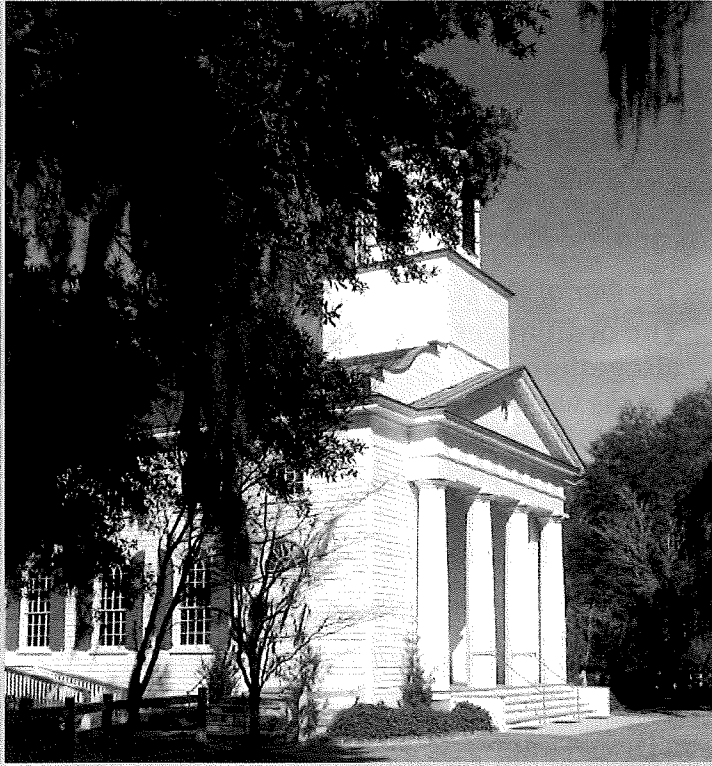


The Presbyterian Church on Edisto Island

FOUNDED 1685
CHURCH CONSTRUCTED 1830



The Mission Statement of The Presbyterian Church on Edisto Island:
In response to God's love and grace, through Jesus Christ, we commit to
learning, proclaiming, and living the love of God.

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The Presbyterian Church on Edisto Island

September 16, 2012

16th Sunday after Pentecost

Liturgical Color: Green

Ten O'Clock

BE STILL AND KNOW THAT I AM GOD

“Enter to worship...

9:55 am PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP

VOLUNTARY

Festal Processional

-Mansfield

CALL TO WORSHIP

(see Psalm 19:9, 14)

Leader: *The fear of the LORD is pure, enduring forever;*

People: **The ordinances of the LORD are true and righteous altogether.**

Leader: *Let the words of my mouth, the meditation of my heart be acceptable to you,*

People: **O LORD, my rock and my redeemer.**

Leader: *Praise the LORD.*

People: **The LORD's name be praised!**

***HYMN OF**

PRAISE #466

O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing

-Azmon

INVITATION TO DISCIPLESHIP

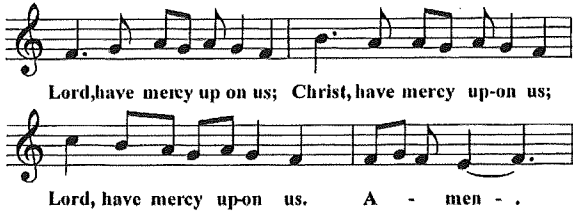
Words of Welcome & Hospitality

Celebrating God's Gift of Children

-Dr. Dennis

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Eternal God, we confess that it is much easier to say we follow Jesus than to do it. We accept more readily the ways of the world than the strange Way of the cross. We love the lovely and lovable. We promote our own interests more easily than deny them. We seek our own gain before that of others. We aim to save our lives, not lose them. Forgive us, O God, and teach us to be faithful regardless of the cost through Jesus Christ, our Savior... (SILENT PRAYERS OF CONFESSION)



ASSURANCE OF PARDON

(see John 3:16)

Hear the good news. God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him may not perish but may have eternal life. Know that you are forgiven and be at peace.

***GLORIA PATRI #579**

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, Amen.

