

FELLOWSHIP PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 26, 2017 ~ MORNING WORSHIP

But I say, walk by the Spirit, and you will not carry out the desire of the flesh. For the flesh sets its desire against the Spirit, and the Spirit against the flesh; for these are in opposition to one another, so that you may not do the things that you please. But if you are led by the Spirit, you are not under the Law. Now the deeds of the flesh are evident, which are: immorality, impurity, sensuality, idolatry, sorcery, enmities, strife, jealousy, outbursts of anger, disputes, dissensions, factions, envying, drunkenness, carousing, and things like these, of which I forewarn you, just as I have forewarned you, that those who practice such things will not inherit the kingdom of God. But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, self-control; against such things there is no law. Now those who belong to Christ Jesus have crucified the flesh with its passions and desires.
If we live by the Spirit, let us also walk by the Spirit. ~Galatians 5:16-25

Prelude

Welcome and AnnouncementsPastor Marty Martin

IntroitCrown Him with Many Crowns

Call to WorshipRomans 11:33-36
Oh, the depth of the riches both of the wisdom and knowledge of God! How unsearchable are His judgments and unfathomable His ways! For WHO HAS KNOWN THE MIND OF THE LORD, OR WHO BECAME HIS COUNSELOR? Or WHO HAS FIRST GIVEN TO HIM THAT IT MIGHT BE PAID BACK TO HIM AGAIN? For from Him and through Him and to Him are all things. To Him be the glory forever. Amen.

§ HymnCome, Ye Thankful People, ComeNo. 715

§ Prayer of AdorationMr. Michael Grasso

Old Testament ReadingPsalm 130:1-8
Out of the depths I have cried to You, O LORD. Lord, hear my voice! Let Your ears be attentive to the voice of my supplications. If You, LORD, should mark iniquities, O Lord, who could stand? But there is forgiveness with You, that You may be feared.
I wait for the LORD, my soul does wait, and in His word do I hope. My soul waits for the Lord more than the watchmen for the morning; indeed, more than the watchmen for the morning. O Israel, hope in the LORD; for with the LORD there is lovingkindness, and with Him is abundant redemption. And He will redeem Israel from all his iniquities.

§ Congregational ResponseNo. 737
Christ, we do all adore thee, and we do praise thee forever;
Christ, we do all adore thee, and we do praise thee forever;
for on the holy cross hast thou the world from sin redeemed.
Christ, we do all adore thee, and we do praise thee forever.
Christ, we do all adore thee.

Worship through Tithes and Offerings

OffertoryJesus the King

Prayer of Petition and SupplicationMr. Grasso

§ HymnLike a River GloriousNo. 699

Reading of ScriptureRomans 8:1-11Pew Bible page 1131
¹Therefore there is now no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus. ²For the law of the Spirit of life in Christ Jesus has set you free from the law of sin and of death. ³For what the Law could not do, weak as it was through the flesh, God did: sending His own Son in the likeness of sinful flesh and as an offering for sin, He condemned sin in the flesh, ⁴so that the requirement of the Law might be fulfilled in us, who do not walk according to the flesh but according to the Spirit. ⁵For those who are according to the flesh set their minds on the things of the flesh, but those who are according to the Spirit, the things of the Spirit. ⁶For the mind set on the flesh is death, but the mind set on the Spirit is life and peace, ⁷because the mind set on the flesh is hostile toward God; for it does not subject itself to the law of God, for it is not even able to do so, ⁸and those who are in the flesh cannot please God.
⁹However, you are not in the flesh but in the Spirit, if indeed the Spirit of God dwells in you. But if anyone does not have the Spirit of Christ, he does not belong to Him. ¹⁰If Christ is in you, though the body is dead because of sin, yet the spirit is alive because of righteousness. ¹¹But if the Spirit of Him who raised Jesus from the dead dwells in you, He who raised Christ Jesus from the dead will also give life to your mortal bodies through His Spirit who dwells in you.

