

THE SESSION

Rev. Stuart Fowler Moderator
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Mike Moses Outreach
David Brooks Missions
Stuart Fowler Christian Education
Gavin Bell Social Concerns

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Rob Elliotte, Van Chairman

Rob Elliotte Jan, Apr, July, Oct.
Matt Grigg Feb, May, Aug, Nov.
Bob Grigg Mar, Jun, Sep, Dec.

CHURCH STAFF

Rev. Stuart Fowler Pastor
David Jackson Music Director
Melissa Jackson Organist
Marilyn Brooks Custodian
Melissa Holbrooks Secretary



Prayer Requests



Health Concerns

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| Bill Best | Mae Ferguson | Betty Oates |
| Betty Barnes | Charles Ferguson, Sr. | Mildred Oates |
| Shirley Brown | Piper Hamel | Edith Petty |
| Phyllis Carter | Ashley Henderson | Anne Roach |
| Jimmy Carter | Mary Jackson | Awilda Stowe |
| Al Cox | Jean Love | George Stowe |
| Micki Crawford | Linda McCoy | |
| Carolyn Evans | Archie Oates | |

Shut-ins

Mrs. Betty Cribb Wellington House
Mrs. Mary Jackson Terrace Ridge
Mrs. Awilda Stowe Stanley Total Living Center: Rm: 142
Mr. George Stowe Stanley Total Living Center: Apt 316
Mr. & Mrs Gene White Home

Salvation

Please pray for those in our community who do not know Jesus as their Savior and Lord. Ask God to show us ways He would have us reach out to them.

World Witness Prayer Update

An update from the refugee trip. Our purpose was to better understand the global refugee crisis and hear firsthand accounts from refugees and church leaders. We began in southeast Turkey, where many refugees first arrive. Then we traveled to Izmir, Turkey, and finally visited Berlin, Germany which is the goal for many refugees. We were struck by the depth of suffering and hearing their stories made us realize the situation is worse than we have seen on the news. But we also walked away with new hope. God has placed His people at each of these key locations to show His love and mercy. We heard not only stories of trauma and despair but of hope that comes from the Gospel. Thank you for your prayers and sacrifice that allow trips like these for the glory and expansion of His kingdom.

Special Concerns

Please notify your Shepherd Group Leader of any special concerns, if someone is in the hospital, or if someone has been out for a while.

Due to the Privacy Act, hospitals cannot give out information unless we have a patient's name, nor do they contact the church unless requested by the family.

Crowders Creek

Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church

For the glory of God, Crowders Creek Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church is committed to proclaiming the Gospel of Jesus Christ, equipping disciples, and witnessing to our community and the world.



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9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. Wednesday - Thursday
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THE MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE

Rev. Josh Brister
 Second Sunday of Easter
 April 3, 2016

Reflect silently preparing your hearts for worship.

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| Welcome and Announcements | | Rob Elliotte |
| Striking of the Hour | | |
| Prelude | | Organist |
| Choral Call to Worship | <i>"Holy Ground"</i> | Adult Choir |
| Prayer of Invocation and The Lord's Prayer | | Rev. Brister |
| *Hymn of Praise | <i>"Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven"</i> | Hymnbook No. 31 |
| *The Reaffirmation of Faith | <i>"Apostles' Creed"</i> | Hymnbook Page 12 All |
| The Gloria Patri | | All |
| Morning Prayer | | Rev. Brister |
| *Offertory Hymn | <i>"Crown Him with Many Crowns"</i> | Worship & Rejoice No. 317 |
| Worship Through Giving | | |
| *The Prayer of Dedication | | |
| The Presentation of Tithes and Offerings | | |
| *The Doxology | | Hymnbook No.544 All |
| Anthem | <i>"River In Judea"</i> | Adult Choir |
| Scripture | 1 Corinthians 9:1-16 | |
| Sermon | | Rev. Brister |
| *Closing Hymn: | <i>"We Will Glorify"</i> | Worship & Rejoice No. 337 |
| *The Benediction | | Rev. Brister |
| *The Postlude | | |
| *Those who are able, please stand. | | |

Following the Anthem ages four through seven are invited to leave for Children's Church.

WELCOME

We welcome each one of you who has come to worship God today. Whether you are a faithful member, a treasured friend, or an honored guest, we praise God for your presence.

THE FLOWERS IN THE SANCTUARY TODAY
 are given to the glory of our God.

ATTENDANCE SUNDAY March 27: 119 (not including nursery)

| Children's Ministry | | |
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| | Nursery | Children's Church |
| April 3 | Martin and Allison Moses | Rick and Chris Oates |
| April 10 | Dana Fowler and Wanda Cooper | Andy and Phayvanh Welborn |

| Weekly Donation Information (General Fund Only) | Anticipated | Actual |
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| LAST WEEK (week 13) | \$3,925.81 | <u>\$3,242.78</u> |
| YEAR TO DATE (week 13) | \$51,035.53 | <u>\$50,604.75</u> |
| YEAR BUDGET 2016 | \$ 204,142.00 | |

| Acolyte Schedule | |
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| 04/03 | Nathan Davidson |
| 04/10 | Addison Key |
| If you are absent on your scheduled Sunday, or if you are scheduled for a Communion Sunday, you will light the candles again on your next turn. | |

birthday blessings

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| April 3rd | Steve Crawford |
| April 3rd | Rev. Stuart Fowler |
| April 3rd | Zackary Moses |
| April 7th | Matthew Grigg |
| April 5th | Melody Mauney |
| April 11th | Nathan Davidson |