

Morning Worship
June 10, 2018
10th Sunday in Ordinary Time

We Gather in God's Name

Greeting Rev. Dr. Alan Arnold
The Grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you.
And also with you.

Welcome & Announcements

Prelude *Morning Has Broken* Wood

Choral Introit *God Is Here Today*

*Call to Worship Fred Harris

Who is our sovereign and savior?

The Lord our God, the Lord alone.

Who are our sisters and brothers?

Those who seek the will of God.

Let us worship God.

*Prayer of the Day

God of light and truth we praise your name, for your grace sustains us and your word strengthens us. Grant us the eyes to see what cannot be seen and to gaze on what is eternal. May we revel in your work and be a visible witness of your invisible kingdom. In Jesus Christ we pray. Amen.

*Hymn 645 *Sing Praise to God Who Reigns Above*

Call to Confession (from Psalm 91)

The Lord has said: "Those who love me, I will deliver; I will protect those who know my name. When they call to me, I will answer them; I will be with them in trouble, I will rescue them." Trusting in God, let us confess our sin.

Prayer of Confession (unison)

Gracious God, have mercy on us, for we have failed to be faithful to you, though you have been faithful to us. You show us your wisdom, but we prefer to go our own way. Our broken relationships with you and one another have created poverty in us and our neighbors. In your mercy, reconcile us to you and one another for the work of justice, peace, and love, through Jesus Christ, our redeemer. Amen.

(Time for silent confession)

Assurance of Forgiveness

The majesty and power of the Creator are matched only by Divine mercy and love. Because of this love, made clear in Jesus Christ, we can rejoice that we are forgiven of all rebellion and strong-headedness. God is ever-present with us to guide us home. Friends, trust the good news of your salvation,
In Jesus Christ we are forgiven! Thanks be to God.

The peace of Christ be with you.

And also with you.

Holy Interruption *We greet our neighbors in Christ's love*

We Receive God's Word

Children's Sermon

Preschool-Kindergarten age children are dismissed to the Pray n' Play program held in the room beside the church nursery in the main Church building. Children who are in the 1st grade and higher should return to their seats in the congregation.

Mary Anderson

Prayer for Illumination

New Testament Lesson Mark 3:20-35

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Sermon

Rev. Dr. Alan Arnold

"There Is Room"

We Respond to God's Word

*Hymn 829 *My Faith Looks Up to Thee*

* Declaration of Faith (Adapted from the *Confession Belhar*)

We believe that the unity of the people of God must be manifested and be active in a variety of ways: that we share one faith, have one calling, are of one soul and one mind; have one God and Father, are filled with one Spirit, are baptized with one baptism, eat of one bread and drink of one cup, confess one name, are obedient to one Lord, work for one cause, and share one hope.

**Gloria Patri* (hymn 581)

**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.**

Prayers of The People (concluding with 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.

Offering Invitation

Offertory *There In God's Garden*

Cherwien

* Praise of God *We Give Thee But Thine Own*

**We give thee but thine own, what-e'er the gift may be;
All that we have is thine alone, a trust, O Lord, from thee**

Prayer of Dedication

We Depart in God's Name

* Hymn 370 *This is My Father's World*

* Benediction and Sending

* Choral Response *Amen*

* Postlude *I'm Gonna Live So God Can Use Me* Spiritual

The **flowers** are placed in the sanctuary today in honor of the Massanetta Mission Team by Gerry Rogers.

Usher/Greeter Team for June

David Nagel and Ashley Driggers

Prayer List as of June 10, 2018

Benny Moore

Dee Pierce

Gerry Rogers

Pam Chapman

Residents at Presbyterian Communities of SC
Artha Sompayrac – Summerville
B. J. Moore - Summerville

Copies of the **extended prayer list** (which includes non-members) can be obtained by calling the church office.

To be a good steward of God's blessings, please help "fill the wagon" for the McArn Community Ministry. The red wagon will be in the narthex every Sunday. Thanks for your generosity!

First Presbyterian Church
Cheraw, South Carolina

Our Vision

**Rooted by God's Grace,
Growing in the Spirit,
Reaching Out with Christ's Love**

The Church This Week (6/10/2018)

Today 11:00 a.m. Worship
Sun. 11:00 a.m. Worship

The Session of First Presbyterian Church

Class of '18

Marion Anderson (Worship Team)
Mike Chapman (Giving Ministry)
John Joyce – (Administrative Team)
Libby Knight (Fellowship Team)
Christie McLeod (Clerk)

Class of '19

Avery Dickson (Worship Team)
Fred Harris (Administrative Team)
David Nagel (Christian Education Team)
Tracie Phillips (Membership Team)
Vernon White (Mission Team)

Class of '20

Douglas Anderson (Fellowship Team)
Cathy Chapman (Christian Education Team)
Ashley Driggers (Giving Ministry)
Sue Funderburk (Membership Team)
Tom Hammer (Mission Team)



Our Mission

**By the Grace of God, we are rooted in Christ through love.
We grow in the Spirit by worshipping, by studying,
and by cultivating relationships with Christ and others.
As stewards of God's gifts and affirming our faith
in Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior,
we share God's Mission of reaching out
with Christ's Love.**

Rev. Dr. Alan Arnold
Stated Supply

Missionaries

Mr. Mark Hare/ Mrs. Jenny Bent Hare *Haiti*
Mr. and Mrs. Alan Smith *Germany/Russia*

The Church Staff

Rev. Dr. Alan Arnold, Pastor
Mrs. Carolyn S. West, Secretary
Mr. James W. Kendall, Sexton
Mrs. Arnetha Kendall, Housekeeper
Mrs. Mary Gullledge, Mrs. Debra Jewart, Nursery

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