

FELLOWSHIP PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

SUNDAY, JUNE 22, 2025 ~ MORNING WORSHIP

God has called His people to be worshippers. In fact, to glorify God in worship is our chief purpose, both in this life and the one to come. Prepare your hearts to come before the Triune God actively rather than passively, as a congregation rather than an audience, offering up that which is pleasing to Him. The pastor and other leaders will help guide you, but worship is yours to do! Lift your voices in songs of praise, bow your hearts in corporate prayer, listen attentively as God speaks to you through the reading and preaching of His Word; and may our worship, by the enabling of the Holy Spirit, be pleasing to Christ our LORD and nourishing to our very souls!

Welcome and Announcements

Pastor Marty Martin

Introit

Come, Thou Fount

Call to Worship

Isaiah 6:1-5

In the year of King Uzziah’s death I saw the Lord sitting on a throne, lofty and exalted, with the train of His robe filling the temple. Seraphim stood above Him, each having six wings: with two he covered his face, and with two he covered his feet, and with two he flew. And one called out to another and said, “Holy, Holy, Holy, is the LORD of hosts, the whole earth is full of His glory.” And the foundations of the thresholds trembled at the voice of him who called out, while the temple was filling with smoke. Then I said, “Woe is me, for I am ruined! because I am a man of unclean lips, and I live among a people of unclean lips; for my eyes have seen the King, the LORD of hosts.”

§ Hymn

Holy, Holy, Holy!

No. 100

Presentation of New Members

Leanna Berens; Eugene Holman; Wes Panten; Charles (Skip) and JoAnn Rentz

Sacrament of Covenant Baptism

Wesley David Joseph Panten

§ Prayer of Adoration

Pastor Andrew Newman

Old Testament Reading

Amos 2:1-16

Thus says the LORD, “For three transgressions of Moab and for four I will not revoke its punishment, because he burned the bones of the king of Edom to lime. So I will send fire upon Moab and it will consume the citadels of Kerieth; and Moab will die amid tumult, with war cries and the sound of a trumpet. I will also cut off the judge from her midst and slay all her princes with him,” says the LORD.

Thus says the LORD, “For three transgressions of Judah and for four I will not revoke its punishment, because they rejected the law of the LORD and have not kept His statutes; their lies also have led them astray, those after which their fathers walked. So I will send fire upon Judah and it will consume the citadels of Jerusalem.”

Thus says the LORD, “For three transgressions of Israel and for four I will not revoke its punishment, because they sell the righteous for money and the needy for a pair of sandals. These who pant after the very dust of the earth on the head of the helpless also turn aside the way of the humble; and a man and his father resort to the same girl in order to profane My holy name. On garments taken as pledges they stretch out beside every altar, and in the house of their God they drink the wine of those who have been fined.

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“Yet it was I who destroyed the Amorite before them, though his height was like the height of cedars and he was strong as the oaks; I even destroyed his fruit above and his root below. It was I who brought you up from the land of Egypt, and I led you in the wilderness forty years that you might take possession of the land of the Amorite. Then I raised up some of your sons to be prophets and some of your young men to be Nazirites. Is this not so, O sons of Israel?” declares the LORD. “But you made the Nazirites drink wine, and you commanded the prophets saying, ‘You shall not prophesy!’ Behold, I am weighted down beneath you as a wagon is weighted down when filled with sheaves. Flight will perish from the swift, and the stalwart will not strengthen his power, nor the mighty man save his life. He who grasps the bow will not stand his ground, the swift of foot will not escape, nor will he who rides the horse save his life. Even the bravest among the warriors will flee naked in that day,” declares the LORD.

§ Psalm

O Thou That Hear’st When Sinners Cry

No. 485

stanzas 1, 2, 5, & 6

Worship through Tithes and Offerings

Offertory

May the Mind of Christ My Savior

Lynn Tate, flute

May the mind of Christ my Savior live in me from day to day, by His love and power controlling all I do and all I say. May the Word of God dwell richly in my heart from hour to hour, so that all may see I triumph only through God's love and power. May the peace of God my Father rule my life in everything, that I may be calm to comfort the sick and sorrowing. May the love of Jesus fill me as the waters fill the sea, Christ exalting, self abasing, for this is victory!

May I run the race before me, strong and brave to face the foe, looking only unto Jesus as onward I will go!

Prayer of Petition and Supplication

Pastor Newman

§ Hymn

Whate’er My God Ordains Is Right

No. 108

Scripture Reading

II Peter 3:1-10

Pew Bible page 1217

¹This is now, beloved, the second letter I am writing to you in which I am stirring up your sincere mind by way of reminder, ²that you should remember the words spoken beforehand by the holy prophets and the commandment of the Lord and Savior spoken by your apostles.

