We Gather to Worship God …

Gathering Music

Welcome and Announcements Rev. Dr. Anita K. Herbert

***Call to Worship** Praise Team

The time for harvest is close at hand.
What have you done with the gifts God has given you?
We have brought our gifts to the house of the Lord.
Praise God for the gifts and for opportunities for service that they represent.
We praise God for all the ways in which our lives have been blessed.
Generous God, accept our gifts and our lives this day.
Loving God, accept our praise and gratitude.

***Song:** "This is Amazing Grace"

***Song:** "Here I Am To Worship"

***Greeting**

Please introduce yourself during the greeting.

We Listen to the Word of God …

Scripture Lesson: Matthew 25:14-30 Rev. Dr. Anita K. Herbert

Sermon: "Wealth Management According to Jesus: Investment Strategies"
Rev. Dr. Anita K. Herbert

Song: "There Was Jesus"

Please bring forward your 2027 pledges, tithes, offerings and Connection Cards at this time

We Celebrate at the Table of God …

(Gluten Free Communion kits are available at the gym welcome center)

Words of Institution

Partaking of the Elements

We will be serving communion by the method of intinction.
Please come forward to receive the sacrament.

We Offer our Prayers to God …

Prayer Requests Rev. Dr. Ralph R. Herbert

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer Rev. Dr. Ralph R. Herbert

We Depart to Serve God …

***Song:** "Goodness of God"

***Benediction** Rev. Ralph R. Herbert

***Departing Music**

Please join us for a follow-up conversation on the sermon in Room 304.

Worship Participants

Rev. Dr. Anita K. Herbert
Rev. Dr. Ralph R. Herbert
Julia Miller and Joe Swisher, Co-Directors of Contemporary Music
Daniel Selander, drums, Robert Pratt, electric guitar, Vito Compitello, electric guitar, Dave Wright, bass, Dan Shafer, vocalist
Joseph Friday, Jason Lybrand and Zachary Storti, Audio-Visual
Zachary Storti, Elder-in-Charge
Mary Anne Crosby and Vera Devito, Ushers

Service Notes and Announcements

Offerings can also be made through the Giving tab at summervillepres.org, scanning the QR code to the right or through the Abundant Giving app from Google Play or the Apple Store. Set up your account and choose Summerville Presbyterian Church.

Headsets for the hearing impaired available at the AV desk.

Announcements

Today is Dedication Sunday: If you would like to make your 2027 pledge, please place in the offering plate today or drop it by the church office during office hours.

The **All-Saints' Day service** will be held today at 3:30 pm at the Old White Meeting House Cemetery, 10548 Dorchester Road, Summerville.

We will honor these souls today...
Whit Anderson - Age 96 - 12/8/25
Don Lynsky - 2/6/26
Don Powell - Age 91 - 2/15/26
Rebecca Thies - Age 98 - 2/22/26
Scott Wright - Age 74 - 3/11/26
Marie Lee - Age 86 - 4/20/26
Sally Lawson - Age 87 - 4/22/26
Ashley Benson - Age 40 - 4/23/26
Will Lindsay - Age 45 - 8/11/26
Frances Anne Anderson - Age 93 - 10/19/26
Janice Gay - Age 90 – 10/27/26

Wed. in the Word: Come join Pastor Ralph on Nov 4 in Lanneau Hall at 1:00 pm.

Advent Bible Study Opportunity: "Three Wise Women" by Dandi Daley Mackall will be facilitated by Suzie Ryan Thursdays starting on Nov. 12 at 10:30 am through Jan. 7 in the Dorchester Room. You can pick up and pay for your book in the church office. 15/book. Sign up on the connection card starting next week.

Friendsgiving Potluck Celebration: Sunday, November 15 at 12:30 pm in the SPC Gym. All church families and members are invited to this annual event. SPC will sponsor the turkeys; you are invited to bring a dish to share, if you are able. Sign up on the back of your connection card.

Thanksgiving Basket Project: Saturday, November 21 at Murray United Methodist Church. The ecumenical service will begin at 10:00 am and basket packing with begin at 11:00 am. To volunteer contact the church office or sign-up on the connection card starting November 1.

Hands of Christ Workdays will be held on two Fridays in November the 14th & 20th. Contact Sheila Wilson for more info.

Political Not Partisan: Navigating A Divided World: Interested in a three-week Small Group Discussion of how we, as Christians, can unite, not divide, our church and our community? Discussion topics will include: What does the Bible say about where we owe allegiance and what responsibilities we bear as Christians? What, individually, can we do to ensure that our discussions of world problems are civil and focus on issues? What should the church's role be as a political, not partisan, body? **When:** Wednesdays 11/4, 11/11, 11/18 from 5:00-6:00 pm (appetizers included). Meeting days and times are open to adjustment based on the needs of the participants. **Where:** The home of John and Diana Barth, 210 White Gables Drive, Summerville. If interested, contact the church office: summervillepres@gmail.com.

New Testament Challenge: Look for a guide to Revelation Pastor Ralph is preparing and will be available November 22.

We are on Week 45:
Oct 31-Nov 6
James 4-1 Peter 3

The Meeting House
SUMMERVILLE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



23rd SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
Scottish Heritage/Dedication Sunday
Contemporary Service
November 1, 2026