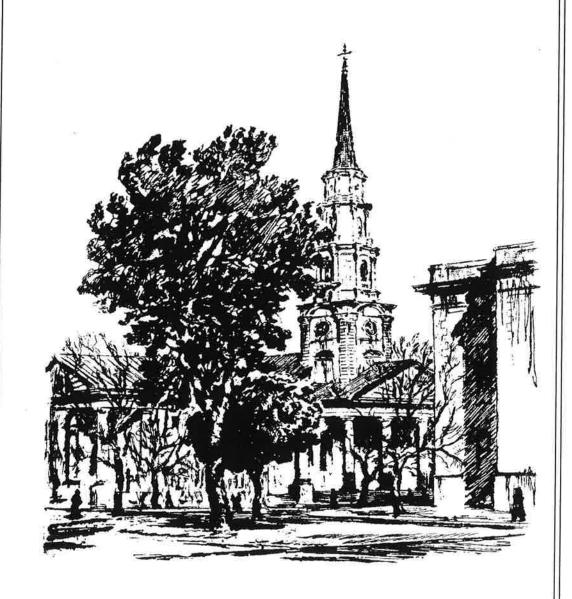
Independent Presbyterian Church of Savannah



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THE LORD'S DAY MORNING WORSHIP SANCTUARY ~ TEN 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

The Prelude - "A Mighty Fortress Is Our God" arr. Dietrich Buxtehude

The Sounding of the Hour

+ . The Welcome and Announcements

The Silent Prayer of Preparation

O Lord, we beseech You to keep Your Church and household continually in Your true religion; and to stir up every member of the same to adorn Your holy profession, by putting on tender mercy, humility of mind, meekness, long-suffering; that, resting only on the hope of Your heavenly grace, and doing all in the Name of our blessed Savior, we may evermore be defended by Your mighty power; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Call to Worship - Psalm 3:4-5

arr. from the The Psalmes of David in Prose and Meeter, 1635

Text (from the Anglo-Genevan Psalter, 1564):

Then with my voice upon the Lord I did both call and cry;

And He out of His holy hill did hear me by and by.

I laid me down, and quietly I slept and rose again.

For why? I know assuredly, the Lord will me sustain.

+* The Hymnal - #76 "Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven"

Lauda Anima

* 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.

* The Gloria Patri

(Hymnal, #283)

Ebenezer

Alleluia! Alleluia! Glory be to God on high; alleluia to the Savior, who has won the victory; alleluia to the Spirit, fount of love and sanctity. Alleluia! Alleluia to the Triune Majesty. Amen.

The Pastoral Prayer

^{*} this refers to the realm of the dead, not the place of punishment.

^{** &}quot;catholic" means "universal" church, the true church in all times and places.

The Scripture Reading - Mark 3:7–35 (4th reading—pew Bible p. 838) Acts 8:26–40 (pew Bible p. 917)

The Psalter - Psalm 15 (Psalter, Page 9~see insert)

Lowry

The Prayer of Thanksgiving

The Collection

The Anthem - Brother James' Air

arr. Gordon Jacob

Sanctuary Choir

The Lord's my Shepherd, I'll not want, He makes me down to lie In pastures green; He leadeth me the quiet waters by.

My soul He doth restore again, and me to walk doth make Within the paths of blessedness, e'en for His own name's sake.

Yea, though I pass through shadowed vale, yet will I fear no ill; For thou art with me, and thy rod and staff me comfort still.

My table thou hast furnished in presence of my foes; My head with oil thou dost anoint, and my cup overflows.

Goodness and mercy all my days will surely follow me; And in my Father's house alway my dwelling place shall be.

The Doxology and 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

"AN ETHIOPIAN'S CONVERSION" XXVII. Expositions of Acts of the Apostles

- The Hymnal #469 "How Sweet and Awful Is the Place" (see insert) St. Columba
- The Benediction and Response St. Columba (sung by all) We long to see your churches full, that all the chosen race may, with one voice and heart and soul, sing your redeeming grace. (Trinity Hymnal, #469, stanza 6)

The Postlude - from Magnificat del Settimo Tuono Hans Leo Hassler

* Congregation Standing

+ Latecomers may be seated

** Children's Church: David and Priya Goeser Assisting: Timothy Shaw

GREETERS-ELDERS:

NORTH SIDE SOUTH SIDE

FRONT DOOR Elder & Mrs. M. Hazeltine J. Breckenridge

D. Gross

SUNDAY SCHOOL GREETER: A. Brodmann ELDER: **GREETERS-USHERS/DEACONS:** FRONT DOOR: J. Gift BAPTISMAL FONT: S. Clavijo

Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven

Praise the LORD, all his works everywhere in his dominion. Praise the LORD, O my soul. Ps. 103:22



Psalm 15



How Sweet and Awful* Is the Place



^{* &}quot;Awful" here means "full of awe."

