

**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**

**October 23, 2022**

**10:30 a.m.**

*Have mercy on me, O God, according to your steadfast love;  
according to your abundant mercy, blot out my transgressions.  
Wash me thoroughly from my iniquity, and cleanse me from my sin.  
--Psalm 51:1-2*

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

*Twentieth Sunday After Pentecost*

**The Gathering**

Prelude	Mrs. Beth Croft
Introit	The Choir
Chiming of the Hour	
Greeting	Dr. John McCallum
Announcements	Elder John Dodwell
Minute for Mission	Major Joseph Irvin, Salvation Army, Anderson, SC
Jar Offering	Safe Harbor

Responsive Call to Worship

Pastor: O come, let us sing unto the Lord:

**People: let us make a joyful noise to the rock of our salvation.**

Pastor: Let us come before his presence with thanksgiving,

**People: and make a joyful noise unto him with psalms.**

**Unison: Come, let us worship God in Spirit and in truth!**

Opening Prayer

\*Hymn #87 *“Fairest Lord Jesus”*

\*Call to Confession

\*Unison Prayer of Confession

Have mercy upon us, O God, according to your loving-kindness: according unto the multitude of your tender mercies, blot out our transgressions. Wash us thoroughly from our iniquities, and cleanse us from our sin. For we acknowledge our transgressions, and our sin is ever before us. Create in us clean hearts, O God; and renew a right spirit within us. Cast us not away from your presence; and take not your Holy Spirit from us. (Silent Prayers.) 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 65*

Anthem *“Just a Little Talk with Jesus”* The Choir

The Epistle Lesson *Luke 18:9-14*

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

**People: Thanks be to God.**

Sermon

*“Two Prayers in the Temple”*

Dr. John McCallum

**Responding to the Word**

\*Hymn #581 *“’Tis so Sweet to Trust in Jesus”*

\*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 (See Insert) *“Standing in the Need of Prayer”*

\*Charge and Blessing

\*Choral Benediction #662 *“With All My Heart”*

*With all my heart I want to love You, Lord, And live my life each day to know You more. All that is in me is Yours completely; I’ll serve You only, with all my heart.*

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

October 23, 2022

**Calendar of Activities and Upcoming Events**

**SPECIAL ACTIVITIES FOR THE WEEK**

Sunday	Sunday School	9:30 a.m.
	Morning Worship	10:30 a.m.
	Congregational Meeting	
	Session Meeting	
Tues.	Upstate Homeschool Hybrid	9:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.
Thurs.	Upstate Homeschool Hybrid	9:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

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**Those Serving Our Church**

**Elder**

John Dodwell

**Head Usher**

Keith Wentzky

**Sunday School Secretaries**

Today: Sammy Stevenson Next Week: Bob Bone

**This Week's Birthdays**

Oct. 24 Mark Sears

27 Elaine Gilmore

**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.

**Next Sunday's Fifth Sunday Jar Offering** 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 Session has called for a **Congregational Meeting** to be held following Worship today, for the purpose of hearing and acting upon the report of the Officer Nominating Committee.

**The Session** will meet today following the Congregational Meeting.

**Thank You.** *"Dear Midway Family, Thank you for the prayers, cards, and expressions of sympathy shown to us at my mother's death. Tommy and Gail Alewine."*

**BAZAAR REMINDERS: Only 2 more weeks!**

- 1) Like-new gifts or Christmas décor donations can be accepted **NO LATER THAN next Sunday**. If you can't manage that, please save them for another sale. If you need things picked up, please contact Linda Mylod.
- 2) Baked goods would be very greatly appreciated and should be dropped off at the Fellowship Hall on Friday, November 4<sup>th</sup> between 11:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. If you need them picked up, please contact Linda Mylod on Thursday, the 3<sup>rd</sup>.
- 3) We don't need any grocery bags, but paper bags with handles would be greatly appreciated.
- 4) Next Sunday please stay for a few minutes if you're able to **help take down and put away the round tables in the Fellowship Hall**. Just meet in the Fellowship Hall immediately after Worship service.

Most importantly, please tell your family and friends about the bazaar and lunch, and ask them to come on November 5<sup>th</sup> to support our fundraiser. THANK YOU.

**To our Bazaar Bakers:**

Anyone who is kind enough to bake for the bazaar, please keep in mind that brownies, cookies and muffins sell the best, followed by small breads (especially fruit breads) and cakes that can easily be cut into quarters. Unless it's a special Rita King cake (oh, how we miss those!), most shoppers don't want a BIG cake for \$20, but they're happy to purchase a 1/4 cake for \$5. And we can always use cakes to cut into slices for the Cafe dessert, so whatever your specialty is, we'll appreciate it! Don't feel obliged to cut and wrap your bakery donations. Our Bake Sale staff can do that, but if you prefer to package brownies and cookies in individual baggies, please package in small quantities - 2, 3 or 4's. Those always go quickly! Thank you for your support.