

MORNING WORSHIP

Eleven O'Clock

October 12, 2025

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Elder James Lyle

God Calls Us to Praise Him Psalm 106:1-2; I Chronicles 16:8-11

Pastor: Praise the Lord!

People: Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good;
his love endures forever.

Pastor: Who can proclaim the mighty acts of the Lord
or fully declare his praise?

People: Give praise to the Lord, call on his name;
make known among the nations what he has done.

Pastor: Sing to him, sing praise to him;
tell of all his wonderful acts.

People: Glory in his holy name;
let the hearts of those who seek the Lord rejoice.

Pastor: Look to the Lord and his strength;

All: Let us seek his face always!

Hymn* *Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven* No. 76

Prayer of Invocation

God Calls Us to Confess Our Sin

Isaiah 1:18

God Calls Us to Give Thanks in His Name (in unison)

Father, thank you for drawing us to yourself through the gospel and by your Spirit. Thank you for your Spirit who opened our ears to hear and respond to the Word of your precious Son. Thank you for giving us a new heart, so we may long after you and please you. Renew our passion and desire to worship the Lord Jesus Christ. Stir up our hearts to love him with all our heart, soul, mind and strength. Empower us to obey him from a loving and willing heart. We ask in the name of your Son, Amen.

God Calls Us to Grow in His Son

Colossians 2:6-7

So then, just as you received Christ Jesus as Lord, continue to live in him, rooted and built up in him, strengthened in the faith as you were taught, and overflowing with thankfulness.

God Calls Us to Give to His Kingdom Work

Offertory

Karin Lyle

Doxology* [Tune: All Creatures of Our God and King] No. 733

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;

Praise Him, all creatures here below;

Alleluia! Alleluia!

Praise Him above, ye heavenly host

Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost;

Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

Westminster Confession of Faith

Chapter 20, Paragraph 4

The assurance true believers have of their salvation may be shaken, lessened, or interrupted for various reasons: from neglecting to preserve it; from committing some particular sin, which wounds the conscience and grieves the Spirit; from some sudden or strong temptation; or from God's withdrawing the sense of his presence and allowing them to walk in darkness. Nevertheless, they are never completely without God's seed, the life of faith, the love of Christ and of other believers, and the sincere heart and obedient conscience, out of which the Spirit may revive this assurance.

The Anthem

Karin Lyle

God Calls Us to Pray to Him

Hymn*

And Can It Be

No. 455

God Calls Us to Receive His Word

Romans 8:26-30

The Sermon

"Assurance from the Godhead"

Pastor Olson

4. A Letter to Sandy

Hymn of Faith*

Before the Throne of God Above

Insert

Benediction

Postlude*

*Congregation standing

Remember in Prayers:

Ed and Connie Olson: Continued travel mercies for them, and for their son, Mark (Chemo treatment.)

Larry and Bonnie Jones: Praises for time to spend with family.

Bruce and Pam Sinclair: Tucson, AZ and Uganda. TCMW

Andrew and Laura Kate Lupton: Oslo, Norway. MTW.

Rick and Betty Aschmann (and Daughter, Anne): Quito, Ecuador. MTW.

Donnie and Kara Williams: Returning to Senegal, West Africa in November. MTW.

Andrew and Trish Shank: Western Carolina University. RUF.

Alec and Riley Cotton: Appalachian State University, RUF.

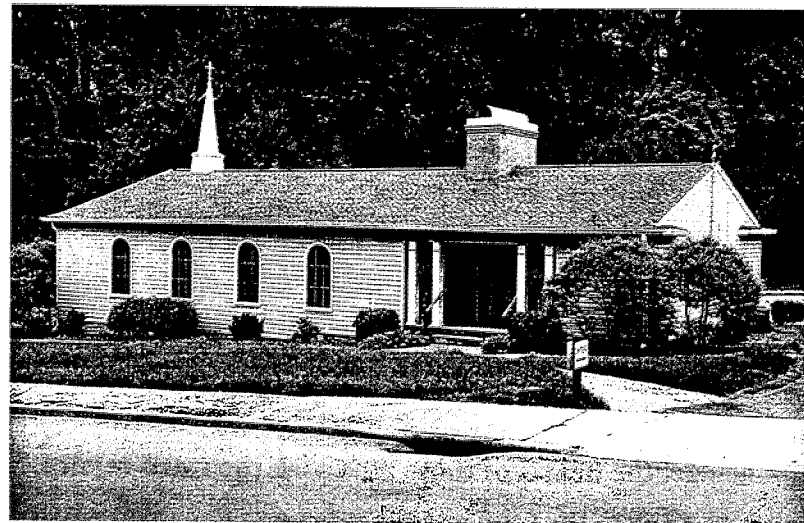
Paul Cary: Moving toward mission to Edinburgh, Scotland. MTW.

Joe Johnson and Family: With our recent call to him, pray that Presbytery will approve his licensure and ordination, and all the many adjustments for the family will proceed smoothly.

Upcoming Events of Note:

- Wednesday Night Prayer Meeting, 6:30 pm in the Sanctuary.
- Next Stated Session meeting scheduled for Thursday, November 6.
- Next Presbytery Meeting, Tuesday, November 11, Fairview Christian Fellowship.
- Next Holy Communion Sunday November 23.

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