

# THE LORD'S DAY

JULY 24, 2016  
11:00 a.m.

**PRELUDE** *The Church's One Foundation* arr. Callahan

## CALL TO WORSHIP

**\*\*HYMN OF PRAISE** "Rejoice, All Ye Believers" #320

## \*\*INVOCATION

**\*\*CONFESSION OF FAITH:** The Heidelberg Catechism

**Pastor: What is required in the ninth commandment?**

People: I must not give false testimony against anyone, twist no one's words, not gossip or slander, nor condemn or join in condemning anyone rashly and unheard. Rather, I must avoid all lying and deceit as the devil's own works, under penalty of God's heavy wrath. In court and everywhere else, I must love the truth, speak and confess it honestly, and do what I can to defend and promote my neighbour's honour and reputation.

**\*HYMN OF RESPONSE** "Arise, My Soul, Arise" #305

**PRAYER** Rev. Marc Harrington

## WELCOME

*(Please sign the registration pad with complete address)*

## THE GIVING OF GOD'S TITHES AND YOUR OFFERINGS

**OFFERTORY** *Come Thou Fount* arr. Berry

**\*DOXOLOGY** #731

## \*THE OFFERTORY PRAYER

**PSALTER READING** Psalm 15 p. 787

**ANTHEM** *Eternal Father, Strong to Save* arr. Scott

Eternal Father, strong to save, whose arm doth bind the restless wave,  
Who bidd'st the mighty ocean deep its own appointed limits keep:  
O hear us when we cry to Thee for those in peril on the sea.

O Savior, whose almighty word the winds and waves submissive heard,  
Who walkedst on the foaming deep and calm amid its rage didst sleep:  
O hear us when we cry to Thee for those in peril on the sea.

O Sacred Spirit, who didst brood upon the chaos dark and rude,  
Who badd'st its angry tumult cease, and gavest light and life and peace:  
O hear us when we cry to Thee for those in peril on the sea.

Oh Trinity of love and power, our brethren shield in danger's hour,  
From rock and tempest, fire and foe, protect them where-so-e'er they go,  
Thus ever let there rise to Thee glad hymns of praise from land and sea.  
Amen, Amen.

**\*HYMN OF PREPARATION** "Come, Thou Almighty King" #101  
*(Children K4-1st grade dismissed to children's church.)*

**SCRIPTURE** Revelation 1:4-8

**SERMON** "Jesus' Church Revealed: A Kingdom of Priests" Rev. David Hall

**\*HYMN OF AFFIRMATION** "The Mighty God, the Lord" #316

**\*BENEDICTION** *(Please remain for the Benedictory Response.)*

**\*BENEDICTORY RESPONSE** Gloria Patri Greatorex  
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.

**POSTLUDE** *Marching to Zion* arr. Young

**GREETING** Please extend a cordial welcome to visitors and regular attendees.

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\*Congregation please stand  
\*\*Deacons will seat late arrivals

*The flowers are given today in honor of all the women who assisted in the care of our Wife and Mother, Julie Knox, and to those who continue to help serve and love Leah, as Christian Moms do. You know who you are, and we are thankful indeed.  
Ed and Leah Knox*

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**COMBINED SUMMER SUNDAY SCHOOL** Join us in the Fellowship Hall at 9:30 a.m. for doughnuts, followed by a study of "The Life-Giving Effects of the Law" at 9:45 a.m. taught by Pastor Hall.

**MIDWAY LADIES CHOIR** will begin rehearsals this Wednesday, July 27, 7:00 p.m. in the choir rehearsal room. Rehearsals will be every Wednesday through August 24, and we will sing for every Sunday morning worship service in August. If you would like to sing with us, and can be in attendance at MOST rehearsals and Sunday mornings, we would love to have you! Please contact me if you have any questions, 770-422-4974, ext. 106, judy.dodd@midwaypca.org.

**WEDNESDAY NIGHT BIBLE STUDY** -- Join us Wednesday at 7:00 pm in the fellowship hall for our summer study of Proverbs for Family Living followed by an ice cream social. We will continue the study through the month of July. This week Mr. Andrew Hall will teach on "Money and Family".

**A NEW MEMBERS CLASS** will begin on Sunday, August 7<sup>th</sup> at 9:45 a.m. in the Ralph Scott Class. See the bulletin insert to sign up.

