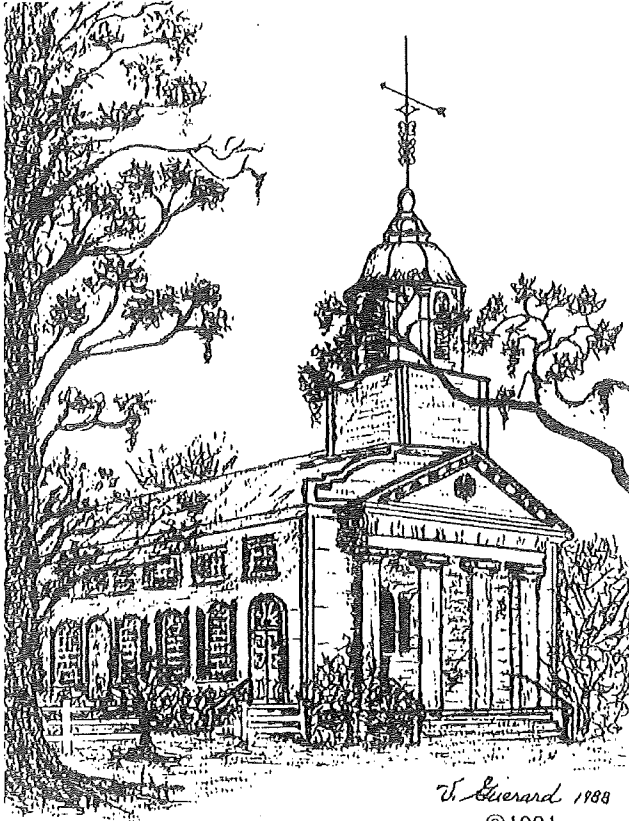


# The Presbyterian Church on Edisto Island

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

January 26, 2014

3rd Sunday after Epiphany

Liturgical Color: Green

Ten O'Clock

BE STILL AND KNOW THAT I AM GOD

**“Enter to worship...**

**9:55 am PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP**

**VOLUNTARY**

*Voluntary, Largo, & Fugue*

-Handel

**CALL TO WORSHIP**

*(see Isa. 9:2; Matt. 4:16)*

**Leader:** *The people who walked in darkness*

**People:** **Have seen a great light;**

**Leader:** *Those who lived in a land of deep darkness*

**People:** **On them light has shined.**

**Leader:** *Praise the LORD!*

**People:** **The LORD's Name Be Praised!**

**\*HYMN OF**

**PRAISE #442**

*The Church's One Foundation*

-Aurelia

**WORDS OF WELCOME & HOSPITALITY**

**CELEBRATING GOD'S GIFT OF CHILDREN**

**PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

**Almighty God, we confess that we have not been faithful to you in our thoughts and actions. We have been selfish in our desires and quarrelsome in our relationships. We have allowed fear to divide us from those who seem different, and let distrust separate us from our brothers and sisters. Shine your light into our darkened hearts. Save us from our divisive ways. Unite us in the same mind as Jesus Christ who dwells with you and the Holy Spirit in perfect harmony. (SILENT CONFESSION)**

Lord, have mercy up on us; Christ, have mercy up-on us;  
 Lord, have mercy up-on us. A - men - .

**ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

*(Isa. 9:4)*

God offers forgiveness to those who turn to God in true repentance. Therefore, trust in God, who breaks the bonds of our oppression, and covers us in mercy.

**\*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 #397**

*O for a Closer Walk with God*

-Dalehurst

**HEARING GOD'S WORD**

**PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION**

**First Reading:** Isaiah 9:1-4  
**Second Reading:** Matthew 4:12-23

**SERMON**

*Calling Disciples*

- Dr. Dennis

**OUR RESPONSE**

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

**OFFERTORY**

*Allein zu dir, Herr Jesu Christ*

-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**

## 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 #447

*Lead On, O King Eternal*

-Lancashire

### \*BENEDICTION

### \*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE

*Danish Amen*

### VOLUNTARY

*Excerpt from 'Athalie'*

-Mendelssohn

*(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 welcome you to join us each Sunday for Sunday School at 9AM, and Worship at 10AM.

**Please sign our registry** found on the side of your pew close to the door.

**A nursery and Children's Church are provided** in the E&F building next door. Following the Children's Moment, children will be dismissed to Children's Church where they can be picked up after worship.

