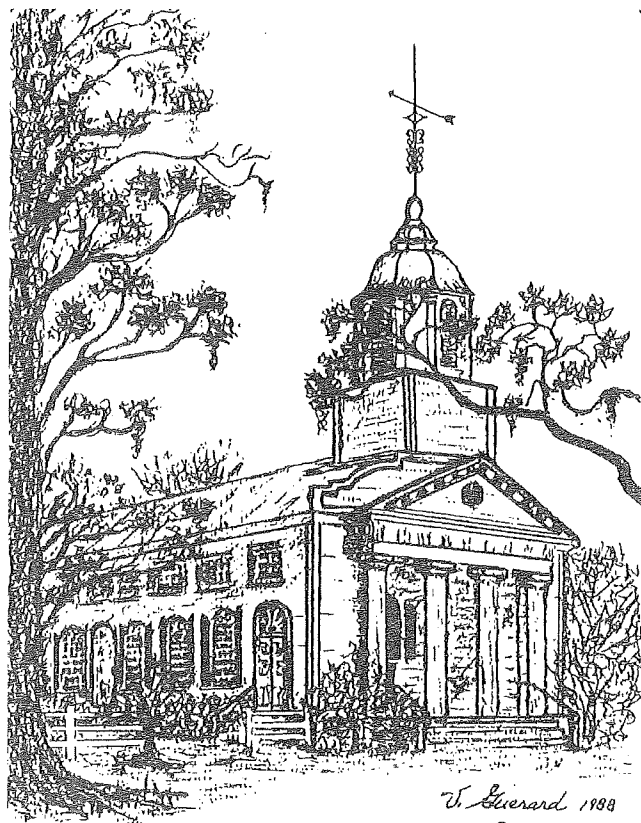


The Presbyterian Church on Edisto Island

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 3, 2017

13th Sunday after Pentecost
Ten O'Clock
Communion

Liturgical Color: White

BE STILL AND KNOW THAT I AM GOD

**As you are able, please stand in body or in spirit.*

“Enter to worship...”

VOLUNTARY

Prelude and Fugue in E minor

Bach

***CALL TO WORSHIP (Psalm 26:7-8)**

Leader: Sing a song of thanksgiving.

People: Declare God's wondrous deeds.

Leader: For the Lord dwells among the people;

People: the glory of God abides with us.

Leader: Let us worship the Lord.

***HYMN #473**

For the Beauty of the Earth

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WORDS OF WELCOME & HOSPITALITY

CELEBRATING GOD'S GIFT OF CHILDREN

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Holy God, we confess that our love for you and for others has not been genuine. We have not held fast to what is good, and we have lagged in affection for our brothers and sisters. We have not been patient in suffering, nor have we persevered in prayer. We have repaid evil for evil and have failed to live peaceably with all. Forgive our sin, free us from the power of evil, and help us trust in the power of your everlasting goodness; through Jesus Christ. Amen. (Silent Confession)



Lord, have mercy up on us; Christ, have mercy up-on us;



Lord, have mercy upon us. A - men - .

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Remember the wonderful works of God, the amazing peace of Christ, and the powerful love of the Spirit. For in this Holy Trinity of grace, we are forgiven, reunited, and reconciled with God and with one another. 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 #487

When Morning Gilds the Skies

-Laudes Domini

HEARING GOD'S WORD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Old Testament: Jeremiah 15:15-21

Gospel: Romans 12:9-21

SERMON

A Bad Day

-Rev. Sanders

OUR RESPONSE

*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.

SHARING OF TITHES, OFFERINGS, AND PRAYER REQUESTS

OFFERTORY *Prelude and Chorale on
'Deck Thyself, O My Soul'* arr. Hyatt/
Pachelbel

*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

HOLY COMMUNION
See Insert

*HYMN#516 *Lord, We Have Come* O Quanta Qualia
at Your Own Invitation

*BENEDICTION

*CONGREGATIONAL
RESPONSE#586 *Danish Amen*

VOLUNTARY *Blest Be the Tie* arr. Hyatt
(Please be seated for the Closing Voluntary and then depart - with hope and joy.)

...leave to serve."

Presbyterian Disaster Assistance - Out of Chaos, Hope

You can join in the response and encourage those in need by standing in the "GAP" - **Give. Act. Pray.**

Give: Support Presbyterian Disaster Assistance's emergency response and long-term recovery work in areas affected by Hurricane Harvey. Designate gifts to DR000169-Harvey, or by visiting presbyterianmission.org/GIVE-HARVEY or by phone at 800-872-3283.

Act: Go to pda.pcusa.org/page/kits/ for information about needed supplies. Contact the PDA to be notified of volunteer opportunities at 866-732-6121 or email pda.callcenter@pcusa.org. Learn how you can help families who have lost everything in the devastation. Stay informed and like us on Facebook.

Pray.

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

Holy Communion

Invitation to the Table

Great Prayer of Thanksgiving

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

We give thanks and praise to you, God of grace and love. With gratitude, we recall how you formed us from the beginning of time, and call us again and again to be your people. In your amazing love, you came as one of us in the form of Jesus Christ, showing us the way of unconditional love and the path of self-giving service.

And so we praise you in this time and place along with all the angels and saints who forever sing your name:

**Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,
heaven and earth are full of your glory.**

Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest.

Even as Christ faced death on a cross, he washed the feet of both enemies and friends, gave thanks and rejoiced in a time of great sorrow, broke bread and shared the cup of salvation with all, showing us the path of servanthood and love.

