

THE LORD'S DAY

NOVEMBER 19, 2017
11:00 a.m.

PRELUDE *Elegy* Ball

CALL TO WORSHIP

****HYMN OF PRAISE** "All Praise to God, Who Reigns Above" #4

**INVOCATION

****CONFESSION 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.

***HYMN OF RESPONSE** "Before Jehovah's Awesome Throne" #65

PRAYER

WELCOME

(Please sign the registration pad with complete address)

THE GIVING OF GOD'S TITHES AND YOUR OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY *We Gather Together* arr. Wood

***DOXOLOGY** #731

*THE OFFERTORY PRAYER

PSALTER READING Psalm 20 p. 790

ANTHEM *Thank the Lord* arr. Clausen

Thank the Lord and sing his praise. Tell everyone what He has done.
Let every man who loves the Lord rejoice and gladly bear His name.
He recalls His promises and leads His people forth in joy
with shouts of thanksgiving, Alleluia, Alleluia!

***HYMN OF PREPARATION** "Lord, with Glowing Heart I'd Praise Thee" #80
(Children K4-1st grade dismissed to children's church.)

SCRIPTURE Joshua 9:3-15

SERMON "Overcome by Appearances" Rev. Marc Harrington

***HYMN OF AFFIRMATION** "Lead On, O King Eternal" #580

***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 *Crown Imperial March* Walton

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

*Congregation please stand
**Deacons will seat late arrivals

Please join us for our Thanksgiving Eve Service
at 7:00 p.m.
in the 2009 Sanctuary
on Wednesday, November 22nd.

There will be no dinner or other studies that night.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

We extend our Christian love and sympathy to Adrienne Knox and family upon the death of her father.

CONGREGATIONAL MEETING – A congregational meeting to elect deacons for the class of 2021 (deacons only) will follow the morning worship service on December 10th.

COVENANT CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS ORNAMENTS - To place your order, please complete the sign-up sheet found on the WIC Table in the main hallway, and leave an envelope with \$3 and a photo no larger than 2"x3". Deadline is November 26th. Contact Calli Pritchett at 770-841-6065 with any questions.

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD shoebox brochures are available at the children's area downstairs and at the church office. Boxes may be dropped off at Midway Covenant Christian School by November 17th.

OFFERING ENVELOPES – If you would like to receive preprinted envelopes, please sign up on the table in the back of the sanctuary. If you have already signed up, please pick up your envelopes at this same table.

COLLEGE AND CAREER BIBLE STUDY (contact david.barry@midwaypca.org)

- This study is for college-age through early 30s and is held every other week at 7:30 PM at David and Katie Barry's home. The next meeting will be Tuesday, Nov. 28th.

YOUTH NEWS (contact ronny.hull@midwaypca.org)

- High School Girls Bible Study - Monday, 7:00 PM @ Katie Cooper's home
- Middle School Guys Bible Study - Sunday, 5:00 PM @ Midway in the Pavilion.
- NO Wednesday Night Youth Group
- NO High School Guys Bible Study
- High School Progressive Dinner, Dec. 9th.

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY (nursery available for Bible Studies held at church)

- The Ladies Weekly Tuesday Morning Bible Study has concluded their study this year. We will resume our regular weekly schedule in mid-January with a new course of study. Contact Sandra Westerfield 770-427-2336
- Ruth Circle meets monthly and is studying the Nancy Guthrie series about seeing Jesus in the Old Testament. This study is "The Word of the Lord: Seeing Jesus in the Prophets." Contact Ann Tippins 770-427-3607.

MEN'S BIBLE STUDY (contact marc.harrington@midwaypca.org)

- Pastor Harrington's Wednesday study 7:00 a.m. at the Daily Grind
- Pastor Hall's Thursday study on Genesis meets at 12:00 in the Harvester class room.

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY (contact 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 1st graders.
- Kid's Club Wednesday at 6:25 p.m.

Wednesday Fellowship Dinner

No Dinner this week!

NURSERY NEWS

Those interested in serving in the nursery, contact Jennifer Nichols – nursery@midwaypca.org

THOSE SERVING, Sunday, Nov. 19th

9:35 Georgia Williams Ann Kistner, Judy Mazzeo
10:45 Susanne Worley Sarah Vincenzi, Jackson & Reagan Fair, Patti Brandenburg, Kristi Collett
5:50 Aniston & Trevor Stevens, Faye Hood

THOSE SERVING, Sunday, Nov. 26th

9:35 Kim Washington, Sarah McKinney, Carol DeMar, Melanie Adams
10:45 Lucy Todd, Stacie Redwine, Olivia & Leah Redwine, Hannah Livingston
5:50 Jasmine, Hannah & Olivia Adams, Becky Lewis

