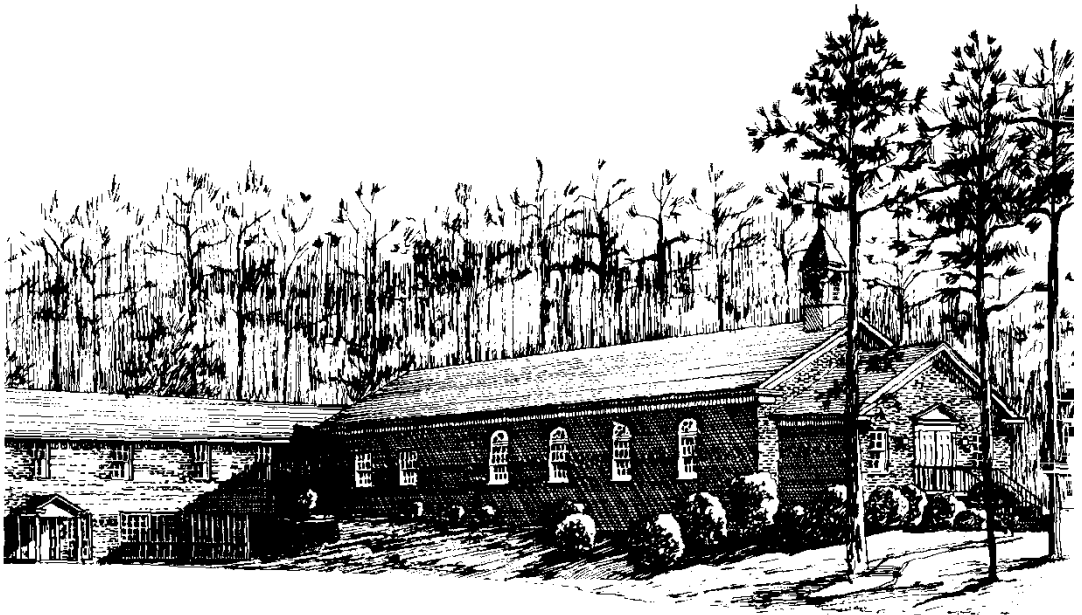


# GREGORY MEMORIAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



Christians Who Love and Care.

*“O sing to the LORD a new song; sing to the LORD, all the earth.  
Sing to the LORD, bless his name; tell of his salvation from day to day.”  
Psalm 96:1-2*

June 09, 2013

# ORDER OF WORSHIP

June 09, 2013 - 11:00 a.m.

3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday after Pentecost

Liturgical Color: **Green**

10<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

PCUSA Emphasis: "Rural Life"

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Sing to the LORD, bless his name; tell of his salvation from day to day."  
Psalm 96:1-2*

Let us prepare our hearts in silence to meet God's Spirit in worship!

## GOD GATHERS THE PEOPLE

PRELUDE

Sandra Perkins & Gail Rollings

CHIMING OF THE HOUR

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Rose Scott

PASSING OF THE PEACE/SHARING OF JOYS & CONCERNS

Rev. Jason Cashing

### Call to Worship

One: Sing praise to God, you faithful people.

**All: Give thanks to God's holy name.**

One: For the Lord restores our life;

**All: God raises us from the dead.**

One: Will the dust sing God's praise, or tell of God's faithfulness?

**All: Our souls will sing to the Lord. How can we be silent? We will give thanks to God forever.**

\*Opening Hymn

"Praise to the Lord, the Almighty"

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### Prayer of Confession (in unison)

*Lord, forgive us. We are blind to our own brokenness, yet focused on the failings of others. We are deaf to the cries of those who need us, numb to the need of those who hurt. We are silent when words are needed, impotent when action is required. Lord, hear our anguish, pity our brokenness, speak life and forgiveness to our weary souls. Amen.*

\*Congregation: please stand, if able; areas in unison or in **bold type**, read aloud.



## WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

### \*We Affirm Our Faith

We believe in God, whose Love is the source of all life and the desire of our lives, whose Love was given a human face in Jesus of Nazareth, whose Love was crucified by the evil that desires to enslave us all, and whose Love, defeating even death, is our glorious promise of freedom. Therefore, though we are sometimes fearful and full of doubt, in God we trust; and in the name of Jesus Christ, we commit ourselves, in the service of others, to seek justice and to live in peace, to care for the earth and to share the commonwealth of God's goodness, to live in the freedom of forgiveness and the power of the spirit of Love, and in the company of the faithful so to be the Church, for the glory of God. Amen.

*(from The Iona Abbey)*

### Prayers of the People **(in unison)**

*We cry to you for help, O Lord, for you alone have the power to restore our lives. Give bread to the hungry and drink to those who thirst. Give life to those who are dying, and grace to those who are sick with sin. Give justice to those who are oppressed and peace to those who live in fear. Give comfort to those who mourn and hope to those who despair. As you breathe life into dust and make dry bones dance with joy, give new life to this weary world. Through Jesus Christ, who taught us to pray together, we pray, "Our Father, who art in heaven..." Amen.*

\*Departing Hymn "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name!"

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### Blessing

One: We have been blessed!

**All: We have met for divine worship, as God's people.**

One: We have been blessed!

**All: Our sins have truly been forgiven.**

One: We have been blessed!

**All: We now go out into the world as the body of Christ, witnessing to the Risen Christ. We have been blessed indeed. Hallelujah, Amen!**

\*Pastoral Benediction

\*Choral Benediction

## WELCOME TO GREGORY MEMORIAL!

We hope and pray that as you worship with us today you may experience the love of God and be encouraged for the coming week. Visitors, make sure to let us know of your presence by completing one of the registration cards in the pews and placing it in the offering plate. We invite both visitors and “regulars” to use the cards to let us know of your prayer requests or special needs.

