

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

November 19, 2017

24th Sunday after Pentecost
Ten O'Clock

Liturgical Color: Green

BE STILL AND KNOW THAT I AM GOD

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

"Enter to worship..."

9:55 am PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP

VOLUNTARY

Pilgrim's Chorus

Wagner

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

Leader: To you I lift up my eyes,

People: O you who are enthroned in the heavens!

Leader: As the eyes of servants look to the hand of their
master, as the eyes of a maid to the hand of her mistress.

**People: So our eyes look to the Lord our God, until he has
mercy upon us.**

All: Let us worship God.

***HYMN #464**

Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee

Hymn to Joy

WORDS OF WELCOME & HOSPITALITY

MINUTE FOR MISSION - THORNWELL

Mary Lee and Brian Evans

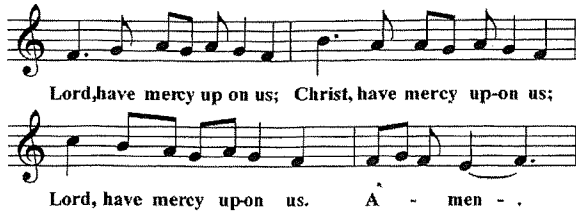
CELEBRATING GOD'S GIFT OF CHILDREN

Jacque Lindsay

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Merciful God, you pardon all who truly repent and turn to you. We humbly confess our sins and ask your mercy. Forgive us God for not respecting those who work hard among us, and for not living in peace with one another. We are often too shy or intimidated to warn those who are idle, encourage the timid, help the weak, or practice patience with everyone. In your loving kindness God, cleanse us from sin. Help us in our apathy, and renew a right spirit within us. Help us to persevere. Help us to hold on to the good and avoid every kind of evil. Amen.

(Silent Confession)



ASSURANCE OF PARDON

The mercy of the Lord is from everlasting to everlasting. I declare to you, in the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven.

***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 #339**

Be Thou My Vision

Slane

HEARING GOD'S WORD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Old Testament: Psalm 118:14-24

New Testament: 1 Thess. 5:1-11

SERMON

Stay the Course

Rev. Bostick

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.

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.

SHARING OF TITHES, OFFERINGS, AND PRAYER REQUESTS

OFFERTORY *I Sing the Mighty Power of God* Hopson

***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**

***HYMN #551** *Come, Ye Thankful People, Come* St. George's Windsor

***BENEDICTION**

***CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE#586** *Danish Amen*

VOLUNTARY *Magnificat* Dandrieu

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

...leave to serve."

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 and Greeters for today are Ann and Eddie Robinson.

The Flowers in the Sanctuary today are given to the glory of God in memory of Helen McTeer Hills by her family.

Welcome Rev. Scarlette Bostick to our pulpit! Rev. Bostick switched careers from being an Accounting Supervisor with the Department of Defense to a Call to Ministry. She earned a Masters of Divinity from Columbia Theological Seminary, later becoming a Board Certified Chaplain. Rev. Bostick served churches throughout the Northeast Georgia Presbytery as a Minister of Word and Sacrament, and served several hospitals as a Hospital Chaplain. Upon retirement and relocation to Mt. Pleasant, SC, she is now an active Volunteer Crisis Chaplain with the Coastal Crisis Chaplain's. She also enjoys the role of Pulpit Supply, and singing in her church choir. Scarlette and husband Bob, have three grown sons and daughter-in-law's, and ten grandchildren.

The Edisto Community Thanksgiving Service is today at 3PM at New First Missionary Baptist Church (1644 Highway 174), worship and fellowship to follow. An offering of Non-perishable food items or money will be received. All proceeds will be given to the Edisto Island Food Pantry. Worship Leadership is provided by the Edisto Island Ministerial Alliance.

Choir will meet this Tuesday night at 4PM (instead of Wednesday).

The Pastor's Bible Study takes a break this week, and resumes next Wednesday, November 29th, at 10AM in the E&F. Bring your Bible and join us as we study and discuss the Book of Acts.

The Edisto Blood Drive in memory of Jim Heaton will be Tuesday, November 28th, from 10:30AM-5PM at the Civic Center.

An Edisto Christmas benefits The Edisto Island Food Pantry and The Edisto Island Home Mission Team Nov. 30 from 8:30AM-1PM at Trinity Church. Presentations, Marketplace, Silent Auction and Lunch Reception. Presentation options: "Entertaining with Ease and Elegance", "Ribbons and Baubles and Bows! Oh, my!", "From Classic to Glam: Updating your Holiday Wardrobe", and "A Traditional English Christmas". Tickets are \$40 each, available at Trinity Church, With These Hands Gallery, and 51 Station Court.

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

John Moseley, Caroline Boineau, Betsy Thrash, Jake & Duck Lomas, Newton Hornsby, Bunny Perkins, Sam Lybrand, Sam Todd, Vera Klotzberger, Shelly Rainwater, Tom Yeargin, Bob Foster, and Jim Bishop.

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

Shelly Myers (Sandra Collins), 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), Marilyn Myers (Paula Burns), Will Pierce (Maxine Clay), Gordon Locatis (Elaine Freeman), Roane Auld (Libba Johnson), Sara Franklin (Bill Franklin), Marc Yeadon, Clare Cook Faggart (Cathy Price), Betty Robinson (Ann and Eddie Robinson), Vivian Fidler, Nancy Garrett (Betty Partenheimer), Chloe Guarza, William Wowk (Bonnie Lee), Chris King, Maxcy Westmoreland (Buddy and Dianne Watson), Samuel DuPree Lybrand, Jim Lybrand (Sam Lybrand), Andie Hardy, Tom Tindall (Jo Ringer), Mott Parker, Eliza Messersmith, Candi Hawkins, John Harrison, Claircy Purinton (Bess Kellett), and Shirley Golden (Mary Floyd).

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