

*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.**

MINUTE FOR MISSION
PRAYER OF DEDICATION

Elder Jean Mandeville
Pastor Jana Creighton

PROCLAIMING THE WORD

TIME WITH THE CHILDREN
ANTHEM

The Majesty and Glory of Your Name
Chancel Choir

Pastor Jana Creighton
Fettke & Johnson

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

OLD TESTAMENT READING
EPISTLE READING

Exodus 35:30-36:4
Ephesians 2:4-10

OT 79-80
NT 181

MESSAGE

Love, Mercy, and Grace

Rev. Jana Creighton

*HYMN OF REFLECTION

God, Whose Giving Knows No Ending

Hymn 716

PRAYERS OF 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.

PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY

All Things Bright and Beautiful
Covenant Ringers

arr. Kevin McChesney

*CONGREGATION RESPONSE

**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

BEARING AND FOLLOWING THE WORD INTO THE WORLD

*SENDING HYMN

Great God of Every Blessing

Hymn 694

*CHARGE AND BLESSING

CHORAL RESPONSE

God Be With You

POSTLUDE

Prelude in F Major

J. S. Bach

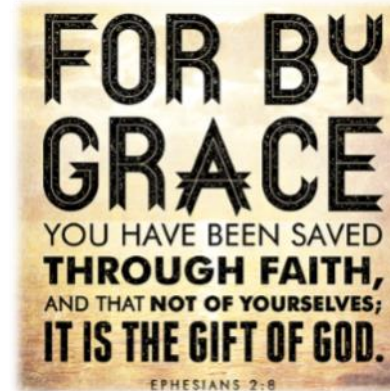
*Please stand in body or in spirit

Quilts, Quilts, Quilts!! Today is Quilt Sunday at SOPC. Please take time to enjoy these colorful quilts made with love and prayer for Prisma Children's Hospital Pediatric ICU and Children's Oncology floors. SOPC Quilters love sharing their creativity with the members of SOPC.



Shepherding News

Prayers Please
PRAYER REQUESTS
Dave Allen, Tom Falls, Linda Floyd, Joe Gause, Rafe Glymph, Ed Keelen,
John McCulloch, Alene Rogers, Dick and Barbara Schneider



SEVEN OAKS PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

February 16, 2020

Welcome! We pray that you will truly experience
God's love and grace as you worship!

Quilt Sunday



GATHERING AROUND THE WORD

STRIKING OF THE HOUR

CALL TO WORSHIP

Open the Eyes of My Heart

WELCOME and ANNOUNCEMENTS

Rev. Jana Creighton

(Please pass and sign the Friendship Register)

*MOMENT OF HOLINESS: Use this moment to admire a quilt, or with a friend, offer a blessing for those who will receive them.

*PRELUDE

Let All Things Now Living

arr. Lloyd Larson

*GATHERING OF OUR HEARTS

Elder Hal Bowman

One: In deep gratitude, we come to worship God.

All: We recognize God as the source of all goodness and grace.

One: All good gifts come from the Spirit of God:

All: love, mercy, peace, joy, patience, kindness, and gentleness are all of God.

One: We come with grateful hearts, not for things, but for who God is.

All: We gather to show our gratitude in song and prayer.

*GATHERING HYMN

When Morning Gilds the Skies

Hymn 667

PRAYER OF THE DAY

CALL TO RECONCILIATION AND PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Rev. Jana Creighton

One: In becoming one of us, God became poor so we could receive the riches of mercy. In coming to us, God took on our death, so we could be made alive together with Christ. Come, offer your confessions, knowing that by grace you have been saved.

All: The words we speak all too often do not show you in our lives, God of our pilgrimage. We spend so much time boasting to others, they imagine we have no need for you. We grumble impatiently when you don't respond immediately to our requests, but are slow to sing your praises. We mutter under our breath about the behavior of those around us, when we could be asking them if there is some way we could serve them.

