

# Summerville Presbyterian Church



**March 3, 2019**  
**8:45 am and 11:15 am Services**



## **WHO WE ARE**

We are a Christ-centered church which values an open and friendly congregation that is dedicated to the spiritual growth of all God's children and is called by God's Spirit to serve our neighbors, locally and globally.

Established 1859    Successor to Old White (Congregational) Church    Founded 1696

Our World Missionaries:

DAN & ELIZABETH TURK – MADAGASCAR • PASTOR MINOR GONZALEZ – COSTA RICA  
OUTREACH FOUNDATION – NEW CHURCH DEVELOPMENT – BRAZIL

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## **TODAY'S...**

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## WORSHIP TEAM

The Rev. Dr. Susie Cashion  
William Bennett, Director of Music  
Sarah Harbison-Coleman, Children's Worship  
Jim Moore, Organist  
Samantha Smith, Liturgist  
Chancel Choir

## VOLUNTEERS

### **Elder in Charge:**

(8:45 am) Daniel Selander  
(11:15 am) Sandra Lindsay

### **Ushers:**

(8:45 am) Barbara Powell, Don Powell, Snapper Jasso, Hayden Jasso  
(11:15 am) Carol Ploth, Betsy Porter, Harl Porter, J.C. Simmons

## SANCTUARY FLOWERS

Today's flowers are given by Jim and Diane Burden, to the glory of God and in honor of Waverly Rose Riddle, their new granddaughter.

## WELCOME

Summerville Presbyterian Church would like to express a warm and cordial welcome to all who are visiting our services today. We have many opportunities for individuals and families to get involved and grow. Through worship, music, fellowship, education and mission, Summerville Presbyterian Church inspires all to use their unique gifts to serve God.

## SESSION

**Connections:** Dawn Hutnik (Chair), Hunter Harris, Sandra Lindsay

**Fellowship:** Harl Porter (Chair), Candace Pratt, Claudia Terranova

**Nurture:** Bill Demerest (Chair), MaryEllen Budd

**Service:** Bill Collins (Chair), John Franks, Joseph Friday

**Spiritual Growth:** Sherry Roberts (Chair),

Sandra Otero-Agosto, Daniel Selander

**Support:** Wilson Bond (Chair), Sam Ferguson, Terry Simpson

**Personnel:** Jeff Bowers (Chair)

**Worship:** Ellen Carney (Chair), Don Powell, Debbie Lindsay

**Clerk of Session:** Joseph Friday

## WORSHIP GUIDES

- **A nursery** is available during worship and Sunday School.
- **"Pew Pals"** (busy bags) are available in the vestibules for children aged preschool – 5<sup>th</sup> grade.
- **A quiet room** is available for nursing mothers and other baby, toddler needs. Ask an usher for directions.

## **LOOKING FOR MORE INFORMATION ABOUT US?**

Visit our website at: [www.spcweb.org](http://www.spcweb.org)



# A SERVICE FOR THE WORSHIP OF GOD

**Welcome** Please sign the Friendship Register and pass it to the person next to you.

**Minute for Mission** Worship Ministry Team Ellen Carney

**Prelude** "At the Name of Jesus" *Ralph V. Williams*

## Invocation

### \*Call to Worship:

Leader: The Word goes forth from the mouth of God.  
Mountains and plains break into singing.

**People: It is good to give thanks to God.  
We will join in songs of gladness and praise.**

Leader: Rain and snow water the earth.  
Life is renewed, and people are fed.

**People: We rejoice in God's abiding faithfulness.  
Let all people declare God's steadfast love.**

Leader: Signs of God's presence are all around us.  
God's purposes will be accomplished among us.

**People: We will flourish like fruitful trees.  
Our work gains meaning as God strengthens us.**

\*Hymn #142 (blue) "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name!" *Oliver Holden*

### \*Prayer of Confession:

**O God, we are sinners, existing in deadening routines. We are afraid of change, reluctant to grow, distressed when our discipleship is challenged. We listen to your Word but do not really hear. Your will is evident to us, but we do not live by it. Our lives are filled with thorns and brambles that we allow to flourish. The good in us cannot bear fruit because it is choked out by weeds. Hear us, O God; we want to change. Amen.**

### \*Silent Prayer

### \*Kyrie Eleison

**Lord, have mercy upon us.  
Christ, have mercy upon us.  
Lord, have mercy upon us.**

### \*Assurance of Pardon

### \*Passing of the Peace:

Pastor: The Lord be with you. **People: And also with you.**

### \*Gloria Patri #579 (blue)

**Children's Time** "My Hands Belong to You" *Weber/Hernandez*

*My hands belong to You, Lord; My hands belong to You. I lift them up to You, Lord, And sing hallelujah. I lift them up to You, Lord, And sing hallelujah.*

**Children's Message** Susan Seay

Following the children's message, children over 3 are invited to exit to attend Children's Worship. Children 3 and under are invited to childcare.