THE LORD'S DAY EVENING WORSHIP

THE LORD'S SUPPER

SANCTUARY ~ 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 - Communion hymns Announcements

Praise

Call to Worship and Prayer of Praise

* *Hymnal* - #529 "Love Divine, All Loves Excelling"

Beecher

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 II (based on the Shorter Catechism)

I believe our first parents, though created in knowledge, righteousness, and holiness, sinned against God, by eating the forbidden fruit; and that their fall brought mankind into an estate of sin and misery;

I believe God determined, out of His mere good pleasure, from all eternity, to deliver His elect out of the estate of sin and misery, and to bring them into an estate of salvation by a Redeemer;

I believe the only Redeemer of God's elect is the Lord Jesus Christ, who, being the eternal Son of God, became man, and so was, and continues to be, God and man in two distinct natures, and one person, forever

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Collection

Provision for Life and Growth

* **Psalter** - Psalm 5 (Psalter, page 3)

Aberystwyth

* Prayer of Illumination

Scripture and Sermon - Matthew 18:23–35 (pew Bible p. 824)

Mr. Shaw

"Forgiven and Thus Forgiving"

Prayer of Intercession

Invitation to the Lord's Table

Hymn of Preparation - Psalm 51:1–11 (*Psalter*, page 42)

Redhead

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

You may partake of the elements as you receive them

Thanksgiving and Blessing

* *Hymnal* - #461 "Not What My Hands Have Done"

Leominster

* Benedict

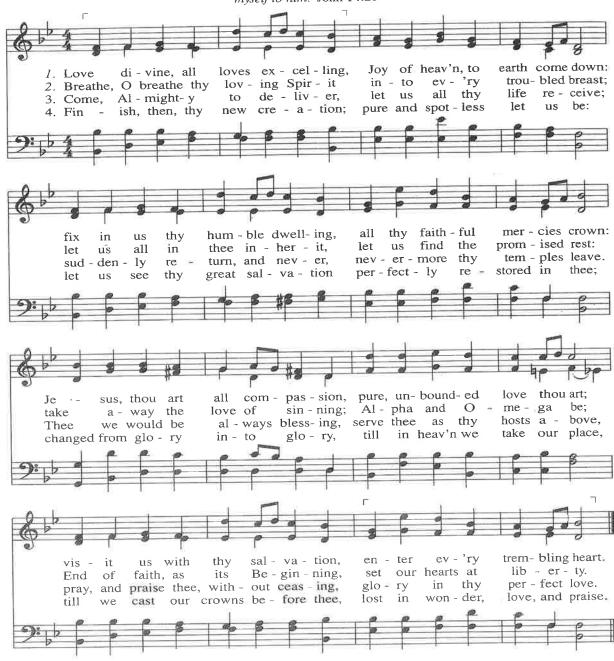
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Assisting: Evan Gear

Congregation Standing

Love Divine, All Loves Excelling

He who loves me will be loved by my Father, and I too will love him and show myself to him. John 14:21



Charles Wesley, 1747

BEECHER 8.7.8.7.D. John Zundel, 1870; alt. 1990

THE TEN COMMANDMENTS

And God spoke all these words, saying, I am the LORD thy God, which have brought thee out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of bondage.

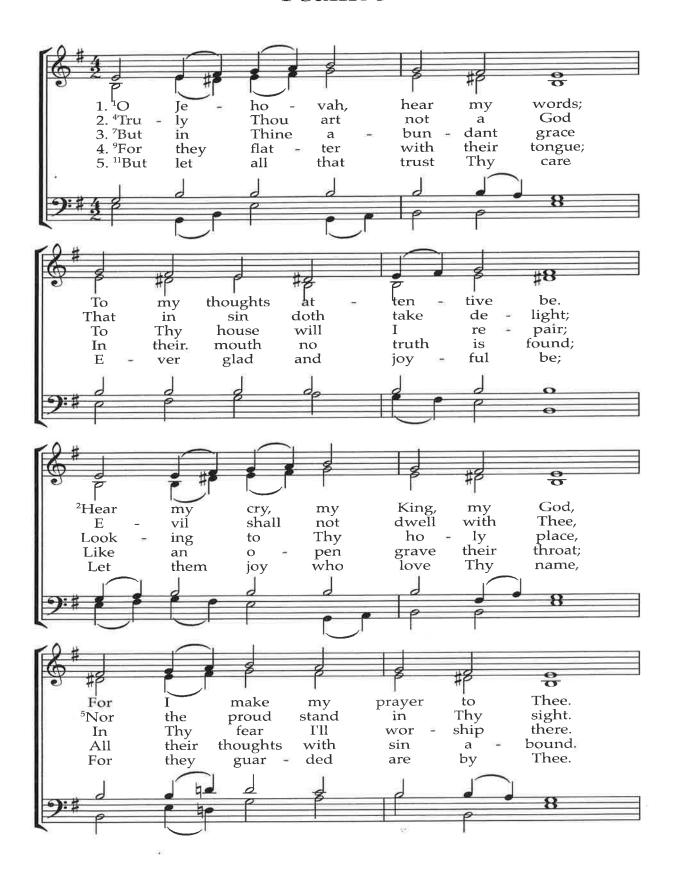
- I. Thou shalt have no other gods before me.
- II. Thou shalt not make unto thee any graven image, or any likeness of anything that is in heaven above, or that is in the earth beneath, or that is in the water under the earth: thou shalt not bow down thyself to them, nor serve them: for I the LORD thy God am a jealous God, visiting the iniquity of the fathers upon the children unto the third and fourth generation of them that hate me; and showing mercy unto thousands of them that love me, and keep my commandments.
- III. Thou shalt not take the Name of the LORD thy God in vain; for the LORD will not hold him guiltless that taketh his Name in vain.
- IV. Remember the Sabbath day, to keep it holy.

