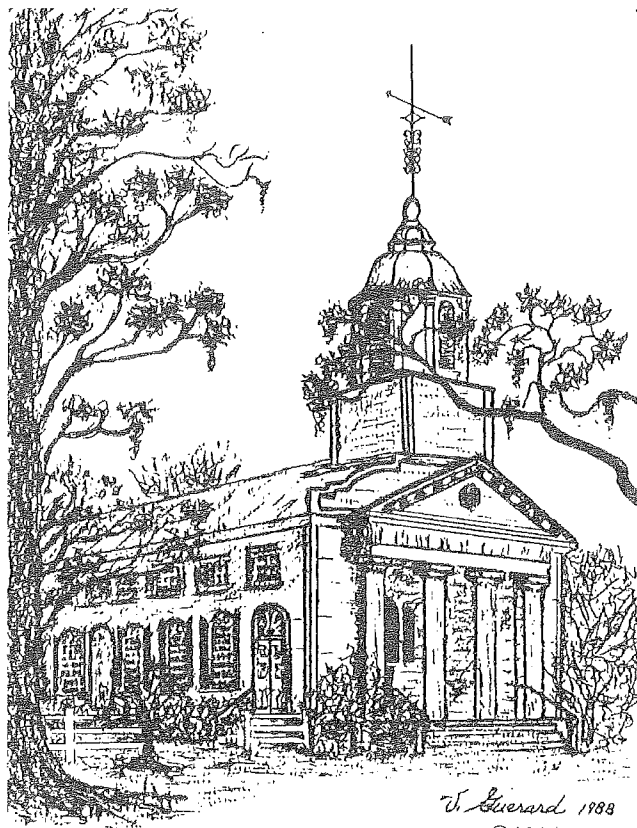


The Presbyterian Church on Edisto Island

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

May 17, 2015

7th Sunday of Easter

Liturgical Color: White

Ten O'Clock

BE STILL AND KNOW THAT I AM GOD

“Enter to worship...

9:55 am PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP

VOLUNTARY

Allegro
Prelude on ‘Truro’

-Powell
-Cooman

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

(I John 5:11-12)

Leader: God gave us eternal life!

People: And this life is in his Son, Jesus Christ.

Leader: Whoever has the Son has life.

People: We celebrate the life and love we share in Christ.

Leader: Let us rejoice and worship the Lord.

***HYMN OF
PRAISE #386**

O for a World

-Azmon

WORDS OF WELCOME & HOSPITALITY

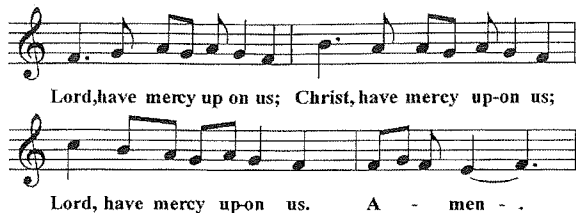
MINUTE FOR MISSION

Pentecost Offering - Dee Moseley

CELEBRATING GOD’S GIFT OF CHILDREN

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Living God of Hope and Joy, you invite us to share in Christ’s ministry, but we ignore the calling of our baptism. You allow us to share in Christ’s own life, but we fail to believe this good news. Forgive us and protect us, for we belong to you. Sanctify us in your truth that our hope and joy may be complete, through Jesus Christ our Lord. (SILENT CONFESSION)



ASSURANCE OF PARDON

In Christ Jesus, God has promised to forgive us and reconcile us to God and to each other. In the blessed hope of resurrection and in the grace of God, we are forgiven, thanks be to God!

*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 #443 *O Christ, the Great Foundation* -Aurelia

HEARING GOD'S WORD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Psalter: Psalm 1

Gospel: John 17:6-19

SERMON *Praying Us Into the World* -Reverend Sanders

OUR RESPONSE

SHARING OF TITHES, OFFERINGS, AND PRAYER REQUESTS

OFFERTORY *Christ is Alive* -arr. Hyatt

*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

Leader: *Just as you have sent Christ into the world...*

People: **... So you have sent us into the world.**

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.

***HYMN #343**

Called as Partners in Christ's Service

-Beecher

***BENEDICTION**

***CONGREGATIONAL
RESPONSE**

Alleluia! Give Thanks

(refrain only)

VOLUNTARY

Hymn to Joy

-Cherweine

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

...leave to serve."

