back to School Bash /Kids’ Night kickoff
September 16	Young at Heart Bingo
September 19	Women’s Gather and Grow Event
September 25-27	HS Fall Retreat at Bonclarken

THE SHORTER CATECHISM

Q: Which is the ninth commandment?

A: *The ninth commandment is, Thou shalt not bear false witness against thy neighbor.*

Q: What is required in the ninth commandment?

A: *The ninth commandment requireth the maintaining and promoting of truth between man and man, and of our own and our neighbor’s good name, especially in witness bearing.*

Q: What is forbidden in the ninth commandment?

A: *The ninth commandment forbiddeth whatsoever is prejudicial to truth, or injurious to our own, or our neighbor’s, good name.*

The Diaconate

Tyler Lowe, chairman

Class of 2026

Jason Blair
Tyler Lowe
Chris Munsey

Class of 2027

Judd Baird
Kyle Hodges
Ryan Postma

Class of 2028

Robert Burnett
Patrick Glenn
Andrew Love
Billy McCain

The Session

G. Starnes, vice-moderator – B. Bodenstein, clerk

Class of 2026

Alan Abernathy
David McElwee
Ron Wallace
Jay Young

Class of 2027

Bruce Bodenstein
Jimmy Sherrill
Greg Starnes

Class of 2028

Jimmy Killian
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in His Son and obedience to His Word.”*

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