

# THE LORD'S DAY

FEBRUARY 8, 2026

11:00 a.m.

*Please use this time to set your hearts on Christ and pray for the Word, our worship, and that holiness and reverence will be known among us.*

**PRELUDE** *Blessed Assurance* arr. Wood

## CALL TO WORSHIP

**\*\*HYMN OF PRAISE** "All You That Fear Jehovah's Name" #9

## \*INVOCATION

**\*CONFESSION OF FAITH: WESTMINSTER CONFESSION OF FAITH Ch. 13:1-2**

1. They who are effectually called and regenerated, having a new heart and a new spirit created in them, are further sanctified, really and personally, through the virtue of Christ's death and resurrection, by His Word and Spirit dwelling in them; the dominion of the whole body of sin is destroyed, and the several lusts thereof are more and more weakened and mortified, and they more and more quickened and strengthened, in all saving graces, to the practice of true holiness, without which no man shall see the Lord.

2. This sanctification is throughout in the whole man, yet imperfect in this life: there abideth still some remnants of corruption in every part, whence ariseth a continual and irreconcilable war, the flesh lusting against the Spirit, and the Spirit against the flesh.

**\*PSALM OF FAITH** Psalms for Worship, 25C

**PASTORAL PRAYER** Rev. David Hall

**PSALTER READING** Psalm 30 p. 794

**ANTHEM** *Christ Is Made the Sure Foundation* D. Wood

Christ is made the sure foundation, Christ the Head and Cornerstone;  
Chosen of the Lord, and precious, binding all the Church in one;  
Holy Zion's help forever, and her confidence alone.

To this temple, where we call Thee, come, O Lord of hosts, today;  
With Thy wonted loving kindness hear Thy servants as they pray,  
And Thy fullest benediction shed with in its walls alway.

Laud and honor to the Father, laud and honor to the Son,  
Laud and honor to the Spirit, ever Three and ever One,  
One in might, and One in glory, while unending ages run.

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

**OFFERTORY** *The Law of God Is Good and Wise* K. Osterland

**\*DOXOLOGY** #731

## \*PRAYERS FOR GOD'S TITHES AND OUR OFFERINGS

**\*HYMN OF PREPARATION** "My Faith Looks Up to Thee" #528  
*(Children K4-1st grade dismissed to children's church.)*

**SCRIPTURE** Genesis 12:10-20

**SERMON** "When Life Doesn't Make Sense" Rev. Marc Harrington

**\*HYMN OF AFFIRMATION** "To God Be the Glory" #55

## \*THE BENEDICTION

**\*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** *When I Can Read My Title Clear* arr. Wood

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

*We join Timothy & Calli Smith in praising the Lord for the birth of their son, Titus Samuel Clifford Smith, on January 29<sup>th</sup>. Titus Samuel Clifford is the grandson of Rodney and Nancy Pritchett.*

*We join Kevin & Kristin Cook in praising the Lord for the birth of their daughter, Cordelia Joy Cook, on February 3<sup>rd</sup>.*

## Notes:



## THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

The Lord's Supper will be served during the evening service. In the communion trays, moving from outside to inside, the order is wine, juice and wine. All those who have received Jesus Christ as personal Savior and Lord and who are members in good standing in an evangelical church are invited to partake of this special means of grace. Children who have not been received by the elders as communing members should not partake, but learn by reverent observation, even though they may have trusted Christ for salvation. If you are aware that you have not received Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior, you should allow the elements to pass, and you are urged to repent of your sin and embrace the free offer of salvation in Christ by faith.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**PASTORAL SEARCH UPDATE** To assist our Midway family, there is now an informational webpage on the Midway Presbyterian Church website which summarizes the pastoral search process and provides a profile of the type of candidate the search committee is seeking for our next senior pastor. These items have been approved by your Session. You can find this webpage under the Resources tab on the Midway website. The candidate profile and the accompanying profile of Midway Church will also be provided to the men who wish to be considered. Please continue to keep this process in your prayers.

**VISITORS** If you are new to Midway and would like to connect with our pastoral staff or would like to know more about the church, please scan the QR code to provide your contact information.



### Wednesday Fellowship Dinner

February 11th– 5:30-6:20 p.m.

BBQ Pork or Corn Dogs, Baked Beans,  
Chips, Salad, Fruit, Dessert, Tea and Coffee

**YOU MUST MAKE RESERVATIONS** - [church.kitchen@midwaypca.org](mailto:church.kitchen@midwaypca.org)

*\*Deadline to make reservations is noon on Mondays.*

*Adults: \$6.00, Children: \$3.00 (12 & under), \$25 family maximum.*

**WEDNESDAY PRAYER MEETING** Please plan to join us on Wednesdays from 5:45-6:15 p.m. in the Fellowship Classroom. Everyone is invited to attend this time of prayer, led by Pastor Menezes. Please contact [cilas.menezes@midwaypca.org](mailto:cilas.menezes@midwaypca.org).

