

Church Calendar

SUNDAY—MARCH 14

Singing Time	9:05 A.M.
Sunday School	9:20 A.M.
Fellowship in the Foyer	10:20 A.M.
Worship Service	10:45 A.M.
Cusco 2010 Team Meeting	12:15 P.M.
WIC Meeting	12:15 P.M.

TUESDAY—MARCH 16

Men's Prayer Breakfast	6:30 A.M.
Good News Club	2:30 P.M.

WEDNESDAY—MARCH 17

Orchestra Rehearsal	4:15 P.M.
Choirs	4:45 P.M.
Supper	5:15 P.M.
Classes for all ages <i>(nursery for birth through age three)</i>	6:00 P.M.
Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal	7:05 P.M.
Youth Bowling <i>(Meet at Palmetto Lanes)</i>	2:00 P.M.

SUNDAY—MARCH 21

Singing Time	9:05 A.M.
Sunday School	9:20 A.M.
Fellowship in the Foyer	10:20 A.M.
Worship Service	10:45 A.M.
Outreach Team Meeting	12:15 P.M.
Laurens Small Group	5:00 P.M.
Clinton Small Group <i>(Meet at Ragins')</i>	5:00 P.M.

Upcoming Events

Yard/Bake Sale	March 27
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Sunday School

ADULT

<i>What Does it Mean to be Reformed?</i>	Jim Roberts
<i>Discipleship</i>	Wayne Smith

YOUTH

Senior High.....	Jay and Suzanne Ragin
Junior High.....	Leigh Fleury

CHILDREN

5th/6th grade.....	Tommy and Nancy Motes
3rd - 4th grade.....	Paul and Sandy Moore
1st - 2nd grade.....	Jody Lipford/Robin Roberts
4 - 5 yr. olds.....	Pete and Jen Partee
2 - 3 yr. olds.....	Laura Lipford/Betsy McKinney
Toddlers.....	Anne Edwards/Fran Arscott

Nursery

<p style="text-align: center;"><u>In the nursery this week</u></p> <p>Babies.....L. and K. McKinney</p> <p>Preschool.....C. Hardin/E. Davis</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>In the nursery next week</u></p> <p>Babies.....T. and N. Motes</p> <p>Preschool.....M. Orr/ S. Roberts</p>
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Prayer Concerns

THE CHURCH AT LARGE

Bailey Manor—Dick Gillen, Chaplain
 Presbytery—Edgefield PC, Edgefield, Richard Barbare
 Denomination—Ridge Haven Conference Center
 Missionaries—Gary & Lois Watanabe, NY, NY
 National and Regional Leadership
 Teachers as standardized testing time draws near

CHURCH MEMBER REQUESTS

Gary Lewis—continued progress and recovery
 Rennie Senn—complete recovery from surgery
 Jen Partee—baby will be delivered this week
 Nancy Bowers, Ellen MacCormack's mom—recovery from surgery

PRAISES

Beautiful sunshine
 Behind the scenes volunteers at WPC

THOSE EXPECTING

Jen Partee—due in March
 Alice (Miller) Dorn—due in June

To put requests on the prayer chain, contact

Anne Edwards—683-5757, email
 Marilyn Daniluk—833-4359, phone
 or the church office during the day

Our Staff

Pastor
 Rev. Jim Roberts 833-4583

Assistant Pastor
 Rev. Dick Gillen 938-0334

Director of Music and Youth
 Dr. Leigh Fleury 833-6530

Director of Children's Ministries
 Penny Greer 833-2955

March Financial Report

Week 1	\$10,898.47
Week 2	
Week 3	
Week 4	
Week 5	
Month Total	\$10,898.47
YTD Total	\$67,574.06
YTD Budget	\$72,624.56
YTD Expenses	\$69,606.04

Serving You

Deacons for March.....Jody Lipford, Robbie Strickland

Ushers for March.....Jody Lipford, Robbie Strickland
 Dan Orr, Wes Leonard

March 14, 2010

** Those who are able, please stand ♦ Ushers may seat at this time
 Hearing devices and large-print bulletins are available from the ushers*

Meditation

Galatians 3:16, 26–29

The promises were spoken to Abraham and to his seed. The Scripture does not say “and to seeds,” meaning many people, but “and to your seed,” meaning one person, who is Christ. ... You are all sons of God through faith in Christ Jesus, for all of you who were baptized into Christ have clothed yourselves with Christ. There is neither Jew nor Greek, slave nor free, male nor female, for you are all one in Christ Jesus. If you belong to Christ, then you are Abraham's seed, and heirs according to the promise.

Prelude

Aria ~ F. Peeters

* Call to Worship

From Psalm 111

Mr. Dick Gillen

Leader: Praise the LORD. Let us extol the LORD with all our heart in the council of the upright and in the assembly.

