

Service For The Lord’s Day

Twenty-third Sunday after Pentecost

October 27, 2024

Eleven O’clock

Welcome into God’s House (responsive)

Leader: Our help is in the name of the Lord,
Congregation: **Who made heaven and earth.**
Leader: This is the day that the Lord has made;
Congregation: **Let us rejoice and be glad in it!**
Leader: O come, let us sing to the Lord and shout with joy to the rock of our salvation!
Congregation: **Let us come into God’s presence with thanksgiving, singing joyful songs of praise.**

Chimes of the Trinity

Prelude

“The Potter’s Hand” arr. Carol Tornquist

Choral Introit

“Come All You People” Hymn 388

Call to Worship (Psalm 33)

Rejoice in the Lord, you righteous;
it is good for the just to sing praises.
Praise the Lord with the harp;
play upon the psaltery and lyre.
Sing for the Lord a new song;
sound a fanfare with all your skill upon the trumpet.

*Hymn 728

“Somebody’s Knocking at Your Door”

Prayer of the Day (in unison)

O God, from whom all holy desires, all good counsels, and all just works proceed: Give to your servants that peace which the world cannot give. May our hearts be set to obey your commandments, so that free from the fear of our enemies we may pass our time in trust and quietness. Through the merits of Jesus Christ our Savior, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

Response in Song: “Glory to God” - Hymn 585
Glory to God, glory to God, glory in the highest!
To God be glory forever! Alleluia, Amen!
.. **glory to Christ Jesus!**
... **glory to the Spirit!**

Welcome and Announcements

Anthem

“There’s Something About That Name” William J. Gaither

Jesus, Jesus, Jesus, There’s come thing about that Name.
Master, Savior, Jesus, Like the fragrance after rain.

Jesus, Jesus, Jesus, Let all heavens and earth proclaim;
Kings and kingdoms will all pass away, But there’s something about that Name.

There is a name I love to hear, I love to sing its worth;
It sounds like music to mine ear, The sweetest name on earth.

O how I love Jesus, Because he first loved me,
Kings and kingdoms will all pass away, But there’s something about that Name.

Scripture Lessons

Reading from the Prophets

Jeremiah 31: 7-9

Thus says the Lord: Sing aloud with gladness for Jacob, and raise shouts for the chief of the nations; proclaim, give praise, and say, “Save, O Lord, your people, the remnant of Israel.”

See, I am going to bring them from the land of the north, and gather them from the farthest parts of the earth, among them the blind and the lame, those with child and those in labor, together; a great company, they shall return here. With weeping they shall come, and with consolations I will lead them back, I will let them walk by brooks of water, in a straight path in which they shall not stumble; for I have become a father to Israel, and Ephraim is my firstborn.\

Reading from the Gospel

Mark 10: 46-52

Jesus and his disciples came to Jericho. As he and his disciples and a large crowd were leaving Jericho, Bartimaeus son of Timaueus, a blind beggar, was sitting by the roadside. When he heard that it was Jesus of Nazareth, he began to shout out and say, “Jesus, Son of David, have mercy on me!” Many sternly ordered him to be quiet, but he cried out even more loudly, “Son of David, have mercy on me!” Jesus stood still and said, “Call him here.” And they called the blind man, saying to him, “Take heart; get up, he is calling you.” So throwing off his cloak, he sprang up and came to Jesus. Then Jesus said to him, “What do you want me to do for you?” The blind man said to him, “My teacher, let me see again.” Jesus said to him, “Go; your faith has made you well.” Immediately he regained his sight and followed him on the way.

Leader: The Gospel of the Lord.

