

# THE LORD'S DAY

OCTOBER 28, 2018  
11:00 a.m.

**PRELUDE** *O Word of God Incarnate* Clarke

## CALL TO WORSHIP

**\*\*HYMN OF PRAISE** "Blow Ye the Trumpet, Blow!" #474

## \*INVOCATION

**\*\* CONFESSION OF FAITH:** The Nicene Creed

I Believe in one God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, And of all things visible and invisible: And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God; Begotten of his Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, Very God of very God; Begotten, not made; Being of one substance with the Father; By whom all things were made: Who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven, And was incarnate by the Holy Ghost of the Virgin Mary, And was made man: And was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate; He suffered and was buried: And the third day he rose again according to the Scriptures: And ascended into heaven. And sitteth on the right hand of the Father: And He shall come again, with glory, to judge both the quick and the dead; Whose kingdom shall have no end. And I believe in the Holy Ghost, The Lord, and Giver of Life, Who proceedeth from the Father and the Son; Who with the Father and the Son together is worshipped and glorified; Who spoke by the Prophets: And I believe in one catholic and apostolic Church: I Acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins: And I look for the Resurrection of the dead: And the Life of the world to come. Amen.

**HYMN OF PRAISE** "O the Deep, Deep Love of Jesus!" #535

**PRAYER** Rev. Mic Knox

## WELCOME

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

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

## OFFERTORY

**\*DOXOLOGY** #731

## \*THE OFFERTORY PRAYER

**PSALTER READING** Psalm 15 p. 787

**ANTHEM** *From All that Dwell Below the Skies* G. Young

From all that dwell below the skies let the Creator's praise arise:  
Let the Redeemer's Name be sung through every land, by every tongue.

Eternal are Thy mercies, Lord; Eternal truth attends Thy word:  
Thy praise shall sound from shore to shore, 'til suns shall rise and set no more.

From all that dwell below the skies, let the Creator's praise arise:  
Let the Redeemer's Name be sung through every land, by every tongue.

**\*HYMN OF PREPARATION** "Thy Works, Not Mine, O Christ" #524  
*(Children K4-1st grade dismissed to children's church.)*

**SCRIPTURE** Hebrews 7:11-28

**SERMON** "The Superior Priesthood of Christ: And Why" Rev. David Hall

**\*HYMN OF AFFIRMATION** "Jesus Paid It All" #308

**\*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** *Concerto in A Minor I* Bach/Vivaldi

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

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

*We extend our Christian love and sympathy to Joan Jordan and family on the loss of her father, Kenneth McLeod, Jr.*

*We join Wiley & Alexis Pritchett in praising the Lord for the birth of their daughter, Katherine Victoria Pritchett on October 25<sup>th</sup>. Katherine Victoria is the granddaughter of Paul & Tori Fish and Rodney & Nancy Pritchett.*

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**HURRICANE RELIEF** – A special collection will be taken at the conclusion of the morning worship service for victims of Hurricanes Florence and Michael. These funds will be used for assessment, mobilization, relief grants for flooded PCA families and churches, to help meet insurance deductibles, to purchase needed supplies and equipment and to setup and operate flood recovery sites. This offering will be distributed through the PCA agency of Mission to North America. There will be no fees for services with 100% of all donations going to meet the needs stated above. Checks may be made out to Midway Presbyterian Church with "Hurricane Relief" on the reference line.

**UPWARD BASKETBALL AND CHEER** – Students K-5 – 6<sup>th</sup> grade interested in participating in Upward Basketball or Cheer can register through the Upward link on the church website at [www.midwaypca.org](http://www.midwaypca.org) or the school website at [www.midwayschool.org](http://www.midwayschool.org). Registration will close on October 29<sup>th</sup>. Coaches are still needed for K-5, 3/4<sup>th</sup> and 5/6<sup>th</sup> grade teams. Please contact Alex Thomason at [alex.thomason@midwayschool.org](mailto:alex.thomason@midwayschool.org) to volunteer or for more information.

**REFORMATION DAY PARTY** - Wednesday, October 31<sup>st</sup> at 5:30 p.m. This church-wide event will include a costume contest for all ages, dinner, games, candy, and lots of family fun. Plus, we will be having one serious tug-of-war contest! This is also a great opportunity to invite friends and neighbors that don't attend Midway. Please keep an eye out for volunteer sign-up sheets in your Sunday school classes. Contact Ken Rolston, with any questions at [ken.rolston@midwaypca.org](mailto:ken.rolston@midwaypca.org).

