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 22, 2026

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.

Reflection Before the Service

I know, O Lord, and tremble to think, that three parts of the good seed fell upon bad ground. Let not my heart be like the highway. Through hardness and want of true understanding it does not receive the seed, so the evil one comes and takes it away.

Let not my heart be like the stony ground, which hears with joy for a time, but falls away as soon as persecution arises for the gospels sake. Let not my heart be like the thorny ground, which chokes the word and makes it altogether unfruitful because of the cares of this world and the deceit of riches.

Let my heart be like the good ground. Help me to hear your word with an honest and good heart. Enable me to understand and keep it, and bring forth fruit with patience, for your glory and my everlasting benefit. Amen.

- *Lewis Bayly*

Today's Service

Call to Worship & Opening Prayer: *Isaiah 6:1-3*

Song: *Holy Holy Holy*

Song: *All People That on Earth Do Dwell (Psalm 100)*

Corporate Confession of Sin:

O Lord, I do not deserve a glimpse of heaven, and I am unable with my works to redeem myself from sin, death, the devil, and hell.

Nevertheless, you have given me your Son Jesus Christ, who is far more precious and dear than heaven, and much stronger than sin, death, the devil, and hell.

For this I rejoice, praise, and thank you, O God. Without cost and out of pure grace you have given me this boundless blessing in your dear Son. Through him you take sin, death, and hell from me, and do grant me all that belongs to him. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon: *Isaiah 53:4-6*

Declaration of Faith: *Apostles' Creed*

Scripture Reading: *Genesis 3:16-24*

Pastoral Prayer

Gloria Patri

Offertory

Song: *The Church's One Foundation*

Sermon Text: *Philippians 2:19-30*

Sermon Title*: "Honor Such Men"*

Song: *Jesus What a Friend for Sinners*

Benediction

Philippians 2:19-30

[19] I hope in the Lord Jesus to send Timothy to you soon, so that I too may be cheered by news of you. [20] For I have no one like him, who will be genuinely concerned for your welfare. [21] For they all seek their own interests, not those of Jesus Christ. [22] But you know Timothy's proven worth, how as a son with a father he has served with me in the gospel. [23] I hope therefore to send him just as soon as I see how it will go with me, [24] and I trust in the Lord that shortly I myself will come also.

[25] I have thought it necessary to send to you Epaphroditus my brother and fellow worker and fellow soldier, and your messenger and minister to my need, [26] for he has been longing for you all and has been distressed because you heard that he was ill. [27] Indeed he was ill, near to death. But God had mercy on him, and not only on him but on me also, lest I should have sorrow upon sorrow.

[28] I am the more eager to send him, therefore, that you may rejoice at seeing him again, and that I may be less anxious. [29] So receive him in the Lord with all joy, and honor such men, [30] for he nearly died for the work of Christ, risking his life to complete what was lacking in your service to me.

Sermon Notes
Pastor Jeff Early

Sermon Text: Philippians 2:19-30
Sermon Title: Honor Such Men
Main Point:

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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 – depression
Missionary – Chuck & Jimmie Lynn Linkston
Service – Bailey Holt – (son of Dwayne & Janet Holt) – US Army – stress fractures
Service – Cody Peters – (son of Cory & Tara Peters) – US Marines
Service – Carter Beck - (grandson of Homer & Linda Curry) – USS Coast Guard
Service – Decker Banks – (son of Ben & Suzan Banks) – Fort Leonard Wood
Request from Oliver Miller – pray for the family as we are going through a hard time with the death of Foster
Gerry James – healing and rehab following stroke
Janet Holt – migraines; pray that the Lord would lead her to the right neurologist
Foster Owen Family – peace and comfort following Foster's death
Rachel Everhart – ongoing stability for hemoglobin level
Ronnie Walser – healing and rehab following knee replacement surgery
Early Family – home in Greenville would sell quickly
Gene Reich – (Gerry James' brother-in-law) – continued rehab
Ron Oakes – MRI results
Larry McDaniel – healing and pain relief following accident
Jim McAfee – rehab at VA; healing and ability to bear full weight on leg
Jacob & Brooke Spaugh – (request from Gerry James) – wisdom, strength, courage
David & Janice Lord – (Sybil Ham's nephew and wife) – wisdom, peace
Husband of Ron Oakes' daughter's friend – pancreatic cancer; needs a liver transplant
Eric Wetzel – (son-in-law of Ron Oakes) – sleep apnea
Kathy Rosser – healing from back pain that is affecting her ability to walk
Ethan Harmon – safe, quick resolution for family member in difficult marital situation
David & Martha Carrick – wisdom to adjust to new budget; faith for daily provision
Bruce Tussey – relief of knee pain; strength and endurance
Gary Sidden – (husband of Cindy Sidden) – salvation
Mary Leitch – health concerns
Martha Carrick – health concerns
Lisa Malek and family – hard season caring for parent
Mary Lynn Tussey – healing; continued strength and endurance
Molly Kuhn– (Ken & Marie Kuhn's daughter in law) – healing; encouragement
Paul Curry – (Jan Beck's brother) – liver cancer
Matt Young – (grandson of Betty Milam) – salvation
Kim Swicegood – (Mark Shipton's cousin) – healing; strength; energy; wisdom

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. (Psalm52:9)

Savoring the Grace of God: Sundays

- 8:30-8:50 am - Pray for Worship Service (Library; all are welcome)
- 9 am Bible Hour
  - Adult Bible Hour: Book of Deuteronomy (Fellowship Hall)
  - Women's Bible Hour: The Book of Mark (Room 203)

10:30 am Worship Service

5:00 pm Thanksgiving Praise Service and Meal (Bring a side/dessert)

Living in the Grace of God

Mon., 11/23: **Decorate the church for Christmas** @ 9am – Volunteers needed. To volunteer, contact Tina Overby at tinaann1821@gmail.com

Wed., 11/25: **No Wednesday Night Activities** Activities resume Wednesday, December 2.

The Church office will be closed November 26-27 for Thanksgiving.

Thurs., 11/26: **No Men's Evening Bible Study – Thanksgiving**

Sat., 11/28: **No Men's Bible Study**

Thur., 12/10: **SALT Christmas Luncheon at Cracker Barrel*** @ 11:30 am (*see bulletin insert to sign up)

Mon., 12/14: **Women of Grace Christmas Dinner** @ 6:30 pm (Tickets on sale every Sunday thru 12/6.)

Wed., 12/16: **Christmas Caroling** – No regular Wednesday night activities. A meal will be served at 5 pm

Sat., 12/19: **Ladies Morning Out at Pour Folk Provision Co**. @ 11 am

Thur., 12/24: **Christmas Eve Service** @ 5 pm (Invite friends and family)

Ministering the Grace of God

- Pastor's Pantry: November – canned tuna
- Foster Families Christmas Party: 12/4 @ 6 pm
- Angel Tree Christmas Party: 12/12 @ 12 pm

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Nursery Schedule

11/22/26	Tina Overby	Katherine Butler
11/29/26	Charity McKinney	Katherine Butler
12/6/26	Debbie Thompson	Marie Kuhn Katherine Butler
12/13/26	Janet Holt	Katherine Butler
12/20/26	Allison Lewis	Katherine Butler Blaze Holt
12/27/26	Trisha Prevette	Katherine Butler Blaze Holt
1/3/27	Charity McKinney	Katherine Butler
1/10/27	Janet Holt	Katherine Butler
1/17/27	Allison Lewis	Katherine Butler Blaze Holt
1/24/27	Trisha Prevette	Katherine Butler Blaze Holt
1/31/27	Janet Holt	Katherine Butler
2/7/27	Kim Harrison	Katherine Butler Blaze Holt