Congregation: **Praise to you, O Christ.**

*Hymn 418

“Softly and Tenderly Jesus is Calling”

Sermon

On the Way

*Apostles’ Creed

**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.

Giving of Tithes and Offerings

Offertory “Kyrie Eleison” John Leavitt

*Doxology “Glory to God, Whose Goodness Shines on Me” (Hymn 582)
**Glory to God, whose goodness shines on me,
and to the Son, whose grace has pardoned me,
and to the Spirit, whose love has set me free.
As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be. Amen.**

Offertory Response

Leader: Blessed are you, God of all creation.
Congregation: **Through your goodness we have these gifts to share.**
Leader: Accept and use our offerings for your glory.
Congregation: **And for the service of your kingdom.**
All: **Amen.**

Prayers of God’s People

Beginning with Joys and Concerns, and concluding with *The Lord’s Prayer, in unison*

*Hymn 719

“Come, Labor On”

*Charge and Benediction

*Response in Song: “You Shall Go Out with Joy” Hymn 80
**You shall go out with joy and be led forth with peace;
the mountains and the hills will break forth before you;
there’ll be shouts of joy, and all the trees of the field will clap,
will clap their hands.
And all the trees of the field will clap their hands . . .
while you go out with joy.**

Postlude

“Amazing Grace with My Chains Are Gone” arr. Carol Tornquist

*Those who are able, please stand

Welcome to Paw Creek Presbyterian Church!

We are a congregation of the Presbyterian Church (USA), two centuries young and committed to living out the Gospel today as we Seek, Serve, Praise and Love Christ. If you are a visitor today, we are especially glad that you are here. We hope that you will leave us a record of your visit by completing a visitor card and placing it in the offering plate. Feel free to contact our pastor, Elliott Hipp, with questions or prayer concerns: deh46@columbia.edu or 704-502-2143. Please come again soon.

Worshipping On-Line

Our worship service is also streamed live each week, and is available to watch later in the week as well. For Facebook and YouTube links, please visit pawcreekpc.org. When you worship with us from home, you can use an on-line version of our *Glory to God* hymnal so that you can sing along or follow the words to the hymns. For phone or tablet, search "Glory to God" in your app store. For computer, go to hymnary.org/hymnal/GG2013 and click on the hymn number. Most hymns are available, although there are a few that cannot be displayed due to copyright restriction.

Upcoming Sermon Titles & Scriptures

Sunday, November 3

All Saints' Sunday

Celebration of the Lord's Supper

"The Death of Death"

Isaiah 25: 6-9, Revelation 21: 1-6

Sunday, November 10

Twenty-fifth Sunday after Pentecost

Veterans' Recognition

"The Gifts We Give"

Mark 12: 38-44

Congregational Meeting

The Session has called a Congregational Meeting for Sunday, **November 10** after worship for the purpose of hearing the report of the Nominating Committee and electing four elders to serve in the class of 2027.

Cook's Memorial Community Prayer Vigil

Cook's Memorial Church
3413 Mt. Holly-Huntersville Rd.
Nov. 2, 2024
8am—Noon (Sanctuary)

Stitches for Missions

Due to conflicts, we will change the Stitches for Missions to **November 2nd** at 10:30 in the Church Parlor.

Happy Hearts

Happy Hearts will be touring Cedar Lake Christmas Tree Farm in Iron Station, NC on Monday, Dec 2nd. Please meet at the church at 9:45, the church bus will leave at 10:00. We will have a tour of the Christmas Tree Farm by Bill Cline. We will also have the opportunity to make our own wreath for \$15, bows are extra and can be purchased at the farm. There will be time to shop in their General Store too! If the weather is nice we will have a picnic at the farm. Happy Hearts will provide chips, fruit and drink, you will need to bring your own sandwich. If it is too cold, we will stop at a restaurant on the way back to the church.

Cost of the trip is \$5 for the tour and gas. Please RSVP by Monday, Nov 25th to Vicki Ramsey 704-281-2836.