Proclamation of God’s WordPastor Martin
No Condemnation

§ HymnAnd Can It Be That I Should Gain (stanzas 1, 3-5)No. 455

§ BenedictionPastor Martin

§ Corporate “Amen”

EVENING WORSHIP

Call to WorshipPsalm 116:12-19
What shall I render to the LORD for all His benefits toward me? I shall lift up the cup of salvation and call upon the name of the LORD. I shall pay my vows to the LORD, Oh may it be in the presence of all His people. Precious in the sight of the LORD is the death of His godly ones. O LORD, surely I am Your servant, I am Your servant, the son of Your handmaid, You have loosed my bonds. To You I shall offer a sacrifice of thanksgiving, and call upon the name of the LORD. I shall pay my vows to the LORD, Oh may it be in the presence of all His people, in the courts of the LORD’S house, in the midst of you, O Jerusalem. Praise the LORD!

§ PsalmWhat Shall I Render to My GodNo. 637

§ Prayer of Praise and AdorationMr. Grasso

New Testament ReadingJames 2:1-13Pew Bible page 1208
My brethren, do not hold your faith in our glorious Lord Jesus Christ with an attitude of personal favoritism. For if a man comes into your assembly with a gold ring and dressed in fine clothes, and there also comes in a poor man in dirty clothes, and you pay special attention to the one who is wearing the fine clothes, and say, “You sit here in a good place,” and you say to the poor man, “You stand over there, or sit down by my footstool,” have you not made distinctions among yourselves, and become judges with evil motives? Listen, my beloved brethren: did not God choose the poor of this world to be rich in faith and heirs of the kingdom which He promised to those who love Him? But you have dishonored the poor man. Is it not the rich who oppress you and personally drag you into court? Do they not blaspheme the fair name by which you have been called?
If, however, you are fulfilling the royal law according to the Scripture, “YOU SHALL LOVE YOUR NEIGHBOR AS YOURSELF,” you are doing well. But if you show partiality, you are committing sin and are convicted by the law as transgressors. For whoever keeps the whole law and yet stumbles in one point, he has become guilty of all. For He who said, “DO NOT COMMIT ADULTERY,” also said, “DO NOT COMMIT MURDER.” Now if you do not commit adultery, but do commit murder, you have become a transgressor of the law. So speak and so act as those who are to be judged by the law of liberty. For judgment will be merciless to one who has shown no mercy; mercy triumphs over judgment.

§ Hymn‘Tis So Sweet to Trust in JesusNo. 679

Prayer of Confession, Petition and IntercessionMr. Grasso

§ PsalmGod Is Our Refuge and Our StrengthNo. 40

Scripture ReadingProverbs 1:20-33Pew Bible page 641
²⁰Wisdom shouts in the street, she lifts her voice in the square; ²¹at the head of the noisy streets she cries out; at the entrance of the gates in the city she utters her sayings: ²²“How long, O naive ones, will you love being simple-minded? And scoffers delight themselves in scoffing and fools hate knowledge? ²³Turn to my reproof, behold, I will pour out my spirit on you; I will make my words known to you. ²⁴Because I called and you refused, I stretched out my hand and no one paid attention; ²⁵and you neglected all my counsel and did not want my reproof; ²⁶I will also laugh at your calamity; I will mock when your dread comes, ²⁷when your dread comes like a storm and your calamity comes like a whirlwind, when distress and anguish come upon you. ²⁸Then they will call on me, but I will not answer; they will seek me diligently but they will not find me, ²⁹because they hated knowledge and did not choose the fear of the LORD. ³⁰They would not accept my counsel, they spurned all my reproof. ³¹So they shall eat of the fruit of their own way and be satiated with their own devices. ³²For the waywardness of the naive will kill them, and the complacency of fools will destroy them. ³³But he who listens to me shall live securely and will be at ease from the dread of evil.”

Proclamation of God’s WordPastor Martin
An Offer Too Good to Pass Up

§ HymnO God beyond All PraisingNo. 660

§ BenedictionPastor Martin

§ The congregation will please stand.

WELCOME!

If you are visiting Fellowship Presbyterian Church for the first time, we welcome you as you worship with us and invite you to return for our evening worship at 6:00 PM. A nursery is provided during all services for children from birth through three years of age.