***HYMN #275**

God of Our Life

-Sandon

HEARING GOD'S WORD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

First Reading:

Proverbs 1:20-33

Second Reading:

Mark 8:27-38

SERMON:

The Power of Love

-Dr. Dennis

OUR RESPONSE

SHARING OF TITHES, OFFERINGS, AND PRAYER REQUESTS

OFFERTORY

How Lovely, Lord

-Hopson

***RESPONSE #592**

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below; Praise Him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen

***PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

The Apostle's Creed

(Hymnal, Page 14)

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 Ghost, 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 sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty, from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

*HYMN #371

Lift High the Cross

-Crucifer

*BENEDICTION

*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE

Threefold Amen

-Danish

...leave to serve."

****Those that are able please stand.***

Visitors & Guests: It is a special joy to have you worship with us at the Presbyterian Church on Edisto Island this morning. We welcome you to join us each Sunday for Breakfast at 8:30AM, Sunday School at 9AM, and Worship at 10AM.

Please sign our registry found on the side of your pew close to the door.

A nursery is provided for infants through kindergarten age children in the OMNI building next door. Following the Children's Moment, children will be dismissed to the nursery where they can be picked up after worship.

Ushers & Greeters for today are Bill Johnston and Ann Robinson.

The flowers in the Sanctuary today are given to the glory of God in memory of Pete Blair's beloved wife, Mary Lee Blair, (Sept. 15, 1929 - June 11, 2009).

There will be a **congregational meeting** immediately after worship today for the purpose of electing a representative from the congregation-at-large for the nominating committee.

The Session will meet next Sunday, September 23, after worship.

Teen Bible Study Continues: Youth from ages 13 through 19 are invited to attend the Edisto Teen Bible Study held each Sunday night at the Marina at 5:00PM.

Women's Community Fall Bible Study: There is a six week study (which began Sept. 12th) on Deuteronomy by Beth Moore on Wednesday afternoons from 2-4PM at the Trinity Church Library. Workbooks are available for \$10. Contact Kathy Smith to order 843-869-0686 or so-co29205@bellsouth.net.

Reminder: You are invited to join in **chapel prayer** on Wednesday mornings at 11AM in the Prayer Chapel.

Remember in Prayer (Members/Affiliates/Friends of the Church):

Jack Moseley, Tommy Yeargin, Betsy Thrash, Chuck & Vera Klotzberger, Jeb & Dennis Brantley, Johnnie Walker, Karen Yeargin, Joyce Grimes, Billy Hills, Joe Low and Bill Long.

Remember in Prayer (Friends, Family, and Loved Ones of Church Members):

Ruby Tumbleston, Gordon Wells, Deanna Barteet, Joseph Daniel Barteet (Carla and Raymond Tumbleston), Mary Hornsby (Newton Hornsby), Billy Nicholson (Tami Knecht), John Moseley, Billy Topping (Jack & Dee Moseley), Harris Orsini, Linda Bizzell, Margaret Albenesius (Olivia Maxon), Jeff Tindall (Jo Ringer), Jimmy "Pete" Pedersen (Tommy & Nancy Sandel), Ben Whaley, Dave Salter (Archie Johnston), Matthew Lake (Gerry and Okie Murray), Melissa Corbin Barton (Mary Bost Reed), Levi Johnson (Brenda Clamp), Susan K. Pundt (Mary Floyd), Ruth Hoover (Bill Johnston), Dusty Rhodes, Ida Swindell, Ellen Brown, Wayne Bond (Maxine Clay), Stan Latorre, Patrick Panzica (Lois Anderson), Ayers Watson (Buddy & Dianne Watson), Bob Arminstead (Bill & Betty Parteneheimer) Doris Pursley, Raymond Casto and the Quimby family (Elizabeth Murray).

Serving in the Military: Seth Sanders CJTF Paladin (EHCC), Bagram Airfield, APO AE 09354 (Steve and Darlene Johnson); Sgt. Jeffery J. Jernigan, Fort Rucker, Alabama (Jerrel and Gail Jernigan).

Our deepest Christian sympathy to the Tumbleston family for their recent loss. Please keep them in your thoughts and prayers as they mourn the passing of Carla's brother, Carl Bowman.