

WE ARE UNTO GOD
A SWEET SAVOUR OF CHRIST.

2 CORINTHIANS 2:15



Kershaw Evangelical Presbyterian Church
Preach the Word, Teach the Word, Live the Word, Spread the Word
July 16, 2023

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Sunday, July 16, 2023

Prelude: First Baptist Church

Call to Worship: Isaiah 40:25-31

Jakob Elliott

We welcome our pastor Kevin Hartley to bring God's Word today

Welcome and Announcements

Ernie Green

*Hymn: "A Mighty Fortress Is Our God"

No.26

*Invocation Prayer

Kevin Hartley

Responsive Reading:

No.674

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

Ernie Green

Special Music: "The Family of God"

Scripture: Acts 3:1-10

Kevin Hartley

Sermon: "Walking, Leaping, and Praising God"

Kevin Hartley

*Hymn: "Arise, My Soul, Arise"

No.199

Benediction: Jude 24,25

Jakob Elliott

Postlude:

* All who are able are invited to stand and sing

ANNOUNCEMENTS

† **Sunday School** on July 23 at 9:30 in the Educational Building with John Brewer. This week's lesson is "Weeds Among the Wheat" with scripture from Matthew 13:24-30,36-43.

† **We welcome First Baptist Church** today as we worship together in our sanctuary and share a covered dish meal in their Fellowship Hall at First Baptist Church.

† **Choir practice** July 19 at 6:30 p.m.

† **Bible Study** with Kevin on Thursday, July 20 at 5:30 p.m.

† **Kershaw EPC meal deliveries** for this month are July 24-28

† **Mt. Calvary Outreach Ministry** is inviting us to their "Mountain of Praise Ceremony" on Wednesday, July 19 at 6:00 p.m. in the AJ Visual and Performing Arts Center.

† **Anyone who would like to prepare and serve the Mt. Calvary Summer Youth Program lunch**, please meet in the church kitchen at 10:00 a.m., Friday, July 21.

John 17:21 "That they may be one, as You, Father, are one in Me, and I in You; that they also may be one in Us, that the world may believe that You sent Me." Twice in His great high priestly prayer, our Lord prayed that His people might be one (vv.21 and 22-23). He was praying that believers might be one in exhibiting the character of God and of Christ to the world. This would mean lives of righteousness, holiness, grace, love, purity, longsuffering, self-control, meekness, joy and generosity. Such unity today would have a profound impression on the world. By William Macdonald

Don't forget the greatest thing we can do for God or for man is to pray: Pastor Kevin/Oneida Hartley; Session; Scott/Amanda Mosley; Dr. W.L. & Sue & Lee McDow; Ernie Green; Charles Jones; military-(Tyler Granata, Tanner McIsaac); Janet Smith; Donna Steele; The Andrew Nims family; Thomas Woods; Cindy Lebecky; Ray Jones; Bella Stroud; Justin Peavy; Matthew and Colton Green; Ken Faulkenberry; Clay Brewer; Roger Estridge; Tiffany/Peyton; Dot Morgan; Donna Hardin; Phil Hydrick; Drake Starnes; Megan Branham; Robert Roberts; Holly Everall; Hadlee Braswell; Robert McManus; David Williams; Fran Sellers; Robin Floyd; those who have lost love ones in the community; Archie & Dayna Singleton; Mickey Clyburn; Mack/Ryan Blaich; 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); VBS in the area; tornadoes/flooding/fires/smoke around the country; Mt. Calvary Summer Program; North Korea; China; Taiwan; Iran; earthquake in Turkey/Syria; 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.**