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# ASSEMBLE IN GOD'S NAME

WELCOME

PRELUDE

Alexandre-Pierre-Francois Boely

*Verset for the Kyrie*

CALL TO WORSHIP

*The Lord looks down from heaven to see if there are any  
who are wise, who seek after God.*

***They have all gone astray, there is no one who is good, no, not one.***

*Have they no knowledge, those who devour God's people  
and do not call upon the Lord?*

***O that our deliverer would come! Lord, restore our lives and make us glad.  
Let us together, worship the Lord!***

\*HYMN 475

*Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing*

NETTLETON

CONFESSION

***Creator of the universe, we imagine that we are in familiar territory, that we know what to expect of this hour, that we will leave much the same way that we came. Forgive us, and do not abandon us to our foolishness. In holy judgement, illumine our darkness. In mercy, bear us home—until we recognize your presence wherever evil is confronted, truth is spoken, and life is restored.***

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Matthew 25: 31-36

\*GLORIA PATRI 581

GLORIA

## HEAR GOD'S WORD

\*OLD TESTAMENT (OT p. 495)

Psalm 14

ANTHEM

*We Are Redeemed*

Lee Dengler

CHILDREN'S TIME

Elizabeth Souter

\*EPISTLE (NT pg. 208)

1 Timothy 1:12-17

SERMON

Reverend Sam F. Martin

A MINISTRY, A TESTIMONY

## RESPOND TO GOD'S GRACE

\*HYMN 649

*Amazing Grace, How Sweet the Sound*

AMAZING GRACE

\*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 rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sitteth at 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.***

PASTORAL PRAYER

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. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.***

OFFERTORY

*Just as I Am, Without One Plea*

arr. Hugh Knight

\*DOXOLOGY 606

OLD HUNDREDTH

## GO IN GOD'S NAME

\*HYMN 12

*Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise*

ST. DENIO

\*BENEDICTION

\*RESPONSE

\*PASSING THE PEACE

*The Lord is with you.  
**And also with you.***

POSTLUDE

*Adagio from Toccata Undecima*

Georg Muffat

Hymn note-*Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise*: The opening line of this hymn was inspired by the three divine attributes listed in 1 Timothy 1:17 (KJV), and it continues by considering how God's life exceeds our own finite existence. The text is well set to a Welsh melody shaped by many three-note units.

## THIS WEEK'S WORSHIP SERVICE

**USHERS: 8:30** Allie Oswald, Stephen Cadwallader, Billy Richardson, Stewart Clark

**11:00** Mark Rourk, Chris Crane, Bailey Crane, David Hendricks, Charlie Tyrrell, Beth Tyrrell, Ed de Jong

**SPECIAL THANKS:** Preservice, **8:30am** Kathy Harms **11am** Elizabeth Levine Liturgist, Ken Abernathy

**READERS: 8:30** Emily Oswald **11:00** Mary Beth Meggett

**FLOWER GUILD:** Debby Hodges, Marilyn Muckenfuss, Brenda Parker, Charlotte Culpepper, Cheryl Stepka-Tracey

**ROSE ON THE COMMUNION TABLE** is given in honor of the birth of Collins Louise Brown, daughter of Glenn and Lisa Brown, born September 10.

### FOR YOUR CONVENIENCE...

There are two restrooms located in the sanctuary narthex (lobby). Please use these restrooms if they are needed during worship services. Ushers can help direct you. Thank you

## JOIN US IN PRAYER

### NEW PRAYER REQUESTS

**WEEK ONE:** Amy Robinson  
Ennis Young

**WEEK TWO:** Harry Hill Roger Puza  
Ann Smith Ed Gilstrap

**WEEK THREE:** Ellen Watson  
Eddie Quinn

**WEEK FOUR:** Jane Hart

**Please also pray for the private concerns of our church family.**

**THIS WEEK'S PRAYER FAMILIES:** Scott & Mary McKellar, Brian & Amanda McKendrick (Kieran & Lucy), Barry & Cheryl McLaurin, Cam McCloud, Jacob McMahan, Joseph McMahan, James & Nancy McMahan, Betsy McMillan (Charlie) and Tom & Marilynn McMillan.

**CHRISTIAN SYMPATHY:** We extend our condolences to Steve & Amanda Heyboer and their family for the death of Steve's father on September 3; and to LeAnne Weeks, her family, and the extended Sanders family for the death of LeAnne's mother, Patsy Jones, on September 6. Mrs. Jones was also first cousin of Elliott Sanders.

If you would like to join our email prayer ministry, please contact the church office ([Office@JamesIslandPC.org](mailto:Office@JamesIslandPC.org)).

## JIPC STAFF

Reverend Sam Martin, Senior Pastor

Reverend Cameron Smith, Associate Pastor

Barbara Manaker, Director of Music

Hugh Knight, Organist & Handbell Director

Allison Hubbard, Director of Discipleship

Elizabeth Souter, Director of Children's Ministry

Elizabeth Parler, Administrator

Marissa Whaley-Gordon, Administrative Assistant

Ricky Willis, Sexton

Travis Pritchett, Sexton

## LAST WEEK AT JAMES ISLAND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Worship 341

### 2019 STEWARDSHIP

Amount Received To Date \$654,459

Amount Budgeted To Date \$665,467

### WEEKLY CALENDAR OF EVENTS

SUN, SEPT 15	8:30am	Worship	THURS, SEPT 19	3:00pm	Novel Club
	9:45am	Coffee Fellowship			
	10:00am	Sunday School	SAT, SEPT 21	7:30am	Men's Bible Study/Breakfast
	11:00am	Worship			
MON, SEPT 16	10:30am	Women's Bible Study	SUN, SEPT 22		Bring it Forward Sunday
	6:00pm	LIFE Circle		8:30am	Worship
	6:30pm	First Monday Circle		9:45am	Coffee Fellowship
TUES, SEPT 17	6:00am	Men's Bible Study		10:00am	Sunday School
	6:00pm	Session Meeting		11:00am	Worship
				12:00pm	2020 Spring Mission Planning Meeting
				2:00pm	Vision Team
WED, SEPT 18		<b>WNL</b>			
	5:00pm	Mid/Sr High Choir			
	5:30 pm	Mid/Sr High Bells			
		Children & Cherub Choirs			
		Dinner Service Begins			
	6:15pm	Adult Handbell			
	6:30pm	WNL Classes & PYC			
	7:30pm	Chancel Choir			