³Know this first of all, that in the last days mockers will come with their mocking, following after their own lusts, ⁴and saying, “Where is the promise of His coming? For ever since the fathers fell asleep, all continues just as it was from the beginning of creation.” ⁵For when they maintain this, it escapes their notice that by the word of God the heavens existed long ago and the earth was formed out of water and by water, ⁶through which the world at that time was destroyed, being flooded with water. ⁷But by His word the present heavens and earth are being reserved for fire, kept for the day of judgment and destruction of ungodly men.

⁸But do not let this one fact escape your notice, beloved, that with the Lord one day is like a thousand years, and a thousand years like one day. ⁹The Lord is not slow about His promise, as some count slowness, but is patient toward you, not wishing for any to perish but for all to come to repentance.

¹⁰But the day of the Lord will come like a thief, in which the heavens will pass away with a roar and the elements will be destroyed with intense heat, and the earth and its works will be burned up.

Proclamation of God’s Word

Pastor Martin

Remember the Big Picture

§ Hymn

Day of Judgment! Day of Wonders!

No. 319

§ Benediction

§ Corporate “Amen”

§ The congregation will please stand.

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EVENING WORSHIP

Call to Worship

Psalm 3:2-5, 8

§ Psalm

You Righteous, in the Lord Rejoice

No. 43

§ Prayer of Praise and Adoration

Pastor Marty Martin

Old Testament Reading

Proverbs 13:1-25

A wise son accepts his father’s discipline, but a scoffer does not listen to rebuke. From the fruit of a man’s mouth he enjoys good, but the desire of the treacherous is violence. The one who guards his mouth preserves his life; the one who opens wide his lips comes to ruin. The soul of the sluggard craves and gets nothing, but the soul of the diligent is made fat. A righteous man hates falsehood, but a wicked man acts disgustingly and shamefully. Righteousness guards the one whose way is blameless, but wickedness subverts the sinner. There is one who pretends to be rich, but has nothing; another pretends to be poor, but has great wealth. The ransom of a man’s life is his wealth, but the poor hears no rebuke. The light of the righteous rejoices, but the lamp of the wicked goes out. Through insolence comes nothing but strife, but wisdom is with those who receive counsel. Wealth obtained by fraud dwindles, but the one who gathers by labor increases it. Hope deferred makes the heart sick, but desire fulfilled is a tree of life. The one who despises the word will be in debt to it, but the one who fears the commandment will be rewarded. The teaching of the wise is a fountain of life, to turn aside from the snares of death. Good understanding produces favor, but the way of the treacherous is hard. Every prudent man acts with knowledge, but a fool displays folly. A wicked messenger falls into adversity, but a faithful envoy brings healing. Poverty and shame will come to him who neglects discipline, but he who regards reproof will be honored. Desire realized is sweet to the soul, but it is an abomination to fools to turn away from evil. He who walks with wise men will be wise, but the companion of fools will suffer harm. Adversity pursues sinners, but the righteous will be rewarded with prosperity. A good man leaves an inheritance to his children’s children, and the wealth of the sinner is stored up for the righteous. Abundant food is in the fallow ground of the poor, but it is swept away by injustice. He who withholds his rod hates his son, but he who loves him disciplines him diligently. The righteous has enough to satisfy his appetite, but the stomach of the wicked is in need.

§ Hymn

Holy God, We Praise Your Name

No. 103

Worship through Tithes and Offerings

Offertory

The Lord’s My Shepherd

Cathy Lawton, piano

Prayer of Confession, Petition, and Intercession

Pastor Martin

§ Hymn

What Wondrous Love Is This

No. 261

Scripture Reading

John 7:1-13

Pew Bible page 1067

¹After these things Jesus was walking in Galilee, for He was unwilling to walk in Judea because the Jews were seeking to kill Him. ²Now the feast of the Jews, the Feast of Booths, was near. ³Therefore His brothers said to Him, “Leave here and go into Judea, so that Your disciples also may see Your works which You are doing. ⁴For no one does anything in secret when he himself seeks to be known publicly. If You do these things, show Yourself to the world.” ⁵For not even His brothers were believing in Him. ⁶So Jesus said to them, “My time is not yet here, but your time is always opportune. ⁷The world cannot hate you, but it hates Me because I testify of it, that its deeds are evil. ⁸Go up to the feast yourselves; I do not go up to this feast because My time has not yet fully come.” ⁹Having said these things to them, He stayed in Galilee.

¹⁰But when His brothers had gone up to the feast, then He Himself also went up, not publicly, but as if, in secret. ¹¹So the Jews were seeking Him at the feast and were saying, “Where is He?” ¹²There was much grumbling among the crowds concerning Him; some were saying, “He is a good man”; others were saying, “No, on the contrary, He leads the people astray.” ¹³Yet no one was speaking openly of Him for fear of the Jews.

