

OUR CHURCH TODAY

9:30 a.m.

Sunday School Classes for all ages.

10:10 a.m.

Cherub/Seraph Choir (Grades 1-2)

11:00 a.m.

Morning Worship Service, sanctuary

12:15 p.m.

Berean Sunday School Class Luncheon, Fellowship Hall

3:00 p.m.

Point Pleasant open for appropriate Lord’s Day leisure activities

3:45 p.m.

Coastal Jail Ministry Transitional Program Bible Study, Mr. Timothy Shaw

5:30 p.m.

Bluffton Worship Service, Bluffton United Methodist, 101 Calhoun Street, Bluffton, SC, Rev. Timothy Foster

5:30 p.m.

Evening Worship, Point Pleasant

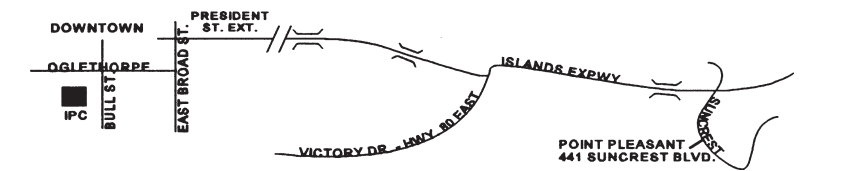
6:30 p.m.

Care Group #11 (T. Barrett) (Deacons: C. Gibson & S. Murray) Set up/Clean up for supper

6:45 p.m.

Fellowship Supper tonight

\$4.00 Adult, \$2.00 Children (2 years old to 8th Grade), \$3.00 High School and College; \$15.00 maximum per family



WEDNESDAY LUNCH AND BIBLE STUDY

WILL RESUME ON WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 7, 2016

The Wednesday service will resume in a new format. Lunch will be served in the Fellowship Hall from 11:45 a.m. until 12:15 p.m. A brief service will follow at 12:20 p.m. and end around 12:50 p.m. Make your plans to attend and invite your friends. Parking will be available in the lane and in the church parking lot.

WELCOME TO INDEPENDENT

Our Church extends a cordial welcome to all who worship with us today. Visitors receive a gold-foil badge and are asked to complete a Friendship Card in the pew rack and place it in the offering plate. Both visitors and members are encouraged to use the back of the card to request information, make comments, or write prayer needs. We are delighted to have you with us this Lord’s Day. The bulletin is your guide to the service. A more thorough explanation of our “Order of Service” is available at the front doors. Our service begins at 11:00 a.m. and ends sometime after noon.

SANCTUARY FLOWERS

The flowers today are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of her twin sister, *Joan Cope Paéz*, by *Jean Cope Ennis*.

LOW COUNTRY BOIL

Our Annual Low Country Boil will be held on Sunday, September 4, immediately following the worship service at Point Pleasant. Dinner is free to those who come to the service. We will enjoy home-made ice cream with dinner. If you would like to provide a churn of ice cream, please contact Tricia Barrett at 912-376-2506.

MINISTERIAL UPDATE

Mr. Shaw is away this morning preaching at First Scots Presbyterian Church, Beaufort, SC.

CHURCH IN BEREAVEMENT

The congregation of Independent Presbyterian Church extends sincere sympathy to *Mr. and Mrs. Marc Biemiller (Lucy)* and family on the death of Marc’s father, *Donald Leroy Biemiller*, who passed away on Friday, August 19, 2016, in Lakeland, FL.

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Worship at I.P.C.

• Thank you for turning off cell phones during the worship service.

• Please leave any food or drink outside of the Sanctuary.

• Those arriving late are asked to take their place either during the first hymn or the Psalm.

• The Audio Ministry provides CDs of previous sermons in the Narthex. All sermons preached by our ministers can be accessed from the church website at www.ipsav.org, or at www.SermonAudio.com/ipsav

• If able, please make room in your pews for others. This helps the ushers as they seat people.