**VISITOR INFORMATION** --- We have special informational packets for our visitors, both adults and children. Please ask an usher for assistance.

**SUNDAY SCHOOL**---We offer engaging classes each Sunday for all ages beginning at 9:45 am. Children, youth and one adult class meet on the second floor of the Educational Building, and another adult class meets downstairs in the Fellowship Hall. Join us for coffee in the kitchen before and after class!

**NURSERY & JUNIOR CHURCH**---During the worship service, we provide loving child care for infants and toddlers. Children ages pre-K through 1<sup>st</sup> grade are invited to join their parents in the service through the Time with Children after which they can follow their leaders to a worship-based activity appropriate for their age. For children who remain in the worship service, there are “worship boards” in a box in the front right pew for their learning and enjoyment during the service.

**TODAY’S FLOWERS** are given to the glory of God in honor of the birthdays of Marguerite Bishop, Wayne Powers, and Cory Scott by Rose Scott.

**CLEANING VOLUNTEERS URGENTLY NEEDED!** Volunteers to clean the Sanctuary are urgently needed for the summer months. Thanks to all who have given their time to tidy the Sanctuary thus far. Your efforts have saved Gregory Church quite a bit. If anyone has an hour or so they would like to give toward cleaning God’s house, please stop by the Narthex table and sign up for your preferred date to clean on the “Volunteer Cleaning Schedule.” Contact Jerry Bond if you need access to the Sanctuary.

**LINE DANCING - JUNE 10:** Cancelled.

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## 2013 STEWARDSHIP TO DATE

<u>The Facts:</u>		<u>The Figures:</u>	
Annual budget expense	\$142,151	Offering 06/02	\$2,891.00
Pledged & projected income	\$127,785	Offering 06/09	
Monthly budget needs	\$ 11,846	Offering 06/16	
Weekly budget needs	\$ 2,733	Offering 06/23	
		Offering 06/30	

### ATTENDANCE: June 02, 2013

Worship: 69	Sunday School: 23
	Spiritual Enrichment 5
	Fellowship 12
	Youth 3
	One Room 3

### THESE TWO WEEKS AT GREGORY: June 09 - June 23, 2013

	<u>June 09-15</u>	<u>June 16-23</u>
Today	9:45 am Sunday School 09 11:00 am Worship	9:45 am Sunday School 16 11:00 am Worship <i>"Father's Day"</i>
Monday	9:00 am Comm. reports due 10 <i>[No Line Dancing today]</i>	9:00-9:45 am Line Dancing 17 10:00 am PG Churches Outreach /Foodbank Qtr. meeting
Tuesday	7:30 pm Evening Circle 11	9:15 am POJ Mtg. 18  7:00 pm Session meeting
Wednesday	7:00 pm Choir 12	6:00 pm BS Dinner & Honor Court 19 7:00 pm Choir
Thursday	2-8:00 pm Cleaning 13 6:30 pm Stewardship & Finance	9:00 am News articles due 20 2-8:00 pm Cleaning
Friday		
Saturday		8:45 am Bull Hill Rd. Cleanup 22

**JUNE GATEKEEPER:** Dennis Allen

**SUNDAY SERVANTS**

<b>Sunday Servants</b>	<b>Today, June 09, 2013</b>	<b>June 16, 2013</b>
USHERS & ACOLYTES (A)	Keith Spain Ruby Spain Jacob Spain Herb Schroeter  Breeana Hunter (A) Jamie Meurer (A)	Bobby Allen Donna Allen Velma Allen Jerry Bond  Justin Ellis-Bowman (A) Michalis Maloney (A)
ANNOUNCEMENTS	Rose Scott	Rose Scott
JUNIOR SERMON	Rev. Cashing	Patsy Johnson
JUNIOR CHURCH	Josh Ingram Morgan Ingram	Virginia Maloney Jared Smyth
NURSERY	Virginia Maloney	Ruby Spain
COUNTING	Morgan Ingram Ron Recher	David Johnson Glenda Mayhew

**OUR PRAYER IN TIMES OF JOY AND CONCERN.....**

Rachel Manning & family Theresa Faries & family Katherine Tompkins Marian McDonald Gladys Wiseman Frank Solesbee Audrey Turner Kenneth Figg Henry Parker June Hawks Aida Faries Clara Smith Tara Foster Pat Hunter Don Vtipil	Persons/families injured/killed in Midwest storms & tornados All who have lost loved ones to senseless & random violence Family & friends of the late Stacy Kenton (friend of the Ingrams) Harry & Pat Steele (friends of Dianne Overstreet) Maryland Blanchard (friend of Grace & Helen Cibula) Aubrey Kerley (brother-in-law of Grace & Helen Cibula) Aaron Hoover (grandson of Ron & Judy Recher) Virginia Mika (sister of Grace & Helen Cibula) Charles Lee Smyth (father of Charles Smyth) Frankie Meade (mother of Glenda Mayhew) Mary Chadwick (sister of Dink Armstrong) Alice Scudder (friend of the Spains) Ed Smiley (friend of Doug Holc) <b>Our Joy:</b> Tommy Forehand (friend of the Bishops) - condition improving
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**GMPC SESSION**

**Class of 2013**

Pamela Harsh  
Evelyn Lichvar  
H. F. Scott, Jr.

**Class of 2014**

Mary Holc  
Valerie Harsh

**Class of 2015**

Rose Scott  
Glenda Mayhew  
Mary Kay Schroeter

**Clerk of Session**

David Johnson

**GMPC TRUSTEES**

**Class of 2013**

Dennis Allen

**Class of 2014**

Ron Recher

**Class of 2015**

Donald Hunter

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