Proclamation of God’s Word

Pastor Andrew Newman

Doubting and Believing

§ Hymn

How Sweet and Awesome Is the Place

No. 469

§ Benediction

June 22, 2025—Nursery Schedule:
11:00 AM Infant Nursery: Becky Taylor & Sara Wortman; Alternate: Cindy Worley
11:00 AM Toddler Nursery: Julie Evans & Ruth Thumpston
6:00 PM Evening Nursery: Jeff & Susan Wayne

June 28, 2025—Nursery Schedule:
11:00 AM Infant Nursery: Susan & Marshal Raines; Alternate: Linda DeJong
11:00 AM Toddler Nursery: Jeff & Maria Wayne
6:00 PM Evening Nursery: Carol Ethridge & Emily Mangum

Questions? Contact nursery@fellowshippres.org.

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Prayer Requests: prayer@fellowshippres.org Announcements: announcements@fellowshippres.org

THE SESSION:
Teaching Elder: Pastor Martin H. Martin
Ruling Elders: Craig Bouvier, Terry Richards,
Tim Taylor, Jeff Wayne, Sr.
Elder of the Month: Craig Bouvier

THE DIACONATE:
Deacons: Pat DeJong, Jared Farquhar, Dave Frengel,
Brian Medlin, Kelly Peterson, Philip Triplett
Deacon of the Week: Dave Frengel

ASSISTANT PASTOR: Pastor Andrew Newman

COORDINATOR OF PASTORAL CARE: Pastor Peter Spink

DIRECTOR OF MUSIC MINISTRIES: Steve Lawton

CHURCH ADMINISTRATOR: Jeff Wayne, Sr.

CHURCH INTERN: Greg Horsky

ACCOMPANISTS:
Piano, Beverly Brouwer and Cathy Lawton; Organ, Sheryl Farquhar

MISSIONARIES & BENEVOLENCE MINISTRIES:

Rev. & Mrs. Albert Kona—Albania	Rev. & Mrs. Mark Kuo—Taiwan
Rev & Mrs. Alonzo Ramirez—Peru	Rev. & Mrs. Gary Watanabe—Tokyo
Rev. & Mrs. Todd Crusey—London	Rev. & Mrs. Rob Hamby—Daniel Island
Rev. & Mrs. John Blevins—NW Knoxville	Rev & Mrs. Miguel D’Azevedo—Okinawa
Rev. & Mrs. Mikael Romer—Poland/ Ukraine	Rev. & Mrs. Vinicius Pimentel—Brazil
Greenville Theological Seminary	Gospel Reformation Network
Greer Community Ministries	Covenant College
Miracle Hill Ministries	Samaritan’s Purse/Operation Christmas Child

May 2025 General Fund Summary*			
Date:	General Fund Giving:	General Fund Expenses:	General Fund Net Total:
May 2025	\$52,843.85	\$49,738.29	\$3,105.56
Jul 2024—May 2025	\$617,553.13	\$585,469.17	\$32,083.96
Building Fund Total as of 7/01/2024: \$564,189.29			
Building Fund Total as of 5/31/2025: \$751,421.76			
*For a full Financial Report, please contact the church office or speak to an Officer.			

ANNOUNCEMENTS

***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!*

Lord’s Day Prayer Group, Sundays, 9:30 am; all are welcome.

Combined Adult Sunday School Class (Enduring Community): 10:00 am, now—August 3, in the Sanctuary.

Youth Teaching & Events:
-Sunday School, now—July 6, 10:00 am: The Five Solas of the Reformation

Women’s Book Studies & Events:
-**Courage: Fighting Fear with Fear**, by Wayne Mack, Thursday evenings
-**Chosen by God**, by RC Sproul, Tuesday evenings
-**Proverbs**, by Lydia Brownback, Thursday mornings

Men’s Bible Study (Romans), Thursday, July 3, 7:00—8:00 pm. at the church.

College & Career/Young Adults Cookout and Cornhole Tournament, this Saturday, June 28, 5:00 pm, at the Medlin’s home. Hamburgers & hotdogs will be provided; please bring a side dish or dessert to share.

The Sacrament of the Lord’s Supper will be celebrated Sunday, July 6, during morning worship. Reminder: Wine is in the tinted cups; grape juice is in the clear cups; the unleavened bread in the center cups is gluten and dairy free.

Wednesday supper, prayer service, catechism, and High Point will break for the summer and resume Wednesday, August 13.

Thursday, June 26, 6:30 pm—Prayer Meeting at the Ethridge’s Home:

This prayer meeting, held at the home of Dale & Carol Ethridge (105 Scattershot Lane, Greer) on June 26, is for the sole **purpose of praying for the unsaved**. If you have questions or are unable to attend but would like us to include a particular family member or friend, please contact Sheri Bouvier.

Sunday Evening, July 13—Breakfast for Supper!
(with a VBS/ Upward Bound Slide Presentation!)

Plan to join us **Sunday, July 13**, following evening worship, for breakfast fare, a time of fellowship, **and a VBS/ Upward Bound slide presentation!**

Menu: Breakfast casseroles, breakfast meats, sausage balls, fruit, and pastries

Please sign-up online (fellowshippres.org/calendar) or in the narthex. ~Thank you!

Women’s Banquet, Friday, August 22, 6:00 pm—Save the Date!



June 22, 2025

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