**BRIDAL SHOWER** – All Midway ladies are invited to attend a bridal shower for Katie Roney, fiancée to Jack MacGregor, on Saturday, November 3<sup>rd</sup> at 2:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. Jack and Katie are registered at Target, Amazon and Anthropologie.

**VETERANS DAY CHAPEL**- Midway Covenant Christian School wishes to extend a special invitation for Veterans to attend our annual Veterans Day Chapel on Friday, November 9<sup>th</sup> at 8:40 a.m. in the 1987 Sanctuary. Everyone is welcome!

**TEEN PREP** - All parents of 4th-8th graders are invited to the next Teen Prep at David and Ann Hall's house on Friday, November 9<sup>th</sup> from 7:00 – 9:00 p.m. See the September newsletter for more details. If you would like to be on the Evite list contact [fuller.lara@gmail.com](mailto:fuller.lara@gmail.com) or [anniehall0410@gmail.com](mailto:anniehall0410@gmail.com). There will be nursery, children's and middle school programs at church by reservation only and for parents attending only. Bring an appetizer and join us November 9<sup>th</sup>!

**SENIOR SAINTS LUNCHEON** - The Women's Ministry will be hosting a luncheon in honor of our Senior Saints on Tuesday, November 13<sup>th</sup> at 11:30 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall. For more information or to RSVP please contact Calli Pritchett at 770-841-6065 or [womensministry@midwaypca.org](mailto:womensministry@midwaypca.org).

**YOUNG ADULTS BIBLE STUDY** - This study on the book of James is for college-age through mid 30s and is held every other week at Susan Barry's home (1182 Hillside Green Way, Powder Springs 30127). Childcare is provided. Our next study will be Tuesday, October 30<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 p.m. For more information contact [david.barry@midwaypca.org](mailto:david.barry@midwaypca.org).

**COLLEGE BIBLE STUDY** will meet on Monday, October 29<sup>th</sup> at Kennesaw State University at 7:00 p.m. The study is for all college-age students, whether or not they attend KSU. For questions or more information, contact [david.barry@midwaypca.org](mailto:david.barry@midwaypca.org).

**YOUTH NEWS** (contact [ronny.hull@midwaypca.org](mailto:ronny.hull@midwaypca.org))

- High School Home Run tonight, 7:00 – 9:15 p.m. after evening worship service.
- High School Girls Bible study Monday, 7:00 – 8:30 p.m. @ Daily Grind.
- Middle School Guys Bible study Tuesday, 3:15 – 4:30 p.m. Meet @ Midway's coffee bar, and pick up @ Midway's gym.
- High School Guys Bible study Tuesday, 7:30 – 9:00 p.m. @ Daily Grind.
- NO Youth Group Wednesday. Please join us for the Reformation Party at 5:30 p.m.

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

- The Ladies Tuesday Morning Bible Study meets each Tuesday at 10:00 a.m. to study the Book of 1<sup>st</sup> Corinthians taught by Carol Combs. Questions? Contact Sandra Westerfield at [westerfields@bellsouth.net](mailto:westerfields@bellsouth.net)
- Ruth Circle will meet one week earlier than normal in November due to the Thanksgiving holiday. Please join us on Tuesday, November 13<sup>th</sup> at 10:00 a.m. as we begin our new study, "The Lamb of God – Seeing Jesus in Exodus, Leviticus, Numbers & Deuteronomy." Contact Ann Tippins for further information at 770-427-3607 or [atippins@bellsouth.net](mailto:atippins@bellsouth.net).

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

- Pastor Harrington's Bible study - Wednesday, 7:00 a.m. @ Daily Grind
- Pastor Hall's Exodus study – Thursday, Noon @ Harvester Classroom

**CHILDREN'S MINISTRY** (contact [ken.rolston@midwaypca.org](mailto:ken.rolston@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 Kid's Club will not meet this week. Please join us for the Reformation Party at 5:30 p.m.

