

Mission Statement of Midway Presbyterian Church

Our purpose is to call people into a living and growing relationship with God in Jesus Christ with the help of the Holy Spirit, and to promote the mission of Christ in compassionate ministries.

We intend to be a welcoming and caring church – a church family that nurtures a sense of community and belonging. We want young and old to join us in the Christian pilgrimage as sojourners in the great adventure of faith.

The Church Staff

Dr. John McCallum	Pastor
Mrs. Roz Rozakos	Choir Director
Mrs. Beth Croft	Pianist
Ms. Cindy Wentzky	Media Specialist
Mrs. LeNelle Chastain	Secretary

Session

<u>Class of 2021</u>	<u>Class of 2022</u>	<u>Class of 2023</u>
Elaine Gilmore	Dee Ashworth	Linda Mylod
Jacky Stamps (Clerk)	John Dodwell	Roz Rozakos
Terry Waddell	Marilyn Martin	

Commissioned Deacon

Earle King

Treasurers

Bob Harrell	Disbursing Treasurer
Linda Mylod	Receiving Treasurer

Parish Nurse

Ginny Keiper

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Established 1833

MIDWAY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Worship Service

October 24, 2021

10:30 a.m.

See, I will bring them from the land of the north and gather them from the ends of the earth. Among them will be the blind and the lame, expectant mothers and women in labor; a great throng will return.
~~Jeremiah 31:8

The Service For the Lord's Day

Twenty-Second Sunday After Pentecost

The Gathering

Prelude	Mrs. Beth Croft
Introit	The Choir
Chiming of the Hour	
Greeting	Dr. John McCallum
Announcements	Elder John Dodwell
Jar Offering	Safe Harbor



The Lovely Flowers in the sanctuary this morning are given by Gary and Dee Ashworth to the Glory of God, and in honor of their 40th wedding anniversary, today, October 24th.

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Calendar of Activities and Upcoming Events

<u>SPECIAL ACTIVITIES FOR THE WEEK</u>		
Sunday	Elders' Prayer Time in Library	9:00 a.m.
	Sunday School	9:30 a.m.
	Morning Worship	10:30 a.m.
	Worship, Fellowship & Christian Education Committee	
Tues.	Country Place HOA	6:00 p.m.
Thurs.	Scouts - F.H.	5:00 p.m.

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Those Serving Our Church

Elder **Head Usher**

John Dodwell Marilyn Martin

Sunday School Secretaries

Today: Sammy Stevenson Next Week: Bob Bone

This Week's Birthdays

Oct. 24 Mark Sears

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Announcements

Our Jar Offering for the first four Sundays in October will go to Safe Harbor of Anderson County, which provides safe shelter and advocacy services for victims of domestic violence and their children.

The Jar Offering for next Sunday (a 5th Sunday) will go to Foothills Presbytery’s 2-Cents-a-Meal Offering, known as Cents-Ability. This offering supports 14 local ministries across the 5 counties in Foothills Presbytery, including South Main Chapel & Mercy Center and Anderson Interfaith Ministries.

The Worship, Fellowship, and Christian Education Committee will meet today in the Activities Room of the Manse following Worship.

The Building and Grounds Committee will meet briefly today in the Fellowship Hall following Worship.

Operation Christmas Child Shoebox Delivery

Anyone who is putting a shoebox together for the annual Samaritan’s Purse drive should bring the box with their \$9 postage contribution to the church by November 14th if you want them delivered for you. Otherwise, you can take them to Concord Baptist Church on these days/times:

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| Mon., Nov. 15: 9:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. | Tues., Nov. 16: 3:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. |
| Wed., Nov. 17: 3:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. | Thurs., Nov. 18: 1:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. |
| Fri., Nov. 19: 12:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. | Sat., Nov. 20: 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. |
| Sun., Nov. 21: 12:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. | Mon., Nov. 22: 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. |

Mini Garage Sale

The women of the church will be holding a mini-garage sale on **Saturday, Nov. 6th from 8 until noon**. We have a number of nice items, including Christmas decor, that have already been donated, and we'll accept more donations of gently-used household goods, small appliances, decor and jewelry until Saturday, October 30th.

Weather permitting we'll hold the sale outdoors; otherwise, we'll set up in Fellowship Hall. We're in need of workers on Friday, Nov. 5th from 10:00 until noon, to move the items to the hall, in preparation of moving them outside on Saturday. We also need workers to staff the tables on Saturday. Contributions of homemade goodies would be gratefully accepted as well. Proceeds of the sale will go to our General Operating Fund. All reports indicate a hefty increase in heating costs this winter, so hopefully we can turn some donated items into cash to help defray those costs.

Time Change

Remember to set your clocks back an hour on Saturday evening, November 6, as Daylight Savings Time ends on Sunday, November 7.

Daytrippers’ December Event

The Daytrippers will be attending the 3:00 p.m. performance of *Jingle Bell Rock* at the Pelzer Theater on **Sunday, December 12th**, and everyone is invited to join us! The original production of vintage rock’n roll Christmas hits is the perfect way to kick off the holiday season. You’ll enjoy oldies from Elvis, Chuck Berry, Brenda Lee, and many others. Some of the Upstate’s best singers, backed by a live band, will bring back fond memories and get the season off to a harmonious start. Tickets are \$10.50 each for seniors, \$12.50 for younger-than, and should be purchased as soon as possible to secure the better seats. Bring your money to Linda Mylod, and please put your name and the number of tickets on a piece of paper or the envelope when you hand in your money.