



MEADOWVIEW

REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Presbyterian Church in America

“...that in all things Christ might have first place.”
Colossians 1:18

The Lord’s Day
November 16, 2025

*The mission of Meadowview Reformed Presbyterian Church
is to savor the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ,
and to be servants of that grace locally and globally.*

Today's Service

Call to Worship & Opening Prayer: *Micah 7:18-20*

Song: *O For A Thousand Tongues To Sing*

Song: *Psalm 103*

Song: *It Is Well With My Soul*

Confession of Sin:

Precious Heavenly Father,

Your kindness to us in Christ overwhelms us. In Him Your justice is satisfied; You cover us with the perfect righteousness of Your beloved Son. Father, we thank You for such a great salvation. Your tender compassion toward us in our weakness melts our hearts with admiration, joy, and the courage to come to You.

Lord, we grieve that, in spite of Your rich kindness to us, we still choose evil instead of obedience to You many times each day. Almighty God, forgive us-- prolong Your kindness to us, and have mercy on us in our foolishness and sin.

Holy Spirit, captivate us with the love of our kind and righteous God. Help us to feast on Your Word richly, to drink from the gushing fountain of Your great love, and to eagerly seek to grow in holiness, humility, and dependence on You alone for joy and salvation.

In Jesus' name we pray, Amen.

Declaration of Faith: *Apostles Creed*

Doxology

Sermon: *Luke 18:9-14 "A Word for the Worst Man in the World"*

Song: *Amazing Grace (My Chains Are Gone)*

Benediction

Luke 18:9-14

⁹ He also told this parable to some who trusted in themselves that they were righteous, and treated others with contempt:

¹⁰ “Two men went up into the temple to pray, one a Pharisee and the other a tax collector. ¹¹ The Pharisee, standing by himself, prayed thus: ‘God, I thank you that I am not like other men, extortioners, unjust, adulterers, or even like this tax collector. ¹² I fast twice a week; I give tithes of all that I get.’

¹³ But the tax collector, standing far off, would not even lift up his eyes to heaven, but beat his breast, saying, ‘God, be merciful to me, a sinner!’

¹⁴ I tell you, this man went down to his house justified, rather than the other. For everyone who exalts himself will be humbled, but the one who humbles himself will be exalted.”

A Word for the Worst Man in the World

O. Palmer Robertson

Prayer Requests

*I will praise you as long as I live, lifting up my hands to You in prayer. You satisfy me more than the richest feast. I will praise You with songs of joy.
(Psalm 63:4-5)*

Homebound – Jackie Shelley – Summerstone Health and Rehab – recovering
Missionary – Jeremy & Gina Sink
Service – Bailey Holt – (son of Dwayne & Janet Holt) – Army
Service – Cody Peters – (son of Cory & Tara Peters) – US Marines
Jean Barber – (Amy Steiner’s mom) – healing and rehab following hip surgery
David Eanes – (Lynne Clodfelter’s brother) – surgery 11/19 to remove cancerous kidney
Brandy Soles – (request from Roger Allen) – Brandy’s salvation
Mike Kuhn – (brother of Ken Kuhn) – recovering from food poisoning
Amy McKnight – peace and comfort following the death of Amy’s mother, Rose
Ron Oakes – good test results
Randy Everhart – healing as he recovers from reverse shoulder surgery
Joseph Edwards – (Uncle of Lauren Harmon) – restored vision following battery explosion
Kathy Rosser – recovering from automobile accident
Dave Kamienski – (Jennifer Jones’ brother) – blockages, test results
Jim Oakes – (brother of Ron Oakes) – end of life care
Mary Leitch – health concerns
Martha Carrick – health concerns
Kristie Bolen – back surgery has been rescheduled for December
Lisa Malek and family – hard season caring for parent
Charles Dick – (brother of Wayne Dick) – lung cancer; rehab/nursing home
Jimmy Don Lanier – (friend of Gordy & Mandy Swaim) – colon cancer
Katina Pressley – healing following surgery; upcoming radiation
Mary Lynn Tussey – healing; continued strength and endurance
Molly Kuhn – (Ken & Marie Kuhn’s daughter in law) – healing, strength, and encouragement
Bonnie Jones – (sister of Kent Pressley/Kathy Snider) – medical issues
Diana Clemmer – improved oxygen levels; healing of cancer
Sharon – (cousin of Debbie Ogden) – lymphoma; effectiveness of chemo
Paul Curry – (Jan Beck’s brother) – liver cancer
Matt Young – (grandson of Betty Milam) – upcoming PET scan
Kim Swicegood – (Mark Shipton’s cousin) – cancer treatment
Rachel Everhart – ongoing healing; relief from pain; peace, strength
Annabelle McKinney – good lab results so she can come off of steroids

I will thank you forever, because You have done it. I will wait for Your name, for it is good, in the presence of the godly. (Psalm 52:9)

Upcoming Events

Savoring the Grace of God: Sundays

- 8:30-8:50am – Pray for Worship (Library; all are welcome)
- 9am Bible Hour
 - Adult Bible Hour: *The Book of Acts* - (Fellowship Hall)
 - Women's Bible Hour: *Romans* - (Room 203)
 - Discovering Meadowview (Room 201)

10:30am Worship

Living in the Grace of God

Wed., 11/19: **Meal & Activities:** 5:00 pm – 7:15 pm

Meal: Chicken Stew, Vegetable Soup, Crackers, Salad,
Dessert

Wed., 11/19: **Operation Christmas Child Packing Party** @ 6 pm

Thurs., 11/20: **Men's Evening Bible Study** @ 6:30 pm

Sat., 11/22: **Men's Bible Study** @ 8 am

Sun., 11/23: **Thanksgiving Meal & Praise Service***: Meal begins @ 5pm
Bring a side/dessert to share. (See bulletin insert to sign up.)

Mon., 11/24: **Decorate for Christmas** – Men & Women volunteers are needed to help decorate the church for Christmas. Contact Tina Overby @ tinaann1821@gmail.com

Mon., 12/08: **Women of Grace Christmas Event:** - 6:30 – 8:30 pm
Tickets will be on sale thru 11/30.

Thurs., 12/11: **SALT Christmas Luncheon at Cracker Barrel*** - 11:30 am
Meet there. (see bulletin insert to sign up)

Foster Elves needed to purchase gifts for foster children in Davidson County. Contact Mara Lovejoy at davidsoncountyfosterelves@gmail.co for more info.

Ministering the Grace of God

- Pastor's Pantry: November– canned tuna
- Blood Drive: 11/18 @ 1 pm – sign up online
- Foster Families Christmas Party: 12/12 @ 6 pm
- Angel Tree Party: 12/13 @ 12 pm

Are You Receiving the Friday Emails? – If not, send your request to: awilson@meadowviewpca.org

* Indicates sign-up requirement/opportunity on bulletin insert

For more info, scan the QR code or visit MeadowviewPCA.org/events