**PRAYER GROUP AND ADULT CHOIR** - will meet Wednesday at 7:00 p.m.

**MIDWAY COVENANT CHRISTIAN SCHOOL** is accepting student applications for openings in K3 through 8th grade (3rd and 6th are full). Visit the website at [www.midwayschool.org](http://www.midwayschool.org) or call the office for more information at 770-590-1866.

**MEN'S BIBLE STUDY** (contact [marc.harrington@midwaypca.org](mailto:marc.harrington@midwaypca.org))

- Pastor Hall's Thursday study meets at 12:00 in the Harvester class room.
- Mr. Mic Knox's study meets every other Monday at 5:00 a.m. at the YMCA. Membership to the Y is not required to attend the Bible study. They will meet again on Monday, July 25<sup>th</sup>.

**YOUTH NEWS** (contact [ben.thomas@midwaypca.org](mailto:ben.thomas@midwaypca.org))

- Wednesday night youth group will be in the Youth Assembly Room at 7pm. Please join us as we study ancient heresies in the modern age.
- Homerun tonight at Jimmy & Katie Cooper's

**CHILDREN'S MINISTRY** (contact [brad.winsted@midwaypca.org](mailto:brad.winsted@midwaypca.org))

- Sunday School begins at 9:45 a.m. in the music room of the School, followed by Sunday School classes for all ages. Each Worship Service has a "Children's Church" for K4 to 1<sup>st</sup> graders.
- Wednesday night activities at 7:00 p.m. We will be working through the "fruits of the spirit" taken from Galatians; snacks provided.
- This Tuesday, July 26<sup>th</sup> is our final Terrific Tuesday at 10:00 a.m. at the Cooper's Pool, a snack will be provided. A parent must accompany all children under 10 years old.

## NURSERY NEWS

Those interested in serving in the nursery or special care ministries, contact Jennifer Nichols – [nursery@midwaypca.org](mailto:nursery@midwaypca.org)

### **THOSE SERVING, Sunday, July 24<sup>th</sup>**

**9:35** Ann Kistner, Carol DeMar, Karen & Dan Widner  
**10:45** Libby & Mattie Hankal, Gloria Knight, Bethany Adams, Claire & Rachel Howard  
**5:50** Becky Lewis, Gisela Bockle

### **THOSE SERVING, Sunday, July 31<sup>st</sup>**

**9:35** Shelley Remington, Jamie Ross, Diane Armstrong  
**10:45** Luci Galloway, Caleb & Andrew Galloway, Terri Kayler, Rochelle LePor, Debbie Raessler  
**5:50** Nancy Pritchett, Kim Jones

**Sunday, July 24<sup>th</sup>** **SPECIAL CARE MINISTRY**  
**Sunday, July 31<sup>st</sup>** Phil Dudt, Alex Whitaker  
 Evanda Remington

**CHILDREN'S CHURCH**  
 (contact [brad.winsted@midwaypca.org](mailto:brad.winsted@midwaypca.org))

**Sunday, July 24<sup>th</sup>** **A.M. Service** Sarah McKinney, Sarah Vincenzi  
**Sunday, July 31<sup>st</sup>** **A.M. Service** Mike Clark, Lisa Henson

**Sunday, July 24<sup>th</sup>** **P.M. Service** Diane Armstrong  
**Sunday, July 31<sup>st</sup>** **P.M. Service** Gisela Bockle

**Congregational Prayer Needs:** Dottie Rooker, Jerry Hobbs, Judy Allen, Sandy Boyd, Charlie Waters, Ava Nunn, Clay David, Shirley Holcomb, Dianne Guy  
**Our expectant families:** Bradley & Rachael (Redwine) Adams, Max & Allie Thelen, Jimmy & Katie Cooper, Ben & Heidi Thomas  
**Our Military Personnel:** Doug Hayes, Nate Forrester, Wiley Pritchett, John S. Tilley, Bradley Winsted and Samuel Winsted, William Vogh, Brady Pritchett, Greg Hawley, Mae Eister, David Hugh Howell, Keller Frankland, Jacob Robinson, Johnnie and Ruth (Winsted) Felker, Brent Henson, Payne Underwood  
**Midway Covenant Christian School**  
**Missionary of the Month:** Pat Wood, PEF, Freedom Ministries  
**Church of the Week:** Cherokee Presbyterian Church - Canton

