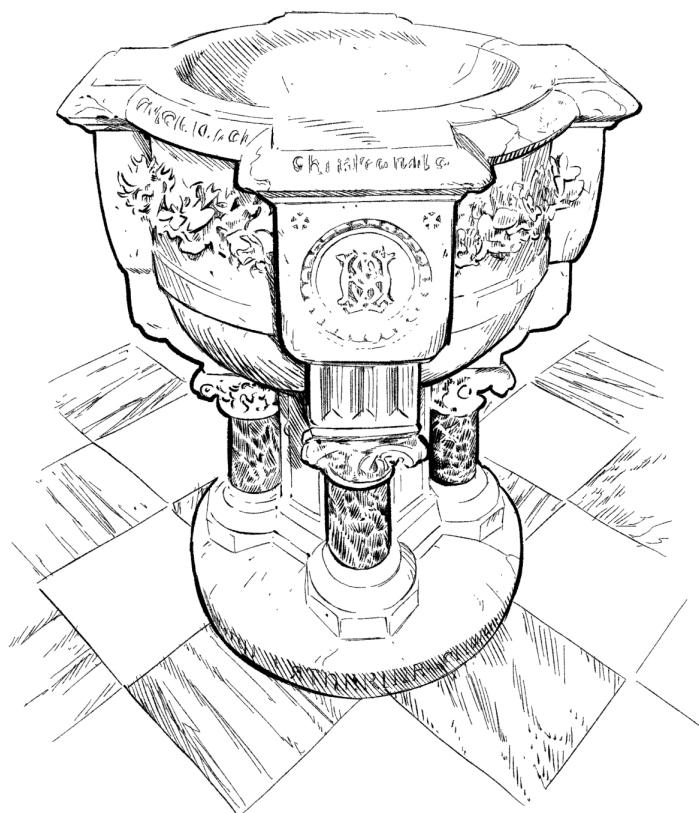


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THE LORD'S DAY MORNING WORSHIP

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 Prelude - Wer nur den lieben Gott läßt walten / If thou but suffer God to guide thee, Op. 65, no. 63

Sigfrid Karg-Elert

The Sounding of the Hour

+ The Welcome and Announcements

The Silent Prayer of Preparation

O God, whose blessed Son was manifested that He might destroy the works of the devil, and make us the sons of God, and heirs of eternal life; grant us, we beseech You, that, having this hope, we may purify ourselves, even as He is pure; that, when He shall appear again with power and great glory, we may be made like Him in His eternal and glorious kingdom; where with You, O Father, and You, O Holy Spirit, He lives and reigns, ever one God, world without end. Amen.

The Call to Worship - Psalm 116:7–8

Little Cornard

Text:

Return unto thy rest,
Return, my weary heart,
With the Lord's bounty blessed;
My rescue, Lord, thou art.
My soul from death, mine eye from tears,
My feet from falling, God uprears.

— Psalm 116:7–8, version by John Keble (1839)

+* The Hymnal - #347 "The Church's One Foundation"

Aurelia

* 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*, #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

The Scripture Reading - Isaiah 39 (46th reading—pew Bible p. 599)
Psalm 104 (pew Bible pp. 502–503)

The Reception of New Members

The Sacrament of Covenant Baptism

- * **The Psalter** - Psalm 23 (*Psalter*, page 17) Crimond
- * **The Prayer of Thanksgiving**

The Collection

The Anthem - “The Eyes of All Wait Upon Thee” Jean Berger

Text:

The eyes of all wait upon thee;
And thou givest them their meat in due season.
Thou openest thine hand,
And satisfiest the desire of every living thing.
— Psalm 145:15–16 (KJV)

- * **The Doxology and Dismissal** 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’ly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.
Amen.

