



June 11, 2023

ASSEMBLE IN GOD'S NAME

Preservice

Words of Welcome

Rev. Tricia Petraven

Bell Prelude

Amazing Grace

Sandra Eithun

Introit

Freedom Come

Ben Allaway

Call to Worship

Psalm 33

*Sing joyfully to the LORD,
Praise the LORD with music.
Sing to God a new song,
Sing with skill and joy!*

*From heaven the LORD looks down and sees all humanity;
From the LORD'S dwelling place God watches all who live on earth.
We wait in hope for the LORD who is our help and our shield.
In the LORD our hearts rejoice. May God's unfailing love rest upon us.*

*Hymn of Praise #620

Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven

LAUDA ANIMA

Prayer of Confession

Gracious God, we watch in amazement as you draw the circle wide, including the sinners, the outcasts, the self-serving. We should not be surprised. After all, you have included even us --- sinners of your own flock, incapable of healing ourselves, unable ourselves to keep God's standards. You extend mercy. You call us to pour out mercy with the same love in which we find respite for our souls. We hesitate, we critique, we condemn. Many times what we think are good intentions actually contribute to the brokenness of this world. Show us true healing. Forgive us. Renew us as we acknowledge quietly our personal sins---

Silent Prayer

Assurance of Forgiveness

After she touched Jesus' cloak, he told the woman, "Take heart. Your faith has made you well." We too are cleansed and healed, not because of our own reach, but through the grace and mercy of Jesus who reaches for us! In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven and restored! Thanks be to God!

*Gloria #581

GLORIA PATRI

HEAR GOD'S WORD

*Prayer for Illumination

Omniscient God, the wonder and mystery of who you are make us tremble. You are as close to us as our breath. We open to your Spirit to illuminate our hearts and minds through your Word sung, read, and proclaimed. Enlarge our spirits to receive the message you have for us this day, in Jesus' name. Amen.

*Hebrew Scripture Lesson
(OT pg. 507)

Psalm 33:1-12

Anthem

I Choose Love

Mark A. Miller

ANTHEM NOTE: In the midst of pain, of war, of brokenness... we choose love. We choose community. What better way to share this message than through a powerful song. This soulful anthem, written in response to the tragic events that occurred at Emanuel African Methodist Episcopal Church in Charleston, South Carolina in 2015, is a testament to the power of forgiveness and peace.

Children's Time

Reverend Tricia Petraven

Gospel Lesson
(NT pg. 9)

Matthew 9:9-13, 18-26

Sermon

IMPERFECT FAITH, PERFECT GOD

Reverend Terri Wetherell

RESPOND TO GOD'S GRACE

*Hymn of Reflection #216

They Met to Read the Bible

Carolyn Winfrey Gillette
ST CHRISTOPHER

(see back page for lyrics)

*Affirmation of Faith

Apostles' Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth. And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

Pastoral Prayer

Lord's Prayer

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, the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

Offertory

Hope Lingers On

Lissa Schneckenburger

*My mother, when love is gone, in our darkest hour hope lingers on.
My father, when peace is gone, in our darkest hour hope lingers on.
Refrain: I will not hate, and I will not fear. In our darkest hour, hope lingers here.
My sister, when equality's gone, in our darkest hour hope lingers on.
My brother, with tolerance gone, in our darkest hour hope lingers on.
Refrain
My love, when honor is gone, in our darkest hour hope lingers on.
My country, when justice is gone, in our darkest hour hope lingers on.
Refrain*

*Doxology #606

OLD HUNDREDTH

Prayer of Thanksgiving

GO IN GOD'S NAME

*Hymn of Sending #379

We Shall Overcome

WE SHALL OVERCOME

*Benediction

*Response

*Postlude

Lift Every Voice and Sing

J. Rosamond Johnson
Arr. Hugh Knight

Nursery

Is located in the gym building, is available for children 3 and under. Extended Care is available for children 1st grade and below immediately following Children's Time. Children will be escorted to the gym building for supervised care during the remainder of worship.