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

Pastor Sanders can be reached at 843-252-8791 or pastorpcei@gmail.com.

Visitors & Guests: It is a special joy to have you worship with us at the Presbyterian Church on Edisto Island this morning. We invite 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 is provided in the education building next door. Following the Children's Moment, children will be escorted to the nursery where they can be picked up after worship.

Ushers & Greeters for today are Bess Kellett and Sam Todd.

The Flowers in the sanctuary today are given to the glory of God by Dee Moseley in remembrance of Jack Moseley.

Welcome Katherine Hilson, our Edisto Island Youth and Young Adult Ministry Director. Katherine is originally from Augusta, GA where she was very involved in her church and faith journey. She is a graduate of Georgia Southern with a BA in Public Relations and USC with a masters in Higher Education Student Affairs. She currently serves as an Admissions Regional Representative for USC. This summer Katherine will be with PCEI, Edisto Beach Baptist Church, and Trinity Episcopal as our joint Youth and College Ministry Coordinator. Youth Group (ages 12-17) meets Sundays from 6 - 7:30PM at EBBC. Young Adult Meetings are Mondays at 8PM at EBBC.

Please pick up your financial statement today. They are on the porch.

Caregiver Support: This Tuesday, May 19th at 10AM, we will host a Care Givers Support Informational Meeting in the Fellowship Hall. This opportunity is for individuals and families who are providing care for a loved one or for anyone who is aging and desiring more information from both a spiritual and social perspective on aging gracefully. We have invited Mr. Don Bagwell from the Trident Agency on Aging to join us and share resources and opportunities within our community. Pastor Ashley will lead time of study and devotion as well as provide faith based resources. We want to hear from you: What are your needs? How can the church support you? Please come to the informational meeting or call Pastor Ashley if you have any questions.

Bible Study: Join us for a Bible Study led by Pastor Ashley, Wednesdays from 9:30-10:30AM, now thru May 27th. Bring a Bible and join us at the Manse. Our study is focusing on the book of Micah.

Our Preschool Graduation will be this Friday, May 22nd at 9:30AM in the Omni. Everyone is invited to attend this joyful celebration.

The Friday exercise class will not meet this week to allow the Preschool Graduates the run of the Omni! Exercise will resume next Friday at 9AM.

Hands of Christ - TWO WEEKS LEFT!!!! Let's see if we can fill our collection box. Please bring new khaki or navy pants, skirts or shorts in children's sizes 4 and up and/or children's socks and underwear to put in the box. These items will be distributed to children whose families cannot afford to purchase school uniforms for them.

Next Sunday, May 24th is Pentecost Sunday. Don't forget to wear red!

The Welcome Workshop is an opportunity to learn about our church and what it means to be a member of this community. During this class we'll explore these topics together as we discern God's call upon our lives. Join us as we share a light deli lunch and conversation, Sunday, May 31st after worship. If you are interested in learning more about this church, this is the class for you! If you are undecided about membership, this is the class for you! If you would like to be a member of PCEI, this is the class for you! Call Pastor Ashley if you have any questions.

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 Hammond, Jake & Duck Lomas, Newton Hornsby, Billy Hills, David Lybrand, Linda and Stan Manus, Bill Partenheimer, Alan Freeman, Gerry Murray, Sam Lybrand and Mike Atchley.

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), Don Yeargin (Tom Yeargin), Karen Evans, Vivian and Frank Fidler (Bill & Betty Partenheimer), Rob Bullard (Bob & Beth Foster), Sharon Eubanks (Brenda Barnes), Kathy Maxon, Chloe, Elizabeth Neustadt (Olivia Maxon), Bob Davis (Bess Kellett), 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, Joseph Murray (Linda Murray), Deanna Barteet, Joseph Daniel Barteet, Bill Butt, Arthur Black (Carla and Raymond Tumbleston), Ray Fisk, Jay Johnson, Lamar Godley (Charles Hallex), Cliff Songer (Tom Anderson), Ross Taylor (Ashley Sanders), Joel and Rebecca Mashburn (Joe Low), Mac McCord, Everett Smith, Ann Epting, Joan Kemper, Bill Robinson and Cheryl Murray (Jim and Margaret McCord), John McDaniel and Margaret Arnette.

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