**THE MIDWEEK ADULT BIBLE STUDY** Wednesday nights, from 6:30-7:15 p.m. in the Fellowship Classroom, with the continued study of "The Gospel of John". Please plan to join us for this upcoming study as we start the New Year.

**YOUNG ADULT BIBLE STUDY** meets this Wednesday from 6:30-7:15 p.m. in the Explorers/L.I.G.H.T. classrooms. For more information contact [chad.bailey@midwaypca.org](mailto:chad.bailey@midwaypca.org).

**COLLEGE & MILITARY CARE BOXES** We will be assembling care packages to send to our college students and military. Donations of non-perishable items are needed and can be put in the box under the Women's Ministry table. There is also a sign-up sheet at the table if you know someone who should receive a package. Please bring your donations by Sunday, February 8<sup>th</sup>. Contact Beth Elder if you have any questions at [elizabeth.elder@gmail.com](mailto:elizabeth.elder@gmail.com).

**SHEPHERDING GROUP LUNCH: SAVE THE DATE** The Keese & Dewhurst Shepherding Group families are invited to a Fellowship Lunch in the Fellowship Hall on February 15<sup>th</sup>, immediately following morning worship. Please watch your email for more details and a food sign-up.

**MEN OF THE COVENANT** will meet on February 22<sup>nd</sup>. All men are invited to the Men of the Covenant Prayer Breakfast beginning with prayer at 8:00 a.m. in the library, followed by breakfast and guest speaker Phil Schrock. For more information, please contact Chad at [chad.bailey@midwaypca.org](mailto:chad.bailey@midwaypca.org).

**INQUIRER'S CLASS** March 1<sup>st</sup>– April 5<sup>th</sup>. We invite those new to Christianity, transferring from a different church, or just wanting to know more about us. Those wishing to attend this class should register on our website or app in our Events section under Inquirer's Class, March 1<sup>st</sup>. If you have any questions, please contact Pastor Chad Bailey at [chad.bailey@midwaypca.org](mailto:chad.bailey@midwaypca.org).

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

- Pastor Harrington's Bible study Wednesdays, 7:00 a.m. at the Daily Grind.
- Men's Thursday Bible study meets at 12:30 p.m. in the Harvester Classroom. For more information, please contact Chad at [chad.bailey@midwaypca.org](mailto:chad.bailey@midwaypca.org).
- The Men's Monthly Bible Study will meet on February 9<sup>th</sup> at 10:30 a.m. in the Church Conference Room. For more information contact Wayne Haynes at [hayneswayne@att.net](mailto:hayneswayne@att.net).

**WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY** (Contact Susan Barry [sbarry56@gmail.com](mailto:sbarry56@gmail.com).)

- Ladies Thursday Morning Bible Study at 10:00-11:00 a.m. in the Fellowship Classroom. We will be studying the Book of Psalms. Nursery is provided.
- Ladies Evening Bible Study meets monthly at Cori Lowman's house. The next meeting is Thursday, February 19<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m. This study, focused on understanding and cultivating the Fruit of the Spirit, is led by Susan Barry. Please join us! For more info, contact Cori at (205) 332-2003. *Childcare will not be provided.*

**CHILDREN'S MINISTRY** ([matt.ross@midwayschool.org](mailto:matt.ross@midwayschool.org).)

- Kids Club Wednesdays from 6:30–7:15 p.m. in the Children's Ministry Room.

**YOUTH NEWS** ([mjcoopjr@gmail.com](mailto:mjcoopjr@gmail.com) or [mgnknight02@yahoo.com](mailto:mgnknight02@yahoo.com).)

- **No Sunday Night Bible Studies tonight!**
- Youth Group Wednesdays from 6:30–7:30 p.m. in the Youth Assembly Room.

**COLLEGE & CAREER BIBLE STUDY** meets every Tuesday at 7:00 p.m. in the Youth Assembly Room. Our group is comprised of folks up to 26 years old. Come and enjoy fellowship marked and shaped after sound teaching. For more information, contact [cilas.menezes@midwaypca.org](mailto:cilas.menezes@midwaypca.org).

**NURSERY NEWS**

Contact Jennifer Nichols [nursery@midwaypca.org](mailto:nursery@midwaypca.org).

