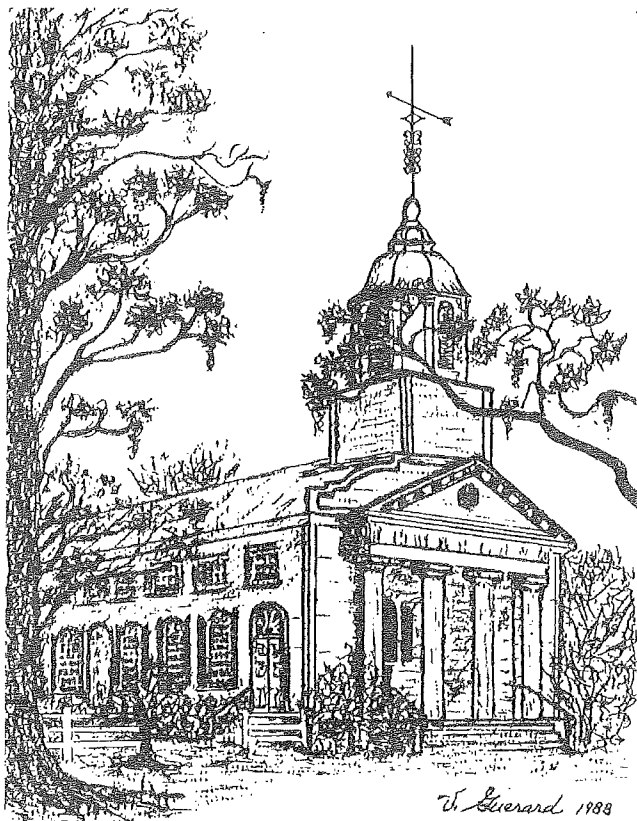


The Presbyterian Church on Edisto Island

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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

March 1, 2015

2nd Sunday in Lent

Liturgical Color: Purple

Ten O'Clock

BE STILL AND KNOW THAT I AM GOD

"Enter to worship..."

9:55 am PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP

VOLUNTARY

*Chorale and Prelude on
'Ich ruft zu dir, Herr Jesus Christ'*

-Bach

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

Leader: Hear the promise of the Lord our God:

People: I will bless you and make you a blessing.

Leader: Hear the calling of the Lord Jesus Christ:

People: Take up your cross and follow me.

Leader: In service and worship, let us praise God!

***HYMN OF**

PRAISE #276

Great Is Thy Faithfulness

-Faithfulness

WORDS OF WELCOME AND HOSPITALITY

CELEBRATING GOD'S GIFT OF CHILDREN

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

God our Redeemer, we confess that we are people of ash and dust. You call us to be a blessing in the world, but we only seek our own benefit. You call us to give our lives for others, but we only seek to save ourselves. Forgive us, God of grace. Set our minds on divine things – the good news of the gospel and the promise of new life in you; through Jesus Christ our Lord...

(Silent Confession)

PSALM OF CONFESSION

Psalm 51

TALLIS' CANON

Have mercy God in your great grace

Wash me from every staining trace

Of sin and evil I have done

I pray to you the Holy One

(Continued on next page)

Cleanse me from sin, I shall be pure
Your joy and gladness will endure
My broken spirit in your hands
Help me to follow your commands

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Put your hope in the Lord, for the Lord is unfailing love and with Him is full redemption. He himself will redeem Israel from all their sins. Hear and believe in the good news of the gospel, in Jesus Christ we are forgiven. Thanks be to God!

HEARING GOD'S WORD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

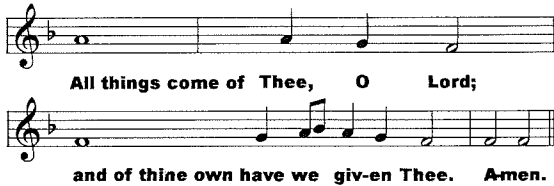
First Reading: Genesis 17:1-7, 15-16
Second Reading: Mark 8:31-38

SERMON: *Taking Up the Cross* -Rev. Sanders

OUR RESPONSE

SHARING OF TITHES, OFFERINGS, AND PRAYER REQUESTS

OFFERTORY *Divinum Mysterium* -Fedak
***RESPONSE** *All Things Come of Thee*



All things come of Thee, O Lord;
and of thine own have we giv-en Thee. Amen.

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE & 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 Apostles' 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.

HOLY COMMUNION
Invitation to the Lord's Table
Prayer of Thanksgiving
Words of Institution
Sharing the Bread & Wine at the Long Tables
The Closing Prayers

***HYMN #393** *Take Up Your Cross, the Savior Said* -Bourbon

***BENEDICTION**

***CONGREGATIONAL
RESPONSE**

Danish Amen

VOLUNTARY

Fugue in G moll

-Carissimi

(Please be seated for the Closing Voluntary and then depart - with hope and joy.)