The Sermon

“THE WORKS OF GOD – 4”
Providence –2
XXII. Psalms For All of Life

Mr. Johnson

- * **The Hymnal -** #170 “Fairest Lord Jesus” Crusader’s Hymn
- * **The Benediction and Response** (sung by all) Germany
Be Thou, O God, exalted high!
And, as Thy glory fills the sky,
So be it o’er the earth displayed,
And Thou, as there, be here obeyed.
— *Trinity Psalter*, Psalm 57:11

The Postlude - Magnificat in G minor: vi. Dialogue. Vif et marqué
Jean-François Dandrieu

* Congregation Standing
+ Latecomers may be seated

** Children’s Church: Jennifer Immel and Lindsey Van Puffelen
Assisting: Mr. Shaw
Organist and Choirmaster: Jacob H. Fuhrman

GREETERS—ELDERS:

FRONT DOOR Elder & Mrs. R. Mullininx, Jr.
NORTH SIDE D. Boatright
SOUTH SIDE M. Hazeltine

SUNDAY SCHOOL GREETER:

Elder: S. Jackson, Jr.
GREETERS—USHERS/ DEACONS:
FRONT DOOR: P. McLean
BAPTISMAL FONT: J. Tomlinson

THE LORD'S DAY EVENING WORSHIP

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** - Psalm 67 (*Psalm of the Month*) Missionary Hymn

* **Announcements**

Praise

Call to Worship and Prayer of Praise

+* **Hymnal/Psalter** - #12 “Exalt the Lord, His Praise Proclaim”
(Psalm 135)

Creation

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 I
(based on the *Shorter Catechism*)

I believe man's chief end is to glorify God, and to enjoy Him forever;

I believe that the word of God, contained in the Scriptures of the Old and New Testaments, is the only rule given to direct us, how to glorify and enjoy God.

I believe God is a Spirit, infinite, eternal, and unchangeable, in His being, wisdom, power, holiness, justice, goodness, and truth;

I believe there is but one true and living God; that there are three persons in the Godhead: the Father, the Son, and the Holy Ghost; and that these three are one God, the same in substance, equal in power and glory;

I believe God's purpose is eternal, having foreordained whatever comes to pass; that God made all things of nothing, by the word of His power, in the space of six days, and all very good; and that God preserves and governs all His creatures and all their actions.

Prayer of Thanksgiving
Collection

Provision for Life and Growth

Scripture Reading - Revelation 18 (20th reading—pew Bible pp. 1038–1039)

Prayer of Intercession

* **Hymnal** - #648 “My Jesus, I Love Thee” Caritas

* **Prayer of Illumination**

Sermon - Genesis 2:4–7 (pew Bible, p. 2) Mr. Shaw
“SHOULD YOU BELIEVE IN YOURSELF”
XII. Genesis

Thanksgiving and Blessing

* **Hymnal** - #689 “Be Still, My Soul” Finlandia

* **Benediction**

OUR CHURCH TODAY

9:00 a.m.	Sunday School Classes for all ages (Nurseries available for children through the age of 3 on the 2 nd Floor, Axson Bldg.)
10:00 a.m.	Morning Worship Service, sanctuary
11:30 a.m.	College Lunch provided at 18 W. Hull Street after the service
11:30 a.m.	Care Group #8 (Milling) Luncheon in the Fellowship Hall
3:45 p.m.	Chatham Transitional Ministry Bible Study, Mr. Andrew Becham
4:15 p.m.	No Youth Choir Rehearsal (6 th -12 th Grade)
5:30 p.m.	Evening Worship Service, sanctuary
6:30 p.m.	Care Group #12 (G. Brunson) (Deacons: B. Field, and A. Soutar) Set up/Clean up for supper
6:45 p.m.	Fellowship Supper tonight, Fellowship Hall \$8.00 Adult, \$5.00 Children (Middle School and younger), \$30.00 maximum per family
6:45 p.m.	Telfair Hall is available for additional eating space
7:00 p.m.	Children's Choir Rehearsal (1 st -5 th grades), Choir Room
7:00 p.m.	No Middle School Emmaus Road
7:00 p.m.	No High School Small Groups

WEDNESDAY LUNCH AND BIBLE STUDY

TELFAIR HALL ~ LUNCH AT 11:45 A.M.

BIBLE STUDY 12:15 P.M.

MESSAGE BY MR. ANDREW BECHAM

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.

SANCTUARY FLOWERS

The flowers today are given to the glory of God and in celebration of the baptism of **Monroe Elizabeth Mullininx** by her grandparents Rick and Susan Mullininx.

BAPTISM

The sacrament of covenant baptism will be administered during this morning's worship service by Mr. Johnson to **Monroe Elizabeth Mullininx**, daughter of **Mr. and Mrs. Matthew M. Mullininx (Madeline)**.

