

***Order for the Service of Worship
The Lord's Day ~ Sunday May 23, 2021***



Fairview Presbyterian Church

Westminster Chimes

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude

* **Introit** | “All Hail the Power of Jesus Name” # 97 (Vs 1,2)

*All hail the pow'r of Jesus' name! Let angels prostrate fall;
Bring forth the royal diadem, And crown Him Lord of all;
Bring forth the royal diadem, And crown Him Lord of all!*

*Ye chosen seed of Israel's race, Ye ransomed from the fall,
Hail Him who saves you by His grace, And crown Him Lord
of all; Hail Him who saves you by His grace, And crown
Him Lord of all!*

* **Call to Worship** | Psalm 96:7-13 ESV

*Ascribe to the LORD, O families of the peoples, ascribe to the
LORD glory and strength! Ascribe to the LORD the glory due
his name; bring an offering, and come into his courts!
Worship the LORD in the splendor of holiness; tremble before
him, all the earth! Say among the nations, “The LORD reigns!
Yes, the world is established; it shall never be moved; he will
judge the peoples with equity.” Let the heavens be glad, and
let the earth rejoice; let the sea roar, and all that fills it; let
the field exult, and everything in it! Then shall all the trees of
the forest sing for joy before the LORD, for he comes, for he
comes to judge the earth. He will judge the world in
righteousness, and the peoples in his faithfulness.*

* **Hymn of Adoration** | “Holy, Holy, Holy” #262

*Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty! Early in the morning
our song shall rise to Thee; Holy, holy, holy! merciful and
mighty! God in three Persons, blessed Trinity!*

Holy, holy, holy! all the saints adore Thee, Casting down their golden crowns around the glassy sea; Cherubim and seraphim falling down before Thee, Which wert and art and evermore shalt be.

Holy, holy, holy! though the darkness hide Thee, Though the eye of sinful man Thy glory may not see; Only Thou art holy - there is none beside Thee, Perfect in pow'r, in love and purity.

Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty! All Thy works shall praise Thy name in earth and sky and sea; Holy, holy, holy! merciful and mighty! God in three Persons, blessed Trinity! Amen.

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

***Praise Response** Gloria Patri

Corporate Prayer of Confession

Loving heavenly Father, we are all rebellious and ungrateful children. Some of us have actively rebelled against our earthly parents; many of us, as parents, have exasperated our children with our selfish demands, inconsistent discipline, and lack of loving concern for their lives. Father, forgive us. We give you thanks now for your tender, patient care towards your children. You are kind and merciful, slow to anger, and swift to forgive our sinful rebellion. Help us, Holy Spirit, to delight in the privilege of our adoption as sons and daughters of God. Would you help us to honor our parents and in turn to be good parents to our children and to become spiritual fathers and mothers in the Lord to those who are younger than us in the faith. Amen.

Adapted from "Prone to Wander: Prayers of Confession and Celebration"

Silent Confession

Assurance of Pardoning Grace | 1 John 3:1-2 (ESV)

See what kind of love the Father has given to us, that we should be called children of God; and so we are ... Beloved, we are God's children now, and what we will be has not yet appeared; but we know that when he appears we shall be like him, because we shall see him as he is.

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.

Anthem | "Come Holy Spirit" Mark Foreman....Choir

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** | “Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah” # 51

Guide me, O Thou great Jehovah, Pilgrim through this barren land; I am weak but Thou art mighty; Hold me with Thy pow'rful hand; Bread of heaven, Bread of heaven, Feed me till I want no more, Feed me till I want no more.

Open now the crystal fountain, Whence the healing stream doth flow; Let the fire and cloudy pillar Lead me all my journey through; Strong Deliverer, strong Deliverer, Be Thou still my strength and shield, Be Thou still my strength and shield.

When I tread the verge of Jordan, Bid my anxious fears subside; Bear me thro' the swelling current, Land me safe on Canaan's side; Songs of praises, songs of praises I will ever give to Thee, I will ever give to Thee. 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 | Judges 2:1-16

Sermon Title | “THE JUDGE WHO DELIVERS”

Rev. Jonathan Williams

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***Hymn of Response |” Turn Your Eyes upon Jesus” # 335**

*Turn your eyes upon Jesus,
Look full in His wonderful face,
And the things of earth will grow strangely dim In
the light of His glory and grace.*

*** Benediction**

*** Threefold Amen #628 IV**

Postlude

* Congregation Stands

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 in the Sanctuary

6:00 pm Session Meeting

Mark Your Calendars

May - Nominations for the office of elder for one additional ruling elder will take place during the month of May.

May 20 - 7:00 am Last Men's Prayer Breakfast at Cracker Barrel before summer suspension

May 26 -5:30 Last Wednesday Night Tabletalk before summer suspension

May 30 - No Choir Rehearsal

May 30 - Graduate Recognition - If you are graduating or you know someone who is graduating contact Kenny Maple.

May 30 - 6:00 pm Assistant Pastor Ordination and Installation Service for Kenny Maple, Reception to follow in FLC

June 6 - Appreciation Reception to honor Henry Peden and Joe Peden following the worship service in FLC

June 6 - 5:00 pm VBS Setup

June 8-11 - Vacation Bible School

June 17- 10:00 am Morning WIC Meeting, Ephesians Ch. 6

Worship Flowers – The new sign-up sheet for worship flowers is in the hallway behind the sanctuary. There are plenty of Sundays open!

Covid Vaccination Sign-up Assistance - If you would like help signing up for COVID19 vaccinations, see deacons for assistance.

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.

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