

# THE LORD'S DAY

JUNE 1, 2008  
8:30 & 11:00 a.m.

Welcome, Congregational Ministries, and Information

*Please use this time to set your hearts on Christ and pray for the Word, our worship, and that holiness and reverence will be known among us.*

PRELUDE *Hymn to the Trinity* Sjolund

CALL TO WORSHIP

PRAYER OF CONFESSION:

Lord God, eternal and almighty Father, we confess and truly recognize, before Thine holy majesty, that we are poor sinners, conceived and born in iniquity and corruption, inclined to do evil, unprofitable for all good; And that from our vice we endlessly and ceaselessly transgress thine holy commandments. Nevertheless, Lord, we are displeased with ourselves for having offended against Thee, and we condemn ourselves and our vices with true repentance, desiring that Thy grace support us in our calamity. Have pity upon us, then, God and Father, most blessed and full of mercy, in the name of Thy Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. And in wiping out our vices and spots, pour upon us and increase from day to day the gifts of Thine Holy Spirit, in order that, recognizing our unrighteousness with all our heart, we may be touched with displeasure, which engenders true repentance in us, which, mortifying us in all sins, produces in us fruits of righteousness and innocence that may be agreeable to Thee, by Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

\*HYMN OF PRAISE "And Can It Be That I Should Gain" #455

\*THE 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, for ever. Amen.

\* HYMN OF RESPONSE "It Is Well with My Soul" #691

PRAYER

THE GIVING OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

*(Please sign the registration pad with complete address)*

OFFERTORY

\*DOXOLOGY

\*THE OFFERTORY PRAYER

PSALTER READING Psalm 126 p. 832

ANTHEM *Whatever God Ordains Is Right* arr. Scott

Whatever God ordains is right; His holy will abideth.  
I will be still, whate'er he doth, and follow where he guideth.  
He is my God; though dark my road, He holds me that I shall not fall,  
Wherefore to him I leave it all.

Whate'er my God ordains is right; He never will deceive me;  
He leads me by the proper path; I know He will not leave me.  
I take, content, what he hath sent; His hand can turn my griefs away,  
And patiently I wait His day.

My God is true; each morn anew sweet comfort yet shall fill my heart,  
And pain and sorrow shall depart.

Rose Wichterman, soloist

\*HYMN OF PREPARATION "The God of Abraham Praise" #34  
*Dismissal of children ages 4 and 5 to Children's Church*

SCRIPTURE John 8:33-58

SERMON "Spiritual Paternity" Rev. David Hall

\*HYMN OF AFFIRMATION "This Is My Father's World" #111

\*BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE *With Grateful Heart* St. Petersburg

GREETING Please extend a cordial welcome to visitors and regular attenders.

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\*Congregation please stand  
\*\*Deacons will seat late arrivals

The flowers are given today by Tom and Lucy Todd in memory of their parents  
Mollie and Gene Wilbur and John and Pearl Todd.

Notes:

The congregation is cordially invited to the ordination &  
installation service for Joel Smit on the evening of June 8<sup>th</sup> at  
6:00 p.m. and a reception to follow.

*Each family is asked to provide one dozen whole sandwiches  
cut in half ready to be served*

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**CHURCH DIRECTORY SIGN-UP** - Midway is compiling a new pictorial directory for members. Please schedule a time for a photograph to be taken of you or your family by choosing a time-slot on the sign-up sheet in the Narthex. Photography will take place each Sunday throughout the month of June in room A8 (last room on left downstairs) from 9:00 to 1:00. If you have any questions, contact Scott Hankal at [hankals@bellsouth.net](mailto:hankals@bellsouth.net).

**A NEW INQUIRERS CLASS** – began today at 9:45 a.m. in the choir room. It's not too late to join. Please see Michael Brock for more information.

**MUSIC CAMP** - June 23-27, 9:00 a.m. – 12:00p.m. for grades 1-12. There is no charge for this camp. This is a combined project of the Children's and Music ministries. Sign up forms are on the Children's Ministry Table. For information, contact Marc Harrington ext 1103 or Judy Dodd ext 1106.

