

**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 2022</u>	<u>Class of 2023</u>	<u>Class of 2024</u>
Dee Ashworth	Linda Mylod (Clerk)	Bob Harrell
John Dodwell	Roz Rozakos	Marilyn Mamrick
Marilyn Martin		Tom Waddell

**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**

**April 3, 2022**

**10:30 a.m.**

***Then Mary took about a pint of pure nard, an expensive perfume; she poured it on Jesus' feet and wiped his feet with her hair. And the house was filled with the fragrance of the perfume.***

***~~John 12:3***

**The Service For the Lord's Day**

*Fifth Sunday in Lent*

**The Gathering**

Prelude	Mrs. Beth Croft
Introit	The Choir
Chiming of the Hour	
Greeting	Dr. John McCallum
Announcements	Elder John Dodwell
Jar Offering	Bleeding Disorders Association of SC

Responsive Call to Worship

Pastor: We come now to worship and offer ourselves to the Lord,

**People: like Mary of Bethany, who lavished her treasure on the feet of Christ.**

Pastor: The things we once treasured are worthless,

**People: compared with the infinite value of knowing Christ Jesus!**

**Unison: Let us worship God in spirit and in truth!**

Opening Prayer

\*Hymn #408 *“How Firm a Foundation”*

\*Call to Confession

\*Unison Prayer of Confession

As we journey with Christ toward Jerusalem, we find ourselves prone to choose success over significance, comfort over peace, personal wants over discipleship. Forgive us, God of life, of all the ways we fail to answer your call. Bind us in your love, free us by your grace, and enliven us by our Spirit to follow Christ all the days of our lives. (Silent Prayer) Amen.

\*Assurance of Pardon

Pastor: The Peace of God be with you.

**People: And also with you.**

\*Gloria Patri

**The Word**

Prayer for Illumination

The Psalm Psalm 126

Anthem *“Lamb of God”* The Choir

The Gospel Lesson John 12:1-8

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

**People: Thanks be to God.**

Sermon *“An Extravagant Anointing”* Dr. John McCallum

**Responding to the Word**

\*Hymn #89 *“Jesus, the Very Thought of Thee”*

\*Affirmation of Faith *The 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.*

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

The Offertory Prayer

The Offertory Music

\*The Doxology

The Prayers of the People

**The Sending**

\*Hymn #87 *“Fairest Lord Jesus”*

\*Charge and Blessing

Choral Benediction *“He Lives”*

*He lives, He lives! Christ Jesus lives today!  
He walks with me and talks with me along life’s narrow way.*

*He lives, He lives, salvation to impart!  
You ask me how I know He lives? He lives within my heart!*

\*Postlude *(\*Those who are able may stand.)*

April 3, 2022

**Calendar of Activities and Upcoming Events**

**SPECIAL ACTIVITIES FOR THE WEEK**

Sunday	Elders' Prayer Time	9:00 a.m.
	Sunday School	9:30 a.m.
	Morning Worship	10:30 a.m.

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**Those Serving Our Church**

**Elder**                      **Head Usher**

John Dodwell      Dee Ashworth

**Sunday School Secretaries**

Today: Jacky Stamps    Next Week: Sammy Stevenson

**This Week's Birthday**

**Apr. 3    Ray Keiper**

**Announcements**

**The Jar Offering for April** will go to the Bleeding Disorders Association of SC (formerly the Hemophilia Foundation of SC). Their Mission: "To raise awareness for and advocate on behalf of persons with bleeding disorders and their families; provide education and supportive services; and promote ongoing research to improve the quality of life for those affected."

**Appreciation is expressed** to everyone who helped with the Yard and Bake Sale, especially to Linda Mylod and Kitty Burge for their leadership and hard work.

**Funds received for Ukraine Refugee Assistance** came to a total of \$1,445.00. A check has been sent. Thank you to all who contributed.

**A sign-up sheet** is available in the Vestibule and Fellowship Hall for Easter Sunrise Breakfast items.

**Easter Lilies**

If you would like to purchase an Easter Lily (for \$7.00) as a memorial or honorarium to be placed in the church on Easter Sunday, April 17, please fill out the form and return it to the church office or drop in offering plate along with payment. **Payment MUST be included with request (make checks payable to Midway Presbyterian Church) and returned by Sunday, April 10<sup>th</sup>. Lilies are to be taken with you after the Worship service on Sunday, April 17<sup>th</sup>.**

**Number of Lilies:** \_\_\_\_\_

**In Honor of:** \_\_\_\_\_

**In Memory of:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Given By:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Amount Paid:** \_\_\_\_\_