



July 23, 2017

For what we proclaim is not ourselves, but Jesus Christ as Lord, with ourselves as your servants for Jesus' sake. For God, who said, "Let light shine out of darkness," has shone in our hearts to give the light of the knowledge of the glory of God in the face of Jesus Christ.

2 Corinthians 4:5-6 (ESV)

Please silence your cell phones.

Call to Worship

Psalms 100:1-5 (ESV)

Make a joyful noise to the LORD, all the earth! Serve the LORD with gladness! Come into his presence with singing! Know that the LORD, he is God! It is he who made us, and we are his; we are his people, and the sheep of his pasture. Enter his gates with thanksgiving, and his courts with praise! Give thanks to him; bless his name! For the LORD is good; his steadfast love endures forever, and his faithfulness to all generations.

Worshiping God by Singing

You Made Us Your Own

We were ruined in our sin, we were guilty and undone
When Your love reached down with sovereign hands
And beckoned us to come

You sought out the wanderers, made the prodigals come home
With a lavish feast You welcomed us
For You made us Your own

You have loved us like You love Your Son
We are heirs with Christ bought by His blood
Oh how great the love that we've been shown
We're Your children now, You made us Your own

We are strangers to the world, but no strangers to Your throne
We draw near You now with confidence
For all our fears are gone

And when Christ our King returns, we'll meet saints we've never known
And forever we will be amazed
That You made us Your own

You have loved us like You love Your Son
We are heirs with Christ bought by His blood
Oh how great the love that we've been shown
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O Love that Will Not Let Me Go

O Love that will not let me go,
I rest my weary soul in Thee;
I give Thee back the life I owe
That in Thine ocean's depths its flow
May richer, fuller be.

O Light that followest all my way
I yield my flickering torch to Thee,
My heart restores its borrowed ray
That in Thy sunshine's blaze its day
May brighter, fairer be.

O Joy that seekest me through pain,
I cannot close my heart to Thee;
I trace the rainbow through the rain
And feel the promise is not vain
That morn shall tearless be

O Cross that liftest up my head
I dare not ask to fly from Thee
I lay in dust life's glory dead,
And from the ground there blossoms red
Life that shall endless be

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Jesus, Master, Whose I Am

Jesus, Master, whose I am,
Purchased thine alone to be
By thy blood, O spotless Lamb,
Shed so willingly for me,
Let my heart be all thine own,
Let me live to thee alone.

Jesus, Master, I am thine:
Keep me faithful, keep me near;
Let thy presence in me shine
All my homeward way to cheer.
Jesus, at thy feet I fall,
O be thou my all in all.

Jesus, Master, whom I serve,
Though so feebly and so ill,
Strengthen hand and heart and nerve
All thy bidding to fulfil.
Open thou mine eyes to see
All the work thou hast for me.

Lord, thou needest not, I know,
Service such as I can bring;
Yet I long to prove and show
Full allegiance to my King.
Thou an honor art to me:
Let me be a praise to thee.

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WORSHIPING GOD BY GIVING TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Prayer

Missionary of the Week: Pastor Ayub

Presbytery Church of the Week: Kingstree Presbyterian Church,
Rev. Dennis Nolen

Children 4-6 years old may be dismissed to Junior Church, which meets in the Junior Church room. Younger children may be escorted to their appropriate classrooms at this time. Children who attend junior church will return to the sanctuary following the closing of the sermon. Of course, children of all ages are welcome to remain in the sanctuary for the entire service.

Worshiping God by Hearing His Word

Matthew 7:1-5
(pg. 812)

Series: Kingdom Manifesto: The Sermon on the Mount
Sermon: Don't Be a Judgey McJudgerson

A judgmental, critical spirit _____ the lifestyle of kingdom citizens.

As citizens of Christ's kingdom, our actions, words, and attitudes should display something of the _____, _____, and _____ characteristic of our King.

There is also a lack of _____ when we adopt a fault-finding, condemning approach to others.

It's a sobering truth that Jesus connects this kind of judgmental attitude with _____.

What's even more sobering is the fact that the way we evaluate _____ plays a role in God's evaluation of _____.

The solution to all the problems wrapped up in this issue is found in the _____ and _____ of the _____.

So let's look to Jesus who takes away our _____ and by his Spirit _____ us into humble, loving, and merciful people

WORSHIPING GOD BY SINGING

Jesus, Lover of My Soul

Jesus, lover of my soul, let me to Thy bosom fly
While the nearer waters roll, while the tempest still is high
Hide me, O my Savior, hide, 'til life's storm is past;
Safe into the haven guide; receive my soul at last.

Other refuge have I none, I helpless hang on Thee
Leave, ah, leave me not alone, still support and comfort me.
All my trust on Thee is stayed, help from Thee I bring
Cover my defenseless head in the shadow of Thy wing

Thou, O Christ, are all I want, more than all in Thee I find
Raise the fallen, cheer the faint, heal the sick and lead the blind
Just and holy is Thy Name, I am all unrighteousness
False and full of sin I am; Thou art full of truth and grace.

Plenteous grace with Thee is found, grace to cover all my sin;
Let the healing streams abound; make and keep me pure within
Thou of life, the fountain art, let me take of Thee
Spring Thou up within my heart: to all eternity.

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BENEDICTION

Announcements

TODAY

- The flowers in the church this morning are given to the glory of God and in memory of Betty Wissler by her husband, Jim Wissler. Following the service, the ladies are encouraged to take a flower from the arrangement home with them.
- Growth groups will not be officially meeting over the summer. Some groups, however, are meeting sporadically throughout the summer. Your growth group leader will contact you if your group is meeting.