 Six days shalt thou labor, and do all thy work: but the seventh day is the Sabbath of the LORD thy God; in it thou shalt not do any work, thou, nor thy son, nor thy daughter, thy man-servant, nor thy maid-servant, nor thy cattle, nor thy stranger that is within thy gates; for in six days the LORD made heaven and earth, the sea, and all that in them is, and rested the seventh day: wherefore the LORD blessed the Sabbath day, and hallowed it.
- V. Honor thy father and thy mother: that thy days may be long upon the land which the LORD thy God giveth thee.
- VI. Thou shalt not kill.*
- VII. Thou shalt not commit adultery.
- VIII. Thou shalt not steal.
- IX. Thou shalt not bear false witness against thy neighbor.
- X. Thou shalt not covet thy neighbor's house, thou shalt not covet thy neighbor's wife, nor his manservant, nor his maid-servant, nor his ox, nor his donkey, nor any thing that is thy neighbor's.

Hear also the words of our Lord Jesus, how he saith: Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy mind. This is the first and great commandment. And the second is like unto it: Thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself. On these two commandments hang all the law and the prophets.

* The 6th Commandment forbids not all forms of killing, but specifically unjust killing, that is, murder.

Psalm 5





Psalm 51:1-11



He saved us, not because of righteous things we had done, but because of his mercy. Titus 3:5



		OUR CHURCH TODAY
П	9:00 a.m.	Sunday School classes for all ages
11	10:00 a.m.	Morning Worship Service, sanctuary
П	3:45 p.m.	Chatham Transitional Ministry Bible Study, Rev. Evan Gear
П	4:15 p.m.	Youth Choir Rehearsal (6 th -12 th grades), Choir Room
Ш	5:30 p.m.	Evening Worship Service, sanctuary
П	6:30 p.m.	Care Group #6 (J. Garnett) (Deacon: T. Rodenberg and
П	•	R. Kelly) Set up/Clean up for supper.
11	6:45 p.m.	Fellowship Supper tonight, Fellowship Hall
11	•	\$5.00 Adult, \$3.00 Children (2 years old to 8th Grade),
Ш		\$4.00 High School and College; \$16.00 maximum per family
П	6:45 p.m.	Youth eat in the Telfair Hall
П	7:00 p.m.	Chapel Choir Rehearsal (1st-5th grades), Choir Room
Ш.,	7:00 p.m.	Middle School Emmaus Road, 210 Whitaker Bldg., 4th Fl.
Η.	7:00 p.m.	High School Small Groups, various locations

WEDNESDAY LUNCH AND BIBLE STUDY

Telfair Hall ~ Lunch at 11:45 a.m. Bible Study 12:20 p.m.

Message by Rev. Evan Gear

WELCOME TO INDEPENDENT

Our Church extends a cordial welcome to all who worship with us today. Visitors 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 10:00 a.m. and ends sometime after eleven o'clock.

LOOKING FORWARD TO THE LORD'S SUPPER

The Lord's Supper will be celebrated during the evening worship service tonight at 5:30 p.m. Because of the exceptional blessing we have in this sacrament and the danger to eating and drinking unworthily, it is necessary that we come to it with knowledge, faith, repentance, love and the hungering and thirsting souls after Christ and His benefits. The congregation is encouraged to use all appointed means, public and private, to come to the Lord's Table, depending upon God for the gracious preparation of the heart, according to His promise (Psalm 10:17).

