

Olivet Presbyterian Church

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The Session

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

The Diaconate

Brian J. Carlisle, <i>Widows & Shut-ins</i>	Brent M. Christenberry, <i>Buildings & Grounds</i>	James R. Clinton
Lee K. Guempel, <i>Safety & Security</i>	Malcolm Harshaw, <i>Treasurer</i>	John F. Hawley, <i>Chairman</i>
Don L. Johnson	David W. Kelley	Michael A. Laws, <i>Secretary</i>
Larry M. Plyler, <i>Emeritus</i>	S. Douglas Cobb, Jr., <i>Emeritus</i>	

The Women in the Church

Sandra Currence, <i>President</i>	Kathy Fairfax, <i>Nursery/Children's Church</i>	Susan Petty, <i>Secretary</i>
Jane Harshaw, <i>Historian</i>	Marsha Plyler, <i>Treasurer/Pastor's Aide</i>	Donna McArthur, <i>Missions</i>
Frankie Guempel, <i>Chair-Circle 2</i>	Sandra Currence, <i>Chair-Circle 1</i>	

Our Missionaries

Peter and Diane Bakelaar (<i>MTW-Japan</i>)	Brian Howard (<i>RUFJ-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, 2022

Discipleship Ministries Committee

Daniel Harshaw (2022), <i>Chairman</i>	Megan Covington (2022)
Bryce Laws (2022)	Brenda Nance (2023)
Chris Arnold (2024)	Jill Christenberry (2024)
John Franklin, <i>Advisory Member</i>	

Missions Committee

Rick Summerville (2022), <i>Chairman</i>	Dennis Krueger (2022)
Donna McArthur (2022)	Susan Petty (2023)
Bobby Mendenhall (2024)	Brian Carlisle (2024)

Witness Committee

Jason Petty, <i>Chairman</i> (2022)	David Currence (2022)
Brent Christenberry (2022)	Laura Frame (2023)
Michael Nance (2024)	Katie Summerville (2024)



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The Lord's Day, June 26, 2022

Prelude

Preparation for Worship

Now among those who went up to worship at the feast were some Greeks. So these came to Philip, who was from Bethsaida in Galilee, and asked him, "Sir, we wish to see Jesus." Philip went and told Andrew; Andrew and Philip went and told Jesus. And Jesus answered them, "The hour has come for the Son of Man to be glorified.

(John 12: 20-23, ESV)

Welcome and Announcements

Pastor Chip McArthur

*Call to Worship

Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord from the heavens.
Praise him, all his angels;
praise him, all his hosts!
For he commanded and they were created.
Young men and maidens together,
old men and children!
Let them praise the name of the Lord,
for his name alone is exalted;
his majesty is above earth and heaven.
He has raised up a horn for his people,
praise for all his saints,
for the people of Israel who are near to him.
Praise the Lord!

(Psalm 148:1-4,11-14, ESV)

*Invocation and the Lord's Prayer

*Hymn 44

How Great Thou Art

Congregation

Confession of Faith. Westminster Confession of Faith (Chapter 5.1) Congregation

God, the great Creator of all things, doth uphold, direct dispose, and govern all creatures, actions, and things, from the greatest even to the least, by His most wise and holy providence, according to His infallible foreknowledge, and the free and immutable counsel of His own will, to the praise of the glory of His wisdom, power, justice, goodness, and mercy.

Scripture Meditation

Pastor John Franklin

Love is patient and kind; love does not envy or boast; it is not arrogant or rude. It does not insist on its own way; it is not irritable or resentful; it does

not rejoice at wrongdoing, but rejoices with the truth. Love bears all things, believes all things, hopes all things, endures all things. Love never ends.

(1 Corinthians 13:4-8, ESV)

Silent Confession of Sin

Assurance of Pardon

Beloved, let us love one another, for love is from God, and whoever loves has been born of God and knows God. Anyone who does not love does not know God, because God is love. In this the love of God was made manifest among us, that God sent his only Son into the world, so that we might live through him. In this is love, not that we have loved God but that he loved us and sent his Son to be the propitiation for our sins.

(1 John 4:7-10, ESV)

Pastoral Prayer

His Tithes & Our Offerings

Amazing Grace

Don Johnson

*Doxology

*Prayer of Thanksgiving

*Hymn 598

O Father, You are Sovereign

Congregation

Children's Message

Pastor Franklin

(Children aged 3 to 5 years dismissed to Children's Church Program)

Scripture Reading

John 6:16-21

Sermon

"A Gravity Defying Miracle"

Pastor Franklin

*Hymn 691

It is Well With My Soul

Congregation

*Benediction

The Lord bless you and keep you; the Lord make his face to shine upon you and be gracious to you; the Lord lift up his countenance upon you and give you peace.

(Numbers 6:24-26, ESV)

*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

*Those that are able, please stand.

Today at Olivet

8:45 am Early Prayer (in Pastor Chip's study). Join us!
9:00 am Sunday School
10:00 am Morning Worship Service

This Week at Olivet

**Wednesday Youth Group Meets, 6-8 pm (at the Richard and Abby Sikes Home.
Plan to swim)
Prayer Meeting, 7 pm (Conference Room)**

Also this Week

Sam Carlisle, Gwen Carlisle, Norah Kaye Summerville, and Thomas Clinton, along with other youth from around the presbytery left yesterday (Saturday) for a week of service with *MTW's Summer Youth Mission* in Fairmont, WV. Deacon Brian Carlisle is there as a driver and chaperone.

Looking Ahead (Please mark your calendars)

June 28 Runoff Election Day
July 10 Communion Service, 10 am
Deacons Meeting, 2 pm
Session Meeting, 4 pm
July 11-16 Ridge Haven Youth Service Camp

Collection Duty

June David Kelley, Brian Carlisle, John Hawley
July Michael Laws, Brent Christenberry, Don Johnson

Nursery Team

Today (6/26) Jane Hawley, Frankie Guempel
Next Sunday (7/3) Abbey Sikes, Debbie Summerville

Children's Church Team

Today (6/26) Brenda Nance, Marsha Plyler, Ina Johnson (Alt.)
Next Sunday (7/3) Kathy Fairfax, Rick Summerville

*Alternates serve only as needed

Church Budget Matters

Budget requirements to date \$ 110,110.50
Receipts to date \$ 112,219.52

Faith Promise for World Missions

2022 Faith Promise pledged, April 30, 2022: \$ 21,778.00
2022 Faith Promise received to date: \$ 3,865.00