



Starkville Presbyterian Church PC (U.S.A.)

October 23, 2022

20th Sunday after Pentecost

Order of Worship

Welcome & Announcements

Prelude *I Will Exalt My God, My King* TE EXALTARÉ, MI DIOS

Introit *I Will Call upon the Lord* I WILL CALL

+Call to Worship (From Psalm 84)

One: How lovely is Your dwelling place,

All: O Lord of hosts!

One: My soul longs, indeed it faints

All: For the courts of the Lord.

One: My heart and flesh sing for joy

All: To the living God!

+Opening Hymn #620 *Praise My Soul, the King of Heaven* LAUDA ANIMA

+Call to Confession

The God of mercy waits in compassion to show mercy. Together, let us seek God's forgiveness.

+Prayer of Confession *Unison*

Loving God, too often we hide beneath the veil of religion or trust too much in the good things we do. Smug and safe in our pews, we look down on those not here, thankful we are not like them. Shatter us with the truth that all have sinned, even us. We have failed to live as the people You call us to be. Cleanse us and restore us, for the sake of Jesus, our Savior. (Moment of Silence)

+Assurance of Pardon

One: Whether we are close or whether we are standing far off, God's love in Jesus Christ seeks us out and gathers us in. This is good news!

All: In Jesus Christ we are forgiven!

Offering

Offertory *Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow* PRAISE GOD

+Doxology #606 *Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow* OLD HUNDREDTH

+Prayer of Thanksgiving

Special Music *Great Are You, Lord* Smith & Smith

Prayer of Illumination

+Scripture Reading Luke 18:9-14 (Pew Bible, p. 81)

+Affirmation of Faith (Printed sheet in hymnal rack) The Apostle's Creed

+Gloria Patri #581 *Glory Be to the Father* GLORIA PATRI

Sermon "When We Pray" Rev. Ron McDougald

Prayer of the People and Lord's Prayer (**debts, debtors**)

+Sending Hymn #269 *Lead On, O King Eternal* LANCASHIRE

+Charge and Benediction

+Choral Response *The Lord Almighty Reigns* ST. BRIDE

+Postlude *God, You Rule with Royal Bearing* BRYN CALFARIA

+ Stand if you are able

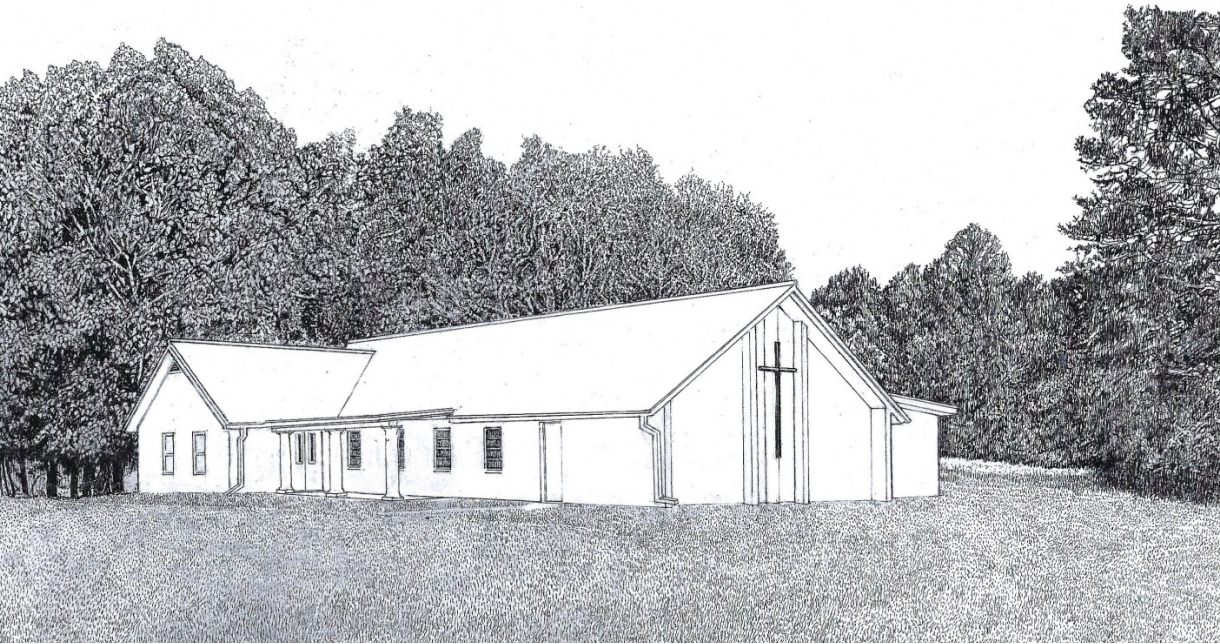
WELCOME to Starkville Presbyterian Church. We are grateful for your presence in worship this morning.

PRAYER LIST. Please keep the following in your prayers.

Cassandra Boatman (M.D. Anderson)	Jo Carpenter
Kathy Cadden (Operation Ukraine)	Jacque Deeds
Bo Gholston (recovering at home)	Michele Howie
Bill Johnson (Kidney Failure)	Jetta Kuykendall
Karen Moore (Recovering from Surgery)	Karl Podrebarac
Peggy Raines (cancer)	Ellen Clark Sawyer (cancer)
Bill Swoope	Laura Thurmond (cancer)

If you would like to add a request or remove one from the list, please contact Nancy Bryson (324-6320 or nancybryson68@gmail.com) or Rev. Ron McDougald (601-942-8040 or chaplain.mcdougald@gmail.com)

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TEJERAS MEAL PROGRAM. The meal on October 23rd is sponsored by Lynette and Ron McDougald in honor of Robert McDougald's birthday (10/28).

STEWARDSHIP LETTER. Stewardship letters with 2023 Proposed Budget were mailed last week. If you did not receive one, copies are on the chest across from the front door.

CHOIR. Choir rehearsal will be on Wednesday at 6:00 p.m. at the church.

MEN'S SOUL FOOD FELLOWSHIP. Our next Men's Soul Food Fellowship will be on Friday, October 28th at 11:30 a.m. at the church with soup, salad, and dessert. Let Ron or Charles Bryson know if you plan to attend. Mark your calendar! Invite a friend!

CENTS-ABILITY (2¢-A-MEAL). The Cents-Ability Offering will be collected next Sunday, October 30th.

CONGREGATIONAL MEETING. The Session has called for a Congregational Meeting for Sunday, November 6th, at the end of worship service for the purpose of election of 1 elder for the Class of 2023 and 2 elders for the Class of 2025.