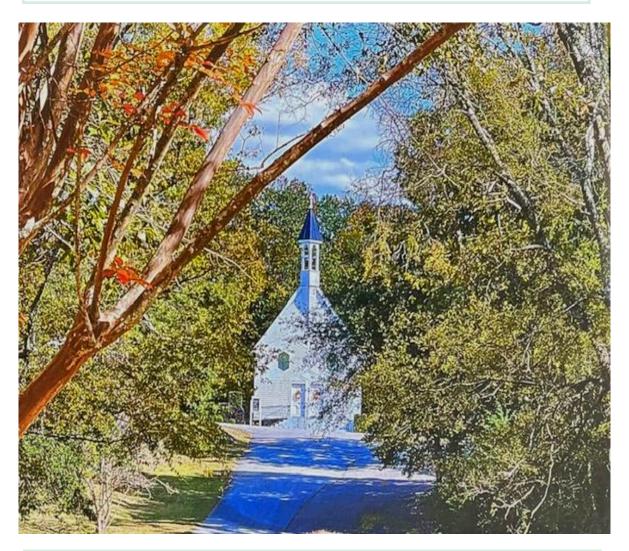
# Liberty Hill Presbyterian Church 20 Meeting Lane, Liberty Hill, South Carolina 29074 Service at 10 am





October 26, 2025 Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost Pastor Rev. Dr. David Leininger

# **Liberty Hill Presbyterian Church**

Welcome to Worship David E. Leininger, D. Min., Minister

~ GATHERING of GOD'S PEOPLE~

#### WELCOME, ANNOUNCEMENTS, NOISY OFFERING

Mica Jones

PRELUDE: "Blessed Jesus, We Are Here"

Carol Ghent

\*GATHERING HYMN

"Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing"

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### \*CALL TO WORSHIP

- L. All who exalt themselves will be humbled, but all who humble themselves will be exalted.
- P. We humble ourselves before our God, ready to hear and receive God's truth.

#### PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Holy God, your truth is so often sharp and unsettling. We confess the ways we skirt the hard edges of your Word, turn up the volume on lesser noises, and lean into the comfort of our own certainty rather than submit to the discomfort of your challenge. You send us messengers, and we sidestep them; you challenge us, and we defend ourselves. Again and again, Holy God, we resist what we do not want to hear. And yet you keep calling. Have mercy on us. Interrupt our evasions. Soften what pride has hardened in us. Let us hear and receive your truth.

### **ASSURANCE OF PARDON** (from the Book of Common Worship)

Hear the Good News! Who is in a position to condemn? Only Christ, and Christ died for us, Christ rose for us, Christ reigns in power for us, Christ prays for us. Anyone who is in Christ is a new creation. The old life has gone; a new life has begun. Know that you are forgiven and be at peace.

Thanks be to God.

### ~THE GREAT THANKSGIVING~

## \*PASSING OF THE PEACE (in place)

The Lord be with you. / And also with you. Lift up your hearts. / We lift them to the Lord.

Blest be the ties that bind/Our hearts in Christian love. The fellowship of kindred minds/Is like to that above.

#### MOMENT WITH THE YOUNG DISCIPLES

SPECIAL MUSIC Mica Jones

<u>CALL FOR THE OFFERING</u> Dr. David Leininger

OFFERTORY "No Other Name" Carol Ghent

\*DOXOLOGY

CONCERNS & JOYS Mica Jones

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION & THE LORD'S PRAYER

~THE WORD OF GOD~

1st Lesson: Romans 3:19-28

\*HYMN OF PRAISE "Amazing Grace!" 107(blue)

**2nd Lesson:** II Thessalonians 3:6-17

**SERMON** "A FAITH THAT MATTERS BETWEEN SUNDAYS" Dr. Leininger

#### **AFFIRMATION OF FAITH** - (Philippians 2:6-11)

Christ Jesus, though he was in the form of God, did not regard equality with God as something to be exploited, but emptied himself, taking the form of a slave, being born in human likeness. And being found in human form he humbled himself and became obedient to the point of death— even death on a cross.

Therefore, God also highly exalted him and gave him the name that is above every name, so that at the name of Jesus every knee should bend, in heaven and on earth and under the earth and every tongue should confess to the glory of God: Jesus Christ is Lord! Amen.