• Sound amplification devices are available in the back of the Sanctuary.

• I.P.C. uses the *Trinity Hymnal* and the *Trinity Psalter*.

• Nurseries for children to the age of three provided on the second floor of the Axson Memorial Building. Children ages 4 and 5 are dismissed for a separate service following the collection.

For Prayer & Participation This Week

Tues, Aug. 30

6:30 a.m.

Men’s Prayer Breakfast, Fellowship Hall, Axson Bldg.

9:30 a.m.

Church Staff Meeting, Admin. Bldg., upstairs

11:30 a.m.

Pastoral Staff Meeting, Admin. Bldg.

Wed, Aug. 31

11:00 a.m.

Women’s Intercessor Group, at the home of Mrs. Anne Portell, 340 E. 50th Street

12:00 p.m.

No Noon Service/Luncheon

6:30 p.m.

High School Dinner & Fellowship (9th–12th Grade), 210 Whitaker Bldg., 3rd Fl. (ends at 8:30 p.m.)

6:30 p.m.

Sanctuary Rehearsal, Choir Room

Thurs, Sept. 1

7:00 p.m.

Covenant/Careers, Whitaker Street Bldg., 4th Floor

Coming Events

Sept. 4

Annual Low Country Boil, Point Pleasant, 441 Suncrest Blvd.

Sept. 7

Noon services and Luncheon resume

Sept. 8

Thursday Morning Circle begins at the home of Mrs. Don McLaurin, 1227 Bacon Park Drive, 10:30 a.m.

Sept. 11

Evening services return to downtown location; The Lord’s Supper, PM Service

Sept. 13

Tuesday Evening Circle begins at the home of Mrs. Anne Portell, 340 E. 50th Street, 7:00 p.m.

The Record of Our Faithfulness

No Wednesday Noon Service - 8/17/16

Bluffton Service 8/21/16 - 18

August 21, 2016

SS – 302 AM – 500 PM – 263

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THE LORD’S DAY MORNING WORSHIP
ELEVEN O’CLOCK

“Let us show gratitude, by which we may offer
to God an acceptable service, with reverence and awe.”
Hebrews 12:28

The Silent Prayer Upon Entering the Sanctuary

Almighty and everlasting God, give to us the increase of faith, hope,
and charity; and, that we may obtain that which You promise, make
us to love that which You command; through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.

The Prelude - “Voluntary” anonymous/Ed. R. Peek
“The Eternal Source of Light Divine” G. F. Handel
Soloist: Miss Kate Van Eck
Trumpet: Mr. Thomas Smith

Eternal source of light divine!
With double warmth thy beams display...
And with distinguished glory shine to add a luster to this day!

+ The Welcome and Announcements

The Call to Worship

+*The Hymnal - #302 “Come, Christians, Join to Sing” Madrid

* The Invocation and 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.
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil: For Thine
is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

* 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.
* this refers to the realm of the dead, not the place of punishment.
** “catholic” means “universal” church, the true church in all times and places.

* The Gloria Patri (Hymnal, #34) Leoni
The whole triumphant host gives thanks to God on high; “Hail, Father,
Son, and Holy Ghost!” they ever cry. Hail, Abraham’s God and mine!
I join the heav’nly lays; all might and majesty are thine, and endless
praise.

The Pastoral Prayer

The Scripture Reading - Psalm 113 (pew Bible p. 510);
Luke 23:13–25 (pew Bible pp. 883-884)

* The Psalter - Psalm 121 (Psalter, Page 109) Dundee

* The Prayer of Thanksgiving

The Collection

The Anthem - “Sanctus” (Holy, Holy, Holy) Charles Gounod
Soloist: Miss Kate Van Eck
Trumpet: Mr. Thomas Smith