People: *Great are the works of the LORD; they are pondered by all who delight in them. Glorious and majestic are his deeds, and his righteousness endures forever.*

Leader: He has caused his wonders to be remembered; the LORD is gracious and compassionate. He provides food for those who fear him; he remembers his covenant forever.

People: *He has shown his people the power of his works, giving them the lands of other nations. The works of his hands are faithful and just; all his precepts are trustworthy. They are steadfast for ever and ever, done in faithfulness and uprightness.*

Leader: He provided redemption for his people; he ordained his covenant forever—holy and awesome is his name.

All: *The fear of the LORD is the beginning of wisdom; all who follow his precepts have good understanding. To him belongs eternal praise.*

*◇ **Hymn of Adoration** O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing #164

* **Prayer of Adoration and Invocation**

Ministry of Music Jubilate ~ C. Curry Sanctuary Choir

Come, let the sound of the trumpet be heard, let the praises of God rise forth in our hearts. Come let us sing to the Lord! Jubilate! Jubilate! Jubilate Deo! Jubilate! Jubilate Deo! Let it sound in praise to the Lord, our God, Let it sound in praise and honor of our King! Come, let the sound of the trumpet be heard! Jubilate!

Confession of Sin

Call to Confession Proverbs 28:13-14

Silent Confession

Prayer of Confession

Almighty and merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you and one another in both our actions and our inactions. We recognize that in Jesus Christ our light has come, yet often we choose to walk in darkness and ignore the light. We acknowledge that in Christ we have the forgiveness of sins and yet far too frequently we choose to hide our sins from him, and thus lose the peace that is ours as your children. Gracious God, forgive our foolishness and our sins, and remove from us the veil of darkness that shrouds our lives. By your Spirit, make us willing to come into the light and to confess our sins, and then enable us to walk in new obedience to you. Amen

Assurance of Pardon Psalm 32:5

Children's Sermon

Pastoral Prayer

◇ **Welcome** (Please date, sign, and pass the friendship registers.)

Giving of Tithes and Offerings

Offertory Sentences Luke 21:1-4

Offertory Music Tim Kintzinger, trumpet
Beneath the Cross of Jesus ~ arr. D. Wood

* **Response** Doxology #733

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below: alleluia, alleluia! Praise him above ye heav'nly host, praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost: alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

* **Offertory Prayer**

* **Song of Preparation** Marvelous Light ~ C. Hall

Into marvelous light I'm running out of darkness, out of shame, by the cross You are the truth, You are the life, You are the way.
(Interlude)

*I once was fatherless, a stranger with no hope.
Your kindness wakened me, wakened me from my sleep.
Your love it beckons deeply, a call to come and die.
By grace now I will come and take this life, take Your life.*

Sin has lost its power, death has lost its sting. From the grave You've risen victoriously.

Into marvelous light I'm running out of darkness, out of shame, by the cross You are the truth, You are the life, You are the way.

(Interlude)

*My dead heart now is beating, my deepest stain's now clean
Your breath fills up my lungs, now I'm free, now I'm free.
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Scripture Reading Genesis 2:25-3:15

Prayer for Illumination

Sermon MAN'S SIN—GOD'S GRACE Mr. Jim Roberts

* **Hymn of Response** Beneath the Cross of Jesus #251

* **Benediction**

Postlude Toccata ~ E. Gigout



ANNOUNCEMENTS

Welcome to Westminster Presbyterian Church! Our desire is that you will find joyful, reverent worship and warm, genuine fellowship. Please fill out and pass the friendship registers at the time of welcome. If we may minister to you in any way, do not hesitate to speak with the pastor or one of the elders following the service.

We welcome children who are able to sit with their families during worship. We also provide excellent **NURSERY** facilities and care, as well as a place for mothers whose babies are nursing or become uncomfortable.

Missions 2010 Yard/Bake Sale will be on Saturday, March 27. You may bring items any time and store them in the middle classroom on the North wing. BE SURE to check with the church office BEFORE depositing your items in the room. If you need help moving larger items (furniture, small appliances, etc.) let us know and we'll be happy to move them for you.

A communicants class is being offered for children/youth, 5th grade and older. It will begin on March 21, taught by Elder Charlie Miller during the Sunday school hour. If you are interested in having your children/youth participate, please contact the church office as soon as possible.

Covenant Family Conference at Ridgehaven Camp, sponsored by Covenant Theological Seminary, will be held this summer, July 19-23. This conference will give covenant families the opportunity to sit under Bible-centered teaching and explore God's covenant in the context of a family vacation in the beautiful Blue Ridge Mountains. For details, go to ridgehaven.org

Wednesday supper this week will be *breakfast foods*, cooked by the men of our church. Use the designated space on the friendship register to let us know how many adults and children from your family will be here for supper.



Meet You in the Alley!

Youth Bowling at Palmetto Lanes

Saturday, March 20th
2:00-4:00 P.M.

\$9.00 per person covers shoes and unlimited bowling.