...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 in our Education Building for a light breakfast and fellowship at 8:30AM followed by Sunday School at 9AM, and Worship at 10AM.

Please sign our registry found in your pew close to the door.

A nursery and Children's Church are provided in the education building next door. Following the Children's Moment, children will be escorted to Children's Church where they can be picked up after worship.

Ushers & Greeters for today are Rick Ackerman and Joyce Lybrand.

Sunday School EVERY Sunday at 9AM in the E&F Building Next Door:
Children: Explore the stories of the Bible using the Feasting on the Word denominational curriculum. **Adult:** The Covenant Class is studying "The Message of Romans" by John Stott beginning March 1st. The Grapevine Class is Getting to Know Your Bible based on Mark Allen Powell's "Introduction to the New Testament." Join us for Sunday School!

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper is open to all who have been baptized, remembering that access to the Table is not a right conferred upon the worthy, but a privilege given to the undeserving who come in faith, repentance, and love. In the cups, wine is red and grape juice is white. Elders serving communion today are Betty Bryan, Archie Johnston, Sam Lybrand, Jim and Linda Murray and Ann Robinson.

Presbyterian Women will meet Monday at 10AM. Rev. Sanders will lead our Bible study. Please remember to bring items for our Preschool shower and also bring wrapped candy, small toys, stickers, etc. to stuff Easter eggs. If you are able, please plan to stay after the meeting to stuff Easter eggs.

The Buildings and Grounds Committee will meet this Wednesday, March 4th at 9AM in the E&F.

Lenten services are each Wednesday at 6PM. Soup and cornbread suppers follow. A chart will be on the porch of the sanctuary to volunteer for food.

The "Feed the Hunger" Pack-A-Thon, March 7th at 9AM will be in the Omni. Sign-up today to help assemble meal packets or to give a donation to sponsor someone. The cost is \$65.00 and that will give ONE child a school lunch for an ENTIRE school year!

Help is needed to set-up for the Pack-A-Thon on Friday, March 6th at 10AM and 3PM. See Bess Kellett or Margaret McCord for information.

Men's Breakfast has been changed from our normal 1st Saturday, March 7th, to the 2nd Saturday, March 14th at 8AM in the E&F. Our chef is Allen Woods. He still needs someone to help him. Please call Allen if you can help. ALL MEN ARE INVITED.

The Session will meet next Sunday, March 8th immediately after worship.

The Preschool Yard Sale will be March 21st. The proceeds help pay for supplies and scholarships. Please bring everything you can (a real chance for a spring cleaning). Donations can be dropped off and placed on the stage in the Omni anytime before March 20th during normal office hours. For questions please see Ann Robinson.

God is Real Women's Conference April 24-25, 2015 at St. Andrew's Church, 440 Whilden St., Mt. Pleasant, SC 29464. Special Guests: Joanne Ellison, Ann Platx, Rebecca Alonzo and Evelyn Husband. For more information or to register, visit www.GodIsRealConference.com or speak with Linda Murray.

Remember in Prayer (Members/Affiliates/Friends of the Church): Dee & John Moseley, Jim Heaton, Joyce & Larry Grimes, Beth Smoak, Olivia Maxon, Caroline Boineau, Betsy Thrash, Carolyn & Richard Hammond, Jake & Duck Lomas, Newton Hornsby, Billy Hills, David Lybrand, Linda Manus and Bill Partenheimer.

Remember in Prayer (Friends, Family, and Loved Ones of Church Members): Patrick Panzica (Lois Anderson), Shelly Myers (Sandra Collins), Gordon Locatis (Elaine Freeman), Mike Skinner (Mary Tichy), Samuel DuPree Lybrand (Sam Lybrand), Rebecca Mashburn (Joe Low), Don Yeargin (Tom Yeargin), Karen Evans, Vivian and Frank Fidler (Bill & Betty Partenheimer), Rob Bullard (Bob & Beth Foster), Sharon Eubanks (Brenda Barnes), Ray Fisk, Jay Johnson (Charles Hallex), Kathy Maxon, Chloe, Elizabeth Neustadt (Olivia Maxon), Bob Davis, Cindy Lenz, Bob Mashburn (Bess Kellett), Deanna Barteet, Joseph Daniel Barteet, Mike Thomas, Bill Butt, Barbara Hill, Tom McFadden (Carla and Raymond Tumbleston), Mac McCord, Everett Smith, Ann Epting, Joan Kemper, Bill Robinson (Jim and Margaret McCord), Les Tindal and family and The families of Max Craig and Austin Rhodes (Maxine Clay), Sandra Leshner, Dave, Denise Blauch (Stan & Linda Manus), Ed Tracy (L. Johnson), Diedra West and Joseph Murray (Linda Murray).

Serving in the Military: 1st Lieutenant Erik Burg, Fort Drum, NY (Pete Blair), and L. Corporal Albert Moriarty, Okinawa, Japan (Janet and David Ronk).