

THE LORD’S DAY

September 14, 2025 † 11:00 AM

ORDER OF WORSHIP

“*Finally, brethren, whatever things are true, whatever things are noble, whatever things are just, whatever things are pure, whatever things are lovely, whatever things are of good report, if there is any virtue and if there is anything praiseworthy—meditate on these things.* – Philippians 4:8

- The Welcome & Announcements
- The Call to Worship
- The Choral Call to Worship..... “*Sing! Make a Joyful Sound*”
- *The Bible Song (Green) # 190..... “*The Duty of Daily Praise*”
- *The Invocation and The Lord’s Prayer
- *The Nicene Creed..... Back of Bulletin
- The Children’s Message
- The Anthem “*Blessed Is The People*”
- The Pastoral Prayer
- *The Bible Song # 1 (Green)..... “*The Blessedness of the Godly*”
- *The Scripture Reading 1 Corinthians 13:6
- The Sermon “*Love Does Not Doomscroll*”
- *The Hymn # 645 (Red) “*Jesus, the Very Thought of Thee*”
- *The Benediction
- *The Doxology..... *Bible Song # 155*

*CONGREGATION WILL STAND

OFFERING PLATES ARE LOCATED BY EACH DOOR.

NURSERIES ARE AVAILABLE FOR INFANTS & TODDLERS
AND CHILDREN’S CHURCH FOR AGES 2-4

ATTENDANCE AND OFFERINGS: SEP 7, 2025

Morning Worship: 133; Evening Worship: N/A; Online: 41

Sunday School: Jimmy S:8; Ladies: 5; Adults:12;
Young Adults: 0; Youth: 10; Children:20 ; Nursery: 2
Inquirer’s class-

Kids Night Kickoff: 20 children, 30 youth, 70 total

\$ Needed per week to meet Gen. Fund budget \$8,559.00
Average weekly General Fund offering YTD..... \$8,192.10
Offerings for September 7, 2025
General Fund \$4859.00
500 Fund..... \$0.00
Simons Fund..... \$150.00
Faith Promise..... \$150.00
Faith Promise Offering YTD..... \$7,823.00

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

Wednesdays

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 today are given to the glory of God and in memory of Eliza Stanton and Ethel Killian and in honor of Erin Coomer and Anna Grace Payne by Terry Killian.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

WELCOME TO WORSHIP

We extend a warm welcome to all who assemble here to worship the true and living God today. If you are visiting, we are very 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.

SUNDAY EVENING ACTIVITIES

We will have our regular Sunday evening schedule today with evening worship and Kids’ Night at 5:00 PM and middle and high school youth meetings 6:00 PM.

KIDS’ NIGHT

Join us tonight for our Kids Night program as we explore Adventures in the Bible! We'll have Bible study, memorize Bible verses, sing, make crafts, and play games! Children in pre-kindergarten to fifth grade are invited to join us and bring a friend every Sunday from 5:00-6:00 pm in the Fellowship Hall. This is an awesome adventure you won't want to miss!

COMMUNICANTS’ CLASSES

Communicants’ classes meet today with the children’s class meeting at 4:00 PM and the High School class meeting at 7:00 PM following Youth Group.

LUNCHEON HOSTED BY THE ADULT CLASS

The Fellowship Hall Sunday School will be hosting a covered dish luncheon next Sunday, September 21st, after morning worship. Members of that class and anyone else interested, please be sure to come, bring a dish, and bring a friend!

MARANATHA CIRCLE MEETING

The maranatha Circle will meet this Tuesday, September 16 at 7:00 PM in the Fellowship Hall.

MEN’S BIBLE STUDY

The Men’s Bible Study will meet Wednesday evening at 6:00 PM in the Fellowship Hall continuing our study using the recently published book by Kevin DeYoung, *The Nicene Creed: What You Need to Know about the Most Important Creed Ever Written*. The book can be ordered through Amazon or other outlets for around \$12, or Calvin will order for you if you let him know.

INQUIRERS’ CLASS

Preacher Mark is teaching an Inquirers’ Class each Sunday morning for anyone who has been visiting, is interested in joining, has recently joined, or anyone (including longtime church members) who would like to know more about the history, beliefs, and practices of the ARP Church. The class will meet in the sanctuary during Sunday School. **The class will meet for our final sessions on Sunday September 21 and 28 at 10:00 AM in the sanctuary.**

HIGH SCHOOL FALL RETREAT

We have 12 students attending the High School Retreat September 19-21 at Bonclarken. Please pray for safe travels and a meaningful experience for these students led by our youth director, Scott Frazier.

DIACONATE-SESSION JOINT MEETING

The Diaconate and Session will have a joint meeting Monday, September 15 at 7:00 PM in the fellowship hall. Immediately afterward, the diaconate and session will have their own meetings.

NICENE CREED

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

The Diaconate		
<i>C. Cox, chairman</i>		
<u>Class of 2025</u>	<u>Class of 2026</u>	<u>Class of 2027</u>
Russell Beard	Tyler Lowe	Judd Baird
Jimmy Bryant	Chris Munsey	Kyle Hodges
Chris Cox		Ryan Postma
Tommy Santoriello		
The Session		
<i>J. Currence, vice-moderator – B. Bodenstein, clerk</i>		
<u>Class of 2025</u>	<u>Class of 2026</u>	<u>Class of 2027</u>
John Currence	David McElwee	Bruce Bodenstein
Sean Jeffries	Ron Wallace	Jimmy Sherrill
Jim Young	Alan Abernathy	Greg Starnes
	Jay Young	

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in His Son and obedience to His Word.”*

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