It is on our journey to the cross and the tomb that you fill us with the riches of your mercy, Steadfast Love! You do so, not because of any thing we have done, but because of the compassion which flows from your heart wounded by our failings. As we open our lives to receive your forgiveness, may we turn to the Light which brings us life, following Jesus Christ, our Lord and Savior, every step of the way. (time of silent confession) Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

One: How much does God love Us?

Enough to send the divine heart, hope, and spirit to us,
not to condemn us, but to save us.

**All: Not by our speaking or doing,
but by God's good and precious grace are we saved.
Thanks be to God! Amen.**

*Please stand in body or in spirit

Sunday Worship, February 16, 2020

Greeters: Tara Whitfield, John Whitfield, Nancy Taber, Brenda Turner

Ushers: Guy San Fratello, Judy Barnes, Finn Creighton, Sandra Johnson, Pete Spearman, David Waugh

Attendance: Robert Miller, Brenda Turner

Counters: Carol Griffith, Sharon Staton, Mark Wishart

Time with the Children: Rev. Jana Creighton

Children's Church: Sue Kesterson

Sound: Marty Hilyer **Acolyte:** Abby Dempster

Opening Church: Tish Lowe

Liturgist: Hal Bowman **Nursery:** Amy Schwartz

Flowers: Pete and Marty Spearman

Sunday Worship, February 23, 2020

Greeters: Mary Lou Taylor, Sarah Drayton, Pat Byrne, Beverly Hudson

Ushers: Greg Mixon, Richard Brinkley, Monroe Swearingen, Mary Johnson

Attendance: Mark and Mary Johnson, Marty Spearman

Counters: Jeanne LeBoeuf, Sharon Staton

Time with the Children: Mark Johnson

Children's Church: Jean Mandeville

Sound: Marty Hilyer **Acolyte:** Finn Bundrick

Opening Church: Melanie Mixon

Liturgist: Polly Robinson **Nursery:** Amy Schwartz

Flowers: Robert and Kitisie Miller

STAFF

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Ed Keelen - Christian Ed. Chair

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Frank Sheppard

Treasurer: Hal Bowman

THIS WEEK AT SOPC

February 16, Quilt Sunday

9:45 a.m. Sunday School*

11:00 a.m. Worship Service*

12:00 p.m. Youth Bowling

12:15 p.m. Covenant Ringers

6:00 p.m. Chin Church Worship

February 17, Monday

6:30 p.m. Session Meeting

7:00 p.m. NANA

February 18, Tuesday

8:30 a.m. Greater Columbia Quilter's Board

9:00 a.m. Greater Columbia Quilters

7:00 p.m. YOGA & NANA

February 19, Wednesday

5:30 p.m. Koinonia

7:00 p.m. NANA

7:30 p.m. Choir Practice

February 20, Thursday

12:15 p.m. Chair Yoga

February 21, Friday

6:45 a.m. Lanterns

February 22, Saturday

10:00 a.m. Overeaters Anonymous

6:00 p.m. Chin Bible Study

February 23, Sunday

9:45 a.m. Sunday School*

11:00 a.m. Worship Service*

12:15 p.m. Covenant Ringers

6:00 p.m. Church Night Supper

6:00 p.m. Chin Church Worship

*Nursery is provided



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During the Welcome and Announcements, please pass and sign the Friendship Pads to record your presence here today. You are invited to greet each other with the love of Christ after worship.

Nursery: A nursery is available in Building A for ages 0 - 3. If you have any questions please see any of our volunteers with an "ASK ME" badge.

Children's Worship: Every Sunday following "A Time with the Children", ages 3-3rd grade can either choose to continue to worship with their families, or go to Children's Church. Please pick up children from Building A. Worship Bags for wiggly children ages 4-12 are hanging on the coat rack in the Narthex.

Guests are invited to stop by the Guest Table in the narthex. Please leave your information, when you take a goody bag, as a reminder of God's love. If you have questions please ask a volunteer with an "ASK ME" badge.

