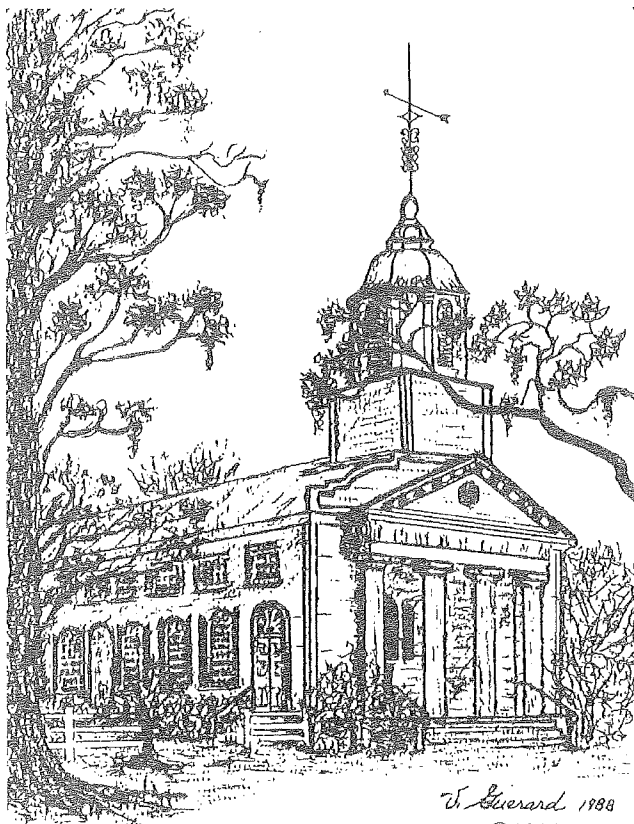


# The Presbyterian Church on Edisto Island

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

August 9, 2015

11th 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**

*Variations on 'Southwell'*

-Fedak

**\*CALL TO WORSHIP**

(Psalm 34:1,3)

*Leader: I will bless the Lord at all times;*

**People: his praise shall continually be in my mouth.**

*Leader: O magnify the Lord with me,*

**People: and let us exalt God's name together.**

**\*HYMN OF**

**PRaise #446**

*Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken*

-Austrian Hymn

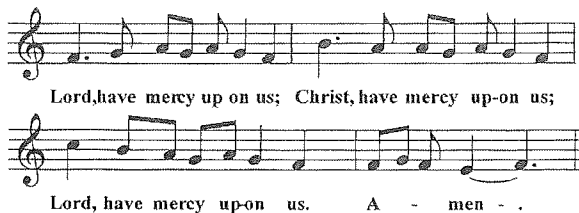
**WORDS OF WELCOME & HOSPITALITY**

**CELEBRATING GOD'S GIFT OF CHILDREN**

**PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

**Redeeming God, you satisfy our soul's hunger through Jesus Christ, the bread of life. You offer the joy of your Spirit, yet we waste away in sin and grief. You offer the life of your Word, yet we turn away in doubt and despair. Forgive us, Lord. By the power of your Spirit make us more tender and kind, living as your beloved children; through Jesus Christ our Lord.**

**(SILENT CONFESSION)**



**ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

People of God, hope in the Lord! God in Christ has forgiven you! God has redeemed us from all our iniquities through Christ, who loved us and gave himself for us as living bread for the life of the world. 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 #275**

*God of Our Life*

-Sandon

**HEARING GOD'S WORD**

**PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION**

**Old Testament** I Kings 19:4-8  
**Gospel** John 6:35,41-51

**SERMON**

*Credentials Matter*

-Rev. Sanders

**OUR RESPONSE**

**SHARING OF TITHES, OFFERINGS, AND PRAYER REQUESTS**

**OFFERTORY**

*'Trios' from Symphony IV*

-Bruckner

**\*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.

### RECEPTION OF NEW MEMBERS

\*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 #304

*Jesus Loves Me!*

-Jesus Loves Me

\*BENEDICTION

\*CONGREGATIONAL  
RESPONSE #438

*Blest Be the Tie That Binds*

(sz. 1)

VOLUNTARY

*Allegro Maestoso*

-Handel

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

**...leave to serve."**

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

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**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 Margaret McCord and Dottie Thomas.

**The Flowers** in the sanctuary today are given to the glory of God by Scott and Lynn Bagnal in memory of Scott's parents, Thena and Scott Bagnal.

**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.

**Please Welcome Our New Members Melvin and Susan Frick!** Susan graduated from Francis Marion College and Mel from the University of SC. They both worked at Bellsouth for a long time. They've been living part-time on Edisto since 2004 and full-time for the past two years. They have three children and 3 grandchildren. They like to fish, shrimp, kayak, , golf, craft, wood work and turtle patrol.

**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.

**New Church Directories** are available on the front porch. Please pick one up today.

**The Mission Committee** will meet today at 11:15AM in the E&F.

**Graveyard and Cemetery Policy Review:** If you have an interest in what our current policies are and what, if any, changes should be made in order to update and improve it, please come this Thursday, August 13th at 10AM in the E&F building when we begin with a review of our current policy. The first meeting should not last more than one hour. If you have questions or suggestions, please contact Buddy Watson at caw-three46@gmail.com or 803-465-1620.

**The Preschool Open House** will be next Thursday, August 20th from 9-11AM. If you know of little ones in the area, invite them to come and learn about our Preschool opportunities.

**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](http://www.capresbytery.org).

**Volunteers are needed** for the Good News Club scheduled to begin at Jane Edwards Elementary School on October 6th. This will be a weekly 1 hour after school Bible Club with Bible lessons, songs, games and snacks. Training will be held on August 18th at Edisto Beach Baptist Church from 1:30-5PM. Contact Lisa Cain if you are interested at [lisacain720@gmail.com](mailto:lisacain720@gmail.com).

**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), 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, Ryan Nettles (Carla and Raymond Tumbleston), Ray Fisk, Jay Johnson, Lamar Godley (Charles Hallex), Joel Mashburn (Joe Low), Mac McCord, Ann Epting, Joan Kemper, Bill Robinson, Cheryl Murray, Katie Budds (Jim and Margaret McCord), Graham and Elizabeth Sanders (Ashley Sanders), Bob Collier (Nick and DuBose Lindsay), Emma Oswalt (Rick and Irene Ackerman), Luke Herndon (Okie Murray) and John McDaniel.

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