



# Morning Song

October 15, 2017

8:45 and 11:00am

Welcome!

First Presbyterian Church is a community of believers committed to  
"Glorifying God and Sharing Christ Together through Word and Deed."

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Opening Music

Opening Prayer and Welcome

Moment for Mission: Winter Warmth

Children's Time

"500 Years of Reformation: Sola Gratia"

Romans 3:23-24

Dr. Thomas E. Evans

Affirmation of Faith (see next page)

Song

Prayers

Offering

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Benediction

# Today's Scripture

## ROMANS 3:23-24 (NRSV)

<sup>23</sup> since all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God; <sup>24</sup> they are now justified by his grace as a gift, through the redemption that is in Christ Jesus,

## Sermon Notes

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## Affirmation of Faith

### The 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 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.

# Participating in Today's Services

Dr. Thomas E. Evans  
Rev. Jason C. Moore  
Mrs. Jennifer MacPhail

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## Sunday School

9:45am

**CHILDREN** (Birth-5<sup>th</sup> Gr): Classes in the Clark Building

**YOUTH** (6<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> Gr): Meets in Family Life Center (2<sup>nd</sup> Floor)

### **ADULTS**

|                               |              |
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| <b>BIBLE ALIVE</b>            | Room 2210    |
| <b>CHOIR CLASS</b>            | Room 2208    |
| <b>CHRISTIAN PERSPECTIVES</b> | Room C212    |
| <b>EMMAUS CLASS</b>           | Room 2207    |
| <b>FAITH DRIVEN</b>           | Room C210    |
| <b>FELLOWSHIP CLASS</b>       | Room 2212    |
| <b>OPEN CLASS</b>             | Room 2213    |
| <b>PURNELL CLASS</b>          | Purnell Room |
| <b>SPARK (YOUNG ADULTS)</b>   | Room 2216    |

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## Be a Part of the MorningSong Team

Would you like to be a part of the MorningSong Team? You only have to volunteer one Sunday a month - showing up 15 minutes prior to the service and staying 30 minutes after the 11:00 worship to reset the room. And best of all, there are no meetings!

*Please contact Susan Polson; [s\\_polson\\_wando@yahoo.com](mailto:s_polson_wando@yahoo.com) or 843-345-1363.*

## MISSION THAT SERVES OUR NEIGHBORS AND OUR GOD

*Our congregation serves God and our neighbors at home and abroad  
with these local and international missions.*

### LOCAL MISSIONS

Poverty: Monthly Hunger Offering; Mobile Meals; Winter Warmth; TOTAL Ministries; Spartanburg Interfaith Hospitality Network (SPIHN); Habitat for Humanity; The Haven; CAST Program; Neighborhood Meal Ministry

Healing: Angel Tree; St. Luke's Free Medical Clinic; Children's Advocacy Center; HOPE Center for Children; SAFE Homes/Rape Crisis Network; Thornwell Home for Children; Presbyterian Communities of SC; Disaster Relief: One Great Hour of Sharing, Disaster Response Action Team; Kairos Prison Ministry; MLK, Jr. Celebration; Refugee Relief; Mental Health Advocacy

Education: Pine Street Elementary Tutoring; Boys & Girls Clubs; Spartanburg Presbyterian Student Association (UKIRK); Arcadia Outreach Ministry; Presbytery Unified Funds; The Shepherd's Center; Adult Learning Center

### INTERNATIONAL MISSIONS

Missionaries: Support for missionaries - **Jo Ella Holman**, *PCUSA liaison for the Caribbean*; **Mark Hare and Jenny Bent**, *mission co-workers in Haiti and the Dominican Republic*; **Mission Workers** serving with Kurds; **Mission Workers** Serving in the Middle East

Dominican Republic: Clinica Cristiana; Center for Christian Education & Development (CCED School); Sponsorship of CCED School Children; Infant Nutrition Program

Cuba: Iglesia Presbiteriana Reformada in Santa Clara partnership

Haiti: Haiti Outreach Ministries; Haiti Reforestation Project (CODEP)

Philippines: Precious Heritage Ministries orphanage and feeding program for street children

India: Set Free Alliance

Witness Season

Bread for the World

*This week, please pray for this PC(USA) Missionary:*

*Janet Guyer (Malawi) and for*

*Spartanburg City Police Officer Keith Soules (FPC's Adopt-a-Cop).*

**Staff**: **Dr. Tom Evans**, Senior Pastor; **Rev. Craig Foster**, Associate Pastor, Education/Discipleship; **Rev. Joanne Hull**, Associate Pastor, Congregational Care; **Rev. Jason Moore**, Associate Pastor for Evangelism and Church Growth; **Rev. Christi Brown**, Pastoral Associate for Missions; **Holt Andrews**, Pastoral Musician; **Marcia Andrews**, Associate Director of Music and Organist; **Penny Wright**, Director of Young Adults; **Beth Burris**, Children's Ministries Director; **Beth Cecil**, Parish Nurse; **Colleen McCullough**, Recreation Director; **Jane Mullins**, Hospitality Director

**MorningSong Musicians**: Lisa Cunningham, *piano/vocals*; Kolby Carrouth, *drums*; Cooper Cecil, *bass*; Landon Hammett, *keyboard/vocals*; Jeff Key, *acoustic guitar/bass*; Leigha Pace, *vocals*.

**Need to Step Out During the Service?** If possible, please use the door in the back of Fogartie Hall.



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