\*CLOSING HYMN

"Trust and Obey"

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\*CHARGE AND BLESSING

**POSTLUDE:** 

Carol Ghent

<sup>\*</sup>Congregation standing if able

**Shut-ins:** 

Merilyn Roll-2465 Harbor View Rd.-Camden-SC 29020

Ken Maree Veteran Village 1200 E National Cemetery Rd. Room 4218 Florence, SC 29506

Items needed this week for the CCM pantry are: peanut butter and jelly, pork and beans, baked beans.

Bible study class will not meet again until Monday, November 10th. The class will be using the James study, "What You Do Matters" by Margaret Fienberg. You don't need a book to do the study.

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Up coming events:

We will be ordering poinsettias again this year for in memory of or in honor of

Lighting of the tree at the **OLD STORE** 

Greening of the Church

Tree of memories in Miss Bettie Richards Hall

November 2nd - Turn clocks back an hour or you will be an hour early for church but just in time for "Being Presbyterian" in the Miss Bettie Richards Hall.

## Last Week's Attendance & Giving

Attendance: 57

Offering:

 General
 \$ 5080.00

 Dimes for Hunger
 \$ 36.29

**Total YTD** 

 General
 \$194,049.00

 Dimes for Hunger
 \$ 100.47

 Thornwell
 \$ 300.00

 CCM
 \$ 100.00

 Food for the Soul
 \$ 100.00



Darlene Knauer 7
Sylvia Hudson 20
Jonathan Easley 29
David Leininger 30

### **Prayers For Our People**

Be joyful in hope, patient in affliction, faithful in prayer. (Romans 12:12)

Andrew Adams (Mica Jones)

**Marquerite Adams** 

Vickie Baker (Karen)

Ed Baxley (Sylvia Hudson)

Kirk & Linn Bennett's son

Rachel Blackmon (Lisa Knight)

\*Kendra Broome

Amy Burns (Sylvia Hudson)

**Ed Bunch** 

Pat Bunch (Jeanette Robinson)

Christi Chambers (Donna "Sunshine" Smith)

**Carole Cooke** 

Bill and Mary Crain (Rebecca Fairchild)

**Terry Davis** (Ben Cheatham brother-in-law)

Phyllis Dufrene (Sylvia Hudson)

**Stephen Fairchild** (Dorothy Fairchild's son)

Kathi Fletcher (cousin of Sylvia Hudson)

Trish & Jerry Flynn

John Foster

**Lisa Funderburke** (Margie Pokorney)

Philip Gaulin (Merilyn Roll)

**Carol Ghent** 

Elaine Gosnell (Diane Porter's sister)

**Shane Granger** (Tommy & Sandy's son)

Gloria Hamilton (sister-in-law of Jenny)

**Billy Harris** (needs kidney transplant)

Rodney Hegler (John Thompson)

Melissa Frost Henson (Elaine Maree)

Jenna Horton

\*Family of Chuck (Catfish) Hunter

**Mica Jones** 

**Darlene Knauer** 

Tonya Lancaster

Jill Locklair

**Pastor David** 

**Cheryl McAbee** 

Ken & Elaine Maree

**Scott Meadows** (Lynne Bennett)

Melody (Robin's sister)

**Dolly Miller** (Ben Cheatham)

Mike Morgan (Wanda's brother)

**Brandon Mungo** 

Diana Murphy (Joan Ward)

Claire Oliver

Audrey & John Osipow (Karen)

John Paul

Daryl & Melinda Rabon

**Brent Rainforth** (Stan's nephew, cancer)

Nancy Rawlinson (Jim Hudson)

Vivian Ray (Robert & Diana Murphy)

Louise Reece (Gale Jent's mother)

**Bill Rhodes** 

Wren & Bruce Ridgeway (Lisa Knight)

\*Morgan Sexton

\*Robin Shealy neighbor's mother

**Nancy Small** 

Gerald Stone (Micki McLeod's dad)

Peg Stulken (Stan Pokorney's sister)

\*Mary Etta Taylor

**Derrell Thomas** 

**Shelby Thomas** (Terry Hoffman)

Richard Vanooyen (Jim & Sylvia Hudson)

Shirley Varro (Jeanette & Pat)

7 friends of Joan Ward

Elizabeth Parfitt Webb (Elaine Maree)

Jimmy White (Kenny White's brother)

**Kenny White** 

Three year old boy (Sandy Granger)

5 friends of Sandy Granger

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**<u>Liberty Hill Presbyterian Church Mission Statement:</u>** 

To connect with God, to connect with others, and to connect others with God.

**Liberty Hill Presbyterian Church Vision Statement:** 

To be an inclusive church that surrounds people with <u>L</u>ove, <u>H</u>ope, <u>P</u>rayer, and <u>C</u>ompassion..

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