



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

February 16, 2025

WESTMINSTER CHIMES

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE

INTROIT | *Arise, My Soul, Arise, # 199 vs. 1, 4*

Arise, my soul, arise, shake off your guilty fears;
the bleeding Sacrifice in my behalf appears: before the
throne my Surety stands, before the throne my Surety
stands, my name is written on his hands.

CALL TO WORSHIP | *Psalm 47:1-6 ESV*

Clap your hands, all peoples! Shout to God with loud
songs of joy! For the Lord, the Most High, is to be feared,
a great king over all the earth. He subdued peoples
under us, and nations under our feet. He chose
our heritage for us, the pride of Jacob whom he loves.
God has gone up with a shout, the Lord with the sound
of a trumpet. Sing praises to God, sing praises! Sing
praises to our King, sing praises!

*HYMN OF ADORATION | *Love Divine, All Loves
Excelling, # 92*

*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 |

Holy Father, because we are fallen, sinful creatures, it is so easy for us to think only of ourselves and ignore the needs of others. Our sinful natures lead us to selfishness and indifference. O Lord, we do humbly confess our selfish nature and plead for your forgiveness. Give us, we pray, the mind and heart of our savior who loved the unlovely and redeemed us from destruction. Burden us with the souls of those who are perishing that we may be bold to testify of the saving grace of Jesus Christ. Use us, your people, to gather your elect from the four corners of this world so that your glory may cover the earth as the waters cover the sea. In the mighty name of Jesus we pray. Amen.

SILENT CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDONING GRACE |

Deuteronomy 4:31 ESV

For the LORD your God is a merciful God. He will not leave you or destroy you or forget the covenant with your fathers that he swore to them.

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

OFFERTORY | Pianist Robyn Davenport

**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 | Before the Throne of God
Above*

Before the throne of God above I have a strong and
perfect plea A great High Priest whose name is love
Who ever lives and pleads for me My name is graven on
His hands My name is written on His heart
I know that while in heav'n He stands
No tongue can bid me thence depart
No tongue can bid me thence depart

When Satan tempts me to despair And tells me of the
guilt within Upward I look and see Him there Who
made an end to all my sin Because the sinless Savior
died My sinful soul is counted free For God the Just is
satisfied

To look on Him and pardon me

To look on Him and pardon me

Behold Him there, the risen Lamb My perfect, spotless
Righteousness The great unchangeable I Am The King of
glory and of grace One with Himself, I cannot die My
soul is purchased by His blood My life is hid with Christ
on high

With Christ my Savior and my God

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CHILDREN'S 3rd SUNDAY WORSHIP | Children 3.5 to 6 years old will remain in the service to worship with their families today. Nursery is provided from birth to 3.5 years old from the beginning of worship service.

PASTORAL PRAYER

SERMON TEXT | *Ruth 4:1-12*

SERMON TITLE | *Redeeming Love*

Rev. Jonathan R. Williams

SERMON NOTES

HYMN OF RESPONSE | *Praise Him! Praise Him!*,
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*BENEDICTION

*THREEFOLD AMEN # 628 IV

POSTLUDE

TODAY

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

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, Rachael Demuth

Teenagers | Thomas Tripp

Fellowship Class | Kenny Maple

Covenant Class | Dan Nowell, Richard Peden

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

6:00 p.m. | *Session Meeting*

THIS WEEK

February 18 | *Pickle Ball*, 6:30 p.m., FLC

February 19 | *Table Talk*, 6:20 -7:30 p.m., Teaching, Children's Classes, and Prayer, (There will be no dinner this semester.)

February 19 | *Communicant's Class* for young people interested in learning about *membership in the church*. The classes begin on February 19 and will meet for six classes on Wednesdays from 5:45-6:15 p.m. Speak to Pastor Kenny if you (or those within your family) have an interest in participating.

February 20 | *Men's Prayer Breakfast* at Cracker Barrel, 7:00 a.m.

February 20 | *Morning Women In the Church*, 9:30 a.m., Study of Proverbs, Chapter 5, FLC

2025 FLOWER CALENDAR | The 2025 Flower Calendar for putting flowers in the sanctuary for Worship is on the bulletin board in the hallway behind the Sanctuary. If you sign-up to provide flowers for Worship please contact Marianna Nowell with the details to put in the bulletin.

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND EVENTS

February 23 | *Fourth Sunday Worship*, 5:00 p.m.

February 23 | *Churchwide Winter Chili Dinner*, 6:00 p.m., FLC, Sign-Up Sheet to bring food is on the resource table in the back of the sanctuary. Contact person-Ann Spaar

February 24 | *FIKE After School Ministry*, 3:30 p.m., Capstone Church, Contact Person: Pastor Maple

March 9 | *Sacrament of the Lord's Supper*

March 16 | *New Members/Inquirers Class* for all who are interested in learning more about our Church. We will meet in the Historical Building beginning Sunday, March 16, at 8:45 a.m.. Look forward to seeing you! Reach out to Pastor Jonathan for more details."

DEACON OF THE MONTH | Andrew La Croix
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MISSIONARY OF THE MONTH | Michael & Ivana
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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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