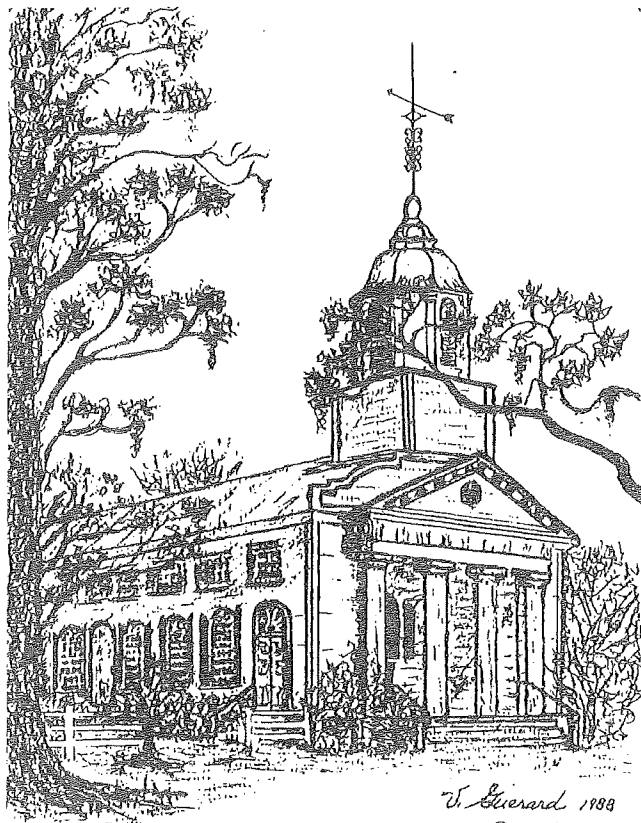


The Presbyterian Church on Edisto Island

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 19, 2018

13th Sunday after Pentecost

Liturgical Color: Green

Ten O'Clock

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

Fanfare

Buxtehude

Pastorale

Franzosini

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

Leader: The God of wisdom sent Jesus Christ, the bread of life.

People: Lord, teach us his way, feed us with his body and blood,

Leader: and fill us with the Holy Spirit, that we may love and magnify you.

People: Today we lift up our hearts and our voices as we praise Almighty God.

***HYMN #555**

Now Thank We All Our God

Nun Danket Alle Gott

WORDS OF WELCOME & HOSPITALITY

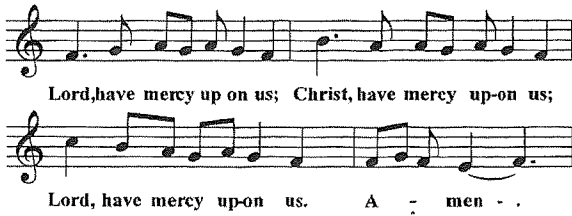
Jim McCord

CELEBRATING GOD'S GIFT OF CHILDREN

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Merciful God, we confess that we have not been faithful. We have not lived by your law; we have remained silent in the face of evil; we have not refrained from deceit; we have not followed in the way of peace; and we have not honored all that is true and good. We have been foolish and immature people who resist the holy wisdom you graciously offer. Forgive our sin, O God, and lead us to sincere repentance through Jesus Christ...

(Silent Confession)



ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Hear the good news: Christ offers himself as the bread of life to all who would receive him. This proves his love for us. In the name of Jesus Christ, 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 #327**

O Word of God Incarnate

Munich

HEARING GOD'S WORD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Old Testament: Proverbs 9:1-6

New Testament: John 6:51-58

SERMON

The Carnal Scandal

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.

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 *Theme and Variation on 'Kingsfold'* Rutz

***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 #339** *Be Thou My Vision* Slane

***BENEDICTION**

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

VOLUNTARY *Allegretto* J.C. Bach

(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 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. Following the Children's Moment, children 6 years old and under, 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 Dianne and Buddy Watson.

The Flowers in the sanctuary today are given to the glory of God by Joe Low in memory of Ann Low.

Adult Sunday School Classes meet every Sunday at 9AM in the E & F Building. A light breakfast is served at 8:30. **The Covenant Class** will study Ecclesiastes: Chapters 7-9 on August 19, and 10-12 on August 26. **The Grapevine Class** has completed its study of the books of the Apocrypha and will now address the question, "How did we get this Bible in its present form?" All are welcome.

The Mission Committee will meet immediately after worship today in the church library.

Thornwell: We will be collecting gifts once again for the children at Thornwell Home. We hope to deliver them in September and would appreciate any donations. A basket will be placed on the front porch of the church on Sundays in August. You may also drop them off in the Fellowship Hall during the week. Items Needed: Antiperspirant/Deodorant, Batteries, AAA, AA, C & D, Postage stamps & notecards, Hair Dryers/straighteners, Cleaning supplies, laundry & dish soap, and Snack bags with nonperishable items. Thank you!

The Prayer Shawl Ministry meets Tuesdays at 10AM in the church library. If you like to knit or crochet, or would like to learn, join us!

Ice Cream Social: Plan to stay after worship next Sunday, August 26th, for fun, fellowship and ice cream!

Men's Breakfast resumes Saturday, September 1st, at 8AM in the Fellowship Hall.

The Session will meet for a special meeting Sunday, September 2nd, at 9:30AM to receive new members. Their regular meeting will be Tuesday, September 4th, at 4PM.

Church Hearing Devices - PCEI has hearing devices available for members and visitors. They amplify directly from our sound system and are easy to use! Please ask an usher for assistance if you would like to use one. Note however, that these devices do create feedback when using them with a regular hearing aid. So please make sure to turn your hearing aid off while using a church hearing device. Thank you!

Remember In Prayer (Members/Affiliates/Friends of the Church): John Moseley, Caroline Boineau, Betsy Thrash, Newton Hornsby, Bunny Perkins, Sam Lybrand, Sam Todd, Vera Klotzberger, Shelly Rainwater, Scott Bagnal, Lois Hasty, Beth Foster, Rebecca Williams, Bill Franklin, Bonnie Lee, and Charles Hallex.

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), Luke Herndon (Okie Murray), Mac McCord, Katie Budds (Jim and Margaret McCord), Will Pierce (Maxine Clay), Roane Auld (Libba Johnson), Sara Franklin (Bill Franklin), Chris King, Maxcy Westmoreland (Buddy and Dianne Watson), Samuel DuPree Lybrand, (Sam Lybrand), Tom Tindall (Jo Ringer), Jan and Lenny Goldman (Drew Weeks), the Josey family (Linda Bush), Izzie Brooks (Irene Ackerman), Betty Robinson (Ann and Eddie Robinson), Karen Grant (Pat Moseley), Buzz Foster, John Harrison, Claircy Purinton, Bud Skidmore, David Derrick (Bess Kellett), Leslie Pate (Glenda Pate), and Tye Armatage (Beth Vanhaastrecht), Peggy Babb (Marc and Karen Coker), Tommy Stone, Clare Cook Faggart, Bill Cox (Cathy Price), Maggie Moody (Mary Floyd), and Martha Nan Meredith (Mary Jo Barreto).

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