

# Olivet Presbyterian Church

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Robert B. Mendenhall, *Sunday School Superintendent*

## The Session

Christopher W. Arnold	Roy G. Clinton	David R. Currence, <i>Emeritus</i>
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James M. Hawley, <i>Emeritus</i>	Robert B. Mendenhall	John M. McArthur, Jr. <i>Moderator</i>
Michael A. Nance, <i>WIC Liaison</i>	Jason M. Petty	Richard B. Summerville, Jr.
William Lee Summerville, Jr., <i>Clerk</i>		

## The Diaconate

A. Jarrett Callahan	R. Matthew Clinton, <i>Secretary</i>	James R. Clinton
S. Douglas Cobb, Jr., <i>Emeritus</i>	Malcolm Harshaw, <i>Treasurer</i>	John F. Hawley
Don L. Johnson	David W. Kelley, <i>Chairman</i>	Larry M. Plyler, <i>Co-Chairman</i>

## The Women in the Church

Laura Frame, <i>President</i>	Rebecca Howell, <i>Treasurer</i>	Susan Petty, <i>Secretary</i>
Jane Harshaw, <i>Historian</i>	Marsha Plyler, <i>Pastor's Aide</i>	Donna McArthur, <i>Missions</i>
Frankie Guempel, <i>Chair-Circle 2</i>		Katie Summerville, <i>Chair-Circle 3</i>
Kathy Fairfax, <i>Nursery/Children's Church</i>		

## Our Missionaries

Peter and Diane Bakelaar ( <i>MTW-Japan</i> )	Brian Howard ( <i>RUF1-Clemson Univ.</i> )
Garry and Anita Chambers ( <i>MTW-Caribbean</i> )	Marty and Sara Driggers ( <i>Wycliffe</i> )
Roger and Laura Dye ( <i>Family Life Global</i> )	Michael and Tricia Lee ( <i>MTW-Panama</i> )
Debbie Richards ( <i>MTW-Japan</i> )	

## Ministry Committees, 2021

### Discipleship Ministries Committee

Class of 2021	Daniel Harshaw, <i>Chairman</i> (2022)	Brian Carlisle
Class of 2022	Bryce Laws	Megan Covington
Class of 2023	Chris Arnold (2024)	Brenda Nance
Advisory Member	John Franklin	

### Missions Committee

Class of 2021	*Rick Summerville, <i>Chairman</i> (2022)	Ellen Walyus
Class of 2022	Dennis Krueger	Donna McArthur
Class of 2023	Bobby Mendenhall (2024)	Susan Petty

### Witness Committee

Class of 2021	*Jason Petty, <i>Chairman</i> (2022)	Ann Hawley
Class of 2022	David Currence	Brent Christenberry
Class of 2023	Michael Nance (2024)	Laura Frame



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McConnells, South Carolina

A member congregation of  
The Presbyterian Church in America



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The Lord's Day, February 14, 2021

Prelude

Preparation for Worship

Our help is in the name of the LORD,  
who made heaven and earth.

(Psalm 124:8, ESV)

Welcome and Announcements

Pastor Chip McArthur

\*Call to Worship

**O**h come, let us sing to the LORD;  
let us make a joyful noise to the rock of our salvation!  
Let us come into his presence with thanksgiving;  
let us make a joyful noise to him with songs of praise!  
For the LORD is a great God,  
and a great King above all gods.  
In his hand are the depths of the earth;  
the heights of the mountains are his also.  
The sea is his, for he made it,  
and his hands formed the dry land.  
Oh come, let us worship and bow down;  
let us kneel before the LORD, our Maker!  
For he is our God, and we are the people of his pasture,  
and the sheep of his hand.

(Psalm 95:1-7, ESV)

\*Invocation and the Lord's Prayer

\*Hymn 78

*O Bless the Lord, My Soul*

Congregation

Scripture Meditation

God so loved the world, that he gave his only Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life. For God did not send his Son into the world to condemn the world, but in order that the world might be saved through him.

Whoever believes in him is not condemned, but whoever does not believe is condemned already, because he has not believed in the name of the only Son of God.

And this is the judgment: the light has come into the world, and people loved the darkness rather than the light because their works were evil.

(John 3:16-19, ESV)

Silent Confession of Sin

Pastoral Prayer

His Tithes & Our Offerings

Ascribe to the LORD the glory due his name; bring an offering  
and come before him! Worship the LORD in the splendor of  
holiness;

(1 Chronicles 16:29, ESV)

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Scripture Reading

Exodus 24:12-18

Sermon

"In the Presence of God"

Pastor McArthur

\*Hymn Congregation

\*Benediction

\*Offering of Praise 735

*The Gloria Patri*

Congregation

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it  
was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end.  
Amen, amen.

\*Postlude

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*Welcome*

We extend a warm welcome to all our friends and visitors who join us for this morning's service of worship. Thank you for coming. May God richly bless you as you worship Him with us.

*During the Pandemic*

As the COVID19 pandemic still poses a threat everyone's health and well-being, let's be careful and mindful of others. Please take the precautions of wearing a mask and practicing careful social distancing.

*Today at Olivet*

10:00 am Morning Worship Service

5:00 pm Session Meeting

6:00 pm Sunday Evening Bible Study

*This Week at Olivet*

Wednesday Youth Group – Fellowship Hall, 6 pm

Prayer Meeting – Sanctuary, or online via Zoom at  
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88063863723>, 7 pm

### *Looking Ahead*

February 28 Communion Service, 10 am  
April 4 Easter Sunday  
May 1-2 World Missions Conference, with guest preacher Craig Marshall

### *Greeters*

February Chris Arnold, Gracie Arnold  
March Jason Petty Family

### *Flowers*

A sign-up sheet has been placed in the vestibule for any who want to get on the schedule to provide the weekly flowers for the sanctuary.

### *Tithes and Offerings*

Although we will not be “passing the plate” to receive Tithes and Offerings during the service, members are encouraged to give using the plates provided up front or in the back. Or they may mail in their gifts or use online services to send them in.

### *Church Budget Matters*

Budget requirements to date	\$ 25,626.36
Receipts to date	\$ 26,158.92

### *Faith Promise for World Missions*

2020 Faith Promise pledged (April 30, 2020)	\$ 24,130.00
2020 Faith Promise receipts to date	\$ 23,855.59

### *Devotional Guides*

Free copies of the latest editions of *Our Daily Bread* (including large print) and *Tabletalk Magazine* are available for you in the vestibule. Please take for yourself and to share with others.