Congregational Care

If you or a family member would like to be added to our Special Friends list for visitations, cards, calls or any combination of these, please contact Amy McGee 704-578-3908 or the Church Office 704-392-0329

Christmas in Paw Creek Arts and Crafts Fair

Sponsored by Troop 70

Saturday, **November 23, 2024,**
8:00 am—2:00 pm

Paw Creek Presbyterian Church—CFC

Breakfast / Barbeque sold by Scout Troop 70
If interested in a booth, Please call Jan McClure at (704) 394-8481

Paw Creek Presbyterian Church Staff:

PastorElliott Hipp
Director of Music..... Andrew Cumbow
Pianist.....Mark Burleson
Administrative Assistant / Webmaster Kim Whittington
Videography Coordinator.....Clint Shaw

The Session
Moderator: Elliott Hipp Clerk: Donna Hall General Treasurer: Danny McClure

Class of 2024	Class of 2025	Class of 2026
Gene Hall	Donna Hall	Dickie Chapman
Jim Pinkston	Eddie McArver	Debbie McCord
Jim Stogner	Amy McGee	Ken Scott
David Turner	Joy Tyler	Debbie Taylor

Committee Chairs

Mission Team:	Resource Team:
Debbie Taylor	Jim Pinkston
Christian Education: Jim Pinkston	Administration: Eddie McArver
Congregational Care: Joy Tyler / Amy McGee	Finance: Gene Hall
Fellowship: Donna Hall / Debbie McCord	Property: Dickie Chapman
Outreach: Ken Scott	Cemetery Superintendent: Phillip McCord
Worship: David Turner / Debbie Taylor	

Strategic Planning Team: Paul Bradley

Sunday School Officers: Sarah Kendrick / Jim Stogner
Children's Ministry: Jan Chapman / Celia Gray / Barbara Ullem

Presbyterian Women

Moderator: Karen Turner

Secretary:	Treasurer:
Donna Hall	Vicki Ramsey
Historian: Dina Salvo	Backpack Buddies: Teresa Painter, Belinda Springs, Jan & Carol Chapman
Go & Grow Circle Moderator: Gerri Ann Shaw	Life Seekers Circle Moderator: Dina Salvo
Special Givings: Celia Gray	

Church Calendar

Sunday, October 27
9:45am Sunday School
11:00am Worship

Tuesday, October 29
9:00am Cardio Fitness
6:30pm Boy Scouts

Wednesday, October 30
10:00am Bible Study
12:00pm Bulletin Deadline
5:30pm CCC

Saturday, November 2
10:30am Stitches for Missions

Sunday, November 3
9:45am Sunday School
11:00am All Saints' / Lord's Supper / 10¢ Hunger

Tuesday, November 5
9:00am Cardio Fitness
10:00am PW Grow & Go Circle
7:00pm PW Life Seekers Circle

Wednesday, November 6
10:00am Bible Study
12:00pm Bulletin Deadline
5:30pm CCC

Thursday, November 7
6:30am Men's Bible Study
9:00am Cardio Fitness
6:30pm Choir Practice

Sunday, November 10
9:45am Sunday School
11:00am Worship—Veterans' Recognition

Monday, November 11
*Church Office Closed—Veterans' Day
6:30pm Stated Session Meeting

Tuesday, November 12
9:00am Cardio Fitness

Wednesday, November 13
10:00am Bible Study
12:00pm Bulletin Deadline

Thursday, November 14
6:30am Men's Bible Study
9:00am Cardio Fitness
6:30pm Choir Practice

Sunday, November 17
9:45am Sunday School
11:00am Worship

Monday, November 18
12:00pm **Newsletter Deadline**

Tuesday, November 19
9:00am Cardio Fitness

Wednesday, November 20
*Newsletter
10:00am Bible Study
12:00pm Bulletin Deadline
5:30pm CCC

Thursday, November 21
6:30am Men's Bible Study
9:00am Cardio Fitness
6:30pm Choir Practice

Sunday, November 24
9:45am Sunday School
11:00am Worship

Monday, November 25
12:00pm **Bulletin Deadline for 12/1**

Tuesday, November 26
9:00am Cardio Fitness



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Paw Creek Presbyterian Church
Would like to invite you to

Veteran's Day Celebration

Join us for morning worship
Sunday, **November 10th** at 11 am
Congregational Lunch Immediately
following service

RSVP: 704-392-0329 by Nov. 3rd
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