### **CHILDREN'S MINISTRY:**

- June 7th Father-Son outing--We will leave from the Church parking lot at 8:30 am Sat. morning for the Matthew's family land. Bring a fishing pole, hiking shoes and comfortable clothes. We'll be playing games, eating burgers and dogs, and plan to return between 3:00 and 5:00pm. Sign up at the children's ministry table.
- Children's Ministry Potluck Lunch - **today** following the 11:00 service. Anyone with children in K4 - 5th grade please join us for a time of fellowship and an informational meeting about our summer programs and activities. According to last name, please bring the following to share:  
A-G: Entree (finger sandwiches, pasta salad, etc.) H-M: Chips or some other side dish N-R: Dessert S-Z: Two 2 liter drinks

### **YOUTH NEWS:**

- No Youth Group this Wednesday.
- No Discipleship this Sunday.
- June 4<sup>th</sup> – Atlanta Braves Game, we will leave the church at 11:00 a.m. Contact Joel to sign up.
- June 15<sup>th</sup> – Homerun @ the Smit's – 7:30 p.m.
- June 16-20 Middle School RYM

**MISSIONS TRIP** –A Midway team will return to New Orleans to assist St. Roch Community Church (PCA) [www.strochcc.org](http://www.strochcc.org) in the ongoing efforts to renovate/rebuild their church. Trip dates are June 21-June 28, and we'll be helping with general construction/renovation efforts. All skill levels welcome. Contact Kip Howard 770 426-8948 or [kiphoward@bellsouth.net](mailto:kiphoward@bellsouth.net) for more info.

**No Wednesday Fellowship Supper until after summer break.**  
*Joe York's prayer group and adult choir rehearsal will meet as usual.*  
**Wednesday Evening Bible Study resumes at 7:00 p.m. on June 18th.**

## NURSERY NEWS

### **THOSE VOLUNTEERING SUNDAY June 1<sup>st</sup>**

- 8:20** Alicia Bartlett, Julie Dykstra, Cole & Bryan Dykstra 9:35 Cliff & Christie Cook, Jeannie Fair, Doug & Dena Clapp
- 10:50** Mary & Luke Burton, Ragan & Priscilla Brock, Joe & Denise Monroe, Mattie & Samuel Griffith, Chris & Lori Cowley,
- 5:50** The Pritchett's

**THOSE VOLUNTEERING SUNDAY June 8<sup>th</sup>**

- 8:20** Susan & Whitney Brookins, Dylan Crumbley, Nicole Neumeier  
**9:35** Amanda Caden, Heather Cartwright, Paco Combes Joel & Sandy Kroese,  
**10:50** Anna Kate Cartwright, Marshall & Leila Chumley, Rachel & Sarah Howard,  
 Terri & Melody Kayler, Donna Way, Katie, Maribeth & Christy Wichterman  
**5:50** Laura Joseph, Austin & Tyler Joseph

**SPECIAL CARE MINISTRY Sunday, June 1<sup>st</sup>**

- 8:30** Carolyn Sqrow, Clay David Jr.  
**9:45** Peter Trottier, Clay David Jr.  
**11:00** Patricia Hall, Kim Matthews

**SPECIAL CARE MINISTRY - Sunday, June 8<sup>th</sup>**

- 8:30** Anne Herbert, Phil Dudt  
**9:45** Penny VanNortwick, Phil Dudt  
**11:00** Teresa Bursi, Jeff Jeffries

**LONDON TRIP** - Please pray for the Midway London mission trip slated for July 26 through August 2, 2008. Pray that God will provide the needed funds, our preparations, and hearts of those we come in contact to be softened for the gospel.

**Congregational Prayer Needs:** Jerry Hobbs, Lela Russell, Jennifer Blanton (John and Kris Ross' daughter), M.C. Joiner (Ken Joiner's dad), John Ross

**Our expectant families:** David & Jennifer Westall, Paul & Tori Fish, Paul & Nikki Allen, Dan & Karen Widner, Richard & Beth Ann Bowers, Jason & Shari Purdue, Craig & Karen Burnsed, Clare & Nathan Richardson, David & Elizabeth DeMar, Eric & Amy Bonner

**Our Military Personnel:** Brady Pritchett, Adam Cook, Dave Brigham, Doug Hayes, Will Talley, Nate Forrester, Christian Nelms, Daniel Klein, Wiley Pritchett, Josh, Zach, and Jake Stoppenhagen