**WEDNESDAY PRAYER MEETING** – weekly at 7:15 p.m. in the Conference Room

**Wednesday Fellowship Dinner**  
**October 31<sup>st</sup> – 5:30 – 6:15 p.m.**  
Reformation Party Dinner

**NURSERY NEWS**

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

**THOSE SERVING, Sunday, October 28<sup>th</sup>**

- 9:30** Carol DeMar, Ann Hall, Chris Spicer
- 10:45** Reagan & Jackson Fair, Karen & Isabella Parker, Stacie, Leah & Olivia Redwine, Pebbles Shankman, Emily Green
- 5:45** Becky Lewis, Karen Barnett

**THOSE SERVING, Sunday, November 4<sup>th</sup>**

- 9:30** Richard & Cheryl Hill, Jacob & Kallie McGill
- 10:45** Judith Werre, Katie Barry, Annagail & Mary Gatcha, Joan Schneider
- 5:45** Faye Hood, Kim Jones

**SPECIAL CARE MINISTRY**

Those interested in serving in the special care ministries, contact Bobbi Mitchell – [special.care@midwaypca.org](mailto:special.care@midwaypca.org)

- Sunday, October 28<sup>th</sup>** Clay David, Jr., Bobbi Mitchell, Carolyn Boyd
- Sunday, November 4<sup>th</sup>** Evanda Remington, Scott Keesee, Teressa Gowder

**CHILDREN’S CHURCH**

(contact [ken.rolston@midwaypca.org](mailto:ken.rolston@midwaypca.org))

- Sunday, October 28<sup>th</sup>** **A.M. Service** Becky MacGregor
- Sunday, November 4<sup>th</sup>** **A.M. Service** Camille Slayton

**Congregational Prayer Needs:** Jerry Hobbs, Todd & Judy Allen, Sandy Boyd, Charlie Waters, Ava Nunn, Fred Warren, Leon Combs, Karen Barnett, Donna Mills, Boozie Knox, Hugh Lewis

**Our expectant families:** Brian & Melody (Kayler) Montgomery, Christopher & Camille Howard, Brady & Jane Pritchett, John & Hannah Livingston, Calvin & Olivia Williams

**Our Military Personnel:** Nate Forrester, Wiley Pritchett, Bradley Winsted and Samuel Winsted, Brady Pritchett, Greg Hawley, Keller Frankland, Jacob Robinson, Johnnie & Ruth (Winsted) Felker, Brent Henson, Payne Underwood, Tabatha Nicholson, Ian Zeffel, Asher Johnson, Guy Scott, Cameron Smith

**Midway Covenant Christian School**

**Missionaries of the Month:** Bruce & Barbara Wannemacher – MTW, supporting sub-Saharan African missionaries; Becky White – MTW, Taiwan; Vijay Raju – CGM, India; Albert & Jennifer Kona – MTA, Albania

**Church of the Week:** First Presbyterian Church - Summerville

**SUNDAY SCHOOL - 9:45 a.m.**

<b>Adult</b>					
Class	Subject of Study	Location	Class	Subject of Study	Location
Explorers	Genesis	FH	Fellowship	Acts	FH
Grace	Ephesians	FH (Middle)	Harvester	Reading and Understanding Job	FH
<b>Children (classes are under the 1987 sanctuary)</b>					
<b>Youth</b>		4-5 <sup>th</sup> grade			A5
High school	Youth Assembly Room	3 <sup>rd</sup> grade			A6
Middle school	FH	1 <sup>st</sup> & 2 <sup>nd</sup> grade			A2
Infant-3 yr. old	Nursery	K4 & K5			A1

**MIDWAY OFFICERS**

***Active Ruling Elders***

- Class of 2018: Clay David, Scott Keesee, 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 2018: Greg Bartlett, Dan Crouse, Brady Pritchett, Ryan Zumbrum
- Class of 2020: Brian Adams, Rick Griffin, John Livingston, Sammy Mitchell, Evanda Remington
- Class of 2021: Joe Hash, Cliff Miller, Patrick Rockholz, Phil Schrock, Chris Vincenzi

**EVENING WORSHIP**

October 28, 2018  
6:00 p.m.

**PRELUDE**

**CALL TO WORSHIP**

Isaiah 44:6-8

**\*OPENING HYMN** “All Hail the Power of Jesus’ Name!” #296

**\*INVOCATION**

**\*PSALM OF PRAISE** Psalms for Worship, 115A

**PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

**ASSURANCE OF PARDON** Isaiah 43:25  
“I, I am he who blots out your transgressions for my own sake, and I will not remember your sins.”

**RESPONSIVE READING** Psalm 115 p. 827

**PRAYER** Rev. Marc Harrington

**\*PSALM OF PREPARATION** Psalms for Worship, 16C  
(Children dismissed)

**SCRIPTURE** Isaiah 44:9-20

**SERMON** “We Become Like What We Worship” Rev. David Barry

**\*HYMN OF RESPONSE** “My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less” #521

**\*BENEDICTION**

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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.”