

Church Calendar

SUNDAY—OCTOBER 11

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.
Missions Ministry Team Meeting	12:15 P.M.
W.I.C. Meeting	12:15 P.M.

TUESDAY—OCTOBER 13

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

WEDNESDAY—OCTOBER 14

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.

SATURDAY—OCTOBER 17

Community Work Day	8:00 A.M.
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SUNDAY—OCTOBER 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.
Sanctuary Choir Lunch/Rehearsal	12:15 P.M.
Laurens Small Group (<i>Meet at Smiths'</i>)	5:00 P.M.
Clinton Small Group (<i>Meet at Moores'</i>)	5:00 P.M.

Upcoming Events

Reformation Celebration	October 28
Annual Trip to Caro-Mi	October 30

Sunday School

ADULT

<i>Proverbs</i>	Dick Gillen
<i>1, 2 Thessalonians</i>	Wayne Smith
<i>Satan's Greatest Hits</i> (College-Early Career).....	Jim Roberts

YOUTH

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

In the nursery this week

Babies.....C. Hardin/S. Vaughan
PreschoolL. and K. McKinney

In the nursery next week

Babies..... PC Students
Preschool T. and N. Motes

Prayer Concerns

THE CHURCH AT LARGE

Bailey Manor—Rita Stanley, Director
Presbytery—Mountville PC, Mountville
Denomination—Ridge Haven Conference Center, Morse Up De Graff
Missionaries—Peter & Diane Bakelaar, Japan

CHURCH MEMBER REQUESTS

Gary Lewis—continued progress and recovery
Charles McKinney—hematoma
Leslie Jackson—continued improvement
Children attending Good News Club

PRAISES

The joy of walking with Jesus

*Robert H. Roper V, born October 7, weighing 7 pounds, 7 ounces to proud
parents Rob and Kelli Roper*

THOSE EXPECTING

Tacy Fleury—due in March
Jen Partee—due in March

OTHERS

National Leadership—President Barack Obama
State Leadership—Rep. Jeff Duncan
Local Leadership—Mayor Randy Randall
Homebound, Military and their families
State school board meeting on Wednesday

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

September Financial Report

Week 1	\$5,826.21
Week 2	\$10,615.75
Week 3	\$6,885.42
Week 4	\$4,905.01
Month Total	\$28,232.39
YTD Total	\$280,138.08
YTD Budget	\$287,509.50
YTD Expenses	\$287,289.99

Serving You

Deacons for October.....Grier Hudson, Robert Roper

Ushers for October

Grier Hudson, Robert Roper
Brian McCall, Tarri McKinney

October 11, 2009

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

Meditation

Isaiah 45:5–8

I am the LORD, and there is no other; apart from me there is no God. I will strengthen you, though you have not acknowledged me, so that from the rising of the sun to the place of its setting men may know there is none besides me. I am the LORD, and there is no other. I form the light and create darkness, I bring prosperity and create disaster; I, the LORD, do all these things. “You heavens above, rain down righteousness; let the clouds shower it down. Let the earth open wide, let salvation spring up, let righteousness grow with it; I, the LORD, have created it.”

Prelude

Adagio in E Major ~ F. Bridge

* Call to Worship

Psalm 145:10–14, 21b

Mr. Collie Lehn

Leader: All you have made will praise you, O LORD; your saints will extol you.

Congregation: *They will tell of the glory of your kingdom and speak of your might, so that all men may know of your mighty acts and the glorious splendor of your kingdom.*

Leader: Your kingdom is an everlasting kingdom, and your dominion endures through all generations. The LORD is faithful to all his promises and loving toward all he has made.

All: *The LORD upholds all those who fall and lifts up all who are bowed down. Let every creature praise his holy name for ever and ever.*

*♦ Hymn of Adoration

I Love to Tell the Story

#478

* Prayer of Adoration and Invocation

Missions Minute Miss Beth Rocker

Pastoral Prayer

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

Giving of Tithes and Offerings

Offertory Sentences Psalm 96:8–9

Offertory Music Holy Is He ~ D. Clydesdale Sanctuary Choir

Holy is He and great is His glory. Holy is He and worthy of our praise. I stand in His presence amazed, and crown Him with worship and praise! Holy is He, Holy is He, Holy is He.

Who pardons my iniquities, who heals me from within? Who lifts my fallen life and sets me on my feet again? Who leads me like a shepherd when I've gone astray? My Lord, My God, my Jesus, the One I praise today!

Who hears me in my loneliness, who finds me where I hide? Who knocks outside my broken heart, till I let Him inside? Whose life deserves the honor laid before His throne? My Lord, my God, my Jesus, my Savior and my own!

Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty! All Thy works shall praise Thy name in earth and sky and sea; Holy, holy, holy! Merciful and mighty! God in three Persons, blessed Trinity! Holy is He. Amen! Amen!

* **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**

* **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 1:1; Colossians 1:9–17

Prayer for Illumination

Sermon FOUNDATIONS Mr. Jim Roberts

* **Hymn of Response** Amazing Grace #460

* **Benediction**

Postlude Toccata on *Amazing Grace* ~ J. C. Pardini



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.

We welcome back to Westminster today Beth Rocker, who was a regular attender here and a part of Campus Outreach during her days as a student at Presbyterian College. Beth has been on staff with Campus Outreach, Johannesburg in South Africa, for the last five years.

A work day is being planned by the deacons for Saturday, October 17, beginning at 8:00 A.M. and working until the jobs are finished. There will be work at Westminster and several sites in the community, mostly outside. If you plan to help, please be sure to sign up or contact the church office so that work teams can be assigned and equipped.

A Reformation celebration will be held on Wednesday night, October 28, presented by the youth for the children. This is a great opportunity to invite friends and neighbors to our church for a fun way to learn about the work the Lord has done in his church through the reformers. We will follow our regular afternoon and evening schedule, with the celebration beginning at 6:00 P.M. There will be no classes after supper.

Need a peaceful evening out? Make reservations now for the annual trip to Caro-Mi restaurant in Tryon, NC, on Friday, October 30. Come and enjoy the rocking chairs by the stream while you wait for your table, then enjoy a wonderful home-cooked meal and great fellowship. Call Anne Edwards (683-5757) to make reservations for this Dutch treat evening.

Wednesday supper this week will be *taco salad*. 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.

MISSIONS 2010 FUND RAISERS

MONDAY, OCTOBER 19, 5:00-9:00 P.M.

DEMPSEY'S PIZZA

will donate 10% of profits for the evening.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 7, 5:00-9:00 P.M.

SONIC DRIVE-IN

will donate 10% of profits - plus tips

Invite your friends, co-workers, and neighbors to join us for supper and help support our summer missionaries!