### MISSION

**RELIEF EFFORTS FOR THE BAHAMAS:** As we all continue to recover locally from the effects of Hurricane Dorian, our hearts are pulled to the people of the Bahamas and the great devastation that the storm has left in its wake. Two of our mission partners are already at work and will continue to support relief efforts for years to come: Water Mission and Presbyterian Disaster Assistance. If you would like to make a contribution to either organization for hurricane relief, please make checks payable to JIPC and mark them for either "Water Mission" or "PDA."

### NURTURE

**NURSERY STAFF NEEDED:** We are in need of a few more loving people to provide care for our children during worship and Sunday School on Sunday mornings. Do you have a great babysitter that you could recommend? Do you know a parent who is looking for an extra source of supplemental income? Please contact Allison Hubbard or the church office for more information.

**WEDNESDAY NIGHT LIVE CLASSES AND CHOIRS** for all have begun! Please refer to the WNL Booklets in your pew for a full listing and schedule of our WNL ministry. Additional copies can be found outside Allison's office, and if you have any questions, please contact her at [ahubbard@jamesislandpc.org](mailto:ahubbard@jamesislandpc.org) or 843-795-3111.

**REVELATION WELLNESS®-HIM&EM:** The current session runs through November 4. Classes are Monday evenings in the gym from 6:15pm-7:30pm. All are welcome to come worship through a workout. We will use a mat and light hand weights for this session. A \$3 donation is suggested. Contact Emily at [emilywoz@comcast](mailto:emilywoz@comcast) or visit the website at [www.revelationwellness.org](http://www.revelationwellness.org)

**GED CLASSES HAVE LAUNCHED!** The fall semester of GED classes at James Island Outreach are off to a great start with eight students signed up on the first day of registration. This ministry is led by a team of members from JIPC and is a joint effort by James Island Presbyterian, James Island Outreach, and the Charleston County School District. For more information, contact the church office.

**NOVEL CLUB:** returns monthly on **September 19, 3pm** at the home of Anne Christy. **Please note the location change.**

**FESTIVAL OF LIGHTS FAMILY CAMPING** is December 6-7 at the JI County Park. All families and siblings of children in K5 – grade 5 are welcome to join for campsite fun and a tour of the lights together! Check-in is between 2-4pm on Friday, 12/6. The cost is \$8/person and spots are limited. Contact Allison Hubbard, [ahubbard@jamesislandpc.org](mailto:ahubbard@jamesislandpc.org), to reserve your spot.

**NEW Sunday School Studies, starting TODAY**

**10:00 – 10:45am on Sundays**

***Living Your Strengths: Discover Your God-Given Talents and Inspire Your Community***

by Albert L. Winseman, D. Min., Donald O. Clifton, Ph.D., and Curt Liesveld, M.Div., M.A.  
Kirk Class, Library in McAllister Hall                      Leader: Libby Brown

Does their message sound familiar? Have you felt disconnected from your church lately? Or maybe you're a passionate member who wants to become even more involved?

Whatever the case, more than half of churchgoers report that they don't get to do what they do best in their congregations. It doesn't have to be this way. *Living Your Strengths* shows all members how to use their innate gifts to enrich their congregations -- right now. It teaches you to identify and affirm your talents, and how to use them for growth and service. Every church member plays a role in energizing and shaping the church. *Living Your Strengths* will help you find your role -- and, most importantly, it will inspire you to discover your true calling."

***Growing With: Every Parent's Guide to Helping Teenagers and Young Adults Thrive in Their Faith, Family, and Future*** by Kara Powell and Steve Argue

Raising Teens, Fellowship Hall                      Leaders: Kelly Smoak and Johnny Gamble

"Growing up doesn't mean growing apart. It means Growing With. As a parent of a teenager or young adult, you may feel as though you're guessing about what to do next--with mixed results. You want to stay connected with your maturing child, but you're not sure how. And deep down, you fear your child doesn't want or need you. Based on brand-new research and interviews with remarkable families, *Growing With* equips you to take steps toward your teenager or young adult in a mutual journey of intentional growth that trusts God to transform your entire family."

**Taco Bar, Rice, Corn & Beans**

**Salad Bar, Oatmeal Cookies**

**DINNER SERVED 5:30 – 6:15PM**

**RESERVATIONS:** \$6/adults, \$3/children 3-18; \$18 immediate family max

**WALK INS:** \$8/adults, \$4/children 3-18; \$24 immediate family max

PLEASE HONOR YOUR RESERVATION OR CALL THE CHURCH OFFICE TO CANCEL                      SERVING STARTS AT **5:30PM**

Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_ #Adults \_\_\_\_\_ #Children \_\_\_\_\_ Amount \$ \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Yes! I'd like to help with this week's dinner team. Please contact me: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Please sign my family up for all regular WNL meals. I understand this does not apply to the Mission Fair or Advent WNL series. I also agree to contact the church office if I cannot keep my reservation(s).