Morning Service
May 29, 2022 • 11:00 a.m.

Gathering Together to Worship God

Ringing of the Bell		Emilie Greer
Prelude		Children's Handbells
Acolyte		Wyatt Rose
Welcome & Invocation		Dr. Thomas DeVenny

Calling to Worship the Living God with Praise

*Hymn #3	"*Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty*"	Congregation
*Doxology #815		Congregation
*Offertory Prayer		
Special Music	"*My Worth is Not in What I Own*"	arr. Getty, Kendrick Miranda White, soloist
Children's Reflection		Ni O'Brien

Confessing Our Sins to God

The Lord's Prayer		
*Hymn #563	"*Open My Eyes That I May See*"	Congregation
Morning Prayer		Al McAbee

Proclaiming the Good News

Scripture Reading		Hebrews 12:1-2, Romans 14:1, 7-9 Pew Bible pp. 1052 and 988
Sermon	**"The Cloud of Witnesses"**	**Dr. Thomas DeVenny**

Responding to God

*Hymn #571	"*Trust and Obey*"	Congregation

Sending Out Into the World

*Benediction		Dr. Thomas DeVenny
*Hymn #393	"*Breathe on Me, Breath of God*"	Congregation
Ringing of the Bell		Emilie Greer

Please stand if you are able.

Announcements

THANK YOU DR. DEVENNY
We appreciate you Dr. DeVenny. Thank you for sharing God's Word with us today.

MEMORIAL DAY
The Church office will be closed *TOMORROW*, **Monday, May 30**, for the Memorial Day Holiday.

DEACONS MEETING
NEXT **Sunday, June 5**, 12:15 p.m. in the Howard Room.

MEN ON MISSION • HARVEST HOPE & PERC
Volunteers are needed, **10:00 a.m. to noon, every 2nd Wednesday,** for the pick-up from Harvest Hope and delivery to PERC. **June 8,** is the next opportunity. Please contact the Church office, to volunteer.

WOMEN ON MISSION • BACKPACK PROGRAM
Current needs are: Juice Boxes, Granola Bars/Pop Tarts/Cereal, Applesauce/Mixed Fruit, Pudding/Fruit Cups, Oatmeal and Grits.******No items with nuts of any kind.******

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WOMEN'S MINISTRY GROUPS:

CIRCLE OF LOVE • June 1 – All ladies are invited to join our Circle of Love-Group 4 at **11:00 a.m., 1st Wednesdays,** in the Howard Room.

JOYFUL QUILTERS • June 11 – Come quilt with us Saturday, **9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m**. All skill levels welcome!

CIRCLE OF JOY STUDY • June 14 – Join our study for women of all ages **Tuesday, 6:15-7:30 p.m.**

Upcoming Events

POST ACUTE DEVOTIONAL SERVICE
June 19 • The Outreach Team is hosting a singing and devotional service, **2:00-2:30 p.m.,** at the Piedmont Post Acute assisted living facility (formerly known as Southern Oaks) on the **3rd Sunday of each month**. Plan to arrive at 1:30 p.m. Please contact George O'Brien, Outreach Team Leader, with questions.

Classes

***"FROM THE START"* FOUNDATIONS CLASS**
EVERY SUNDAY • We have room for you to join us at **10:00 a.m.** Foundations is a Bible study guide designed for new believers *AND* for those who wish to learn OR enjoy a good review of the basics of the Bible. We will learn to search the Scriptures and establish a strong Biblical foundation for our faith through twelve chapters.

THE PROCESS FOR MAKING DISCIPLES
June 7 • All are welcome to join our **1st Tuesday** monthly study on God's process for making disciples **Tuesday, 6:15-7:15 p.m.** Please contact Pastor Ron with questions.

Church Schedule

Sunday

Nursery *TODAY*	Gloria McAbee
Prayer Time: Howard Room	9:30 a.m.
"Nick of Time" Hospitality Cart	9:45 a.m.
Sunday School	10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship	11:00 a.m.
Children's Church: except 1st Sunday	11:30 a.m.
Lord's Supper: 2nd month in quarter, 2nd Sunday	11:00 a.m.
5th Sunday Evening Service *(next service: July 31, 2022)*	6:00 p.m.

Wednesday

Children & Youth Snack Meal	6:15 p.m.
Children & Youth Bible Study	6:45 p.m.
Mission Friends: Morgan Building	6:45 p.m.
Prayer Meeting & Bible Study	6:45 p.m.
Business Meeting after 1st Sunday (***each*** month)	6:45 p.m.
Adult Choir Rehearsal	7:45 p.m.

Women on Mission

General Meeting, Wednesday after 2nd Sunday (***odd*** months)	6:45 p.m.
Circle of Love: 1st Wednesdays, Howard Room	11:00 a.m.
Circle Group 5 (postponed until further notice)	
Circle of Joy Study: 2nd & 4th Tuesdays	6:15 p.m.
Joyful Quilters: 2nd & 4th Saturdays	9:00 a.m.

Men on Mission

General Meeting, Wednesday after 2nd Sunday (***even*** months)	6:45 p.m.

Discipleship & Spiritual Renewal

The Process for Making Disciples: 1st Tuesdays, Howard Rm	6:15 p.m.
Spiritual Renewal Forum: 3rd Tuesdays, Howard Room	6:15 p.m.

Board of Deacons

Deacons' Meeting: Sunday, June 5	12:15 p.m.
Deacon of the Month-May:	Kenneth Selfridge

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Prayer List

Foothills Presbyterian: Hazel Allen
The Springs at Simpsonville: Von Gambrell
Piedmont Post Acute (Southern Oaks): *Residents and Staff
Service Personnel: Jon McCann
Lee Allen, Sarah Allen, *Loretta Ayers family, *Christopher Browning, *Beth Buchanan, *Jacob Cobb, Shelia Comer, Lewis Cowart, *Tammy Davis, Maxie Freeman, Jeff Garrison, Jerry Hooper, *David Lawless, Judy League, Shery Nelms, *Shirley Poston, *Marion Rallis, *Patricia Roberts, *Donna Roper, Evelyn Roper, Ann Rousseau, Jane Satterfield, Theresa Scott, *Beverly Traynham, Betty Tucker, *Mark Warren *****Indicates non-member

Weekly Offering Report
Received Last Week…… $ 1,069.40
Budget Requirement Weekly… $ 3,688.06

General Church Officers

……..……..Sunday School Director
Edd Hiott……..…..……Men on Mission Director
Sherry Rallis……..……..……Women on Mission Director
……..……..Church Clerk
Dixie Caulder…….……..…..Associate Church Clerk
Tiffany Lister…….……..……Church Hostess
Gloria McAbee…….……..……..Benevolence Hostess

Committee Contacts

Benevolence: Sarah Allen
Building Maintenance: George O'Brien
Children's Church: Crystal Selfridge
Equipment Maintenance:
Flowers: Melissa McMahan
Grounds: Edd Hiott
Finance: George O'Brien
Holiday Décor: Tiffany Lister
Music: George O'Brien
Newsletter: Crystal Selfridge • Sherry Rallis
Outreach Team: George O'Brien
Personnel:
Ushers: Edd Hiott • Gerald Caraway

Board of Deacons

2021-2022	2022-2023
Lewis Cowart	Brian Few
Robert Elrod	Crystal Selfridge
Jeff Garrison	Kenneth Selfridge

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