

***Order for the Service of Worship  
The Lord's Day ~ Sunday March 21, 2021***



***Fairview Presbyterian Church***

## **Westminster Chimes**

### **Welcome and Announcements**

#### **Prelude**

**\*Introit** | “Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us” (Vs 1, 3)

*Savior, like a shepherd lead us, Much we need Thy tender care; In Thy pleasant pastures feed us, For our use Thy folds prepare: Blessèd Jesus, blessèd Jesus, Thou hast bought us, Thine we are; Blessèd Jesus, blessèd Jesus, Thou hast bought us, Thine we are.*

*Thou hast promised to receive us, Poor and sinful though we be; Thou hast mercy to relieve us, Grace to cleanse, and pow'r to free: Blessèd Jesus, blessèd Jesus, Early let us turn to Thee; Blessèd Jesus, blessèd Jesus, Early let us turn to Thee.*

**Call to Worship** | Psalm 105:1 (NIV)

*Give praise to the LORD, proclaim his name; make known among the nations what he has done. Sing to him, sing praise to him; tell of all his wonderful acts. Glory in his holy name; let the hearts of those who seek the LORD rejoice. Look to the LORD and his strength; seek his face always.*

#### **\*Hymn of Adoration**

“Come, Christians, Join to Sing” # 108

*Come, Christians, join to sing Alleluia! Amen! Loud praise to Christ our King; Alleluia! Amen! Let all, with heart and voice, Before His throne rejoice; Praise is His gracious choice. Alleluia! Amen!*

*Come, lift your hearts on high, Alleluia! Amen! Let praises fill the sky; Alleluia! Amen! He is our Guide and Friend; To us He'll condescend; His love shall never end. Alleluia! Amen!*

*Praise yet our Christ again, Alleluia! Amen! Life shall not end the strain; Alleluia! Amen! On heaven's blissful shore, His goodness we'll adore, Singing forevermore, "Alleluia! Amen!"*

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

**Praise Response**      Gloria Patri

### **Corporate Confession of Sin**

King of heaven, we confess before you that we are concerned primarily for ourselves and not for others. We quickly turn to look away from the suffering and brokenness of others. Forgive us for the help that we should have offered this week that we did not. Holy Spirit, melt our hearts, for we cannot soften them. Cause us to see how we have been rescued by our great Savior. Help us to enter the worlds of others, to celebrate with them, to grieve with them, and to walk alongside them with caring hearts and hands that are ready to help. May we grow into people who love as we have been loved and who serve as we have been served. Amen.

### **Silent Confession**

**Assurance of Pardoning Grace** | Psalm 40:1-3 (ESV)

*I waited patiently for the LORD; he inclined to me and heard my cry. He drew me up from the pit of destruction, out of the miry bog, and set my feet upon a rock, making my steps secure. He put a new song in my mouth, a song of praise to our God. Many will see and fear, and put their trust in the LORD.*

## **\*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**

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise Him, all creatures here below;  
Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host;  
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost.  
Amen.*

## **Hymn of Preparation**

**“Break Thou the Bread of Life” # 274**

*Break Thou the bread of life, Dear Lord, to me, As Thou didst  
break the loaves Beside the sea; Beyond the sacred page  
I seek Thee, Lord; My spirit pants for Thee, O Living Word.*

*Bless Thou the truth, dear Lord, To me, to me, As Thou didst  
bless the bread By Galilee; Then shall all bondage cease, All  
fetters fall; And I shall find my peace, My All in all.*

*Thou art the bread of life, O Lord, to me, thy holy Word the truth That saveth me; Give me to eat and live With Thee above; Teach me to love Thy truth, For Thou art love.*

*O send Thy Spirit, Lord, Now unto me, That He may touch my eyes And make me see; Show me the truth concealed Within Thy Word, And in Thy Book revealed I see the Lord. Amen.*

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 5:8-16

Rev. Jonathan Williams

**Sermon Title** | "THE CARE OF WIDOWS"

**Sermon Notes:**

## **Hymn of Response**

“All For Jesus” # 368

*All for Jesus, all for Jesus! All my being's ransom'd pow'rs;  
All my tho'ts and words and doings, All my days and all my  
hours. All for Jesus! all for Jesus! All my days and all my  
hours; All for Jesus! all for Jesus! All my days and all my  
hours.*

*Let my hands perform His bidding, Let my feet run in His  
ways; Let my eyes see Jesus only, Let my lips speak forth His  
praise. All for Jesus! all for Jesus! Let my lips speak forth his  
praise; All for Jesus! all for Jesus! Let my lips speak forth  
His praise.*

*Since my eyes were fixed on Jesus, I've lost sight of all  
beside; So enchained my spirit's vision, Looking at the  
Crucified. All for Jesus! all for Jesus! Looking at the  
Crucified; All for Jesus! all for Jesus! Looking at the  
Crucified.*

*Oh, what wonder! how amazing! Jesus, glorious King of  
kings, Deigns to call me His beloved, Lets me rest beneath  
His wings. All for Jesus! all for Jesus! Resting now beneath  
His wings; All for Jesus! all for Jesus! Resting now beneath  
His wings.*

## **Benediction**

**Threefold Amen #628 IV**

## **Postlude**

*Music Used by Permission CCLI 3272334*

## **TODAY**

**8:45 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 in Family Life Center**

**5:00 pm Session and Deacons Meeting**

## **Mark Your Calendars**

**March 22** - 3:30 pm Fountain Inn Kid Enrichment Volunteer Opportunity. We have partnered with FIKE to provide meals to their children on Monday afternoons. We have the meals covered, but we would love for your help in serving. If you would like to help, please speak to Kenny.

**March 24** - 5:30 pm Wednesday Night Table Talk

**March 27** - 9:30 am Women's Brunch – **Location changed** to Family Life Center

**March 28** - 8:45 am Choir Rehearsal

**April 1** - 7:00 am Men's Breakfast at Cracker Barrel

**April 1** - 6:00 pm Maundy Thursday Service

**April 25** - Combined Sunday School Class

**April 25** - 5:00- 6:30 pm Youth Meeting

**June 8-11** Vacation Bible School is on for this year, and we need your help! Families, stay tuned for more information leading up to this year's VBS.

## 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

*Pastor* | Jonathan Williams, [pastor@fairviewpca.com](mailto:pastor@fairviewpca.com),  
803.629.2952

*Pastoral Assistant* | Kenny Maple,  
[kenny@fairviewpca.com](mailto:kenny@fairviewpca.com), 864.608.6033

*Ruling Elders* | Preston Garrett, John Martzin, Jim McClimon, Tom Sevcik, Dan Shirley

*Deacons* | Stutts Armstrong, Cephias DiLella, Wes McCarter, Rob Shirley, Jimmy Sprouse, James Wickliffe

*Location* | 126 Fairview Church Rd., Fountain Inn, SC  
29644

*Church Office Phone* | 864.862.2403

*Mailing Address* | P.O. Box 1664, Fountain Inn, SC 29644