RECEPTION OF NEW MEMBERS

We are receiving back into membership this morning **Miss Avery Elizabeth Allen, and Mrs. Amanda Board Doelle**. We are delighted to have them rejoin as members of our congregation. Please extend to them your hand of greeting and fellowship.

WEDDING CONGRATULATIONS

The Independent Presbyterian Church extends congratulations to **Mr. and Mrs. S. Hunter Boatright** who were united in marriage on Saturday, February 7, 2026 at Faith Presbyterian Church in Birmingham, AL. Mrs. Boatright is the former Miss Abby Reid.

ANNUAL CONGREGATIONAL MEETING

The annual congregational meeting will be held next Sunday morning, February 22, at 9:00 a.m. in the Telfair Hall.

2026 WORLD MISSIONS CONFERENCE

Our annual 2026 World Missions Conference will be held February 26–March 1, at IPC's downtown location. On Thursday and Friday evenings a free catered dinner will be provided at 5:45 p.m., prior to the mission presentation. We will only be asking for reservations if you plan to attend the Men's Prayer Breakfast (held on Saturday at 8:00 a.m. in Telfair Hall) or the Women's Brunch (held on Saturday at 11:00 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall). You may register and pay using the QR code. Both of these events will cost \$6 per person/\$20 for family of four. The conference will conclude on Sunday evening with a service and free catered meal.



The Pastoral & Educational Staff

Terry L. Johnson	Senior Minister
Timothy D. Shaw	Associate Minister
Evan J. Gear	Associate Minister
Alexander B. Sutherland	Assistant Minister
Andrew P. Becham	Pastoral Intern
Joshua M. Espinosa	Director of Administration
Lucy B. Biemiller	Children's S.S. and Program Coordinator Women of the Church Coordinator
Jane H. Boatright	Nursery Coordinator
Matthew L. Burt	Director of Pastoral Care
Kenneth C. Crowe	Director of Camps
Jacob H. Fuhrman	Director of Music

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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 available as a Live Webcast for those who are unable to attend. The service may be joined at ipcsav.org/webcast.
- All sermons can be accessed from the church website at www.ipcsav.org.
- 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.
- Experience sermons in your native language with our real-time translation feature! Powered by Microsoft Translator, it brings worship services to life in any language. Simply scan the QR code in the pew rack, grab the app from your app store, launch it, and choose your language. A deacon or usher can assist.
- IPC uses the *Trinity Hymnal*, *Trinity Psalter* and *Trinity Psalter Hymnal*.
- **Nurseries for children through the age of three are provided on the second floor of the Axson Memorial Building, during the morning and evening services. In the morning service, children ages 4 through Kindergarten may be dismissed for a separate program following the Collection and the Anthem.**

For Prayer & Participation This Week

Tues, Feb. 17	6:30 a.m.	Men's Prayer Breakfast, Fellowship Hall
	8:00 a.m.	Women Gather to Pray at Miss Sophie's Marketplace, 175 Bourne Ave., (inside Mighty 8 th Air Force Museum)
	8:30 a.m.	Church Staff Meeting, Admin. Building, upstairs
	9:30 a.m.	Women's Bible Study, Telfair Hall
	11:00 a.m.	Pastoral Staff Meeting, Administration Building
	6:30 p.m.	ESL Classes, Whitaker Street Bldg., 1 st Floor
	7:00 p.m.	iPRIMES Bible Study (older adults) (via ZOOM only), contact Matthew Burt for information (mburt@ipcsav.org)
	7:00 p.m.	College Bible Study, The Parlor at 18 W. Hull Street
Wed, Feb. 18	11:45 a.m.	Noon Luncheon/Bible Study, Telfair Hall
	5:30 p.m.	Handbell Choir Rehearsal, Sanctuary
	6:30 p.m.	Adult Choir Rehearsal, Choir Room
	6:30 p.m.	Womens' Evening Bible Study, The Parlor, 18 W. Hull Street
	6:30 p.m.	High School Dinner, Fellowship Hall
	7:15 p.m.	High School Fellowship, Hull Street Bldg., 2 nd Floor
Thurs, Feb. 19	7:00 p.m.	Careers, Telfair Hall

Coming Events

Feb. 22	Annual Meeting at 9:00 a.m.
Feb. 26	Dead Theologians' Society
Feb. 26–Mar. 1	World Missions Conference
Mar. 8	Daylight Savings Time begins
Mar. 8	Spring Inquirers' Class begins

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