



FAIRVIEW PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

A CONGREGATION OF THE
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN AMERICA

Make a joyful noise to the LORD, all the earth!

Serve the LORD with gladness!

*Come into his presence with singing! Know
that the LORD, he is God!*

*It is he who made us, and we are his;
we are his people, and the sheep of his pasture.*

*Enter his gates with thanksgiving, and his
courts with praise!*

Give thanks to him; bless his name!

*For the LORD is good; his steadfast love endures
forever, and his faithfulness to all generations.*

Psalms 100

THE LORD'S DAY

May 1, 2022

WESTMINSTER CHIMES

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE

*INTROIT

All Creatures of Our God and King, #64 vs. 1,5

All creatures of our God and King Lift up your voice
and with us sing, Alleluia! Alleluia!
Thou burning sun with golden beam, Thou silver
moon with softer gleam! O praise Him! O praise Him!
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

Let all things their Creator bless, And worship Him in
humbleness, O praise Him! Alleluia!
Praise, praise the Father, praise the Son,
And praise the Spirit, Three in One! O praise Him! O
praise Him! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalms 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 God, We Praise Thy Name, # 12

***INVOCATION AND THE LORD'S PRAYER**

***PRAISE RESPONSE**

Gloria Patri, # 623

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost: as it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, Amen.

CORPORATE PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Gracious God, who pours out freely the gift of your Holy Spirit, who opens blind eyes and illumines our minds: we confess before you that we have been satisfied with ordinary things and blind to spiritual things. Open our eyes that have been closed by fear and blinded by self-sufficiency, that we may see you in the Word and know you through the Word. Open our eyes to understand the Holy Scriptures that we might be transformed by your person, power and purpose for our lives. Reveal to our souls the Word, full of grace and truth. Lord, forgive us for avoiding you by avoiding your Word. Forgive us for opposing you by opposing your Word. Help us to grab hold of You and the redemption you offer us in Christ through your Word. Holy Spirit, form our hearts according to your Word, according to the image of Jesus the Son, that His Word might be our strength and our comfort. Amen.

SILENT CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDONING GRACE

from *Ezekiel 36:25-28* ESV

I will sprinkle clean water on you, and you shall be clean from all your uncleanness, and from all your idols I will cleanse you. And I will give you a new heart, and a new spirit I will put inside you. And I will remove the heart of stone from your flesh and give you a heart of flesh. And I will put my Spirit within you, and cause you to walk in my statutes and be careful to obey my rules. You shall dwell in the land that I gave to your fathers, and you shall be my people, and I will be your God.

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.
Amen

THE GIVING OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

* *Doxology and Prayer of Thanksgiving* # 625

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

* HYMN OF PREPARATION

O Word of God Incarnate, # 269

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 Peter 2:1-3*

SERMON | *Spiritual Craving*

Rev. Jonathan Williams

SERMON NOTES:

*HYMN OF RESPONSE | *Be Thou My Vision*, # 382

BENEDICTION

THREEFOLD AMEN # 628 IV

POSTLUDE

**Those who are able, please stand.*

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TODAY

8:45 a.m. | *Choir Rehearsal*

10:00 a.m. | *Sunday School*

Classes: Nursery (age 0-3.5) | Volunteers

Preschool (3.5-5) | Lynn McCarter

Elementary (6-9) | Lisa Miller

Preteen (10-13) | Ann Spaar

Teenagers | Jonathan Williams

Fellowship Class | Kenny Maple

Covenant Class | Tom Sevcik, Dan Nowell

11:00 a.m. | *Lord's Day Worship Service*

Following Worship | *Quarterly Budget Review*

2022 Flower Calendar is on the bulletin board in the hallway behind the sanctuary. There are plenty of open dates remaining. Contact Person: Linda Peden

Deacon of the Month | Cephas Dilella
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ANNOUNCEMENTS AND EVENTS

May 4 | *Table Talk*, Dinner, teaching and prayer 5:30 p.m.
Dinner is \$9.00 per person. Family Limit is \$25. Please sign up in the back of sanctuary for a dinner count.

May 5 | *Men's Breakfast* at Cracker Barrel, 7:00 a.m.

May 7 | *Women's Brunch* at the Home of Sarah Wickliffe,
1607 Fairview Road, Fountain Inn, 9:30 am

May 8 | *Choir Rehearsal*, 8:45 a.m.

May 12 | *WIC Evening Meeting*, 7:00 p.m.

May 14 | *Men of the Covenant*, 8:00 a.m.

May. 19 | *Men's Breakfast* at Cracker Barrel, 7:00 a.m.

May 19 | *WIC Morning Meeting*, 10:00 a.m.

May 22 | *Birds and the Bees Talk* To educate our children biblically about sex, we are inviting our adults to come out for an evening of discussion on these topics that we might learn together. Dinner provided and childcare for nursery ages through elementary school. Please let Kenny know if you plan to bring children. 6:00-7:30 p.m., FLC

May 25 | *Youth Dinner Outing* For the last Table Talk of the semester, youth will have dinner out. Youth will leave from the church parking lot at 5:30 p.m and return to the church before Table Talk is over.

May 29 | *Graduate Recognition and Churchwide Potluck Luncheon*, Graduate Recognition during worship and WIC sponsored churchwide potluck luncheon honoring the graduates immediately following worship. FLC, Contact - Ann Spaar

July 18- July 22 | *Vacation Bible School*

HISTORY AND WELCOME

Fairview 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 and look forward to the blessing of your friendship.

LEADERSHIP AND CONTACT INFORMATION

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