

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

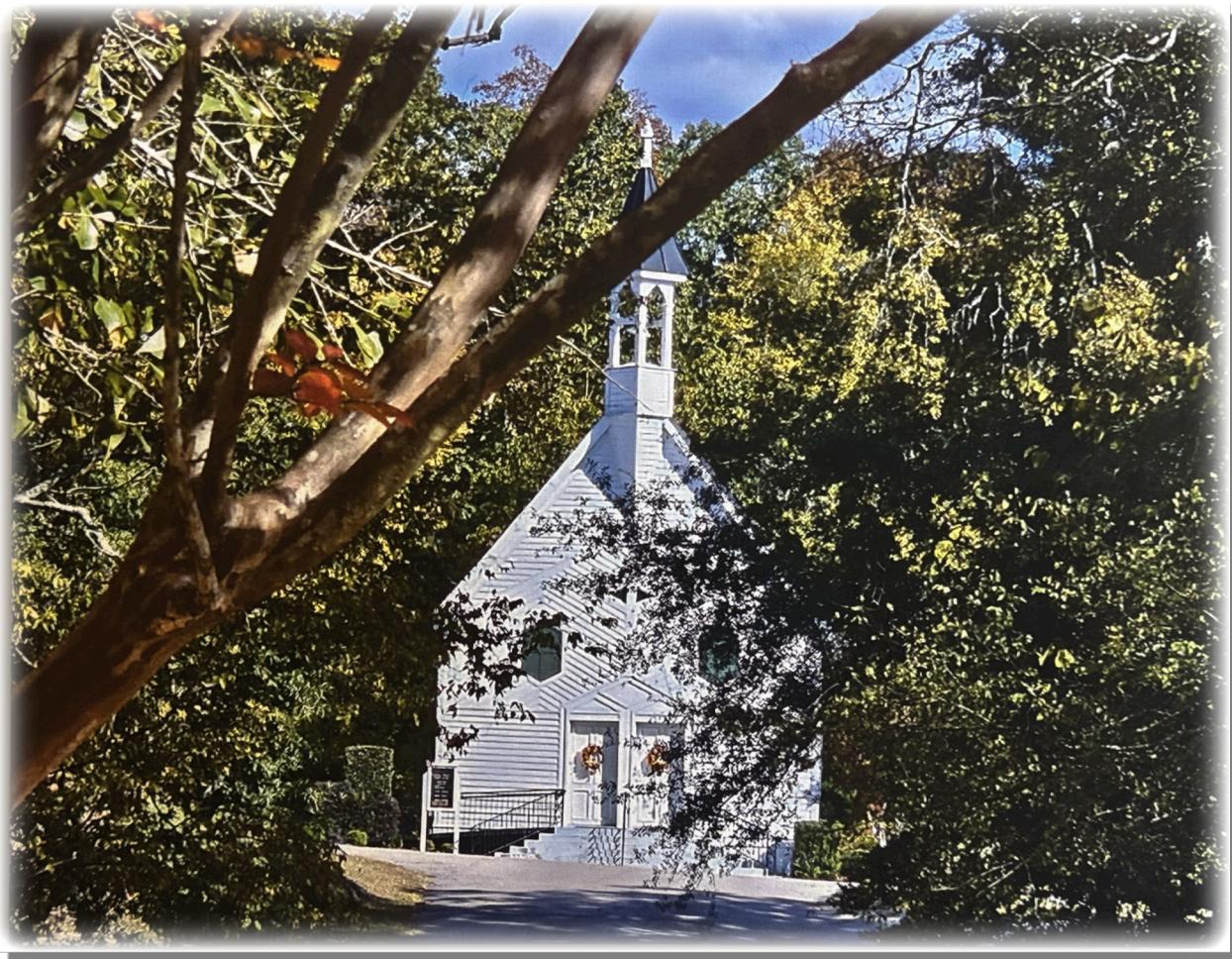


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March 8, 2026
Third Sunday in Lent
Pastor Rev. Dr. David Leininger
Associate Pastor Rob Jones

Liberty Hill Presbyterian Church

Welcome to Worship

David E. Leininger, D.Min., Minister

Robert M. Jones, M.Div., Associate Minister

Third Sunday in Lent

~*Gathering of God's People*~

WELCOME, ANNOUNCEMENTS,

Mica Jones

MINUTE FOR MISSION

NOISY OFFERING

PRELUDE

"Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus"

Carol Ghent

*GATHERING HYMN

"Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee"

Purple **611**

*CALL TO WORSHIP – *based on Exodus 17:1–7*

Pastor David

We come like Israel in the wilderness—thirsty and in need.

Lord, we pray, give us living water.

They asked, "Is the Lord among us or not?"

We proclaim: The Lord is here.

God brought water from the rock. From hard places, God brings life.

Come, all who are weary and questioning to the Rock of our salvation.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Pastor Rob

Gracious God, as we wander through the wilderness this Lent, we are aware of our need for your presence, your love, your guidance on life's journey. Forgive us for turning away from you. Forgive our doubt and uncertainty that led us to place our faith in worldly comforts that don't run deep enough and don't last. We come to your

well this Lent desperate and thirsty for Christ's living water. Quench our thirst, we pray, and grant us your forgiveness and your grace.

TIME OF SILENT REFLECTION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON *based on Romans 8:34*

Who is in a position to Judge? Who is to condemn?

It is Christ Jesus, who died, who was raised, who is at the right hand of God who indeed intercedes for us.

Believe the promise of the gospel and exclaim the good news with me!

