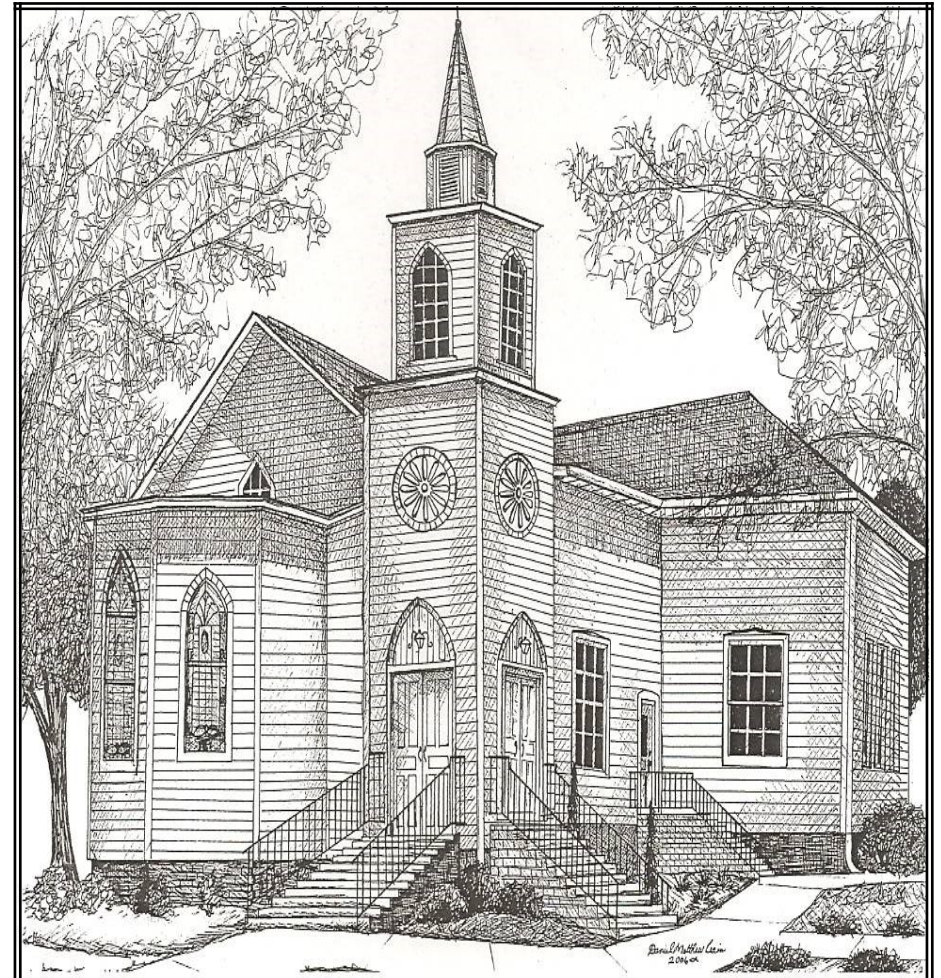


IN OUR PRAYERS

Imogene Giles, Ruth Payne, Kathy Darnell, Mary Frances Mabry, Robbie McClure (Marie Dunnam's brother,), Nancy Dougherty, Frank Guidotti (Friend of Kathy Skillen's).

ONE GREAT HOUR OF SHARING

Traditionally on Easter Sunday, we collect a special offering, in connection with the Presbyterian Church (USA), known as One Great Hour of Sharing. For over 70 years, One Great Hour of Sharing has provided Presbyterians a way to share God's love with our neighbors in need around the world. The three programs supported by One Great Hour of Sharing - Presbyterian Disaster Assistance, the Presbyterian Hunger Program, and Self-Development of People - all work in different ways to serve individuals and communities in need. From initial disaster response to ongoing community development, their work fits together to provide people with safety, sustenance, and hope. We encourage you to mail a donation to 204 N. Isundega St, Attn: Treasurer, Westminster, SC 29693, and mark the memo line "One Great Hour." You can also donate to the life and ministry of Westminster Presbyterian Church in the same way. We are grateful for your continued generosity during this time.



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Easter Sunday

April 12, 2020

11:00 A.M

GATHERING

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude: "Come Ye Faithful, Raise the Strain"Sullivan

Choral Call to Worship: "He Lives"

Prayer of Invocation

***Hymn 302:** "I Danced in the Morning"Shaker Melody

Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession:

Loving God, we confess that at times we do not share in the joy of the resurrection but are caught in the worries of the world. We confess that we do not always live in the spirit of new life but remain discontent, grumbling and anxious. Forgive us for not sharing in the Good News. Forgive us when we find it more comfortable to worry and complain than to risk the joy and encouragement of new life in Christ. Call us back to Your ways, O God, to seek hope and reconciliation, restoration and peace. In the name of the Risen Christ, we pray. Amen.

(A time of silent reflection)

Assurance of Pardon and Passing of the Peace

***Hymn:** "Up From the Grave He Arose!"Lowry

THE WORD

Anthem: "He Is Alive"Mauldin

Prayer of Illumination

Old Testament Scripture: Jeremiah 31:1-6

New Testament Scripture: John 20:1-18

Minister: The Word of the Lord.

People: *Thanks be to God*

Sermon: "Are We Ready for Easter?"Rev. Audrey H. Reese

***The Apostle's Creed** (*The Presbyterian Hymnal, p. 14*)

***Gloria Patri** (*The Presbyterian Hymnal, p. 579*)

Offertory: "Thine Is the Glory"Handel

***Doxology** (*The Presbyterian Hymnal, No. 592*)

***Hymn 113:** "Christ the Lord is Risen Today!"Williams

HOLY COMMUNION

Invitation to the Table

Prayer of Thanksgiving and the Lord's Prayer

Breaking of the Bread

Communion

Prayer after Communion

SENDING

***Hymn 102:** "Christ is Risen! Shout Hosanna!"Beethoven

*Benediction

**Congregation Standing*

Welcome! We are so glad you are worshipping at Westminster Presbyterian Church today! If you're visiting, please take a gift off the back table to remember us by, and please come back! **Upcoming Service:** Next Sunday, April 19th, we will have another virtual worship service, but we want your input! We will have more hymns, and would love your suggestions! If you have a favorite hymn that you would like to hear, please email Rev. Audrey by Wednesday, April 15th.