**Ushers & Greeters** for today are Ann Robinson and Sam Todd.

**Men's breakfast** will be this Saturday, February 1st at 8AM in the E&F.

**The Presbyterian Women** will meet Monday, February 3rd at 10AM.

**The Flower Chart** is on the front porch. Please sign up if you would like to place flowers in the sanctuary during the year.

**First Thursday Supper:** We are going to have a "Sweetheart Supper" this month. Bring your significant other for a fun night of good food and fellowship, catered by Bobo Lee.

When: Thursday, February 6th

Where: the Manse

Time: 6:00 p.m.

BYOB. The cost will be \$20 (great menu!)

Please RSVP to Bess or Jacque by Saturday, February 1st.

**Family Night Supper:** Don't forget Family night supper on Wednesday, February 12th. Bring your favorite covered dish!

**The Adult Sunday School Bible Class** is studying THE ACTS OF THE APOSTLES. It meets each Sunday at 9:00 AM in the E&F. Please join us as we explore Luke's historical account of the beginnings of our church. No textbook is required although William Barclay's "The Acts of the Apostles" from his New Daily Study Bible Series is suggested as a study guide. We look forward to joining with you in Christian fellowship. If you have any questions about the class, please contact Bill Johnston (843-324-0765, wmpjohn@gmail.com).

**Teen Bible Study:** Teens are invited to attend a Bible Study on Sunday evenings from 5:00-7:00PM. They currently meet at Edisto Beach Baptist Church. Each church takes a turn providing meals and chaperoning for 12-15 youths. Our Sunday is the first of each month. We need volunteers to help with this. If you can help, please call Ann Robinson (869-4981) or Joyce Lybrand (869-2307).

**Prayer:** You are invited to join in chapel prayer on Wednesday mornings at 11AM in the Prayer Chapel.

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

Jack, Dee & John Moseley, Tommy Yeargin, Chuck & Vera Klotzberger, Jeb & Dennis Brantley, Jim Heaton, Joyce & Larry Grimes, Beth Smoak, Olivia Maxon, Caroline Boineau, Becky Burns, Betsy Thrash, Eddie Robinson, Carolyn & Richard Hammond, Bill & Nancy Long, Jake & Duck Lomas, Rev. Buddy Craig, Hal Reid and Newton Hornsby.

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

**Members):** Harris Orsini, Margaret Albenesius (Olivia Maxon), Melissa Corbin Barton (Mary Bost Reed), Stan Latorre, Patrick Panzica (Lois Anderson), Ellen Brown (Maxine Clay), Shelly Myers (Sandra Collins), Gordon Locatis (Elaine Freeman), Barbara Rigney (Kevin Murray), Mike Skinner (Mary Tichy), Rob Bullard (Bob & Beth Foster), Samuel DuPree Lybrand (Sam Lybrand), Ruby Tumbleston, Gordon Wells, Deanna Barteet, Joseph Daniel Barteet, Mike Thomas, Mary Milam, Dorothy Rucke (Carla and Raymond Tumbleston), Grady Fussell, Martha Dennis (Ted Dennis) Bob Arminstead, Mike Evans, Rev. Dr. Anne Fisher-Dana (Bill & Betty Partenheimer), Katie Budds, Mac McCord (Jim and Margaret McCord), Neely M. Todd (Sam Todd), Wilson & Ann Collins Josey (Linda Bush), Zy'naih Holmes (Lisa Grimball), Ray Fisk (Charles Hallex), Norman Duncan (Jack & Dee Moseley), Isaiah Martin (Pat and Dave Martin), Ronnie Sparks (Okie Murray) Ben Whaley and Christopher Witham (Rick & Irene Ackerman).

**Serving in the Military:** Seth Sanders, Fort Lewis, Washington (Steve and Darlene Johnson); PFC Albert Moriarty, Virginia Beach, VA (Janet and David Ronk), and 1st Lieutenant Erik Burg, Fort Drum, NY (Pete Blair), Lt. Kacey Cecil, Afghanistan (Beth and Archie Johnston).

*Our deepest Christian sympathy to the Hallex family for their recent loss. Please keep them in your prayers as they mourn the passing of Charles' mother, Mary Eloise D. Hallex of Charleston, SC.*