



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.*

Psalm 100

THE LORD'S DAY
RESSURECTION SUNDAY

April 20, 2025

WESTMINSTER CHIMES

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE | *Because He Lives* arr. Joseph Martin

INTROIT | *Christ the Lord Is Risen Today*, # 217, vs. 1
arr. Molly Ijames

Christ the Lord is ris'n today, Alleluia!
Sons of men and angels say: Alleluia!
Raise your joys and triumphs high, Alleluia!
Sing, ye heav'ns, and earth reply: Alleluia!

CALL TO WORSHIP | *Matthew 28:5-7* ESV

But the angel said to the women, "Do not be afraid, for I know that you seek Jesus who was crucified. He is not here, for he has risen, as he said. Come, see the place where he lay. Then go quickly and tell his disciples that he has risen from the dead, and behold, he is going before you to Galilee; there you will see him. See, I have told you."

*HYMN OF ADORATION | *All Glory, Laud and Honor*, # 173

*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

Almighty God, who brought back from the dead our Lord Jesus Christ, we humbly acknowledge that we have not lived in a manner worthy of your redeeming grace. You have raised us up with Christ who is seated at your right hand. You have commanded us to set our minds on things above and not on the things of earth. Yet we have transgressed your laws by loving ourselves more than you our God, or our neighbor. We are so easily caught up in the materialism of our day, worshiping the creature and the created, rather than the creator. Thus, do we forget your mighty victory of sin and death. Have mercy upon us, O God. Deliver us from immorality, impurity, passion, evil desire, and greed, which is idolatry. Do not leave us to ourselves but send your Spirit that we may live above this fallen world and show forth your resurrection power. In the exalted name of our risen savior, we pray. Amen.

SILENT CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDONING GRACE |

Romans 6:5-6 ESV

For if we have been united with him in a death like his, we shall certainly be united with him in a resurrection like his. We know that our old self was crucified with him in order that the body of sin might be brought to nothing, so that we would no longer be enslaved to sin.

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

CHOIR ANTHEM | *Amazing Love* Mary McDonald

THE GIVING OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

CHOIR OFFERTORY | *Lamb of God* by Joel Raney
Flautist Lynn Tate and 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 | Worship Christ the
Risen King, # 225*

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 | *Revelation 1:17-18*

SERMON TITLE | *The Living One*

Rev. Jonathan R. Williams

HYMN OF RESPONSE | *Thine Is the Glory, # 227*

BENEDICTION

**THREEFOLD AMEN # 628 IV*

POSTLUDE

Instrumentalist for Easter service:

Pianist Robyn Davenport and Flautist Lynn Tate

TODAY

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

8:45 a.m. | *New Members/Inquirers Class, Historical Bldg*

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*

Nominations for the Pulpit Committee will be taken on April 20 and 27. Nomination slips will be in the back of the sanctuary and should be placed in the nominations box. Be sure to check with your nominee to see if they are able serve. The committee will be comprised of one ruling elder, one deacon, and five members at large. A *Congregational Meeting* to elect the pulpit committee will be held on May 4.

THIS WEEK

April 22 | *Pickle Ball*, 6:30 p.m., FLC

April 23 | *Table Talk*, 6:20 -7:30 p.m., This week's topic for our Adult Table Talk series "Glad You Asked" is *Who were the Nephilim and why does it even matter?*. Children's Classes, and Prayer Time (No dinner this semester.)

April 23 | *Communicant's Class* The class from 5:45-6:15 p.m., Contact Person- Pastor Kenny

April 26 | *Women's Spring Brunch and Baby Shower for Piedmont Women's Center*, Suggested gift items insert is on the back table. 9:00 – 11:00 a.m., Lisa Peden's Home, 2201 Fairview Road, Contact Person Laura Nowell Everette 864-350-5957

WORSHIP FLOWERS TODAY | The flowers have been placed in the sanctuary today to the glory of God, Christ our Risen Savior, and the Holy Spirit.

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND EVENTS

April 27 | *Farewell Dinner for Pastor Williams and Family* after the evening service at 6:15 p.m. Sign-up sheets in the back of the sanctuary. One sign-up if attending to get a headcount for food and another sheet to sign up to bring food.

April 28 | *FIKE, Capstone Church*, 3:30 p.m., Contact Person-Pastor Kenny

May 4 | *Congregational Meeting* to elect a pulpit committee.

June 16-20 | *Vacation Bible School*, More details to come.

WORSHIP FLOWERS | The Worship Service Flower Calendar is located in the hallway behind the Sanctuary. Contact Marianna Nowell (864-350-4923) with the details to put into the bulletin.

Fairview Note Cards are available in the parlor behind the sanctuary. \$5 per box, See Roxanne Peden

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.

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