**THOSE SERVING Sunday, February 8<sup>th</sup>**

- 9:30** Kim Washington, Courtney Chandler, Sally Knox, Julie Hagan, Emily Dewalt  
**10:45** Dami & Nelly Adeoye, Peyton Adeoye, Caoilfhionn, Clementine & Shire Owens, Patty & Ruthie Moody, Wyatt Dewalt  
**5:15** Liza Hendrix, Cindy Whitaker, Anhalise Hendrix

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- 9:30** Kim Washington, Jane Pritchett, Hogan & Leah Gowder, Camille Slayton  
**10:45** Lori Cowley, Fabia Santos, Bridget, Dan & Jackie Searles, Laura Washington  
**5:15** Liza Hendrix, Gisela Bockle, Sandra Westerfield

**Our expectant families:** Tyler & Courtney Randolph (Pursley), Jack & Katie MacGregor (MacGregor) Kevin & Halie Spangenberg (Siewert), Mitchell & Hannah Elder, Matt & Maggie Puett (Eller), Caleb & Allison Myers

**Our Military Personnel:** Nate Forrester, Asher Johnson, Guy Scott

**Midway Covenant Christian School**

**Missionaries of the Month:** Sebastian & Isabel Heck: [sebheck@mac.com](mailto:sebheck@mac.com); John Barber: [drjbl@hotmail.com](mailto:drjbl@hotmail.com); Jonathan & Beka Hastings

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

**MIDWAY OFFICERS**

***Ruling Elders***

Class of 2026: Ken Dewhurst, Paul Fish, Russ Knight, Rodney Pritchett  
Class of 2028: Jim Daniels, Wes Richardson, Brian Washington, Bob Whitaker  
Class of 2030: Jimmy Cooper, John Garmon, Rick Griffin, Scott Keese

***Deacons***

Class of 2026: Dami Adeoye, Tom Biondolillo, Charles Hagan, David Jackson, Cliff Miller, Brady Pritchett, Patrick Rockholz  
Class of 2028: Larry Eller, Justin Giannace, Joe Hash, Peter Ian, Sammy Mitchell, Wiley Pritchett, Evanda Remington

**EVENING WORSHIP**

February 8, 2026

5:30 p.m.

**CALL TO WORSHIP**

**\*HYMN OF PRAISE** "Give Thanks unto the Lord, Jehovah" #613

**\*INVOCATION**

**\*PSALM OF PRAISE** Psalms for Worship, 23B

**CONFESSION OF FAITH – WESTMINSTER LARGER CATECHISM Q. 168**

***Q. 168. What is the Lord's Supper?***

A. The Lord's Supper is a sacrament of the New Testament, wherein, by giving and receiving bread and wine according to the appointment of Jesus Christ, His death is shewed forth; and they that worthily communicate feed upon His body and blood, to their spiritual nourishment and growth in grace; have their union and communion with Him confirmed; testify and renew their thankfulness, and engagement to God, and their mutual love and fellowship each with other, as members of the same mystical body.

**PRAYER** Rev. Chad Bailey

**\*HYMN OF PREPARATION** "Soul, Adorn Yourself with Gladness" #421

**SCRIPTURE** Luke 18:18-30

**SERMON** "What Must be Done?" Rev. David Hall

**\*HYMN OF RESPONSE** "Alas! and Did My Savior Bleed" #254  
*Stanzas 1-3*

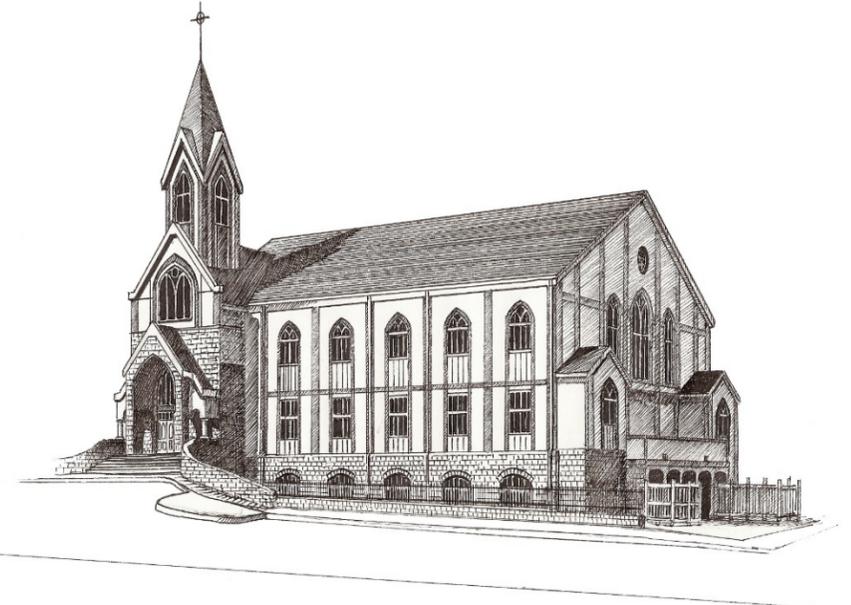
Invitation to the Lord's Table  
Fencing the Table  
Words of Institution  
Prayer of Consecration  
Distribution of the Sacrament  
Prayer of Thanksgiving

**\*HYMN OF RESPONSE** "Alas! and Did My Savior Bleed" #254  
*Stanzas 4-5*

**\*BENEDICTION**

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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.

*"Beyond all question, the mystery of godliness is great: He appeared in a body, was vindicated by the Spirit, was seen by angels, was preached among the nations, was believed on in the world, was taken up in glory."*

1 Timothy 3:16