SPECIAL CARE MINISTRY

Those interested in serving in the special care ministries, contact Bobbi Mitchell – special.care@midwaypca.org

Sunday, Nov. 19th Hannah & John Livingston
Sunday, Nov. 26th Mark Eister

CHILDREN’S CHURCH

(contact brad.winsted@midwaypca.org)

Sunday, Nov. 19th **A.M. Service** Mike & Heather Clark
Sunday, Nov. 26th **A.M. Service** Mattie Grace Hankal

Congregational Prayer Needs: Dottie Rooker, Jerry Hobbs, Judy Allen, Sandy Boyd, Charlie Waters, Ava Nunn, Fred Warren, Wilson Smith, Robin Hood, Leon Combs, Jerry Blades, Sandy Burton

Our expectant families: Christian & Rebecca Michelson, Shelley & Evanda Remington, Devon & Sean Duneheew, Jacob & Carissa Robinson, Breanna (Robinson) & Asher Johnson

Our Military Personnel: Nate Forrester, Wiley Pritchett, John S. Tilley, Bradley Winsted and Samuel Winsted, William Vogh, Brady Pritchett, Greg Hawley, David Hugh Howell, Keller Frankland, Jacob Robinson, Johnnie & Ruth (Winsted) Felker, Brent Henson, Payne Underwood, Tabatha Nicholson

Midway Covenant Christian School

Missionaries of the Month: Jonah & Jennifer - Middle East, Kevin & Maria Bidwell – EPCEW, United Kingdom, Wes & Kelly Calton – RUF, Kennesaw State University

Church of the Week: Grace Covenant Presbyterian Church - Dallas

SUNDAY SCHOOL - 9:45 a.m.

Adult					
Class	Subject of Study	Location	Class	Subject of Study	Location
Explorers	Colossians	FH	Fellowship	Acts	FH
Grace	James	FH (Middle)	Harvester	1 & 2 Peter	FH
Women	Paul’s Letters	FH			
College		FH	Children (classes are under the 1987 sanctuary)		
Youth			4-5 th grade		A5
High school	Youth Assembly Room		2 nd & 3 rd grade		A6
Middle school	FH		1 st grade		A2
Infant-3 yr. old	Nursery		K4 & K5		A1

MIDWAY OFFICERS

Active Ruling Elders

Class of 2018: Clay David, Scott Keese, James Scott, Jim Wolff
 Class of 2020: Don Barnett, John Garmon, Rodney Pritchett, Jeff Talley
 Class of 2022: Phil Dudt, Ernie Hawley, Wes Richardson, Bob Whitaker

Active Deacons

Class of 2017: Cliff Miller, Harris Robinson, Phil Schrock, Chris Vincenzi
 Class of 2018: Greg Bartlett, Dan Crouse, Brady Pritchett, Ryan Zumbum
 Class of 2020: Brian Adams, Rick Griffin, John Livingston, Sammy Mitchell, Evanda Remington

EVENING WORSHIP

November 19, 2017
 6:00 PM

PRELUDE

CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 22:1-2; 19-21

***PSALM OF PRAISE**

Psalms for Worship, 22B

***INVOCATION**

HYMN OF PRAISE

“How Sweet and Awesome Is the Place” #469

OLD TESTAMENT READING

Psalm 56:8-9

You have kept count of my tossings; put my tears in your bottle. Are they not in your book? Then my enemies will turn back in the day when I call. This I know, that God is for me.

PRAYER

HYMN OF PREPARATION

“All Creatures of Our God and King” #115

(Children dismissed)

SCRIPTURE READING

2 Corinthians 1:3-11

Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of mercies and God of all comfort, who comforts us in all our affliction, so that we may be able to comfort those who are in any affliction, with the comfort with which we ourselves are comforted by God. For as we share abundantly in Christ’s sufferings, so through Christ we share abundantly in comfort too. If we are afflicted, it is for your comfort and salvation; and if we are comforted, it is for your comfort, which you experience when you patiently endure the same sufferings that we suffer. Our hope for you is unshaken, for we know that as you share in our sufferings, you will also share in our comfort.

For we do not want you to be unaware, brothers, of the affliction we experienced in Asia. For we were so utterly burdened beyond our strength that we despaired of life itself. Indeed, we felt that we had received the sentence of death. But that was to make us rely not on ourselves but on God who raises the dead. He delivered us from such a deadly peril, and he will deliver us. On him we have set our hope that he will deliver us again. You also must help us by prayer, so that many will give thanks on our behalf for the blessing granted us through the prayers of many.

SERMON

“Going Public: Midway’s; IPO to West Cobb” (Part 3) Rev. Mic Knox

***HYMN OF AFFIRMATION**

“To God Be the Glory” #55

BENEDICTION

Numbers 6:24-26

POSTLUDE

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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.”