



Kershaw Evangelical Presbyterian Church
Preach the Word, Teach the Word, Live the Word, Spread the Word
January 29, 2023

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Prelude: Surely The Presence

Call to Worship: Responsive Scripture Reading "Righteousness"- 676

We welcome Kevin Hatley to bring God's Word today

Welcome and Announcements

***Hymn: "Because He Lives"**

No.213

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

Special Music: Beau Beaumont

Scripture: Romans 1:16

Sermon: "A Shameful Gospel"

***Hymn: "I Have Decided to Follow Jesus"**

No.376

Benediction:

Postlude:

*** All who are able are invited to stand and sing**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- † **Sunday School** on February 5 at 9:30 in the Fellowship Hall with John Brewer. The lesson is "Resume of the Called" with scripture from 1 Corinthians 1:18-31.
- † **Joel Haan** will speak next Sunday, February 5, **Michael Smith** on the 12th, **Tom Orred** on the 19th, and **Scott Whaley** on the 26th.
- † **Choir practice** on Wednesday, February 1.
- † **Thank you** to all who helped with meal deliveries this past week. Your service to our community seniors is greatly appreciated. Our next scheduled delivery week is February 27-March 3.
- † **The Souper Bowl of KARE-ing** is Sunday, February 12. We will have our annual Super Soup/Chili Lunch in the Fellowship Hall after morning worship. Our goals this year are to raise \$950 and collect 225 food/household items for KARE. Looking forward to having everyone at lunch, and be sure to bring that Super Bowl prediction!
- † **Please Sign Up** to be a Sunday Morning Greeter for one month in 2023. The sign-up sheet is on the desk in the sanctuary foyer.

JONATHAN EDWARDS (1703-1758) Psalm 119:89-96
Catalyst for Revival

As Edwards spent long hours in study, prayer, and sermon preparation, God began to use his keen mind and potent pen to bring revival-first to the church he pastored, and eventually throughout all New England. The so-called First Great Awakening in America saw the return of vital, life-changing Christianity. Edward's fire and brimstone message, "Sinners in the Hands of an Angry God," was really a powerful plea for calloused churchgoers to consider afresh God's love and mercy. His ministry transformed thousands of lives during that great revival. He was, in fact, one of the most outstanding minds and ministers of pre-Revolutionary America. A lesson from the life of John Edwards: The time I spend in Bible study both glorifies God and enriches my own life.

Don't forget the greatest thing we can do for God or for man is to pray. Our Session; Kevin/Oneida Hartley; Scott/Amanda Mosley; Dr. W.L. & Sue & Lee McDow; Ernie Green; Charles Jones; Dale Williams; Pat West; military-(Tyler Granata, Tanner McIsaac); Janet Smith; Thomas Woods; Cindy Lebecky; Michael George; Fred Downing; Ray Jones; Bella Stroud; Justin Peavy; Matthew and Colton Green; Ken Faulkenberry; Clay Brewer; Roger Estridge; Dot Morgan; Donna Hardin; Phil Hydrick; Drake Starnes; Megan Branham; Tucker Bradley; Jean Reeves; Robert Roberts; Holly Everall; Hadlee Braswell; Robert McManus; Freddie Harris; Jon Seegars; David Williams; Fran Sellers; those who have lost love ones in the community; Archie & Dayna Singleton; Mickey Clyburn; Mack/Ryan Blaiich; Council on Aging; Opioid epidemic; schools; prisons; President Biden; our Nation; leaders; military; police; doctors; nurses; EMS; missionaries; enemies; Israel (Pray for the Peace of Jerusalem); North Korea; China; Taiwan; Iran; Turkey; Russia; Ukraine; Afghanistan; those in nursing homes; remember that God's Word is the plumb line for knowing what is right from wrong; break the chains of fear, hate, and greed; persecuted church; a great awakening.

***If there are names that can be taken off the prayer list or names that need to be added, please let Scott or Patricia Croxton know.**