

SSCC HIGHLIGHTS

- **PRAYER GROUP AFTER SERVICE** – Join us in Common Ground right after service if you need a few extra prayers this week.



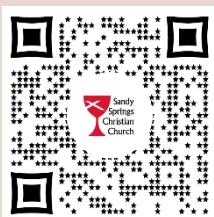
- **FAMILY FEUD AND FELLOWSHIP** - Sunday, **October 18th** after church we invite everyone to meet in Dunlap Hall for a rousing game of **Family Feud** between Staff Members vs. SSCC youth. After the game, a **hot meal** will be served. PLEASE register using the link found in our weekly email newsletter so we have enough seats for all.



- **TRUNK-N-TREAT!** – Sunday, **October 25th** after service we will gather in the parking lot, decorate our trunks and hand out candy to the kids. Please sign up if you are planning to attend, help with the event, and/or provide a trunk and candy.



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Oct. 11, 2026

10:15 am

Countdown

Welcome and Announcements Rev. Teddy Ivey

Prelude "Close to Thee" Ella Lewis
Silas Vail/arr. Harold DeCou

Bringing the Light of Christ Acolytes

***Call to Worship** John Mills

Leader: God has prepared a feast and sent an invitation to all.

All: We come with grateful hearts, ready to receive God's gifts.

Leader: The invitation reaches beyond our expectations, welcoming people from every walk of life.

All: There is room at God's table for all of us.

Leader: But the invitation is more than a call to attend; it is a call to respond with our whole lives.

All: May we answer God's invitation with generosity, faithfulness, and love.

Leader: Come, then, for the feast is ready and God is calling us!

All: Let us worship the One who invites us all!

***Opening Hymn** "Great is Thy Faithfulness" #86

Invitation to Children's Worship

At this time, children age three through fifth grade are invited to meet the children's worship leader in the back of the sanctuary for Children's Worship.

They will return to the sanctuary for communion.

Pastoral Prayer and The Lord's Prayer Dottie Gill

*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 trespasses
as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not
into temptation, but deliver us from evil, for thine is the
kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.*

Musical Offering "Something Beautiful" Tyler Fultz, Solo

Scripture Matthew 22:1-14 NRSV John Mills

Message "You're Invited" Rev. Teddy Ivey

Musical Reflection Ella Lewis

Call to Giving John Mills

Offertory "Poor Wayfaring Stranger" Ella Lewis
arr. Mark Hayes

***Offertory Response** #46

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
praise God, all creatures here below;
praise God above, ye heavenly host:
Creator, Christ and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

Blessing Our Gifts Mike Bradford, Elder

Invitation to the Table Rev. Teddy Ivey

Prayer for Bread and Cup Pat Kapphahn, Elder

Words of Institution Rev. Teddy Ivey

Communion

Please come to the front, take a piece of bread, dip it in the cup, and partake. For gluten free - please take your elements from the communion table and come to one of the serving elders or ministers for a blessing if you wish.

Welcome to Visitors John Mills

Visitors, please come to the Welcome Desk in the centrum for a gift and information. Thank you for visiting.

Disciples Affirmation and SSCC Mission Rev. Teddy Ivey

*As Disciples, we believe God calls us to be and to share the
Good News of Jesus Christ, witnessing, loving, and serving
from our doorsteps to the ends of the earth.
Sandy Springs Christian Church shares God's love through
inclusivity, service, and spiritual growth.*

Invitation Rev. Teddy Ivey

***Closing Hymn** "Jesus Loves Me!" #113 – v. 1, 3

***Benediction** Rev. Teddy Ivey

Postlude "Festival Postlude in G" Ella Lewis
W. Eugene Thayer

*All that are able, please stand.