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REID MEMORIAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH (U.S.A.)

November 10, 2024

SOUNDING OF THE CHIMES

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Rev. Nadine Ellsworth-Moran

*Please sign and pass the friendship pad to your neighbor.*

PRELUDE

*Holy, Holy, Holy*

arr. by Mark Hayes  
(b. 1953)

INTROIT

*O Be Joyful in the Lord*

John Yarrington  
(1941—2024)

*O be joyful in the Lord, all ye lands! Serve the Lord with gladness,  
And come before his presence with a song, bless the Lord!*

\*CALL TO WORSHIP<sup>1</sup>

The trumpets sound, the angels sing,

**The feast is ready to begin; O taste the peace and joy Christ brings!**

Sing with thankfulness songs of pure delight,

**And come we now to revel in heaven's love and light!**

The hungry heart he satisfies, inviting us to share his life, with us to abide—

**The doors are open, the table set, and all are welcome to come inside.**

Let us worship the Lord all who are gathered here. Let us come to the table, let us come to the font.

May we join the angels' song:

**Holy, Holy, Holy, hosanna in the highest!**

\*HYMN 485

*We Know that Christ is Raised*

ENGELBERG

\*PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Rev. Boyd Lien

God of Grace, we come before you as a confessing church, as people of the Word, affirming your sacraments. Yet we sometimes go through the motions of worship, somedays unsure of its significance for us, missing the holy moment, lost in the liturgy that sometimes seems ancient to our ears. Help us to know every moment is a sacrament, a holy, life-giving breath granted to us by your love and power to create. So as we declare your real presence at the font and the table today, may we know it beyond liturgy, beyond teaching, beyond even bread and wine and water. May we know your presence palpably around and within us, ever abiding, ever forgiving, ever renewing our life in Christ.

\*SILENT PRAYER

\*DECLARATION OF PARDON

In Christ, we have the bread of heaven to strengthen and sustain us all our days. In Christ, we have been brought to the river and risen from death to new life. We have received his goodness and mercy for no other reason than God chooses to love us forever.

**Thanks be to God! Amen!**

\*GLORIA PATRI

*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.*

OFFERING OF OUR LIVES AND LABORS

OFFERTORY

*O Lord, Most Holy*

César Franck  
(1822—1890)

*O Lord most holy, O Lord most mighty, O loving Father, Thee would we be praising always.*

*Help us to know Thee; Know Thee and love Thee. Father, grant us Thy truth and grace.*

*Father, guide and defend us. Rule Thou our willful hearts. Keep Thou our wand'ring thoughts.*

*In all our sorrows let us find our rest in Thee. And in temptation's hour save through Thy mighty power.*

*Thine aid, O send us; hear us mercy. Show us Thy favor; so shall we live and sing praise to Thee.*

\*OFFERTORY RESPONSE

*Doxology*

OLD HUNDREDTH

*Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below;*

*Praise Him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

\*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

CHILDREN'S MOMENT / DIMES FOR DINNER

Ms. Joy Maple

BAPTISM

Everett Austin Dant  
Son of Emma and Matt Dant  
Grandson of Sid and Dana Gates

Rev. Lien and Dr. Sid Gates  
Elder Ed Boland

\*HYMN 188

*Jesus Loves Me!*

JESUS LOVES ME

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Rev. Ellsworth-Moran

SCRIPTURE READING

Hebrews 9:1-12

SERMON

INVITATION TO THE TABLE

The Lord be with you.

**And also with you.**

Lift up your hearts.

**We lift them up to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

...as we lift up the words that Christ taught all his disciples, saying...

**Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.**

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

\*HYMN 260

*Alleluia! Sing to Jesus*

HYFRYDOL

\*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

\*CHORAL BENEDICTION

*God Be in My Head*

Sydney Hugo Nicholson  
(1875—1947)

***God be in my head, and in my understanding; God be in mine eyes, and in my looking;  
God be in my mouth, and in my speaking; God be in my heart, and in my thinking;  
God be at mine end, and at my departing.***

\*All who are able please stand

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<sup>1</sup> Adaptation of the hymn *The Trumpets Sound, the Angels Sing* by Graham Kendrick

# Participating in Worship



## *Preacher*

Rev. Nadine Ellsworth-Moran

## *Worship Leaders*

Rev. Boyd Lien  
Ms. Joy Maple  
Dr. Sid Gates

## *Musicians*

Dr. Wayne Lord  
Chancel Choir

## *Acolyte*

Martha Taite

## *Friendship Pad Pick-up*

Whitney Pickett

## *Ushers*

Reab Berry	William Harper
Richard Welsh	Brannon Sell
Harrison Harper	Reab Berry, Jr.
Michael Harper	Harry Welsh
Bert Gary	

## STAFF

Reverend Dr. Brandi Casto-Waters, **Pastor, ext. 303**  
 Reverend Nadine Ellsworth-Moran, **Associate Pastor, ext. 301**  
 Reverend Boyd Lien, **Parish Associate, ext. 314**  
 Mr. S.C. Toe, **Director of Music, ext. 315**  
 Dr. Wayne Lord, **Associate Director of Music / Organist, ext. 310**  
 Mrs. Jenny Davison, **Children's Music Assistant**  
 Ms. Joy Maple, **Director of Christian Education, ext. 305**  
 Miss Makenzie Landrum, **Nursery Coordinator**  
 Miss Makenzie Landrum, **Interim Director of Children and Youth Ministries, ext. 304**  
 Mrs. Anna Sanders, **Director of Mother's Day Out and Preschool, ext. 309**  
 Mrs. Dawn McCraith, **Director of Operations, ext. 302**  
 Mrs. Becky Godbee, **Communications Liaison, ext. 300**  
 Mrs. Jenn Harrison, **Financial Assistant, ext. 307**  
 Mr. Leonard Jones, **Facilities Supervisor**  
 Ms. Helen Moss, **Custodian**  
 Ms. Denisha Nelson, **Custodian**  
 Mr. Tyler Cashin, **Audio/Visual Technician**

## SESSION (ELDERS)

Denise Rosenzweig, Clerk

### Class of 2024

Scott Allen  
Julia Kay  
Mary Lewis  
Scott Monnig  
Max Vallotton  
Leila Stallworth

### Class of 2025

Bill Davison  
Jennifer Frantom  
David Freeman  
Jean McKnight  
Amanda Mills  
Richard Morgan

### Class of 2026

Shell Berry  
Indee Few  
John Franklin  
Seth Harbin  
Jed Howington  
Cheryl Wilson

## BOARD OF DEACONS

Ross Tudor, Moderator

### Class of 2024

Lisa Curley  
Annette Kennedy  
Mary Linda Lamar  
George McCall  
Bobby McRae  
Charlene Sizemore  
Ross Tudor  
Holly Harper Welsh

### Class of 2025

Linda Boyd  
Hubert Cooke  
Judy Brigham  
Jan Markle  
Carla Owen  
Gail Owens  
Harry Snowdy

### Class of 2026

Jamie Driver  
Jerry Howington  
Sumner Markwalter  
Jones Miller  
Mary-Meghan Olmo  
Brannon Sell  
Sandra Wade  
Susan Wilson



## ACTIVE STEPHEN LEADERS

Myra Naglich	Text Myra for confidential
Mandy Boland	inquiry / support:
Jones Miller	706-631-0879

## ACTIVE STEPHEN MINISTERS

Jamie Driver	Indee Few
Becky Godbee	Holly Harbin
Joy Maple	Kathryn McLeod
Barbara Miller	Ann Overstreet
Sonny Reece	Clay Stallworth
Carol Turner	Jenn Wilson

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