

# Olivet Presbyterian Church

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Katie Summerville, *Chair-Circle 3*

## Our Missionaries

Peter and Diane Bakelaar (*MTW-Japan*)

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Roger and Laura Dye (*Family Life Global*)

Debbie Richards (*MTW-Japan*)

Brian Howard (*RUFJ-Clemson Univ.*)

Marty and Sara Driggers (*Wycliffe*)

Michael and Tricia Lee (*MTW-Panama*)

## Ministry Committees, 2021

### Discipleship Ministries Committee

Class of 2021

Class of 2022

Class of 2023

Advisory Member

Daniel Harshaw, *Chairman* (2022)

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Chris Arnold (2024)

John Franklin

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### Missions Committee

Class of 2021

Class of 2022

Class of 2023

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Class of 2021

Class of 2022

Class of 2023

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McConnells, South Carolina

A member congregation of  
*The Presbyterian Church in America*



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The Lord's Day, June 6, 2021

Prelude

Preparation for Worship

The hour is coming, and is now here, when the true worshipers will worship the Father in spirit and truth, for the Father is seeking such people to worship him. God is spirit, and those who worship him must worship in spirit and truth.

(John 4:23, ESV)

Welcome and Announcements

Pastor Chip McArthur

\*Call to Worship

Responsive Reading

Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good,  
**for his steadfast love endures forever.**  
Give thanks to the God of gods,  
**for his steadfast love endures forever.**  
Give thanks to the Lord of lords,  
**for his steadfast love endures forever;**  
to him who alone does great wonders,  
**for his steadfast love endures forever;**  
to him who led his people through the wilderness,  
**for his steadfast love endures forever;**  
It is he who remembered us in our low estate,  
**for his steadfast love endures forever;**  
and rescued us from our foes,  
**for his steadfast love endures forever;**  
Give thanks to the God of heaven,  
**for his steadfast love endures forever.**

(Psalm 136, 1,2,3, 4, 16, 23, 24, 26, ESV)

\*Invocation and the Lord's Prayer

\*Hymn 381 *Brethren, We Have Met to Worship*

Congregation

Special Presentation

Pastor McArthur

Scripture Meditation

Pastor John Franklin

Do not love the world or the things in the world. If anyone loves the world, the love of the Father is not in him. For all that is in the world – the desires of the flesh and the desires of the eyes and the pride of life – is not from the Father but is from the world. And the world is

passing away along with its desires, but whoever does the will of God abides forever.

(1 John 2:15-17, ESV)

Silent Confession of Sin

Assurance of Pardoning Grace

If you confess with your mouth that Jesus is Lord and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved. For with the heart one believes and is justified, and with the mouth one confesses and is saved.

(Romans 10:9-10, ESV)

Pastoral Prayer

His Tithes & Our Offerings

\*Doxology

\*Prayer of Thanksgiving

Hymn 616

*Leaning on the Everlasting Arms*

Congregation

Children's Message

Scripture Reading

Exodus 34:1-35

Sermon

"A Heart of Dependence"

Pastor Franklin

\*Hymn 449 *We Rest on Thee (vs. 1 & 4)*

Congregation

\*Benediction

May the grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God the Father, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

(1 Corinthians 13:14 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

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## Announcements

### *Today at Olivet*

- 8:45 am Early Morning Prayer  
9:00 am Sunday School  
10:00 am Morning Worship Service (Children's Church Starts back today)  
5:00 pm Session Meeting  
6:00 pm Family Bible Study

### *This Week at Olivet*

- Wednesday Youth Group – Fellowship Hall, 6 pm  
Prayer Meeting – In the Conference Room, 7 pm

### *Looking Ahead*

- June 28-July 2 PCA General Assembly, St. Louis, Missouri.  
July 4 Communion Service  
July 17-24 Summer Mission with MTW in Fairmont, WV  
July 25-29 Vacation Bible School (see note)

### *Greeters*

- June Jimmy and Ann Hawley  
July David and Sandra Currence

### *Church Budget Matters*

Budget requirements to date	\$ 93,963.32
Receipts to date	\$ 96,540.14

### *Faith Promise for World Missions 2021*

Today is the final day to make a pledge for Olivet's 2021 Faith Promise. Pledge cards are available in the vestibule and may be submitted through the offering plate.

2021 Faith Promise <i>pledged</i> to date:	\$ 19,652.00
2021 Faith Promise <i>received</i> to date:	\$ 2,810.00

### *Children's Ministry*

If you intended to sign up as a volunteer for our Nursery and Children's Church ministries, please do so today. Children's Church restarts this Sunday! See the enclosed insert.

Please note: Those who have not previously served in our children's ministries will need to fill out the *Application for Children's Ministry Volunteers Form*. Copies of the form, along with Olivet's *Child Protection Policy* are available in the vestibule.

### *Vacation Bible School*

Speaking of Children's Ministry, our Vacation Bible School for 2021 is set for July 25-29. Once again, we'll be joining forces with McConnells First Baptist Church in the effort. Abbey Clinton and Jessica Elliot are co-directors. Please consider volunteering to participate in this important outreach to families in the community. Use the enclosed insert and place it in the offering plate.

### *Olivet's Graduating High School Seniors*

We are thrilled to recognize our high school seniors this morning in corporate worship. Our four seniors are Grayson Branch, Rylee Cash, Grayson Fairfax, and Seth Petty. All four seniors are graduating from York Comprehensive High School this coming Friday. Following graduation Seth plans to attend York Tech and will be pursuing a degree in health science. Grayson Branch plans to attend York Tech and will be pursuing a degree in welding. Grayson Fairfax plans to attend York Tech and will be pursuing a degree in business. Rylee recently received a cosmetology degree from the Floyd D Johnson technology center and is currently working in her field at sports clip.

### *Game Night*

Game night starts this coming Tuesday here at the church. Come Join us for food, fun and fellowship! This week will run from 6:00 pm – 8:00 pm. All other Tuesdays will run from 7:00pm -9:00 pm. Everyone is invited!

### *Tabletalk*

Copies of the latest editions of Tabletalk Magazine and Our Daily Bread are available for your taking in the vestibule.