

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 2023</u>	<u>Class of 2024</u>	<u>Class of 2025</u>
Linda Mylod	Bob Harrell	Dee Ashworth
Roz Rozakos	Marilyn Mamrick	Marilyn Martin
Jacky Stamps (Clerk)	Tom Waddell	Amy Morris

Commissioned Deacon

Earle King

Treasurers

Bob Harrell	Disbursing Treasurer
Linda Mylod	Receiving Treasurer

Parish Nurse

Ginny Keiper



Established 1833

MIDWAY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Worship Service

May 7, 2023

10:30 a.m.

*Jesus called out with a loud voice,
“Father, into your hands I commit my spirit.”
When he had said this, he breathed his last.
~~Luke 23:46*

The Service For the Lord’s Day

Fifth Sunday of Easter

The Gathering

Prelude	Mrs. Beth Croft
Introit	The Choir
Chiming of the Hour	
Greeting	Dr. John McCallum
Announcements	Elder Jacky Stamps
Jar Offering	The Shalom House

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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.
	Community Life & Mission Committee	
Tues.	Upstate Homeschool Hybrid	9:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.
Wed.	Parish Care Team @Rose Dining Hall	12:00 noon
Thurs.	Upstate Homeschool Hybrid Awards Night	5:00 – 8:00 p.m.

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Those Serving Our Church

Elder

Jacky Stamps

Head Usher

Dee Ashworth

Sunday School Secretaries

Today: Sammy Stevenson Next Week: Bob Bone

This Week's Birthdays

May 9 Bob Bone

13 Roz Rozakos

Announcements

Our Jar Offering for May will go to the Shalom House. This Christian ministry in Belton provides a safe, stable environment for women for long-term recovery after treatment for addiction to alcohol and drugs.

Today we celebrate the **Sacrament of Holy Communion.**

The Community Life and Mission Committee will meet today following Worship.

Thanks to everyone who supported our Yard and Bake Sale.

The Parish Care Team will meet this Wednesday, May 10, at noon at the Rose Dining Hall at the Hospice of the Upstate.

Next Sunday is Mother's Day, and we will receive the Annual Mother's Day Offering for charitable care provided at Presbyterian Communities of South Carolina.

Beautiful Baby Contest – May has been designated Older Adults Month, so our Parish Care Team is sponsoring a contest to celebrate the occasion. Please submit a picture of yourself as a little one (not necessarily a baby) with your name on the back to Linda Mylod today. At our **May 14th Mother's Day Covered Dish Dinner**, you can cast your vote for the cutest baby. Three Prizes will be awarded. The 2-Cents-a-Meal Offering will go to Meals on Wheels.

Meals on Wheels is in need of individually wrapped desserts such as boxes of Little Debbie snacks, etc. Just drop the desserts in the box in the vestibule. If you would like for someone to purchase items for you, you can put a check marked MOW in the offering plate or drop it by the church office. Monetary donations will also be accepted by Elaine Gilmore.

Outreach for May

Community Life & Mission Committee is collecting supplies for Anderson Pregnancy Center this month. If you didn't hear Audrey Shaw, its Executive Director, give an excellent Minute for Mission recently, you might not know that this non-profit supports all women who are facing untimely pregnancies but are willing to give life to these precious babies. We can support their efforts by donating supplies that will be provided to the mothers. Baby clothes, diapers and wipes are most used/most needed, but diaper rash lotion and sunscreen are also important, especially this time of year. If you can help, donations should be left in the boxes in the vestibule. And all of us are able to help by keeping these struggling women here in our community - and the organization that strives to support them – in our prayers.