**Midway Covenant Christian School**

**Missionaries of the Week:** Guillermo and Jeannie Salinas – PEF, Mexico

**Church of the Week:** King's Chapel Presbyterian Church - Carrollton

*A full list of prayer requests is available in the Narthex.*

**ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL**

**Spring Quarter**

<u>Class</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Teacher</u>	<u>Subject of Study</u>
Berean Fellowship	F1	Paul VanNortwick	The Gospel of John
Grace	F3	Charlie Bursi	1 <sup>st</sup> Kings
	Sanctuary	Wendell Way	The Principles and Elements of Public Worship
		Lewis Godwin	
Harvester	F2	Huck Whitener	Hebrews
		Jim Wolff	
		Phil Dudt	
		Ken Dewhurst	
L.I.G.H.T.	Parlor	Dr. Leon Combs	The Revelation to John
Ralph Scott (Men's)	F5	Joe York	Hebrews
		John Fair	
Racerunners	Old Sanc	Ed Knox	1 Timothy
		Paul Allen	
		John Fair	
Women	F4	Kris Ross	The Beginnings of Christianity
		Sharon Rhodes	
Young Adult	B107A	Brett Edwards	1 <sup>st</sup> & 2 <sup>nd</sup> Corinthians

**MIDWAY OFFICERS**

**Active Ruling Elders**

Class of 2008: *Charlie Bursi, Mike Kline, Rodney Pritchett, Jeff Talley*

Class of 2010: *Don Barnett, Warren Jackson, Wes Richardson, Lindsey Tippins,*

Class of 2012: *Scott Keese, James Scott, Wendell Way, Jim Wolff*

**Active Deacons**

Class of 2008: *Clay David, Steve Furlong, Reggie Harris, Claude Hemphill, Roger Rhodes*

Class of 2010: *Christopher Braaksma, Kip Howard, Paul Keel, Eric Klein, Ryan Leslie*

Class of 2012: *Greg Bartlett, Scott Hankal, Greg Kistner, Paul Wagoner, Mac Worley*

# EVENING WORSHIP

June 1, 2008

6:00 PM

PRELUDE

CALL TO WORSHIP

*HYMNS OF PRAISE	“O God, We Praise Thee”	#105
	“The Tender Love a Father Has”	#93

\*INVOCATION

*HYMNS OF PRAISE	“O the Deep, Deep Love of Jesus!”	#535
	“Thy Works, Not Mine, O Christ”	#524

PASTORAL PRAYER

NEW TESTAMENT READING	Colossians 3:1-17
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*HYMN OF PREPARATION	“Great Is Thy Faithfulness”	#32
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*(Children may be dismissed during the final stanza.)*

SCRIPTURE READING	Leviticus 18
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SERMON	“Old Morality”	Rev. David Hall
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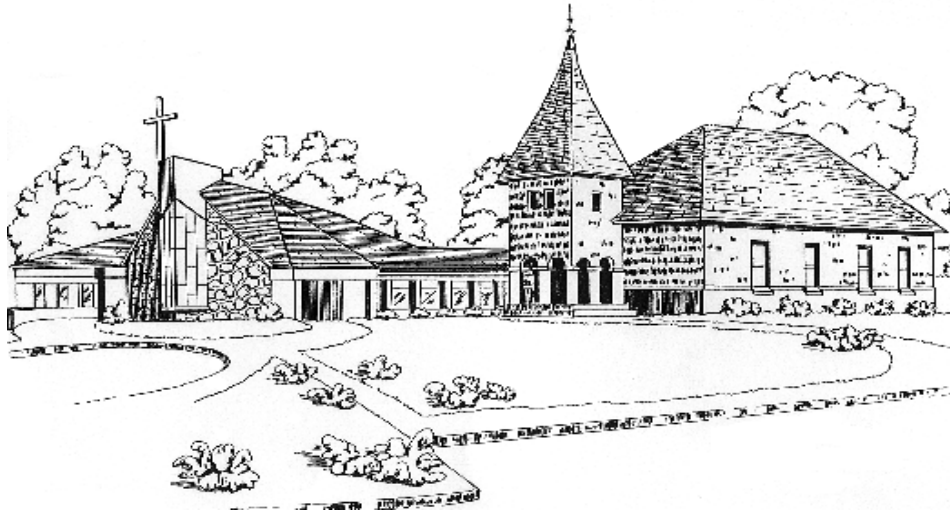
*HYMN OF RESPONSE	“Take Time to Be Holy”	#537
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BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

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## MIDWAY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

WHERE CHRIST IS KING AND HIS WORD RULES

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Rev. Marc Harrington, Assistant Pastor  
Rev. Joel Smit, Assistant Pastor

Founded in 1850, Midway Church is a congregation of the Presbyterian Church in America (PCA), a Reformed, evangelical denomination organized in 1973. Our church seeks to be Scriptural in both its government and its doctrine. We believe the Bible is the inerrant Word of God, our infallible and divine authority in all matters of life and faith.