**Old Testament Reading:** Proverbs 31:10-31 Samantha Smith

**Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer**

**\*Gospel Reading:** Luke 9:28-36 Rev. Dr. Cashion

**Sermon:** ***Kairos Moments:  
Seeing Through*** Rev. Dr. Cashion

**\*Hymn #80 (blue)** "Jesus Walked This Lonesome Valley" *American Spiritual*

**Offering Invitation**

**Musical Offering** 8:45 am - "Ciaccona" *Johann Pachelbel*

11:15 am - "Send the Light, This Little Light" *Joseph Martin*

**\*Doxology #592 (blue)**

**\*Offertory Prayer**

**\*Hymn #527 (blue)** "Near to the Heart of God" *Cleland Boyd McAfee*

**\*Charge and Benediction**

**\*Choral Response** "The Lord Bless You and Keep You" *P. Lutkin*

**\*Postlude** "Voluntary" *English 18th century*

*\*Those who are able, please stand*

## **MUSIC**

**William is traveling** to Kansas City MO this morning for the National American Choral Directors Association (ACDA) Conference with 5 students from Cane Bay High School who are performing in the National Honor Choirs. Please pray for safe travels for them!

**Good Friday:** Anyone who would like to sing in the Good Friday Lenten service please contact William Bennett at [summervillepresmusic@gmail.com](mailto:summervillepresmusic@gmail.com). Rehearsals for that service are Wednesday evening from 7:30 - 8:00 pm.

## **NURTURE**

**Caris Healthcare, a hospice agency in West Ashley,** is looking for dedicated volunteers to help in the care of their patients. Volunteering could be as simple as baking a birthday cake, crocheting a prayer shawl, knitting a blanket, or visiting a patient in their home or nursing facility. Please contact Lindsey Asarch, Volunteer Coordinator for Caris Healthcare at 843-402-0614 or at [lasarch@carishealthcare.com](mailto:lasarch@carishealthcare.com) with any questions or concerns.

**Seminar:** There will be a seminar on communicating with dementia patients on Saturday, March 23rd at 10 am till 11:30 am in the Genesis classroom. It is being sponsored by the Nurture Team and led by a counselor from Allcare Living Services, a certified home care agency here in Summerville. The seminar is open to all who are concerned with family members who have this debilitating diagnosis. Please contact Sharon Klein at 843-324-2598 with any questions or concerns.

## **SERVICE**

**Puerto Rico Mission:** We ask for prayer and support for those going to Puerto Rico for hurricane relief. There is still time to join this mission of reconstruction. The trip begins March 9th and costs \$1,500.00. If you'd like to join or participate in other ways, call Wayne Mayberry @ 843-830-1310.



**Next Sunday, March 17th,** has been designated as **Undie Sunday** by the Service Ministry Team in order to collect new underwear (*bottoms* only – *children's* sizes

4-18) for children in Pre K through 5th grade. Your

donations will be used by the Hands of Christ to supply local children when the school year begins, in August.

**Sock Drop Sunday** will be held April 28th, as Sock Drop Sunday. Low cut socks are preferred – children's sizes small to x-large. There will be a brightly colored tub in each vestibule, one in Lanneau Hall and one in the SonRise Service for your donations. Be sure to look for the Hands of Christ sign on the tubs. If you are unable to participate in the collection days, feel free to come by the church office, with your donations between now and August. There is a HOC tub in the closet for your items. If you have questions about Hands of Christ, please feel free to contact Pam Cromer (843-303-1392) or Mary Bowers (843-345-4037). Thank you.

**Walk for Water with SPC or support us through a donation:** The Service Ministry Team, SPC Kids, and SPC Youth invite the entire church family to join in the Water Mission Walk for Water on March 30th. Please go to [www.watermissions.org](http://www.watermissions.org) to sign up to walk with us or donate to our team. Our team name is Summerville Presbyterian. Contact Amanda Brobst, Wayne Mayberry, or Sarah Harbin-Coleman with questions.

## **CHILDREN**

**Joy Kids tonight!** *Wisdom in Faith*, our Spring 2019 Joy Kids program, meets at 5:00 pm in Lanneau Hall. We will explore the importance of Christian Education through lessons, fellowship, and service.

**Vacation Bible School** registration is OPEN for participants and volunteers. Visit [www.spcweb.org](http://www.spcweb.org) for more information. All are welcome to join our VBS planning team at Wednesday Night Live during class time!

**Easter Egg Hunt** volunteer signups are in the Simple Signup this Sunday!

**We Still Need Lead Volunteers** for events this year! Is there a children's ministry event that is close to your heart? Come take it on and let your vision lead the way in 2019.

### YOUTH

**Youth group tonight!** We will continue our Youth Sunday preparation tonight by exploring our theme in more depth, designing our Youth Sunday T-shirts and signing up for Youth Sunday roles. **Tonight is an important night of preparing for Youth Sunday on April 7th!** Please reach out to Allison prior to tonight if you will not be able to join us at Youth Group. Hope to see everyone at 5:00 pm. Parents pick up at 6:30 pm. See you there!

