

SERVICE OF WORSHIP
October 22, 2006

Prelude and Acolyte

Welcome and Announcements

* Greeting and Rites of Friendship

Preparing our Hearts to Worship

Call to Worship

Leader: *Almighty God, teach us to be all that You want us to be.*

People: **Help us to serve You as You deserve.**

Leader: *Teach us to give and not to worry.*

People: **Help us to live fully in Your ways.**

Leader: *Teach us to work, rest and play.*

People: **Help us to labor without the expectation of any reward.**

All: **Open our hearts now to hear Your spirit as we worship You today.**

* Hymn No. 48 "Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise"

Call to Confession, Prayer of Confession and Moment of Silent Prayer

O God of all power, how often we have abused the power You have given us. Far too often, we have hurt those who love us, we have ignored those nearby who are in need, we have refused to willingly share what we have, and we have not cared for the feelings of others. Forgive us our sins, show us where we have been wrong, and give us the ability to acknowledge and change those wrongs. Help us to live in such a way that we share all that we have and all that we are with those whom You have brought into our lives. In Christ's name we pray.

Assurance of Forgiveness

* Hymn No. 146 "Glorify Thy Name"

Special Music Children's Choir

Offertory and Giving of His Tithes and Our Offerings

* Doxology and Prayer of Dedication

Anthem "Jesus Is Lord of All" Adult Choir

Musical Interlude: Children exit with Carlos and Stephanie Bagley to Children's Church

Prayer Requests, Morning Prayers, and the Lord's Prayer

Old Testament Lesson Psalm 104:24-35

* Hymn No. 21 "This Is My Father's World"

Gospel Lesson Mark 10:35-45

Sermon "Oh, the POWER!" Rev. Lisa Nance

* Affirmation of Faith The Apostle's Creed Page 12, Red Hymnbook

* Hymn No. 483 "Take Time To Be Holy"

* Acolyte

* Benediction and Postlude

** Signifies Congregation to stand*

If you are a guest this morning, a warm welcome! Our ushers are available to help you with directions to our nursery and restrooms.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Flowers. The flowers today are given to the glory of God and in honor of the 50th Wedding Anniversary of Leon and Janice Parrish on October 19, by Shepherd and Brenda Byrd.

Question and Answer Discussion. Sunday, November 5 at 2pm the Christian Education Committee and the Session of Providence will host a question and answer discussion in the fellowship hall at 2:30 p.m. Rev. Clyde Wiley will lead the discussion concerning the 217th meeting of the General Assembly in Birmingham, AL. All are invited.

Chicken Pastry Fundraiser. Due to parking lot construction that will be taking place over the next couple of months, the Presbyterian Women have decided to postpone their Chicken Pastry Dinner until a later date.

Assisting in Worship this Sunday:

Ushers: Randy Benson and Ryan Nelms

Acolyte and Bell Ringer: Katie Rutherford

Infant Nursery: Mary Langdon and Roxann Porter

Toddler Nursery: Jason and Cindy Parrish

Assisting in Worship next Sunday, October 29:

Ushers: Ken Lordi and Will Walls
Acolyte and Bell Ringer: Nathan Ingram
Children's Sermon: Wendy Stephenson
Children's Church: Robbie and Kathy Wood
Infant Nursery: Mary Langdon and Sandra Lordi
Toddler Nursery: Jeffrey Wood

Events for this week:

Today, Oct 22: Children's Choir Rehearsal from 9:45 a.m. – 10:00 a.m., Adult Sunday School Assembly at 9:45 a.m. in the Sanctuary; Sunday School at 10:00 a.m., followed by Worship at 11:00 a.m.

Monday, Oct 23: Cub Scouts meet

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Tuesday, Oct 24: Presbyterian Women Daytime Circle meets at 10:00 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall

Tuesday, Oct 24: Cub Scouts and Boy Scouts meet

Wednesday, Oct 25: Adult Choir Rehearsal at 7:30 p.m. in the Sanctuary

Thursday, Oct 26: AA meets at 8:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall

Sunday, Oct 29: Men's Fellowship Breakfast at 7:30 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall; Doughnuts and Coffee in the Fellowship Hall at 9:45 a.m., followed by Combined Adult Sunday School; Worship at 11:00 a.m.

Upcoming Events

November 2: Presbyterian Women Circles will go to Ron's Barn for dinner and entertainment by the Dixie Travelers. The group will leave from the church at 5:30 p.m.

November 5. All Saints Day Remembrance during Worship at 11:00 a.m.

November 5. Question and Answer discussion regarding the 217th General Assembly Meeting at 2:30 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall

November 5. Pioneer Clubs at 5:00 p.m. Youth Group to meet at 5:30 p.m.

November 7. Presbyterian Women Coordinating Team Meeting at 6:30 p.m.

The Prayer List

Jeff Anderson, Richie Andrews, Josephine Byrd, Carol Clifton, Will Duncan, Lovie Dorman, Gene Glasgow, Mary Hart, Lawrence Herron, Ricky Jackson, Chris Johnson, Lacy Johnson, Tim Lang, Betty Lou Lee, Carolyn Lewis, Carol Mayben, Trina McDonald, Lewis McLamb, Julia Nales, Euna Nelms, Jamie Pearce, Mike Sanchez, Harry and Betty Smith, Alice Stephenson, and Mary Stephenson.

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and growing His church

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