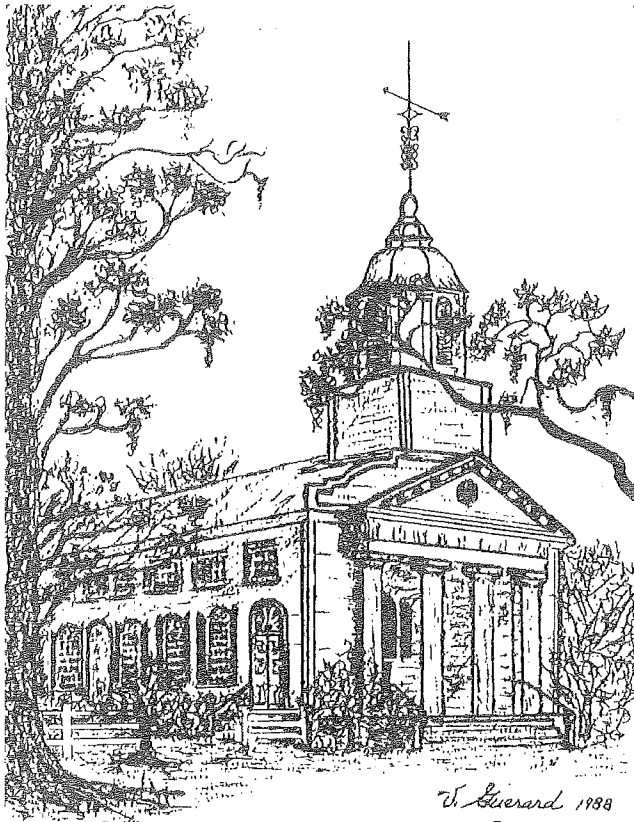


The Presbyterian Church on Edisto Island

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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

July 26, 2015

9th 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

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

Leader: God created all things visible and invisible.

People: God provides for us, cares for us, and loves us.

Leader: God is able to accomplish abundantly far more than we can ask or imagine.

People: We worship this God, the Lord of our Life.

***HYMN OF
PRAISE #464**

Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee

-Hymn to Joy

WORDS OF WELCOME & HOSPITALITY

CELEBRATING GOD'S GIFT OF CHILDREN

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

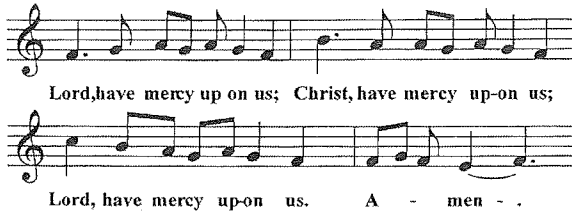
God of Wonder, Lord of King David, we confess our sins and pray to you for help so that we can truly repent and turn from evil.

Deliver us from the temptation to hide from you, to lie to you, or to excuse ourselves because of the harm we have done to others.

Restore us and all of your creation to full health and wholeness.

Grow in us a deeper desire to love Christ with the fullness of your love, and to glorify Him, along with you and the Holy Spirit, now and forever.

(SILENT CONFESSION)



ASSURANCE OF PARDON

The river of God’s mercy runs deeper and wider than our sin. God removes our sins as far as the heavens are above the earth. Beloved, in the risen Christ, we are forgiven. Amen.

***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 #420** *God of Grace and God of Glory* -CWM Rhondda

HEARING GOD’S WORD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Old Testament: II Samuel 11:1-15
Epistle: Ephesians 3:14-21

SERMON *Unpardonable* Rev. Sanders

OUR RESPONSE

SHARING OF TITHES, OFFERINGS, AND PRAYER REQUESTS

OFFERTORY

***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 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 #542

All Praise to Thee, My God, This Night
Verses 1,2,4

-Tallis' Canon

*BENEDICTION

*CONGREGATIONAL
RESPONSE #438

Blest Be the Tie That Binds

(sz. 1)

VOLUNTARY

(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 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, young children whose parents wish for them to go to the nursery will be escorted next door where they can be picked up after worship.

Ushers & Greeters for today are Joyce and Sam Lybrand.

The Flowers in the sanctuary today are given to the glory of God and with appreciation to all the Hands of Christ volunteers for the distribution this Wednesday.

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. There are also two **adult** classes from which to choose. Please join us for Sunday School.

Contribution Statements are available on the porch for pick up. Please pick yours up today in order to save the church the expense of mailing.

The Hands of Christ school clothing and supplies distribution on Edisto is this Wednesday, July 29 at the other Presbyterian Church. We need a few strong men (or women) to help unload - probably around 3PM and then reload after the distribution (around 7 or 8PM). The distribution itself begins at 5PM this year, so we would need the rest of the volunteers around 4:30. And, after the distribution we are all invited to stay for supper. Please contact Susan Roberts (869-4346) if you can help.

Thornwell Home for Children's "Welcome Basket for New Admissions" poster is on the church porch. Stop by to see the items that are needed. These are used for children who arrive at the Home in emergency situations with no clothing or personal possessions at all. Thanks for all the donations so far; anything you can contribute is greatly appreciated.

S.T.E.P.S.: As Christians, we have good news to share. This year's theme, *Gather Around the Table*, will be expressed in many different ways. Join others in our presbytery Saturday, August 29th at the Mt. Pleasant Presbyterian Church. As you reflect on how you may grow in your Christian faith through experiences of worship, learning, fellowship, and service, consider some of the workshops available at S.T.E.P.S. There are brochures in the E&F with workshop descriptions or look online at www.capresbytery.org.

The next Blood Drive is this Tuesday, July 28 from 10:30am until 5:00pm at the Edisto Beach Baptist Church. This drive will be in memory of Burley Lyons. If you need an appointment call Jeanine Rhodes at 843-893-7702.

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

John Moseley, Jim Heaton, Beth Smoak, Olivia Maxon, Caroline Boineau, Betsy Thrash, Carolyn Hammond, Jake & Duck Lomas, Newton Hornsby, David Lybrand, Linda Manus, Bill Partenheimer, Alan Freeman, Gerry Murray, Pete Blair and Bunny Perkins.

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

Members): 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), Sharon Eubanks (Brenda Barnes), Elizabeth Neustadt (Olivia Maxon), Les Tindal and The families of Max Craig and Austin Rhodes (Maxine Clay), Sandra Leshner (Stan & Linda Manus), Ed Tracy (L. Johnson), Deanna Barteet, Joseph Daniel Barteet, Bill Butt, Arthur Black, Fran Holcombe (Carla and Raymond Tumbleston), Ray Fisk, Jay Johnson, Lamar Godley (Charles Hallex), Joel Mashburn (Joe Low), Mac McCord, Ann Epting, Joan Kemper, Bill Robinson and Cheryl Murray (Jim and Margaret McCord), Mike Moore (Okie Murray), Ross Taylor, Graham and Elizabeth Sanders (Ashley Sanders), John McDaniel and Emma Oswalt.

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

Our deepest Christian sympathy to the Davis family for their recent loss. Please keep them in your prayers as they mourn the passing of Bob Davis of Edisto Island, SC.

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