<b>SUNDAY SCHOOL - 9:45 a.m.</b>		
<b>Adult, College &amp; High School</b>		
Combined Summer Class - studying "The Life-Giving Effects of the Law" taught by Pastor David Hall		
<b>Children</b> (classes are under the 1987 sanctuary)		
	4-5 <sup>th</sup> grade	A5
	2 <sup>nd</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> grade	A6
Middle school	Youth Assembly Room	1 <sup>st</sup> grade
Infant-3 yr. old	Nursery	K4 & K5
		A2
		A1

**MIDWAY OFFICERS**

*Active Ruling Elders*

Class of 2016: Ernie Hawley, Bill Knight, Wes Richardson, Bob Whitaker  
 Class of 2018: Clay David, Scott Keese, James Scott, Jim Wolff  
 Class of 2020: Don Barnett, John Garmon, Rodney Pritchett, Jeff Talley

*Active Deacons*

Class of 2016: Steve Bell, Matt Ross, Brian Washington  
 Class of 2017: Cliff Miller, Harris Robinson, Phil Schrock, Kevin Thomas, Chris Vincenzi  
 Class of 2018: Greg Bartlett, Dan Crouse, Hugh Lewis, Brady Pritchett

**EVENING WORSHIP**  
 July 24, 2016  
 6:00 PM

**PRELUDE**

**CALL TO WORSHIP**

**\*HYMN OF PRAISE** "Hail the Day That Sees Him Rise" #290

**\*INVOCATION**

**\*PSALM OF PRAISE** Psalms for Worship, 145C

**PRAYER**

**RESPONSIVE READING** Psalm 107:1-22 p. 824

**\*HYMN OF PREPARATION** "Crown Him with Many Crowns" #295  
 (Children dismissed)

**SCRIPTURE READING** Luke 17:11-19

**SERMON** "Giving Thanks" Rev. Marc Harrington

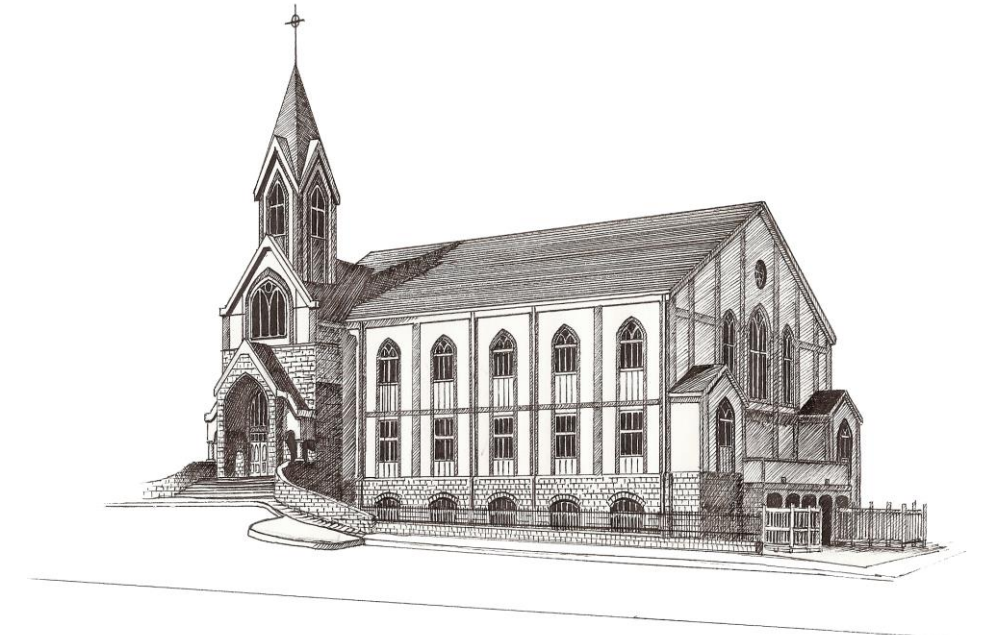
**\*HYMN OF AFFIRMATION** "Now Thank We All Our God" #98

**BENEDICTION**

**POSTLUDE**

**THE LORD'S DAY**

JULY 24, 2016



**MIDWAY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

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 REV. MARC HARRINGTON, ASSISTANT PASTOR  
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 REV. TODD ALLEN, PASTOR EMERITUS

Founded in 1850, Midway Church is a congregation of the Presbyterian Church in America (PCA), a Reformed, evangelical denomination organized in 1973. Our church seeks to be Scriptural in both its government and its doctrine. We believe the Bible is the inerrant Word of God, our infallible and divine authority in all matters of life and faith.

"Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners."

1 Timothy 1:15