



JAMES ISLAND
Presbyterian Church

September 8, 2024

ASSEMBLE IN GOD'S NAME

Preservice

Hugh Knight

(Please sign the friendship pad located in the pew. This helps us to have a record of your presence.)

Words of Welcome

Rev. Terri Wetherell

Prelude

Prelude on "Hyfrydol"
(Love Divine, All Loves Excelling)

Phil Lehenbauer

Introit

Call to Worship (Bold indicates congregation in unison, * means stand if able)

Which of the commandments is first of all?

The Lord is our God. The Lord is one!

And the second is this:

love your neighbor as yourself.

As we gather to worship God, let us remember:

there is no other commandment greater than these.

Let us worship God!

*Hymn of Praise #828

More Love to Thee, O Christ

MORE LOVE TO THEE

Prayer of Confession

**Holy God, you call us to love you with all our heart,
and with all our soul, and with all our mind.**

**Forgive us when selfishness takes up too much of our heart,
when worry seems to crowd wonder out of our soul,
when fear causes us to stop asking questions.**

Holy God, you call us to bear with one another in love.

Forgive us when we cannot love our neighbors.

Forgive us when we cannot love ourselves.

Silent Confession

Assurance of Forgiveness

Brothers and Sisters, hear the good news:

*God is gracious, merciful, abounding in steadfast love,
and gives us forgiveness and grace.*

In the name of Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.

Thanks be to God!

*Glory to God #582

GLORY TO GOD

**Glory to God, whose goodness shines on me, and to the son, whose grace has pardoned me,
and to the Spirit, whose love has set me free. As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall
be. Amen. World without end, without end. Amen. World without end, without end. Amen.
World without end, without end. Amen. As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be.
Amen.**

HEAR GOD'S WORD

Prayer for Illumination

**God of mercy, you promised never to break your covenant with us. Amid all the changing words of
our generation, speak your eternal Word that does not change. Then may we respond to your
gracious promises with faithfulness and gratitude; through our Lord Jesus Christ. Amen.**

Old Testament Lesson
(OT pg. 163)

Deuteronomy 6:1-9

Anthem

To Love Our God

Mark Hayes

Children's Time

Rev. Barrett Payne

Gospel Lesson
(NT pg. 49)

Mark 12: 28-34

Sermon

Do We Dare Ask?

Rev. Barrett Payne

RESPOND TO GOD'S GRACE

*Hymn of Reflection #837

What a Fellowship. What a Joy Divine

SHOWALTER

New Member Joining
Don Sumner

Rev. Terri Wetherell

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 arose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven,
and sitteth on 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.***

Prayers for the People

The 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, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.***

Call to Offering

Offertory

Just as I Am, Without One Plea

by William Bradbury
arr. Hugh Knight

Doxology #606

Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

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

GO IN GOD'S NAME

*Hymn of Sending #691

Lord, When I Came Into This Life

LAND OF REST

*Benediction

*Response

*Passing the Peace

*Postlude

O Great Is the Depth

Felix Mendelssohn

WEEKLY CALENDAR

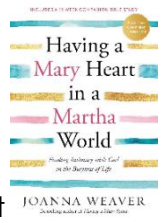
Sun, Sept. 8	8:45am	Discover JIPC Class	Tues, Sept 10	10:30am	Tuesday Morning Circle
	9:00am	Children & Youth Sunday		4:00pm	Finance Committee
		School starts		6:00pm	Foundation Board
		Adult Sunday School			
	9:30am	Coffee Fellowship		Wed, Sept 11	5:00pm
	9:50am	Cherub Choir		6:00pm	Women's Bible Study Folly Beach
	10:15am	Worship		6:15pm	Adult Handbells
	11:15am	Future with Hope Second Sunday Lunch		7:30pm	Chancel Choir
Mon, Sept 9	10:30am	Women's Bible Study	Thurs, Sept 12	6:00pm	Sisterhood Circle
	6:00pm	Adult Discipleship Building & Grounds Committee	Sat, Sept 14	8:00am	Men's Bible Study
	6:30pm	Rev-Fit	Sun, Sept. 15	9:00am	Sunday School
		First Monday Circle		9:30am	Coffee Fellowship
				9:50am	Cherub Choir
				10:15am	Worship

NURTURE

CONDOLENCES: Please join us in extending condolences to MaryEllen, Jody, and MaryKathryn Huddleston and their family and friends for the death of Joe Williford on Wednesday, September 4. We offer our sympathy and prayers.

SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS NEEDED! Get involved in spreading love and joy in our church as a Sunday School teacher! If you would like to serve God in this way, please scan the QR code on the back to sign up. We've had 24 teachers sign up so far. Thank you! **We still need 5 teachers.**

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY: Please join us for a 10-week study by Joanna Weaver called "Having a Mary Heart in a Martha World." We meet at the Folly Beach Community Center at 55 Center St. from 6:00 – 7:00pm on Wednesdays, beginning **Sept. 11**. All are welcome! For questions, contact Beth Robertson: emrmitchum@gmail.com / (843)697-6032.



JIPC BOOK CLUB Did you know we have a Book Club at JIPC? We would love to have you join us at 10:30 in the church library and then out for lunch after the meeting. Contact Nancy Tassin for questions. **Sept. 18** - *The First Ladies* by Marie Benedict, **Oct. 16** - *The Violin Conspiracy* by Brendon Slocumb, **Nov. 20** - *The Lonely Hearts Book Club* by Lucy Gilmore

MISSION

JAMES ISLAND OUTREACH urgently needs our donations of canned goods, especially canned pasta. You can deliver it directly to JIO and sign the donation logbook. This way we can track donations. You may leave your donation at the church office, and we will deliver it. Thank you!
Donated –95 Goal – 400

WORSHIP

THIS WEEK'S FLORAL ARRANGEMENT is in honor of Rev. Barrett Payne and his family, wife Ali, and children Harriet, Louise, and Malcolm. We welcome you to JIPC!

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 arrange. Arranged flowers can be for any occasion and then taken home following worship. The cost is \$75.



NURSERY VOLUNTEERS We need adult and high school youth volunteers each week to engage with our youngest members and assist the nursery staff. If you would like to serve God in this way, contact Kaitlyn Garrison, khgarrison10@gmail.com.

NURSERY is available for children 3 & under and is in the gym building. Care is available for children, 5K and below, after Children's Time. Children will be escorted for supervised care for the remainder of worship.

Weekly Stewardship

Amount Received as of

9-1-24 \$600,388

Amount Budgeted as of

9-1-24 \$608,991

Attendance 2024

9-1-24 – Attendance – 186

9-1-24 – Online - 127

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

Deacon of the Week

Marcia Jones

Preservice

Hugh Knight

Reader

Darby Davidson

Children's Time

Rev. Barrett Payne

TODAY

**A FUTURE WITH HOPE
SECOND SUNDAY LUNCH**

**ROAST BEEF CARVING STATION
PROVIDED**

SIMPLY COME, AND MAKE A DONATION FOR FOOD

WELCOME BACK

*High School
Youth Event*

SEPTEMBER, 15TH

MORE DETAILS TO COME

JOIN JIPC FOR A

Family Beach Party

SEPTEMBER 22 | 3 - 6 P.M.

GAMES. FUN. FELLOWSHIP.

Folly Beach County Park

Scan to RSVP



JIPC CHILDREN & YOUTH

**Teachers
Needed**

**Get involved in spreading love and joy in our
church as a Sunday School teacher!**

The Children and Youth Discipleship Committee
invites you to join a Sunday School teaching team
for children and youth this school year.