Sanctus, Sanctus, Sanctus Dominus Sanctus, Sanctus, Deus Sabaoth Deus Sabaoth	Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty Holy, Holy, Lord God of Sabaoth. God of Sabaoth,
Pleni sunt coeli et terra Pleni sunt coeli et terra, gloria tua	Heaven and earth show Thy glory, Heaven and earth are full of Thy glory, Heaven and earth show forth thy glory. Glory and pow’r be Thine for ever
Gloria tua Sanctus, Sanctus, Sanctus Dominus Sanctus, Sanctus,Deus Sabaoth Sanctus Deus Sabaoth Hosanna, hosanna in excelsis. Amen.	Holy, Holy, Holy Lord, Holy, Holy, God of Sabaoth, Glory to Thy holy name. Hosanna in the highest. Amen.

* The Doxology & Dismissal (Hymnal #731) Old 100th
Children ages 4 & 5 may leave for a separate service as we sing
Praise God from Whom all blessings flow; praise Him all creatures
here below. Praise Him above, ye heav’nly host, praise Father, Son,
and Holy Ghost. Amen.

The Sermon Mr. Johnson
“SENTENCED TO DIE”
CLXXVI. Expositions of the Gospel According to Luke

* The Hymnal - #111 “This Is My Father’s World” Terra Beata

* The Benediction and Response (sung by all) Llangloffan
Our sun and shield Jehovah, will grace and glory give; no good will
He deny them that uprightly do live. O God of hosts, Jehovah, how
blest is every one who confidence reposes on Thee, O Lord, alone.
(Trinity Psalter, Psalm 84:11-12)

The Postlude - “A Song of Praise” Peter Hurford

* Congregation Standing + Latecomers may be seated		** Children’s Church: Dennis Boatright & Caroline Johnson	
GREETERS–ELDERS:		SUNDAY SCHOOL GREETER:	
FRONT DOOR	Elder & Mrs. D. Boatright	ELDER:	D. Gross
NORTH SIDE	J. Garnett	GREETERS–USHERS/DEACONS:	
CENTER AISLE	F. Daniell	FRONT DOOR	W. Milling
SOUTH SIDE	G. Brunson	INNER DOOR	C. DePue
WOCGREETER:	L. Helmy		

THE LORD’S DAY EVENING WORSHIP
POINT PLEASANT

FIVE THIRTY O’CLOCK

“God is spirit, and those who worship Him must
worship in spirit and truth.” John 4:24

Preparation (5:15-5:30 p.m.)
Hymn Sing - Psalm 19 (Psalms of the Month) Columbia
Announcements

Praise
Call to Worship and Prayer of Praise
* Hymnal - #580 “Lead On, O King Eternal” Lancashire

Confession of Sin, Pardon, and Thanksgiving
* Reading of the Law of God (see back panel of hymnal)
Prayer of Confession
Assurance of Pardon
Affirmation of Faith - The Westminster Creed, Part III (based on the Shorter Catechism)

I believe Christ, as our Redeemer, executes the offices of a
prophet, of a priest, and of a king. I believe Christ as our
Redeemer underwent the miseries of this life, the wrath of
God, and the cursed death of the cross, offering up Himself as
a sacrifice to satisfy divine justice, and reconcile us to God;
He was buried, yet He rose again from the dead on the third
day, ascended up into heaven, sits at the right hand of God the
Father, and is coming to judge the world at the last day.

Prayer of Thanksgiving
Collection

Provision for Life and Growth
Scripture Reading - 1 Chronicles 10 (2nd reading—pew Bible p.342)
Intercessory Prayer
* Psalter - Psalm 105:1–22 (Psalter, Page 88-89~see handout) Noel
* Prayer of Illumination
Scripture & Sermon - John 4:23, 24 (pew Bible p. 889) Mr. Johnson

“THE SPIRITUALITY OF GOD” – 2
LIX. The Identity and Attributes of God

Thanksgiving and Blessing
* Hymnal - #455 “And Can It Be That I Should Gain” Sagina
* Benediction

* Congregation Standing