**Youth Parents:** There are still spots available for the Flowertown Parking Fundraiser. SPC youth will be selling parking spots during Friday (April 5th) and Saturday (April 6th) of the Flowertown Festival! If your youth is going on summer trips with the SPC youth group, please consider signing up to assist with the parking fundraiser. All funds go toward Youth Summer trip costs.

**Summer trip reminders:** Signups are officially closed for 2019 summer trips! If you signed up, please have covenants and deposits turned in by April 1st. Contact Allison Bond with any questions or concerns.

**Attention SPC Adults:** Are you interested in getting involved with the SPC youth group? How about attending a Montreat Conference this summer or even better, a middle or high school mission trip? Allison Bond is currently looking for adults who feel called to serve as chaperones for our summer trips. Trips last between 5-7 nights and require multiple adults to supervise the youth and their activities. Please let Allison know via phone or email if you are interested in working with our youth over the summer months. Thank you for considering serving our church in this way!



### PASTOR NOMINATING COMMITTEE

Your Pastor Nominating Committee invites and values your input. Please complete the brief survey mailed to you or the one found as an insert to this week's bulletin. Survey's must be completed and returned by March 10th. You may take it to the church office, place it in the offering plate or email it to [SPCPNC407@gmail.com](mailto:SPCPNC407@gmail.com).

### SUPPORT

The offerings along with monies received for the use of facilities and the total expenses for the one month ended January 31, 2019.

	Monthly	Year to Date
Receipts	\$ 80,479.00	\$80,479.00
Expenses	\$ 53,456.00	\$53,456.00
Overage/ (deficit)	\$ 27,023.00	\$27,023.00

YTD expenses are \$3,967 under budget. YTD receipts are \$23,056 more than budgeted. The current balance in the endowment fund is \$264,708.

Please contact the Church office if you would like any additional information on our Church finances.



**CURRENT PRAYER BOARD**

**Please Prayerfully Remember These People in Need of Comfort, Strength and Healing:**

- Jean Davenport, for health concerns
- Peggy Ferro, for health concerns.
- Paul Hromoga, for health concerns.
- Belding, relative of Lyne Dwyer, for health concerns.

**Please help us celebrate these Prayers of Thanksgiving:**

- Prayers of thanksgiving for Antonio Colon Ramon and (Sandra Agosto-Otero) on his acceptance as an Inquirer and as he prepares to start seminary.
- Prayers of thanksgiving for Sherry Roberts as she serves the denomination as a Commissioner to the United Nations on women’s issues.

THIS WEEK AT SPC

\* Childcare provided

SUNDAY, 3rd

**Praise Team Music Practice** at 8:00 am in the Gym  
**SonRise Contemporary Service** at 8:45 am in the Gym\*  
**Traditional Worship Services** at 8:45 & 11:15 am in the Sanctuary\*  
**Pajama Sunday** at 8:45 am in the SPC Kids Room  
**Children’s Choir** at 4:15 pm in the Choir Room  
**Youth Open Gym** at 4:30 pm in the Gym  
**Joy Kids** at 5:00 pm in Lanneau Hall  
**Jewel Tones Rehearsal** at 5:00 pm in the Choir Room  
**Youth Sunday Night** at 5:00 pm in the Gym  
**AA Trident Meeting** at 5:00 pm in the Genesis Room  
**Senior Boys Basketball** 6:30 pm in the Gym

MONDAY, 4th

**Spiritual Growth Ministry Team Meeting** at 6:00 pm in the Genesis Room  
**Word Weavers** at 7:00 pm in the Faith and Reasoning Room

TUESDAY, 5th

**Fellowship Ministry Team Meeting** at 6:00 pm in the Church Office  
**Service Ministry Team Meeting** at 6:00 pm in the Adult Discussion Room  
**Nurture Ministry Team Meeting** at 6:00 pm in Bo’s office  
**Connections Ministry Team Meeting** at 6:30 pm in the Library  
**Worship Ministry Team Meeting** at 6:30 pm in the Bible Discussion Room  
**Summerville Flute Choir** at 7:00 pm in the New Horizons Room  
**AA Trident Meeting** at 7:00 pm in the Seekers Room

WEDNESDAY, 6th

**Men’s Bible Study Group** at 6:30 am at Panera Bread  
**Kindred Spirits Bible Study Group** at 10:00 am in the Church Library  
**Ash Wednesday Service and Soup Supper** at 6:30 pm in the Gym  
**Choir Practice** at 7:15 pm in the Choir Room

THURSDAY, 7th

**Praise Team Music Practice** at 6:00 pm in the Choir Room  
**AA Trident Women’s Meeting** at 6:30 pm in the Faith & Reasoning Room

**Property Team Meeting** at 6:30 pm in the Bible Discussion Room

**Men's Over 40 Basketball** at 8:00 pm in the Gym

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FRIDAY, 8th

**Office Closes** at 2:00 pm

**Mackay Presbyterian Mission Basketball League** at 5:00 pm in the Gym

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SATURDAY, 9th

**AA Trident Meeting** at 9:00 am in the Seekers Room