Announcements

THIS WEEK

- There will be a Missions Committee meeting on **Tuesday, July 25th** at 7:00 p.m.
- The church will be sending out a care package to deployed service member, Marcus McWilliams. If you would like to donate any items, please place them in his box located in the narthex. Some suggestions for Marcus: cards, twizzlers, Werther's, Riesen, and ground Starbucks coffee. We will be collecting for the next 3 weeks.

Announcements

COMING UP

- MOPS (Mothers of Pre Schoolers) at Alice Drive Baptist Church is looking for “Mentor Moms”, women who model Titus 2:3-5 and can mentor and love moms who have young children. Mentor Moms have “been there, done that” and are living proof that we can survive the toddler years. If you are interested or just curious about this ministry, please contact Rachelle Apol at _____. All moms of children newborn to kindergarten age are invited to a registration play date at Palmetto Park Playground on Aug. 19, 10-Noon. Come find out more about MOPS!
- Feed My Starving Children-Sumter Pack will be **August 1-2, 2017**. Westminster has reserved 50 spots on **Wednesday, August 2nd** from 3-5 p.m. The youth will be participating in this and we have room for many volunteers. Please call the church office if you would like to help serve!!
- We are still collecting bottles, filled or unfilled, for the Sumter Pregnancy Center's annual **Baby Bottle Boomerang** fund-raising campaign. Please bring the bottles to the church office. If you have any questions, please contact _____
- Ladies, we have an online Facebook Group that helps the women of the church to stay in touch. It's an unofficial group designed to allow women from Westminster Presbyterian Church of Sumter, SC to love one another through communicating about prayer requests, encouragements, and just general life. If you have a Facebook account please search for "Westminster Women" and request to join us.
- “As iron sharpen iron, one man sharpens another.” Proverbs 27:17...Our men’s ministry is growing and changing!! Please look for the news and events under it’s new name **M2M...**
- Pastor Stuart sends out a daily encouragement/exhortation email. If you would like to receive this email, please email Michele (office@westminsterpca.net) to let her know.

May Revenue	May Expense	May Budget
\$39,728.23	\$56,977.70	\$41,870.67
2017 Revenue	2017 Expense	2017 Budget
\$272,790.11	\$240,434.46	\$251,224.02
		Remaining Mortgage Balance
		\$65,432.77

TOLLE LEGE—TAKE UP & READ

July Book of the Month

Sharing Jesus Without Freaking Out

By Alvin L. Reid

You were born for this. God hardwired you—yes, you—for this. I'm talking about sharing Jesus with others. What if I told you evangelism is less about delivering a polished presentation and more about having a real conversation? What if I told you that God has created you to bring glory to himself by sharing Jesus with others, and that you don't need years of training to obey what he already made you to do? God created you for his glory to advance his gospel with the gifts, talents, and opportunities he gave you. You live at this time in history for a purpose bigger than yourself. In these pages you will read how to connect the gospel story with your story, and how to talk about that story in normal conversations with people you know. No gimmicks. Nothing clever. No need to freak out. Just you, Jesus, and others—in conversations that matter.

“Doc Reid’s passion to see souls know Jesus is evident. He has dedicated decades of his walk with Christ toward the diligent work of evangelism. Sharing Jesus Without Freaking Out is simply Doc’s way of preaching what he practices. This text will enrich your walk, serve as a practical manual for those you teach, as well as mobilize saints from all walks of life to share the good news of the gospel we’ve been privileged to steward.”
—D. A Horton, Pastor, Reach Fellowship and evangelist for Urban Youth Workers Institute

“Let’s face it: most Christians are freaked out when it comes to evangelism. We don’t need someone scolding the ineffectiveness of the church today as much as a leader to show a fresh, effective way to tell the timeless good news. My friend Alvin Reid does just that in this encouraging book. You can have real and effective conversations with people about Jesus; Alvin will show you how.”
—Ed Stetzer, Executive Director, Billy Graham Center for Evangelism at Wheaton College

Bible passages for the week of July 23rd include the following:

- Sunday

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

Saturday
- 1 Corinthians 11:1-16; 2 Kings 4; Amos 9

1 Corinthians 11:17-34; 2 Kings 5; Obadiah 1

1 Corinthians 12; 2 Kings 6:1-7:2; Jonah 1

1 Corinthians 13; 2 Kings 7:3-20; Jonah 2

1 Corinthians 14:1-25; 2 Kings 8; Jonah 3

1 Corinthians 14:26-40; 2 Kings 9; Jonah 4

1 Corinthians 15:1-34 2 Kings 10; Micah 1

Thank you for volunteering your time!

Nursery & Junior Church Schedule: July 23						
SS: Infant	SS:Toddler	MW: Infant	MW:Toddler	MW: Preschool	JC	Floater
B. Russell	D. Mizelle	T. Fitzwilliam	MC Matthews	L. Merchant A. Fitwilliam	T & C Motley B. Burns	R. Kendall

Nursery & Junior Church Schedule: july 30						
SS: Infant	SS:Toddler	MW: Infant	MW:Toddler	MW: Preschool	JC	Floater
B. Russell	D. Ayres	L. Mayes	B Self D Ullrey	K Tower E Courson E Mizelle	No Junior Church	R. Kendall

Welcome Greeters: JuLy 30

Sean & Traci Fitzwilliam

Calendar of Events

Sunday	8:45 a.m.	Officer Prayer Time (Parlor)
	9:15 a.m.	Sunday School
	10:30 a.m.	Morning Worship Service
	6:30 p.m.	Youth
Tuesday	9:30 a.m.	Ladies Bible study
	7:00 p.m.	Missions Meeting
Wednesday	6:00 p.m.	Youth
	6:30 p.m.	Ladies Bible Study– 115 Adams Ave
Friday	6:00 a.m.	Men’s Bible Study

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