FELLOWSHIP PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 16, 2025 ~ MORNING WORSHIP

Please use the moments during the prelude to prepare your heart for the worship of our God and Savior.

Welcome and Announcements

Pastor Marty Martin

Introit

O Come, Let Us Sing

Call to Worship

Psalm 90:1-2

Lord, You have been our dwelling place in all generations. Before the mountains were born Or You gave birth to the earth and the world, Even from everlasting to everlasting, You are God.

§ Psalm

Our God, Our Help in Ages Past stanzas 1, 3, 6, & 7

No. 30

§ Prayer of Adoration and Invocation

Pastor Andrew Newman

New Testament Reading

Mark 12:28-34

One of the scribes came and heard them arguing, and recognizing that He had answered them well, asked Him, "What commandment is the foremost of all?" Jesus answered, "The foremost is, 'Hear, O Israel! The Lord our God is one Lord; and you shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your mind, and with all your strength.' The second is this, 'You shall love your neighbor as yourself.' There is no other commandment greater than these." The scribe said to Him, "Right, Teacher; You have truly stated that He is One, and there is no one else besides Him; and to love Him with all the heart and with all the understanding and with all the strength, and to love one's neighbor as himself, is much more than all burnt offerings and sacrifices." When Jesus saw that he had answered intelligently, He said to him, "You are not far from the kingdom of God." After that, no one would venture to ask Him any more questions.

§ Hymn

More Love to Thee, O Christ stanzas 1, 2, & 4

No. 649

Worship through Tithes and Offerings

Offertory

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With what shall I come before the Lord and bow myself before God on high? Shall I come before Him with burnt offerings, shall I come before Him with yearling calves? Will the Lord be pleased with thousands of rams, with ten thousand rivers of oil? Shall I give Him my firstborn for my transgressions, the fruit of my body for the sin of my soul?

He has shown you, O man; He has shown you what is good. And what does the Lord require of you but to do justice and to love kindness, and to walk humbly with your God?

Prayer of Petition and Supplication

Pastor Newman

§ Hymn

Spirit of God, Descend upon My Heart stanzas 1, 4, & 5

No. 338

Scripture Reading

Deuteronomy 6:1-9

Pew Bible page 191

1"Now this is the commandment, the statutes and the judgments which the Lord your God has commanded me to teach you, that you might do them in the land where you are going over to possess it, 2so that you and your son and your grandson might fear the Lord your God, to keep all His statutes and His commandments which I command you, all the days of your life, and that your days may be prolonged. 3O Israel, you should listen and be careful to do it, that it may be well with you and that you may multiply greatly, just as the Lord, the God of your fathers, has promised you, in a land flowing with milk and honey.

⁴"Hear, O Israel! The LORD is our God, the LORD is one! ⁵You shall love the LORD your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your might. ⁶These words, which I am commanding you today, shall be on your heart. ⁷You shall teach them diligently to your sons and shall talk of them when you sit in your house and when you walk by the way and when you lie down and when you rise up. ⁸You shall bind them as a sign on your hand and they shall be as frontals on your forehead. ⁹You shall write them on the doorposts of your house and on your gates."

Proclamation of God's Word

Pastor Martin

Hear, O Israel!

§ **Hymn** Jesus, Thy Blood and Righteousness

No. 520

§ Benediction

§ Corporate "Amen"

EVENING WORSHIP

Call to Worship

Psalm 100:1-5

Shout joyfully to the LORD, all the earth. serve the LORD with gladness; come before Him with joyful singing. Know that the LORD Himself is God; it is He who has made us, and not we ourselves; we are His people and the sheep of His pasture.

Enter His gates with thanksgiving and His courts with praise. Give thanks to Him, bless His name. For the LORD is good; His lovingkindness is everlasting and His faithfulness to all generations.

§ **Psalm** All People That on Earth Do Dwell

§ Prayer of Adoration and Invocation

Pastor Andrew Newman

Old Testament Reading

Proverbs 24:1-14

No. 1

Do not be envious of evil men, nor desire to be with them; for their minds devise violence, and their lips talk of trouble.

By wisdom a house is built, and by understanding it is established; and by knowledge the rooms are filled with all precious and pleasant riches.

A wise man is strong, and a man of knowledge increases power. For by wise guidance you will wage war, and in abundance of counselors there is victory.

Wisdom is too exalted for a fool, he does not open his mouth in the gate.

One who plans to do evil, men will call a schemer. The devising of folly is sin, and the scoffer is an abomination to men.

If you are slack in the day of distress, your strength is limited.

Deliver those who are being taken away to death, and those who are staggering to slaughter, Oh hold them back. If you say, "See, we did not know this," does He not consider it who weighs the hearts? And does He not know it who keeps your soul? And will He not render to man according to his work?

My son, eat honey, for it is good, yes, the honey from the comb is sweet to your taste; know that wisdom is thus for your soul; if you find it, then there will be a future, and your hope will not be cut off.

§ Hymn

Amazing Grace!