COMBINED TUESDAY/THURSDAY MORNING CIRCLE

The combined Tuesday and Thursday Morning Circles will meet at the home of Mrs. Susan Mullininx, 103 Baymeadow Point (Southbridge) on Thursday, February 10, beginning at 10:30 a.m. Please R.S.V.P. to Susan at (912) 713-5474—call or text,

MONTHLY THURSDAY EVENING GATHER TO PRAY

All ladies are invited to come for dinner and fellowship starting and 6:00 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Barbara Rustine, 466 Copper Creek Circle (Pooler). We will gather to pray at 6:30 p.m. Please R.S.V.P. to Barbara at (912) 306-9876 if you will be attending.

CHURCH IN BEREAVEMENT

The congregation of Independent Presbyterian Church extends sincere sympathy to *Mrs. Dian "Dede" Roberts* and *Mr. and Mrs. Todd Rodenberg (Megan)* and family on the death of Dede's mother, *Dorothy Caliandro Taube*, who passed away on Wednesday, January 26, 2022.

HERITAGE SUNDAY

Next Sunday morning, February 13, we will observe the celebration of our church's Scottish heritage in our service. Members and friends are encouraged to wear colonial costumes or Scottish attire. Our tartan banners will be on display and a bagpiper will be participating in the service.

COMBINED SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES

All Sunday School Classes—Youth through Adult—will meet jointly in Telfair Hall next Sunday, February 13, for the Annual meeting.

MINISTERIAL UPDATE

Mr. Foster will be preaching at First Presbyterian Church Pooler this morning.

The Pastoral & Educational Staff

Terry L. JohnsonSenior Minister	421-8100
Timothy P. FosterAssociate Minister	
Timothy D. ShawAssociate Minister	
Evan J. GearAssistant Minister	
Miguel D'AzevedoPastoral Intern	
Joshua M. Espinosa,Director of Administration	421-8111
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Kenneth C. CroweDirector of Camps	
Jacob H. FuhrmanDirector of Music	
A. Paul Rodgers, JrDirector of Youth and Family	
Barbara L. RustineDirector of Children's Sunday School	

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IPC Sexton:	

Worship at IPC

- Thank you for turning off cell phones during the worship service or placing them on "airplane mode."
- · 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.
- Our Sunday services are now available as a Live Webcast for those who are unable to join their local congregation. You can join the service at ipcsav.org/webcast.
- The Audio Ministry provides CDs of previous sermons by calling the church office. All sermons preached by our ministers can be accessed from the church website at www.ipcsav.org, or at www.SermonAudio.com/ipcsav
- If able, please make room in your pews for others. This helps the ushers as they seat people.
- · Sound amplification devices are available by asking a deacon at the front doors.
- IPC uses the Trinity Hymnal, Trinity Psalter and the Trinity Psalter Hymnal,
- Nurseries for children through the age of three are provided on the second floor of the Axson Memorial Building, Children ages 4 through Kindergarten are dismissed for a separate service following the Choir Anthem.

For Prayer & Participation This Week

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Tues, Feb. 8	6:30 a.m. 8:30 a.m. 9:30 a.m. 11:30 a.m. 7:00 p.m. 8:00 p.m.	Men's Prayer Breakfast, Fellowship Hall Church Staff meeting Women's Bible Study, Telfair Hall Directors' Meeting, Administration Building iPRIMES Bible Study (older adults) (via ZOOM only) College Bible Study (location TBA)
Wed, Feb. 9	11:45 a.m. 5:30 p.m. 6:30 p.m. 6:30 p.m. 6:30 p.m. 7:15 p.m. 9:00 p.m.	Noon Luncheon/Bible Study, Telfair Hall Handbell Choir Rehearsal Sanctuary Choir rehearsal, Choir Room Women's Evening Bible Study, Whitaker Street Bldg., 1st Floor, IA High School Dinner, Fellowship Hall High School Fellowship, 210 Whitaker Street Bldg., 3st Floor RUF
Thurs, Feb. 10	10:30 a.m. 6:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 8:00 p.m.	Tuesday/Thursday Circle at the home of Mrs. Susan Mullininx, 103 Baymeadow Point Gather To Pray, at the home of Barbara Rustine, 466 Copper Creek Circle, Pooler Careers, Telfair Hall Women's ZOOM Book Study/Reading Group. Call Tamara Thompson for information at 912-856-5540

Coming Events

- Feb. 13 Heritage Sunday; Annual meeting at 9:00 a.m. in Telfair Hall
- *Feb. 15 Session/Diaconate meeting (*Tuesday instead of Monday)
- Feb. 18-20 Youth Winter Retreat, Camp Glisson, Dahlonega, GA

The Record of Our Faithfulness

Wednesday Noon Service 2/2/2022 – 40

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