And so we remember Jesus' words of self-giving love as he broke bread and poured wine, saying, "Take, eat, this is my body, broken for you. Take, drink. This is my life poured out for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins."

Called to remember these acts whenever we eat and drink, we come now to the table in remembrance of these gifts as we proclaim the mystery of faith.

Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.

God of love, pour out your Holy Spirit on us, that we might be servants of your love. Pour out your Holy Spirit on these gifts of bread and wine, that they might be for us your very presence. Flow through us with your love and grace, that we might be your loving presence for others, extending kindness to strangers, forgiveness to adversaries, and mutual love to all.

Live in us, that by your Spirit we might be one with Christ, one with each other, and one in ministry to all the world, until Christ comes in final victory and we feast at the heavenly banquet.

Through Jesus Christ, and with the Holy Spirit in your whole church, all honor and glory is yours, Almighty God, both now and forever more. **Amen.**

The Lord's Prayer

The Words of Institution

Sharing of Communion at the Long Tables

For those on the first floor, ushers will invite you to come forward to be seated at one of the Long Tables where Elders will serve you. Please tear off a piece of bread and take a cup (red is wine, white is grape juice), by this way receiving the body and blood of Christ. Those in the balcony will be served in their place in the same manner.

If you prefer to remain in your set, please indicate to an usher who can serve you while seated.

The Closing Prayers

A prayer will be said after each seating.

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 for adults and children at 9AM, and Worship at 10AM.

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

A nursery is provided in the building next door. Following the Children's Moment, 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 and in celebration of our 50th wedding anniversary and our two grandchildren by Buddy and Dianne Watson.

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 Mike Atchley, Bob Foster, Archie Johnston, Bill McRoy, Jo Ringer and Allen Woods.

The Church Office will be closed tomorrow for Labor Day.

Choir resumes this Wednesday, September 6th at 6PM.

Presbyterian Women will be cleaning both of the church kitchens on Friday, September 8 at 1PM. We will need many hands. If able to join us, please bring whatever cleaning supplies you have on hand. Thanks!

Men's Breakfast will be this Saturday, September 9th at 8AM.

RALLY: "to come together again." This is the first definition of *rally*. As we approach *Rally Day on September 10th*, we are reminded that it is not the first, nor the last time, we will gather together. God calls us, again and again, to gather to hear God's Word, respond in faith, support one another, and this year, to "Let Your Light Shine!" Please make plans to join us for our special Rally Day activities:

8:30 AM Waffle Breakfast in the Fellowship Hall

9:00 AM Rally Day Program

10:00 AM Worship with our Rally Day Theme "Let Your Light Shine!"

New Sunday School Classes begin on Sunday, September 17th.

There is room for you in Sunday School! Our new studies for Adults are exciting and faith-filled. Don't miss out.

There will be a Called Session Meeting on September 10th immediately after worship with the purpose of receiving new members.

Presbyterian Women will meet Monday, September 11th, at 10AM in the E&F to kick off our new year of study. We will be led each month in a lesson on Hebrews as we gather, enjoy refreshments and plan our service activities. Please join us!

The Session will meet Tuesday, September 12th, at 5PM in the E&F.

Family Night Supper resumes Wednesday, September 13th at 6PM in the Fellowship Hall. Please bring a dish to share. In addition to our fellowship, there will be a presentation on the Presbyterian Lay School.

A Congregational Meeting will be held Sunday, September 17th, immediately after worship with the purpose of electing new Elders.

The Pastor's Bible Study resumes Wednesday, September 20th, at 10AM in the Fellowship Hall. We will be studying the Book of Acts.

Remember In Prayer (Members/Affiliates/Friends of the Church): John Moseley, Jim Heaton, Caroline Boineau, Betsy Thrash, Jake & Duck Lomas, Newton Hornsby, Bunny Perkins, Sam Lybrand, Sam Todd, Vera Klotzberger, June McRoy, Shelly Rainwater, and Tom Yeargin.

Remember in Prayer (Friends, Family, and Loved Ones of Church Members): Shelly Myers (Sandra Collins), Samuel DuPree Lybrand (Sam Lybrand), Vivian and Frank Fidler (Betty Partenheimer), Sharon and Mike Eubanks, (Brenda Barnes), Sandra Leshner (Stan and Linda Manus), Joseph Daniel Barteet, Arthur Black, Fran Holcombe, Ryan Nettles (Carla Tumbleston), Luke Herndon (Okie Murray), Will Myers (Pat Moseley), David and Vivian Good (Weldon Burns), Mac McCord, Katie Budds (Jim and Margaret McCord), Chris King (Buddy and Dianne Watson), Marilyn Myers (Paula Burns), Will Pierce (Maxine Clay), Chloe Guarza (Bonnie Lee), Gordon Locatis, Rebecca Anne Gearhart (Elaine Freeman), Roane Auld (Libba Johnson), Sara Franklin (Bill Franklin), Marc Yeadon, Clare Cook Faggart (Cathy Price), Mott Parker, Eliza Messersmith, Candi Hawkins, John Harrison (Bess Kellett), Jack and Luke Boldt (Dwight Frierson), DeWitt Helm (Ashley Sanders), and Betty Robinson (Ann and Eddie Robinson).

Serving in the Military: Lieutenant Joe Low, III, Afghanistan.

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