

**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
Mr. Will Greer	Staff Assistant

**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

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*Established 1833*

**MIDWAY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

**Worship Service**  
**September 24, 2023**  
**10:30 a.m.**

***“Don’t I have the right to do what I want with my own money?  
Or are you envious because I am generous?”  
~Matthew 20:15***

**The Service For the Lord’s Day**  
*Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost*

**The Gathering**

Prelude	Mrs. Beth Croft
Introit	The Choir
Chiming of the Hour	
Greeting	Elder Jacky Stamps
Announcements	
Minute for Mission	Mr. Nate Knox, The LOT Project
Jar Offering	The LOT Project





The Lovely Flowers in the sanctuary this morning are given by Pete and Roz Rozakos to the Glory of God and in honor of Linda Mylod on her birthday, September 23<sup>rd</sup>. Thank you Linda, for all you do for the Midway Church family.

**September 24, 2023**

**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.
	Administration & Finance Committee	
Tues.	Legacy Academy	8:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.
Thurs.	Legacy Academy	8:30 a.m. – 3:30 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**

- Sept. 24 Cindy Evans
- Carol Wentzky
- 25 Patty King
- 27 Terry Waddell

**Announcements**

**Our Jar Offering** for the month of September will go to The LOT Project. LOT is an acronym for *Least of These*, a reference to Matthew 25:40, where Jesus said, "To the extent that you served one of these brothers of mine, even the least of these you did it to me." The LOT Project provides a meal to those in need on Tuesday and Thursday from 4:30 – 6:00 p.m. They also provide shoes, coats, and blankets on the first Friday of every month.

**Today we welcome Rev. Marlon Irrarragorry** to the pulpit. Marlon served the Presbyterian Reformed Church in Cabaiguan in the province of Sancti Spiritus, Cuba from July 2012 – 2022. He is married to Elizabeth and they have a daughter, Madison.

**The Administration & Finance Committee** will meet today following Worship.

**World Communion Sunday is October 1** and the Annual Peace and Global Witness Offering will be received. The Session has voted for our 25% to provide needed supplies for the students in the Anderson School District 5's Homeless Kids Program.

**The Session has called for a Congregational Meeting** to be held following Worship on Sunday, October 1. The purpose of the meeting is to hear and act upon the report of the Officer Nominating Committee. The Committee will place in nomination for Elders in the Class of 2026 the following members: Bob Bone, Elaine Gilmore, and Kent Saunders.

**Bake Sale in 5 Weeks!**

A fundraising Fall Bake Sale will be held on Saturday, October 28, with a mini-Christmas fair. Please look through your holiday décor to hopefully find some first rate Fall or Christmas items for us to sell. All item donations must be received by October 15.

Also, please mark your calendars to bake-like-your-life-depends-upon-it for this year's Bake Sale. Funds raised will help us share some Christmas joy with many young people in need in the Anderson area.

**Thank You.** *"Dear Church Family, We want to thank the members of Midway for all the phone calls, cards, visits, and prayers during Brenda's time in the Rehab Hospital due to the compression fracture in her lower back. She is at home now, but will continue in-home physical therapy. It has been a difficult time for Brenda, but we know that better times are coming. We ask for your continued prayers as she recovers from her injury. Jacky and Brenda Stamps."*