In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven. 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.

A MOMENT WITH OUR YOUNG DISCIPLES

Pastor David

CALL FOR THE OFFERING

Pastor Rob

OFFERTORY

"Must Jesus Bear The Cross Alone?"

Carol Ghent

*DOXOLOGY

CONCERNS & JOYS

Pastor David

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION & THE LORD'S PRAYER

~Word of God~

***HYMN OF PRAISE**

“Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah”

purple **65**

1st Lesson

Isaiah 55:1–3, 6–7

Special Music

Mica Jones

2nd Lesson

John 4:5-26, 39-42

Pastor Rob

SERMON

“The Well That Won’t Run Dry”

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH - *from the Confession of 1967*

God’s sovereign love is a mystery beyond the reach of the human mind. Human thought ascribes to God superlatives of power, wisdom and goodness. But God reveals divine love in Jesus Christ by showing power in the form of a servant, wisdom in the folly of the cross, and goodness in receiving sinful men and women. The power of God’s love in Christ to transform the world discloses that the Redeemer is the Lord and Creator who made all things to serve the purpose of God’s love.

***HYMN**

“Near The Cross”

blue **254**

***CHARGE AND BLESSING**

POSTLUDE

Carol Ghent

*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

Men's Tuesday Morning Prayer Breakfast

All men of the community are warmly invited to join us each Tuesday morning for a Prayer Breakfast at **7:00 AM**. Come enjoy a simple meal, encouraging fellowship, and time in God's presence as we pause to listen, pray, and seek the Lord together. Whether you've been walking with Christ for years or you're simply looking for a fresh start, you are welcome—just as you are. Let's gather to strengthen one another, grow in faith, and renew our hearts as we pursue our spiritual lives together.

When: Tuesdays at 7:00 AM

Where: Bettie Richards Hall

Questions? Contact Pastor Rob – 803-804-4342



40 Cans for Lent

During Lent we are invited to practice simple, faithful acts of generosity. One of those is 40 Cans for Lent, supporting **Christian Community Ministries**. As you give up small indulgences—coffee, sweets, eating out—consider using what you save to purchase the food items listed each week in the bulletin. Bring your donations to church any Sunday during Lent or on Easter and place them in the CCM collection bin. Your gifts help keep CCM's shelves stocked and provide food for families and seniors in our community. Thank you!!! Julianne North

CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY MINISTRIES OF KERSHAW COUNTY

are in need of the following pantry items this week:

***Spaghetti and Pasta Sauce, Canned Peas,
Greens, and Canned Potatoes.***



God calls us to more than fasting – He calls us to **Justice and Mercy**. In **Zechariah 7**, He asks, “*Was your fasting for Me?*” And in **Isaiah 58**, He tells us true fasting is to **share food with the hungry and shelter the poor.**

Last Week's Attendance & Giving

Attendance: 46

Offering:

General \$ 1672.00

Dimes for Hunger \$ 30.23

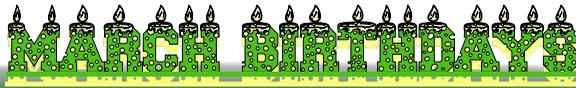
Thornwell \$ 125.00

Total YTD:

General \$ 40,037.00

Dimes for Hunger \$ 226.71

Thornwell \$ 250.00



MARY ETTA TAYLOR	5
GALE JENT	20
MARGIE POKORNEY	24
JEANETTE ROBINSON	26
STAN POKORNEY	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
Kendall Broome (Jeanette Robinson)
Amy Burns (Sylvia Hudson)
Julie Bowers, FNP
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)
Mary Jane Dingle (Sylvia Hudson)
Stephen Fairchild (Dorothy Fairchild's son)
Trish & Jerry Flynn
John Foster
Erin Gardner
Philip Gaulin (Merilyn Roll)
Carol Ghent (LHPC Musician)
*Family of Carol Ghent (Scott Ghent's
cousin))
Elaine Gosnell (Diane Porter's sister)
Shane Granger (Tommy & Sandy's son)
Billy Harris (needs kidney transplant)
Mike Haynes (Vicki Hinson)
Rodney Hegler (John Thompson)
Melissa Frost Henson (Elaine Maree)
Jenny Hernandez (broken ankle)
Jerri Hixson (Linda Rollins' sister)
Jenna Horton
Mica Jones

Darlene Knauer
Tonya Lancaster
Family of Jill Locklair
Pastor David
Doug Macdonald
Mabel Mahaffey
Cheryl McAbee
Ken & Elaine Maree
Dolly Miller (Ben Cheatham)
Mike Morgan (Wanda's brother)
Brandon Mungo
Diana Murphy (Joan Ward)
Claire Oliver
Uncle Oney (Rebecca Fairchild)
Sadie Phillips (Vickie Hinson's mom)
Daryl & Melinda Rabon
Pat Rainforth (Stan Pokorney's sister)
Nancy Rawlinson (Jim Hudson)
Louise Reece (Gale Jent's mother)
Mary Doar Roderick (Sallie Cheatham's
sister, breast cancer surgery)
Bill Rhodes
Jeanette Robinson
Morrison Robinson
Morgan Sexton
Gerald Stone (Micki McLeod's dad)
Shelby Thomas (Terry Hoffman)
Shirley Varro (Jeanette & Pat)
Dee West (Pastor David)
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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LIBERTY HILL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH MISSION STATEMENT:

***“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

Love, Hope, Prayer, and Compassion..”

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