



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

September 21, 2025

WESTMINSTER CHIMES

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE

INTROIT | *Ye Servants of God*, # 17, vs. 1, 4

Ye servants of God, your master proclaim, and
publish abroad His wonderful name; the name, all
victorious, of Jesus extol: His kingdom is glorious, He
rules over all.

Then let us adore, and give Him His right – all glory
and pow'r, all wisdom and might, all honor and
blessing, with angels above, and thanks never
ceasing, and infinite love.

CALL TO WORSHIP | *Psalms 138:1-6* ESV

I give you thanks, O LORD, with my whole heart;
before the gods I sing your praise; I bow down
toward your holy temple and give thanks to your
name for your steadfast love and your faithfulness,
for you have exalted above all things your name and
your word. On the day I called, you answered me; my
strength of soul you increased. All the kings of the
earth shall give you thanks, O LORD, for they have
heard the words of your mouth, and they shall sing of
the ways of the LORD, for great is the glory of the
LORD. For though the LORD is high, he regards the
lowly, but the haughty he knows from afar.

*HYMN OF ADORATION | *To God Be the Glory*, # 66

*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.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM | Jacqueline Eden
Benninger, Daughter of Bobby and Katie Benninger

CORPORATE PRAYER OF CONFESSION |

O Most Merciful Father, we confess how prone our hearts are to wander away from you. In your seeking love you stooped down to save us from our sad and sinful state, to rescue us from the hell we deserve and you chose us to belong to you. Though we were dead in our trespasses and sin, you made us alive together with Christ. By grace you called us to life in you and gave us the faith and strength to obey that call and run to you for relief from all our sin and shame. But Lord we are foolish, hard-headed, and hard-hearted sheep who easily stray from you. Instead of trembling in awe and wonder that you would choose us to be your people, we have taken your love for granted and pursued our sinful desires. We ignore you and your life-giving Word. We long not for you but for the things you can give us. Our hearts are set firmly on things that will rust, break, decay, and die, instead of being devoted to the one who loved us and gave himself for us. Come, O Lord, and stir our hearts. Let us love You and hasten to your side. In Jesus' name, Amen.

SILENT CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDONING GRACE | *Joel 2:12-13* ESV

“Yet even now,” declares the LORD, “return to me with all your heart, with fasting, with weeping, and with mourning; and rend your hearts and not your garments.” Return to the LORD your God, for he is gracious and merciful, slow to anger, and abounding in steadfast love; and he relents over disaster.

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

ANTHEM | *Come, Christians, Join to Sing* arr. Curry

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 | *There's a Wideness in
God's Mercy, # 68*

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 | *Jonah 1:1-3*

SERMON SERIES | *Jonah: Runaway Prophet, Relentless
God*

SERMON TITLE | *Wrong Way*

Rev. Kenneth Collins Maple

HYMN OF RESPONSE | *A Charge to Keep I Have,
448*

*BENEDICTION

*THREEFOLD AMEN # 628 IV

POSTLUDE

Pianist-Robyn Davenport

TODAY

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

Nursery (age 0-3.5) | Volunteers

Preschool (3.5-5) | Janet Ford, Britni Maple, Lynn
McCarter, Tammy Teal

Elementary (6-9) | Marna Costanzo, William
Davenport

Preteen and Teenagers | Thomas Tripp

Fellowship Class | Kenny Maple, Andrew La Croix
Covenant Class | Dan Nowell, Richard Peden

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

WORSHIP FLOWERS | The flowers have been placed in the sanctuary today to the glory of God and in celebration of Anna La Croix's 4th birthday.

Fall Festival Trunk or Treat Sign-Up Sheet to provide a trunk on October 25th is in the back of the sanctuary.

WIC Pal Program | The Pal program is to help the women at Fairview get to know their sisters in Christ better. Women and girls 12 and up just need to sign-up on the list in the back of the church by September 28. You will be assigned a buddy for the year, then it is up to each pair of ladies how they would like to encourage and get to know each other better. Contact Person - Laura Nowell Everette 864-350-5957

THIS WEEK

September 23 | *Pickle Ball*, 6:30 p.m., FLC

September 24 | *Table Talk*-Classes for all ages, prayer, and dinner. Please sign-up in advance each week for meal.

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND EVENTS

September 28 | *Fourth Sunday Evening Worship*, 5:00 p.m.

September 29 | *FIKE* at Capstone Church, 3:30 p.m.

October 25 | *Fall Festival*, 4:00 - 6:00 p.m., Trunk-or-Treat, games, hay rides, and food.

ELDER OF THE MONTH | Preston Garrett
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DEACON OF THE MONTH | Bobby Benninger
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MISSIONARIES OF THE MONTH | Brian Howard
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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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