

***Order for the Service of Worship  
The Lord's Day ~ Sunday January 24, 2021***



***Fairview Presbyterian Church***

## **Westminster Chimes**

### **Welcome and Announcements**

#### **Prelude**

#### **\*Introit**

Sing Praise to God Who Reigns Above (Vs 1) # 6

*Sing praise to God who reigns above, The God of all creation, The God of pow'r, the God of love, The God of our salvation. With healing balm my soul He fills, And ev'ry faithless murmur stills; To God all praise and glory!*

**Call to Worship:** Revelation 5:11-13 (ESV)

*Then I looked, and I heard around the throne and the living creatures and the elders the voice of many angels, numbering myriads of myriads and thousands of thousands, saying with a loud voice, "Worthy is the Lamb who was slain, to receive power and wealth and wisdom and might and honor and glory and blessing!" And I heard every creature in heaven and on earth and under the earth and in the sea, and all that is in them, saying: "To him who sits on the throne and to the Lamb be blessing and honor and glory and might forever and ever!"*

**\*Hymn of Adoration:** # 10 O Worship the King

*O worship the King, all glorious above, And gratefully sing His wonderful love; Our Shield and Defender, the Ancient of Days, Pavilioned in splendor, and girded with praise.*

*O tell of His might O sing of His grace, Whose robe is the light whose canopy space! His chariots of wrath the deep thunderclouds form, And dark is His path on the wings of the storm.*

*Thy bountiful care what tongue can recite? It breathes in the air, it shines in the light, It streams from the hills, it descends to the plain, And sweetly distills in the dew and the rain.*

*Frail children of dust, and feeble as frail, In Thee do we trust,  
nor find Thee to fail: Thy mercies how tender, how firm to  
the end; Our Maker, Defender, Redeemer, and Friend.  
Amen.*

### **\*Invocation and the Lord's Prayer**

**Praise Response**      Gloria Patri

### **Installation of Church Officers**

*Jim McClimon, Tom Sevcik, Jimmy Sprouse, Frank Wickliffe*

### **Corporate Prayer of Confession**

*Mighty God, forgive us for serving you in sinful ways – for glorifying in our own strength, for seeking the applause of others, for trusting in another foundation to stand upon besides you. Help us to see that it is faith stirred by grace that does the work. It is faith centered on you as God all-sufficient, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. Keep us in faith that works by love, and serves by grace. We pray for Christ's sake. Amen. Adapted from The Valley of Vision*

### **Silent Confession**

**Assurance of Pardoning Grace**      Hebrews 6:10-12 (ESV)

*For God is not unjust so as to overlook your work and the love that you have shown for his name in serving the saints, as you still do. And we desire each one of you to show the same earnestness to have the full assurance of hope until the end, so that you may not be sluggish, but imitators of those who through faith and patience inherit the promises.*

## **\*Affirmation of Faith**

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.*

## **The Giving of Tithes and Offerings**

### **\*Doxology and Prayer of Thanksgiving #625**

#### **Hymn of Preparation**

Rise Up, O Church of God # 293

*Rise up, O Church of God! Have done with lesser things;  
Give heart and mind and soul and strength To serve the King  
of kings.*

*Rise up, O Church of God! His kingdom tarries long;  
Bring in the day of brotherhood And end the night of wrong.*

*Rise up, O sons of God! The Church for you doth wait, Her  
strength unequal to her task, Rise up, and make her great!*

*Lift high the cross of Christ! Tread where His feet have trod;  
As foll'wers of the Son of Man, Rise up, O Church of God!*

**Children's Dismissal** | Parents may dismiss their children at this time to the nursery (birth to 3.5) or to children's church (3.5 to 7).

## **Pastoral Prayer**

**Sermon Text:** 1 Timothy 3:1-7

**Sermon Title:** “Shepherds of the Good Shepherd”

Rev. Jonathan Williams

**Sermon Notes:**

## **Hymn of Response**

All the Way My Savior Leads Me #460

*All the way my Savior leads me; What have I to ask beside?  
Can I doubt His tender mercy, Who thru life has been my  
guide? Heav'nly peace, divinest comfort, Here by faith in  
Him to dwell! For I know whate'er befall me, Jesus doeth all  
things well; For I know whate'er befall me, Jesus doeth all  
things well.*

*All the way my Savior leads me;, Cheers each winding path I  
tread, Gives me grace for ev;ry trial, Feeds me with the  
living bread; Tho my weary steps may falter, And my soul  
athirst may be, Gushing from the Rock before me, Lo! a  
spring of joy I see;Gushing from the Rock before me, Lo! a  
spring of joy I see.*

*All the way my Savior leads me; Oh, the fullness of His love!  
Perfect rest to me is promised In my Father's house above;  
When my spirit, cloth'd, immortal, Wings its flight to realms  
of day, his my song thru endless ages: Jesus led me all the  
way; This my song thru endless ages: Jesus led me all the  
way.*

## **Benediction**

**Threefold Amen #628 IV**

## **Postlude**

*Music Used by Permission CCLI 3272334*

**January 24 - 30**

**TODAY**

**9:00 am** Choir Rehearsal

**10:00 am** Sunday School

Children' Sunday School Classes

Nursery (age 0-3.5) – Volunteers

Preschool (age 3.5-5) – Lynn McCarter

Elementary (age 6-9) – Lisa Miller

Preteen (age 10-13) – Ann Spaar

Teenagers – Jonathan Williams

**11:00 am** Worship

**Mark Your Calendars**

**January 31** – Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

**January 31** – 5:00-6:30 pm Our youth will meet in the Family Life Center for dinner, fellowship, and Bible study. Please bring your Bible and your friends.

**February 4** - 7:00 am Men's Breakfast at Cracker Barrel

**February 6** – 9:30 am Women's Brunch at Home of Robyn Davenport (1 Winged Bourne Court, Simpsonville). Social distancing efforts will continue. Food and drink will be individually packaged and served.

**February 13 (New Date)**– 10:00-11:30 am Wedding Shower for Amy (Nowell) La Croix and Andrew La Croix (married on October 4) which will be held in FLC. Registered at Bed Bath & Beyond or Gift Cards from Lowes.

**Cookbooks** – WIC has Fairview Church Cookbook reprints for \$20.00 Contact Lynn McCarter

**Nursery** - We have a great need for more volunteers in our nursery during the service. We are inviting all of our members who have been through childcare protection training to serve at least once every six months or as there is need. The signup sheets are in the back of the church, on a bulletin board in hallway of the children's wing, and also a signup online. Please sign up to serve.

## **History and Welcome**

Fairview has the distinction of being Greenville County's oldest Presbyterian Church. For over 225 years there has been a place of worship on this site. The church was established in 1786 and named Fairview after the founders' church in Antrim County, Ireland. Since 1973 we have been a church of the Presbyterian Church in America (PCA). Our aim in all that we do is to bring glory to God and to express the preeminence of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. This requires that we be true to the Scriptures, the Reformed Faith, and obedient to the Great Commission.

To our guests and visitors, we extend an invitation to become part of the Fairview Church family. Our hearts are open to you, and we sincerely hope you will open your hearts to us! We look forward to the blessing of your friendship.

## **Leadership and Contact Information**

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