Worship CD's of services. Contact the office, ask a Sound System Volunteer in the balcony, or listen/download to podcast at www.sopc.net/sermons.

Flowers: The flowers in the sanctuary today are given to the glory of God by Pete and Marty Spearman, and in celebration of their daughter Amy's birthday, .

Music Notes: The prelude calls all to raise a song of thanksgiving to God our Creator. Today's anthem is a song of praise based on Psalm 8. The offertory is a setting of a 17th century English melody whose lyrics remind us that the good Lord made all things, the bright and beautiful, the great and small, and the wise and wonderful!

Missions Collections and Ministries: February's collection items for Sharing God's Love are: canned meats and pasta sauce. March's items will be: peanut butter and jelly. Please put in the black baskets in the Narthex or in the Missions closet by the first Sunday of the month. **Every day collections:** Pull tabs for the Ronald McDonald House and Box Tops for Education for SOES.

Elder Nominations: Today is the last day to make suggestions to the nominating committee for whom to place in nomination for the 2023 class of elders. Bright yellow forms are in the Narthex. Please fill out a form and place it in the offering plate.

Presbyterian Women in Trinity Presbytery Annual Gathering will be Saturday, March 7, 2020 at Rocky Springs Presbyterian Church in Laurens, SC. Pink registration forms are in the Narthex. March 2nd is the early registration deadline.

Souper Bowl of Caring Teams Challenge Results

5th Place with 8 cans and \$35 — Alabama Crimson Tide
4th Place with 46 cans and \$0 — Georgia Bulldogs
3rd Place with 20 cans and \$29.38 — Tennessee Vols
2nd Place with 53 cans and \$44 — Clemson Tigers
1st Place with 187 cans and \$148.85 — USC Gamecocks



Koinonia, Wednesday, February 19

Volunteers: Banks and Polly Robinson, Julie Bussells, Pat and Andy Robosky, Marsha and Kent Phillips, Carol Griffith, Heather Noë, Elizabeth and Jim Taylor.

Menu: Pork Chops and greens.

The program is Arnold Bremmer, Impressario, performing nostalgic and Broadway numbers.



The **February Ladies' Luncheon** will be tomorrow, February 17th, noon, at The Olive Garden, 274 Harbison Blvd. If you would like to attend, call Margaret Royals at (803) 957-0430 or email mroyals052@gmail.com.

February 23 at 6 p.m. will be our next Church Night Supper. Please come and enjoy being with your Seven Oaks church family. The menu will be Greek Chicken, Roasted Whole Potatoes, Seasoned Green Beans, Vegetable Medley, Greek Salad, Garlic Toast, and Dessert. After enjoying the meal, we'll play Bingo. Maybe you'll be lucky! Sign up on the Friendship Pad or call the church office.

Growth Groups are Coming

Sign up in the Narthex or Church Office.



° Great News! Due to popular demand, the **Spiritual Disciplines Class** will be meeting in the Fellowship Hall, starting next Sunday, February 23.

° **Christ and the Chocalaterié** is being offered in 3 locations. Choose which location and time works for your busy schedule.

° The Thursday noon **Praying in Color** class is filling up. Sign up soon!



The **2020 Flower Calendar** is now in the narthex. Please sign up for flowers by **BOTH** signing beside the date you want **AND** taking an envelope. Complete the information on the envelope and either put it in the offering plate or take it to the church office. May and July dates available: May 10, 17, 24; July 5, 19, 26.



A big **THANK YOU** goes to 26 volunteers from SOPC who generously provided hot meals, math tutoring, and loving hospitality last week to two families experiencing homelessness—a couple with 2 babies and a single mom with 3 preteen/teenage children. Along with volunteers from our **Family Promise** partner church, McGregor Presbyterian, we were able to make a difference in our guests' lives.



The **Women's Bible Study** is back in action and will meet on Mondays at 10:30 in the Fellowship Classroom. Jeanne LeBoeuf will be leading a study of the Gospel of Luke.