Welcome to worship at Fountain Inn Presbyterian! Please record your presence by signing the friendship pads located in each pew. Visitors, we are especially glad to have you with us today and we invite you to take a blue "Welcome" bag from the narthex tables as you leave worship today. If we can answer any questions about our church family, please speak to one of the ushers or Rev. Moss at the end of worship.

We remember in our prayers our at home members, Marthie Snow as she prepares for surgery on Monday, April 22, and Rev. Dr. Steve Mays who is recovering from a fall. Dr. Mays can receive cards at this new address: Kempton of Charleston, 194 Spring Street, Steve Mays Room 428, Charleston, SC 29403.

Presbyterian Youth Connection, PYC, meets Sunday evenings from 5:30-7:30 pm for 5th- 12th grade youth September thru May. A typical Sunday includes a meal, organized game and program in the CFC. Upcoming PYC schedule:

Sunday, April 21: PYC, 5:30-7:30pm, dinner and activity in the CFC
Friday, April 26: FAMINE F/F Friday (Senior Highs)
Saturday, April 27: All FAMINE participants begin fasting at midnight
Sunday, April 28: 8am, FAMINE participants break their fast
10am, FIPC Congregational Youth Mission BreakFAST Fundraiser; NO evening PYC
Friday, May 3 & Saturday, May 4, Youth Mission Yard Sale Fundraiser

Next Sunday, April 28th, everyone is invited to the PYC BreakFAST at 10:00am in the CFC. A love offering for Youth Missions will be received at breakfast. There will be no Sunday School next Sunday.

The annual Youth Mission Yard Sale is May 3-4 and we welcome your donations. If you need help with your donations, please contact Shannon Weinel, (864) 350-4678 or shannon@fountaininnpres.org.

INN Motion, our adult fellowship group, will travel to Nazareth Presbyterian Church in Spartanburg for a tour followed by lunch this Thursday, April 25. Meet in the back parking lot of the church (behind the gym) at 11:00am. The church bus will be available to ride for the first 15 people or you are welcome to carpool. Please RSVP to Kitty by April 23 if you plan to attend so we can have a count to share with the restaurant.

Presbyterian Women's Birthday Luncheon is next Sunday, April 28th at 12 noon in the Fellowship Hall. A boxed lunch will be served and a \$10 donation is appreciated to help cover the cost. If you would like to eat lunch and you have not yet sent in your RSVP, contact Penny Moore (864-414-0553) or Kate Tumblin (864-423-5218). We look forward to celebrating the work of Presbyterian Women and learning more about the PW 2024 Birthday Objectives.

Community INN Motion- During the month of April, we are collecting individual microwave cups of Easy Mac and Chef Boyardee for Upstate Backpack Blessings.

Quarterly giving statements will be emailed next week. If you would like a printed copy, please email the church office. We are grateful for your generosity and financial support of God's mission and ministry through Fountain Inn Presbyterian Church.

Special thanks to our YAC friends and those serving this Sunday: Bulletin Ushers- Lynn Campbell, Lock Henderson, Ridge Henderson, Rhett Sierputowski, Susan Bowen and Donna Ricard; Offering Ushers- Rhett Sierputowski and Art Gibson, Lynn Campbell and Glenn Campbell. Head Usher- Ann Marie Conti, Nursery Volunteers- Camryn McGeachie and Donna Ricard.

Serving next Sunday, **April 28**: Head Usher- Charlie Mayfield, Nursery Volunteers- Tracey Gibson and Madie Taylor.

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Fountain Inn Presbyterian Church

A church home for all, glorifying God through worship, fellowship and service.

-FOUNTAIN INN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH---

April 21, 2024 Fourth Sunday of Easter

Chiming of the Hour

Welcoming the Light Kirklee Wiggins

Welcome and Announcements Rev. Whitney Moss

Prelude in Classical Style Boch

*Call to Worship Lock Henderson

What is the greatest commandment?

To Love the Lord your God with all your heart, all your soul, and all your mind and to love your neighbor.

When we feed those in need, what are we doing?

Loving the Lord and our neighbors.

When we collect socks for the homeless, what are we doing?

Loving the Lord and our neighbors.

When we collect books for children in the hospital, what are we doing?

Loving the Lord and our neighbors.

*Hymn No. 611

Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee

HYMN TO JOY

*Call to Confession Addie Caroline Wiggins

*Prayer of Confession

Dear God,

Thank you for loving us even when we are often mean to others.

Thank you for loving us and helping us with every step we take even when life is hard.

Forgive us and help us to share your love with others.

We love you Lord, Amen.

*Assurance of Pardon

Kirklee Wiggins

Friends, hear and believe the good news.

You are forgiven in the name of the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit.

That is the BEST news.

Thanks be to God.

*Response Hymn No. 188

Jesus Loves Me!

JESUS LOVES ME

Jesus loves me! This I know, for the Bible tells me so. Little ones to him belong. They are weak but he is strong. Yes, Jesus loves me! Yes, Jesus loves me! Yes, Jesus loves me! The Bible tells me so.

Jesus loves me! This I know, as he loved so long ago, taking children on his knee, saying, "Let them come to me." Yes, Jesus loves me! Yes, Jesus loves me! Yes, Jesus loves me! The Bible tells me so.

*Passing of the Peace

The Peace of Christ be with you.

And also with you.

Special Music Jesus Loves the Little Children

Time with Children

Prayer for Illumination

New Testament Reading Matthew 22:34-40 Pew Bible Pg. 24 NT

Sermon

*Affirmation of Faith

The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Reception of Tithes and Offerings

Lynn Campbell

Landskey

Offertory *Children of the Heavenly Father*

*Response Hymn No. 62

Love the Lord Your God

GREAT COMMANDMENT

Love the Lord your God with all your heart. Love the Lord your God with all your soul. Love the Lord your God with all your mind. Love the Lord your God with all that you are.

*Prayer of Thanksgiving

Rhett Sierputowski

*Hymn No. 300

We Are One in the Spirit

THEY'LL KNOW WE ARE CHRISTIANS

*Charge and Benediction

Choral Benediction May the God of Grace and Power

HARLIN

Sending the Light

Postlude Festival Trumpets

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*You are invited to stand as you are able.