

IN OUR PRAYERS

Robbie McClure (Marie Dunnam's brother) Elizabeth Christensen (Kathy Skillen's niece), Arthur Skillen (Kathy Skillen's brother) Bob Hartness (Rev. Audrey's dad), Clifton Mabry, Sam and Edna Dillard, Kathy Skillen, Joel Thrift, Al Belauskus, Sue Costa, (Paula Meades and Shari Waldo's friend), Arlene Touart (Sherry Moats' aunt), Ed Black (cousin of De French), and Bently Carver (son of a friend of James Lawson), Cathy Mianardi (cousin of Debbie Therriault) Alston Gordon (Henry Gordon's brother), Clifton Mabry and family.

THORNWELL

Many thanks to Rachel Crescibene, Advancement Officer at SC Thornwell, for coming to speak to us about a mission that is very dear to all of us! Please give generously to this most worthy mission! We will collect for Thornwell during the month of November.

WELCOME HOME SUNDAY TODAY!

We would love to have as many of you as are able in person so that we can take a church photo after worship!

MEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Our next study will be November 5th, 10 am in the sanctuary. All men are welcomed and encouraged to attend!

WOMEN'S CIRCLE MEETING

Circle will meet November 6th, 4:30 pm in Gossett Hall. We will be studying Chapter 4 in our "Celebrate Sabbath" Bible study book. Shepherd Chuites will be our Bible study leader. Bring a goodie to share or just bring yourself for some great Sister fellowship!

SESSION

Clerk: Kim Burden

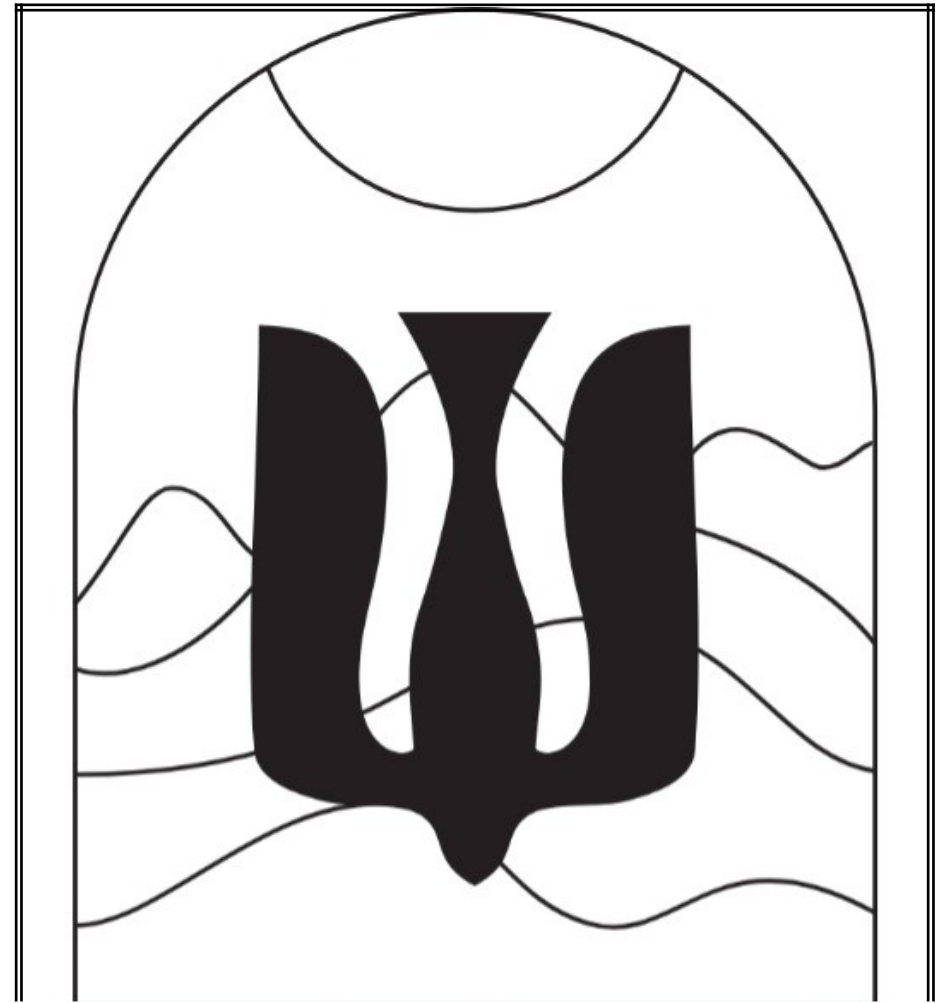
Mission/Outreach: Nita McMillan

Christian Faith & Development: Debbie Therriault

Property: John Merritt

Stewardship/Finance: Shepherd Chuites

Congregational Care: John Johnston



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Reformation Sunday

October 29, 2023

11:00 A.M.

GATHERING

Prelude: “O Master Let Me Walk With Thee”.....Gladden

Welcome and Announcements

Updates from Thornwell

Choral Call to Worship: Into My Heart

Prayer of Invocation

***Hymn 396:** “Brethren, We Have Met to Worship”.....Atkins

Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession

Waken our hearts, O Lord, our God and make them ever watchful to serve You and Your purposes. Trouble us with the smallness of our vision and work. Trouble us with the greatness of Your command to make disciples of all nations. Trouble us with Your great love for sinners and our own slowness to make You our greatest love. Trouble us with the brevity of our lives and time, talent, and treasure not invested in eternity.

Comfort us by drawing us to Yourself with the cords of Your unfailing mercy. Comfort us, O Lord, with the assurance of our salvation and unending glory with You when we suffer and are afflicted.

Rekindle in us a renewed desire for the coming of Your glorious kingdom when all wrongs will be made right, when everything that is broken will be made whole, and when we will trade a cross for a crown. In Jesus’ name we pray. *Adapted from the Prayers of Martin Luther*

(a moment of silent reflection)

Assurance of Pardon and Passing of the Peace

THE WORD

Anthem: “On Eagle’s Wings”.....Joncas

Prayer for Illumination

New Testament Scripture: Matthew 22:34-4

Sermon: “A Truth to Hang Your Hat On ”..... Rev. Audrey H. Reese

Prayers of The People and the Lord’s Prayer

***Apostles Creed** (*The Glory to God Hymnal* p. 35)

Gloria Patri (*The Glory to God Hymnal*, p. 581)

***Hymn 321:** “The Church’s One Foundation”.....Wesley

Stewardship Moment.....John Johnston

Offertory: “Have Thine Own Way Lord”.....Pollard

***Doxology** (*The Glory to God Hymnal*, No. 606)

SENDING

***Hymn 353:** “My Hope Is Built On Nothing Less”.....Bradbury

Benediction

UPCOMING SERMON: Join us next Sunday, November 5th for Worship! Our sermon title will be “Rest and Confess” with scripture readings from Hebrews 4:1-16. Bring a friend or friends to join us!