SERVICES AND WEEKLY SCHEDULE:

Sunday:

10:00 AM: Sunday School
11:00 AM: Morning Worship
4:30 PM: Choir Rehearsal
6:00 PM: Evening Worship

Sunday, November 26, 2017 Nursery Volunteers:

10:00 AM: Barbara Wilder
11:00 AM: Neill & Angela Stubbs/ Angie Frengel & Wally Burns
6:00 PM: Alice Matthews & Rebekah Farquhar

Sunday, November 26, 2017 Safety: Joel DeJong & Jared Farquhar

Sunday, December 3, 2017 Nursery Volunteers:

10:00 AM: Barbara Wilder
11:00 AM: Jeremy & Susana Skoog/ Andy & Sara Wortman
6:00 PM: Jane Stillman & Emma Taylor

Sunday, December 3, 2017 Safety: Sam Stubbs & Ryan Grosek

SERVING IN NOVEMBER:

Elder of the Month: Terry Richards Deacon of the Month: Jeff Wayne, Jr.
Nursery Coordinators: Erika Grasso & Jane Stillman Safety Coordinator: Wally Burns
Meal Ministry: Becky Taylor Laundry: Elizabeth Hill
Accompanists: piano, Beverly Brouwer; organ, Sheryl Farquhar

FELLOWSHIP PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

THE SESSION:

Teaching Elder: Pastor Martin H. Martin
Ruling Elders: Dave Lesley, Terry Richards & Jeff Wayne, Sr.

THE DIACONATE:

Deacons: Wally Burns, Dave Frengel, Brian Medlin,
John Way, Jeff Wayne, Jr. & Bill Wilder

COORDINATOR OF PASTORAL CARE: Rev. Peter Spink

CHURCH INTERN: Michael Grasso

DIRECTOR OF MUSIC MINISTRIES: Michael Weaver

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PLEASE CONTINUE TO REMEMBER OUR MISSIONARIES & BENEVOLENCE MINISTRIES IN PRAYER:

Rev. & Mrs. Jack Campbell—RMI (Clemson)	Rev. & Mrs. Will Traub—Scotland
Dr. & Mrs. Clayton Quarterman—Ukraine	Rev. & Mrs. Steve Walton—Stuttgart
Rev. & Mrs. Gary Watanabe—Tokyo	Greer Community Ministries
Greenville Theological Seminary	

ANNOUNCEMENTS & EVENTS:

Pew Cards: If you are new to Fellowship, please help us get to know you by filling out a pew card and dropping it in the offering plate. ~Thank you!

*The Sacrament of the **Lord's Supper** will be celebrated next Sunday, December 3, during morning worship.*

***Sunday, December 10, 6:00 PM:** **Lessons & Carols**

(followed by a Christmas Reception)

*Plan to join us **Sunday, December 10, 6:00 PM**, for our traditional service of **Lessons & Carols** (which includes Scripture readings, choir anthems and congregational carols) followed by a **Christmas Reception** (heavy hors d'oeuvres & Christmas desserts).*

Please sign-up to bring a tray of hors d'oeuvres or a Christmas dessert.
Sign-up sheet is in the narthex.

***Sunday, December 24:**

10:00 AM:	Sunday School
11:00 AM:	Morning Worship
5:00 PM:	Christmas Eve Service

◆ *No Wednesday supper, prayer service or catechism this week;
Wednesday night activities will resume in January.*

◆ *Both the **Men's and Ladies' Bible Studies**
will resume after the first of the year.*

All Jr. & Sr. High Youth are invited to a **White Elephant Christmas Party** on Friday, December 9, 5:30 pm, at the home of Craig & Sheri Bouvier.

Please contact Michael Grasso (migrasso2011@gmail.com or 678-552-7872) for details.

Ladies' Christmas Fellowship, Thursday, December 14, 7:00—8:30 pm:
Please bring a Christmas ornament to exchange & a plate of Christmas treats to share.

We received 201 gift-filled shoe boxes for Operation Christmas Child this year! Please pray that the gospel of Jesus Christ will be shared with each child and family and that they would look in faith to Christ as their Lord and Savior.

October 2017 Financial Summary:

Date:	Budget:	General Fund Revenue:	Expenses:	Net Total:
Oct 2017	\$28,817.42	\$27,290.38	\$12,578.06	\$14,712.32
Jul 2017—Oct 2017	\$115,269.68	\$111,515.35	\$130,483.88	(\$18,968.53)
November General Fund Revenue received to date: \$29,033.10				
Initial debt service: \$550,000; remaining debt as of November 10, 2017: \$398,781.49				

*Extra bookmarks (**Advent Readings for December**) are available in the narthex.*



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PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN AMERICA (PCA)

November 26, 2017

Our purpose is to glorify the Triune God by reconciling the lost to Him through faith in Jesus Christ and equipping the saints to serve Him in every area of life.

2 Corinthians 5:18-19; Matthew 28:19-20