



I will lead them
in paths
that they have not known.

ISAIAH 42:16

Kershaw Evangelical Presbyterian Church
Preach the Word, Teach the Word, Live the Word, Spread the Word
September 3, 2023

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Prelude: Blessed Jesus, At Thy Word

Call to Worship:

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

Welcome and Announcements

*Hymn: "Blessed Be The Name" No.103

*Invocation Prayer

Responsive Reading: No.715

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

Special Music:

Scripture: Ephesians 4:23-24

Sermon: "A New Man"

*Hymn: "Begin, My Tongue, Some Heavenly Theme" No.70

Benediction:

Postlude:

* All who are able are invited to stand and sing

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- † **Sunday School** on September 10 at 9:30 in the Educational Building with Tom Orred. The lesson is "Jesus Silences Critics" with scripture Luke 14:1-6.
- † **Bible Study** with Kevin on Wednesday, September 6 at 5:30 p.m.
- † **Choir practice** September 6 at 6:30 p.m.
- † **Thank you** to all who helped with meal deliveries this past week. Volunteer meal deliveries not only keep us in touch with our community but also save the Council on Aging valuable financial resources.
- † **Please** check the stand in the narthex for copies of The Upper Room available for your use.
- † **Yum, Yum eat um up.** Join the church family for a covered dish lunch following morning worship on September 24. Fried chicken provided!
- † **The Session** has called a congregation meeting for October 8 to elect two people from the congregation to serve on an elder nominating committee.
- † **The Church** has a new phone number: (803) 283-8508.
- † **The Mamie Rice Circle** will meet at the church September 12, at 10:30 am
- † **September Birthdays:** Martha Floyd-7; Denise Hegler-8; Herbert Croxton-17; Scott Croxton-18; Carrie Campbell-22; Ann Marie Green-23; Anita Lawrence-24.
- † **The Christian Activities Committee** has planned an exciting event. On Saturday, December 2, 2023, at 5pm we will travel to the NarroWay Dinner Theatre to see the Christmas play, "The Real Christmas Story". Tickets are \$40.95 per ticket, and this includes a delicious dinner and a "Broadway like" play. If you would like to join us, please make your check out to Kershaw EPC and stub it NarroWay play. Please give your check to Faithe Davis or Beth McDonald by September 10th. We will leave from the church. Hope you can come and enjoy!

HAPPY LABOR DAY! LABOR A GIFT FROM GOD!

Ecclesiastes 3:12-13

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; Sue McDow; Ernie Green; Charles Jones; military-(Tyler Granata, Tanner McIsaac); Janet Smith; Donna Steele; Thomas Woods; Cindy Lebecky; Ray Jones; Bella Stroud; Justin Peavy; Matthew and Colton Green; Ken Faulkenberry; Clay Brewer, Roger Estridge; Joe Bach & family; Alvin Tans homegoing; Tisha; Tiffany/Peyton; Dot Morgan; Pat Ussery; Chuck Ussery; Chuck Mackey; Donna Hardin; Phil Hydrick; Drake Starnes; Megan Branham; Robert Roberts; Holly Everall; Hadlee Braswell; Robert McManus homegoing; David Williams; Fran Sellers; Robin Floyd; those who have lost love ones in the community; Archie & Dayna Singleton; Mickey Clyburn; Jimmy Farmer; Mack/Ryan Blaich; Council on Aging; Opioid epidemic; President Biden; our Nation; leaders; military; police; doctors; nurses; EMS; missionaries; enemies; Israel (Pray for the Peace of Jerusalem); schools; hurricane/tornadoes/flooding/fires around the country; North Korea; China; Taiwan; Iran; 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.**