No. 460

Worship through Tithes and Offerings

Offertory

Be Thou My Vision

Alex Brandenburg, cello; Cathy Lawton, piano

Prayer of Confession, Petition, and Intercession

Elder Terry Richards

§ Hymn

Lord. Speak to Me That I May Speak

No. 561

Scripture Reading

John 12:1-8

Pew Bible page 1075

Jesus, therefore, six days before the Passover, came to Bethany where Lazarus was, whom Jesus had raised from the dead. ²So they made Him a supper there, and Martha was serving; but Lazarus was one of those reclining at the table with Him. ³Mary then took a pound of very costly perfume of pure nard, and anointed the feet of Jesus and wiped His feet with her hair; and the house was filled with the fragrance of the perfume. ⁴But Judas Iscariot, one of His disciples, who was intending to betray Him, said, ⁵"Why was this perfume not sold for three hundred denarii and given to poor people?" ⁶Now he said this, not because he was concerned about the poor, but because he was a thief, and as he had the money box, he used to pilfer what was put into it. ⁷Therefore Jesus said, "Let her alone, so that she may keep it for the day of My burial. ⁸For you always have the poor with you, but you do not always have Me."

The Lord's Anointed

Proclamation of God's Word

Pastor Marty Martin

§ **Hymn** Fairest Lord Jesus

No. 170

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

§ Gloria Patri

No. 735

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.

§ Benediction

§ The congregation will please stand.

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November 16, 2025—Nursery Schedule:

11:00 AM Infant Nursery: Neil & Brittany Reini; Alternate: Becky Taylor
11:00 AM Toddler Nursery: Angie Pyc & Marijke Alford
6:00 PM Evening Nursery: Joan & Erwin Frazier

November 23, 2025—Nursery Schedule:

11:00 AM Infant Nursery: Ryan Piller & Sandy Waugh; Alternate: Tricia Lortz
11:00 AM Toddler Nursery: Alex & Zoe Brandenburg
6:00 PM Evening Nursery: Sheri & Craig Bouvier

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THE SESSION:

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

THE DIACONATE:

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

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

October 2025 General Fund Summary*

<u>vale</u>: Oct 2025 <u>General Fund Giving:</u> \$40,268.00 General Fund Expenses: \$46,815.31 General Fund Net Total: (\$6,547.31)

Building Fund Total as of 7/01/2025: \$765,628.76 Building Fund Total as of 10/31/2025: 787,944.76

*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!

Wednesday Night Supper & Service:

5:30 PM: Catered Supper—\$3.50/ adult (ages 11 & up); \$2.50/child (ages 10 & under); \$15 max/family; sign-up is required.

*Please indicate on a pew card the number of adults & children attending this week's supper; the menu is BBQ sandwiches, slaw, chips, and dessert. Food is served until 6:10 pm.

6:00 PM: Doctrine and Discussion (youth), meets in the sanctuary 6:30 PM: Devotional & Prayer Time (adults); Catechism (children)

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be celebrated tonight, during evening 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.

Lessons & Carols—Sunday, December 14, 6:00 PM Special Prelude Music—5:45 PM!

Plan to join us for our traditional service of **Lessons & Carols** (Scripture readings, special music, and congregational carols). **Remember to arrive early to enjoy the special prelude music** and to focus your heart particularly on Christ's incarnation.

Christmas Reception—following Lessons & Carols (heavy hors d'oeuvres & Christmas desserts)

Please sign-up online (fellowshippres.org/calendar) to bring: a tray of heavy hors d'oeuvres or your favorite Christmas dessert. ~Thank you!

Christmas Eve Service—Wednesday, December 24, 5:00 PM

Nursery will not be provided for our Christmas Eve Service; you are welcome to bring infants/children into the service.

Adult Sunday School classes, 10:00 am: Joshua (Fellowship Hall); James (sanctuary)

Youth Teaching & Events:

- Sunday School, 10:00 am;
- Ice Cream Outing: Wednesday, November 19, 6:00 pm.
- Christmas Party at the Newmans: Saturday, December 13, 5:00—8:00 pm.

Operation Christmas Child: The deadline for bringing your gift-filled OCC shoeboxes is <u>next</u> <u>Sunday</u>, <u>November 23</u>. Please remember to include a check for \$10 (for shipping) for each box.

Young Adults Ugly Sweater & White Elephant Christmas Party—Saturday December 13, 7 pm, at the home of the Brian and Tiffani Medlin. Please bring a gift (\$20 limit) if you would like to participate in the white elephant gift exchange.

The church has now set up **online banking donations through the Zelle platform**. If you have access to the Zelle banking transfer option through your bank, you can now use it to send electronic donations to Fellowship. The user account to send funds to is "giving@fellowshippres.org". **Please check with your bank for any terms or fees that may be associated with your bank account.** The church will incur a \$1.00 per transaction fee, regardless of the amount sent. Please contact Brian Medlin if you have any guestions.



FELLOWSHIP PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN AMERICA (PCA)

November 16, 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