

## Church Calendar

### SUNDAY—JULY 18

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.

### MONDAY—JULY 19

Session Meeting	6:30 P.M.
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### MONDAY-FRIDAY

Carpenters for Christ	7:30 A.M.
Five Day Club at CES	10:00 A.M.

### SUNDAY—JULY 25

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.

#### Upcoming Events

Youth Group at Marshalls'	July 28
Missions Presentation—Cusco	August 8
Missions Presentation—Cherokee, Carpenters for Christ	August 15
Wednesday night programs resume	August 18
Promotion Sunday	August 22
PC Block Party on the Square	August 24

## Sunday School

### ADULT

*Chosen by God*..... Video series by RC Sproul

### YOUTH

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

### 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.....	Suzie Smith
2 - 3 yr. olds.....	Laura Lipford/Betsy McKinney
Toddlers.....	Anne Edwards/Fran Arcscott

### Nursery

In the nursery this week

*Babies*...../Joy Lehn  
*Preschool*..... J. and A. Ragin

In the nursery next week

*Babies*..... W. Smith/P. Greer  
*Preschool*.....R. and L. Davis

## Prayer Concerns

### THE CHURCH AT LARGE

Bailey Manor—Rita Stanley, Director  
 Presbytery—Centerpoint PC, Moore  
 Denomination—Ridge Haven Conference Center, Morse Up De Graff  
 Missionaries—Keith & Ruth Powlison, Peru  
 National and Regional Leadership

### CHURCH MEMBER REQUESTS

Gary Lewis—continued progress and recovery  
 Juanita Bragg—on-going health issues  
 Kay Powers—restoration to full health  
 Barbara Frady—continued healing, no infection  
 Steve Turner, Rebecca's son—recurrence of cancer, chemo treatments

### PRAISES

*Logan Americus Edwards, born to Todd and Kara on Friday, July 16 weighing 7 pounds 11 ounces.*  
 Rain showers for Laurens County

### THOSE EXPECTING

Katy Snider—due in August

#### 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

### Director of Music and Youth

Dr. Leigh Fleury                      833-6530

### Director of Children's Ministries

Penny Greer                              833-2955

### July Financial Report

Week 1	\$11,780.37
Week 2	\$13,419.57
Week 3	
Week 4	
Week 5	
Month Total	\$25,199.94
YTD Total	\$197,844.28
YTD Budget	\$209,804.28
YTD Expenses	\$193,913.12

### Serving You

**Deacons** for July.....Grier Hudson, Robert Roper

**Ushers** for July.....Grier Hudson, Robert Roper  
 Jim Edwards, Reed Edwards

**July 18, 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

Revelation 7:9–12

After this I looked and there before me was a great multitude that no one could count, from every nation, tribe, people and language, standing before the throne and in front of the Lamb. They were wearing white robes and were holding palm branches in their hands. And they cried out in a loud voice: "Salvation belongs to our God, who sits on the throne, and to the Lamb." All the angels were standing around the throne and around the elders and the four living creatures. They fell down on their faces before the throne and worshiped God, saying: "Amen! Praise and glory and wisdom and thanks and honor and power and strength be to our God for ever and ever. Amen!"

### Welcome and Announcements

#### Prelude

Grand Chorus in B-Flat ~ T. Dubois

#### Call to Worship

From Psalm 92

Mr. Collie Lehn

Leader: It is good to praise the LORD and make music to your name, O Most High, to proclaim your love in the morning and your faithfulness at night.

People: *For you make me glad by your deeds, O LORD; I sing for joy at the works of your hands. How great are your works, O LORD, how profound your thoughts!*

All: *You, O LORD, are exalted forever. The LORD is upright; he is my Rock, and there is no wickedness in him.*

\*♦ **Hymn of Adoration**                      Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken                      #345

\* **Prayer of Adoration and Invocation**

**Children’s Sermon**

**Pastoral Prayer**

**Giving of Tithes and Offerings**

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

**Offertory Sentences** Matthew 6:24–25, 33

**Offertory Music** Come, Thou Fount ~ J. Wyeth Amy Link  
(see hymn 457 for the text)

\* **Response** Doxology #731

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise Him, all creatures here below; praise Him above, ye heav’nly host: praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

\* **Offertory Prayer**

\* **Confession of Faith** Nicene Creed<sup>1</sup>

*We believe in one God, the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible.*

*And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of his Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God, begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father; by whom all things were made; who for us and for our salvation came down from heaven, and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary, and was made man; and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate; he suffered and was buried; and the third day he rose again according to the Scriptures, and ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father; and he shall come again, with glory, to judge both the living and the dead; whose kingdom shall have no end.*

*And we believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and giver of life; who proceeds from the Father and the Son; who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified; who spoke by the prophets; and we believe in one holy catholic<sup>2</sup> and apostolic church; we acknowledge one baptism for the remission of sins; and we look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen*

\* **Song of Preparation**

Let the Walls Fall Down ~ Barbour & Batstone

Chorus: *Let the walls fall down. Let the walls fall down.  
Let the walls fall down. By His love, let the walls fall down.*

*One by one, we’re drawn together. One by one, to Jesus side  
One in Him, we’ll live forever. Strangers He has reconciled.  
(repeat chorus)*

*In His love, no walls between us. In His love, a common ground.  
Kneeling at the cross of Jesus, all our pride comes tumbling  
down. (repeat chorus)*

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**Scripture Reading** Genesis 11:1-9

**Prayer for Illumination**

**Sermon** REBELLION AND HOPE AT BABEL Mr. Jim Roberts

**Confession of Sin**

**Call to Confession and Assurance of Pardon** Psalm 25:6-11

**Silent Confession of Sin**

\* **Hymn of Response** Christ Is Made the Sure Foundation #342

\* **Benediction** 2 Thessalonians 3:5

**Postlude** O That I Had a Thousand Voices ~ P. Manz



# 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.

**Nominations** for church officers will remain open through Sunday, August 1. Nomination forms are available at both sanctuary entrances. It is recommended (but not required) that you contact each man before placing his name in nomination. Completed forms may be placed in the offering plate or in the church office mailbox in the workroom.

**Westminster and First Baptist Church** will hold a Five-Day Bible Club at Clinton Elementary tomorrow through Friday at 10:00 A.M. each morning. A team from CEF in Spartanburg will be conducting the club but we will provide snacks, transportation and supervision. If you can help with this ministry this week please contact the church office as soon as possible.

**Carpenters for Christ**, a joint ministry of several local congregations, will be repairing homes in our community this week and it’s not too late to join in this outreach! If you would like to help, look for an entry form at either sanctuary entrance, fill it out and return it to Jim Davidson or the church office today, with your \$10.00 fee attached (make checks payable to Carpenters for Christ). If you would like to help serve lunch for these work crews on Monday and/or Tuesday, 11:30-1:30 (or any part of that time) let the church office know.

**Laurens County** districts 55 and 56 are again collecting school supplies for students who are in need. Lists of needed items are posted throughout the building and available from the church office. Supplies may be left in the church library and will be taken to the collection site. August 6-8 is the tax free weekend and supplies will be collected through August 8.

**Mission to the World** will hold a **Global Missions Conference** in Chattanooga, Tennessee November 5-7. There will be wonderful worship and plenary sessions with Joe Novenson as the keynote speaker. Early registration discount is available through July 30. Details are available online at [missionsconference@mtw.org](mailto:missionsconference@mtw.org)

<sup>1</sup>The original Nicene Creed was first adopted in 325 at the First Council of Nicaea. In 381 the creed was amended at the Second Council of Nicaea.  
<sup>2</sup>The word “catholic” means “universal.”