



Please note: No Faith Formation or Youth Events for youth & children this weekend during Montreat Fall Retreat.

Worship services are livestreamed.



SPRING VALLEY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Reformation Sunday, October 26, 2025
Worship Service Bulletins & Announcements

We are a community of sinners saved by the grace of God through Jesus Christ and inspired by the Holy Spirit. We seek to glorify God, nurture one another and express the love of God in word and deed.



2026
STEWARDSHIP
CAMPAIGN
PLEDGE SUNDAY
IS NOVEMBER 9

Our church is at a pivotal moment of transition and renewal. Through faithful stewardship of time, talent, and treasure, we will:

- Invest in the next generation.
- Care for one another in fellowship.
- Extend Christ's love in service.
- Maintain a vibrant & welcoming campus.
- Support dedicated staff who guide us daily.



You are invited to sing!



CHRISTMAS
CANTATA
SUNDAY
DECEMBER 14

REHEARSAL SCHEDULE

November 5	7-7:45PM
November 12	6:45-7:45PM
November 19	6:30-7:45PM
December 3	6:30-7:45PM
December 10	6:30-7:45PM
December 13	10:30-11:45am
December 14	10AM-warmup before cantata

If you are interested in participating this year, please contact Ann Perry at acperry55@gmail.com or (803) 730-6653.

Traditional Service at 10:30AM in the Sanctuary

ASSEMBLING IN GOD'S NAME

PRELUDE

"BE STRONG IN THE LORD"

TOM FETTKE

**Those who are able, please stand*

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

BRIAN CLARK

*** CALL TO WORSHIP**

(FROM JOSHUA 1)

BRIAN CLARK

Leader: Be strong and courageous. God says He will never leave us nor forsake us.

People: Have the Book of the Law always on your lips, be careful to do it.

All: Then we will be prosperous and successful.

*** HYMN 457** "I GREET THEE, WHO MY SURE REDEEMER ART"

*** CALL TO CONFESSION**

BRIAN CLARK

*** PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

BRIAN CLARK

Lord, forgive us when we think we can earn our way into your blessing. Forgive us when we are apathetic to the Holy Spirit and to your Word. Forgive us when we divide the church instead of reform it. We have not loved you with our whole heart, soul, mind, and strength- and we forget this is for our greatest good. We have not loved our neighbor as ourselves. Forgive us, lift us up in your grace to love you and one another better.

*** ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

BRIAN CLARK

Leader: Friends, believe the Good News of the Gospel.

People: In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.

*** SUNG RESPONSE**

"DEAR LORD AND FATHER OF MANKIND"

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DEAR LORD AND FATHER OF MANKIND, FORGIVE OUR FOOLISH WAYS;
RECLOSE US IN OUR RIGHTFUL MIND, IN PURER LIVES THY SERVICE FIND,
IN DEEPER REVERENCE, PRAISE.

TIME WITH YOUNG DISCIPLES

REV. DR. J. BEN SLOAN

GREET YOUR NEIGHBOR

PROCLAIMING GOD'S WORD

CHANCEL CHOIR ANTHEM

"AMAZING GRACE"

AMAZING GRACE! HOW SWEET THE SOUND, THAT SAVED A WRETCH LIKE ME! I ONCE WAS LOST, BUT NOW AM FOUND, WAS BLIND, BUT NOW I SEE. 'T WAS GRACE THAT TAUGHT MY HEART TO FEAR, AND GRACE MY FEARS RELIEVED; HOW PRECIOUS DID THAT GRACE APPEAR THE HOUR I FIRST BELIEVED! THROUGH MANY DANGERS, TOILS AND SNARES, I HAVE ALREADY COME. 'T IS GRACE HATH BROUGHT ME SAFE THUS FAR, AND GRACE WILL LEAD ME HOME. WHEN WE'VE BEEN THERE TEN THOUSAND YEARS, BRIGHT SHINING AS THE SUN, WE'VE NO LESS DAYS TO SING GOD'S PRAISE THAN WHEN WE FIRST BEGUN.

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

RESPONDING to GOD’S WORD

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APOSTLES’ CREED

.....HYMNAL, PG 14
- I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived of the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.*

I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church, the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.
- PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen
- WORSHIP WITH TITHES & OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY

"I SING THE MIGHTY POWER OF GOD"

ARR. ANTHONY BURGER

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DOXOLOGY

HYMNAL, No. 592

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PRAYER OF DEDICATION

GOING IN GOD’S NAME

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HYMN 466

....."O FOR A THOUSAND TONGUES TO SING"
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CHARGE & BENEDICTION

REV. DR. J. BEN SLOAN
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CHORAL RESPONSE

May the road rise to meet you, may the wind blow at your back, may the sun shine warmly on your face, may the rain fall softly on your fields; and until we meet again, until we meet again, may God hold you in the palm of his hand. Amen.
- POSTLUDE

"STANDING ON THE PROMISES"

ARR. JOEL RANEY

Our time of worship ends and our service to others begins.



To place a dedication here in the bulletin along with flower arrangements in the Sanctuary, please email sandra@svpc.org. The cost is \$140 for two altar arrangements.

Revelations Service @ 8:30AM in Potts Hall

GATHERING IN GOD'S NAME

Welcome

Call to Worship | "Here I Am Lord"

"Amazing Grace"

Children's Time

PROCLAIMING GOD'S WORD

New Testament: Titus 3:4-6 | New Testament: Ephesians 2:8-10

Sermon: "Grace Alone not Karma" | Rev. Dr. J. Ben Sloan

Greet Your Neighbor

RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD

"Old Rugged Cross"

Statement of Faith: Apostles' Creed

Prayer of Confession & Assurance of Pardon

Lift Up Our Concerns

Share Our Gifts | "How Great Thou Art"

GOING IN GOD'S NAME

Benediction | Rev. Dr. J. Ben Sloan

"Sanctuary"

PRAYER LIST

*SUBMIT PRAYER REQUESTS AT WWW.SVPC.ORG.
WE REMOVE NAMES AFTER FOUR WEEKS UNLESS REQUESTED.*

*Our prayers and sympathy go out to the St. Onge Family on the loss of
Alex and Ray St. Onge's infant Pepin Theodore on October 21, 2025.*

Members: The Coulter Family, Lisa McDowell, Debbie & Grady Allen, Lynn & Louie Bartlett, Ann Perry, Pete Griffin, AJ Kilgore, Jennifer Breazeale, Dale Frieden-Bell, Stella Causey, Pat Alexander, David Knowles.

Non-Members: Bobby Zeigler (Ben Nesbit's nephew), Michael Lynch (Jane Hedden's friend), John Bauer & Alden Bauer (Burgin Riley's father & brother), Kathy Russell & Tim Smith (Jackie Strickland's brother & sister), Lynn van Dijk, Leila Evans, Freida Dean, Children receiving treatment at Prisma Health Children's Hospital cancer ward & their families, Port Loyola & West Street Baptist Churches.

For **EMERGENCY** purposes, a defibrillator (in a red case) is available for trained CPR users on the cabinet outside of the pastor's office, as well as one mounted in a white cabinet on the wall outside of the Outreach Room.



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