WEEKLY CALENDAR OF EVENTS

<p>Sun, June 11 9:00am Sunday School 9:45am Coffee Fellowship 10:15am Worship 11:15am Children & Youth Discipleship Meeting</p> <p>Mon, June 12 10:30am Women's Bible Study 6:30pm Buildings & Grounds</p> <p>Tues, June 13 7:45am Finance Committee 6:00pm JIPF Board of Directors</p>	<p>Wed, June 14 6:15pm Handbells 7:30pm Chancel Choir Rehearsal</p> <p>Thurs, June 15 6:00pm Board of Deacons</p> <p>Sat, June 17 8:00am Men's Bible Study Last Habitat Build Day (8am-12pm, 1pm-4pm)</p> <p>Sun, June 18 9:00am Sunday School 9:45am Coffee Fellowship 10:15am Worship Montreat Worship & Music Conference Begins</p>
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THIS WEEK'S FLORAL ARRANGEMENT is commissioned in honor and celebration of John & Nancy O'Neill's 50th Wedding Anniversary! Happy Anniversary!

NURTURE

ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES will continue through the Summer. The Disciples class will start a study of the New Testament epistles. En Gedi will also begin a new study that will be announced soon. Life's Third Age class will continue meeting as well. Join us every Sunday at 9:00am.

LADIES RETREAT THIS FALL Are you interested in attending or helping plan a women's retreat? We are in the process of planning a retreat for the fall and need help with the details. If you are interested contact Kelly Browder (843-709-3931, Kellybrowder123@gmail.com) or Karie Ann Crowther (843-442-7085 onthegokac@gmail.com).

LOOKING FOR A WAY TO HONOR A LOVED ONE'S IMPACT ON YOUR LIFE? The Flower Guild encourages you to commission flowers for worship which they are happy to beautifully arrange. Arranged flowers can be for any occasion and then taken home following worship. The cost is \$60. Simply scan the QR code to reserve a Sunday.



MISSION

SPRING MISSION PROJECT: Sea Island Habitat for Humanity
 This Saturday is your last chance to help JIPC work on Ms. Kristen's home in Ravenel! We are so thankful for the members who have given their time to help provide affordable housing in our community! Use the QR code or the paper sign up in your pew to sign up for this Saturday's morning shift, 8am-12pm, and/or the afternoon shift, 1-4pm. Lunch provided to all volunteers 12pm-1pm. No skills are needed, and all skill levels are welcome! There will be jobs available for everyone 16+, and all training and supplies are provided on-site.



They Met to Read the Bible

They met to read the Bible,
they gathered for a prayer,
They worshiped God and shared with friends
and welcomed strangers there.
They went to church to speak of love,
To celebrate God's grace.
O Lord, we tremble when we hear
What happened in that place.
O God of love and justice,
we thank you for the nine.
They served in their communities
and made the world more kind.
They preached and sang and coached and taught,
And cared for children, too.
They blessed your church and blessed your world
With gifts they used for you.
We grieve a wounded culture
Where fear and terror thrive,
Where some hate others for their race
And guns are glorified.
We grieve for sons and daughters lost,
For grandmas who are gone.
O God, we cry with broken hearts:
This can't continue on!
God, may we keep on sowing
The seeds of justice here,
Till guns are silent, people sing,
And hope replaces fear.
May seeds of understanding grow
And flourish all our days.
May justice, love and mercy be
The banner that we raise.

WEEKLY STEWARDSHIP

Amount Received as of 6-4 \$375,422

Amount Budgeted as of 5-28 \$374,909

Worship Attendance: 205 Online Views: 98

GROUND BREAKING CEREMONY

JAMES ISLAND PRESBYTERIAN FOUNDATION CHILD CARE CENTER

June 17th 10:30AM

1238 PAULINE AVENUE

Join us as we celebrate the ground
breaking of our new childcare
facility! Following will be fellowship
and music.

Please RSVP by June 7th at,
childcare@jamesislandpc.org



We offer special thanks for those
helping to lead worship today:

Preacher

Reverend Terri Wetherell

Liturgist

Reverend Tricia Petraven

Deacon of the Week

Chris Noland

Ellen De Jong

Preservice

Elizabeth Levine

Prelude

Adult Handbell Choir

Djembe

Andrea Quinn

Hebrew Scripture Lesson Reader

Kathleen Howington

Soloists

David Parler

Pam Terelak

Children's Time

Reverend Tricia Petraven

JIPC STAFF

Reverend Tricia Petraven, Interim Senior Pastor

Reverend Terri Wetherell, Interim Associate Pastor

Barbara Manaker, Director of Music

Hugh Knight, Organist & Handbell Director

Allison Hubbard, Director of Children's and Youth Ministry

Elizabeth Parler, Administrator

Marissa Whaley, Administrative Assistant

Ricky Willis, Sexton

Dan O'Brien, Sexton/Maintenance

Taylor Hill-Keathley, Technical Support