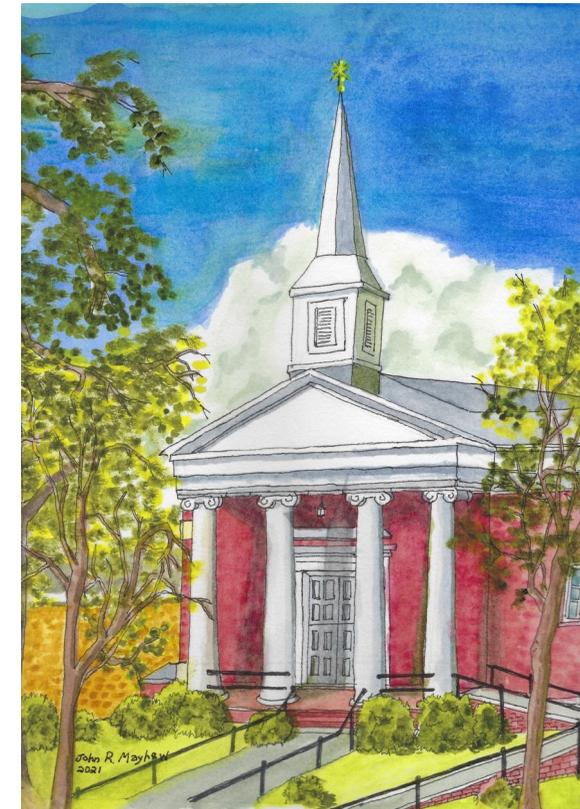


# CHARLES TOWN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 17, 2021

10:30 AM



Know. Grow. Serve.

Scripture Luke 10:38:42 p. 1033

Message “Loving Others: Family Conflict” Pastor John

Musical Offering  
“I Could Sing of Your Love Forever” Martin Smith  
(1994 Curious!Music OK) arr. Carol Tornquist

Presentation of our Gifts and Offerings

\*Sung Response “We Lift Our Voices” No. 710

We lift our voices; we lift our hands;  
we lift our lives up to you: we are an offering.  
Lord, use our voices; Lord, use our hands; Lord, use our lives;  
they are yours: we are an offering.  
All that we have, all that we are, all that we hope to be,  
we give to you, we give to you.  
We lift our voices; we lift our hands; we lift our lives up to you:  
we are an offering; we are an offering.

\*Prayer of Thanksgiving

\*Song “Blessed Be the Lord God Almighty” LUYH No. 22

\*Sending  
Brothers and sisters, as the Church of Jesus Christ, go from  
this place...  
**Knowing Christ, growing in God’s love, and serving  
as the Holy Spirit leads.**

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<b>The Session</b>		

Roberta Churchill, Diane Mayhew, David Weil	Class of 2021
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Kathy Donadio, Beth Pugh, Roger Snook	Class of 2023

<b>Board of Deacons</b>	
Alex Bethard, Debbie Henshaw, Shawn Pitcock, Kathy Shue	Class of 2021
Judy Edwards, Brooks Kursey, Jason Mullens	Class of 2022
Hoyle Fulbright, Matthew Henshaw, Anne Portrey	Class of 2023

<b>Trustees</b>	
Ron Rossi	Class of 2021
Steve Bossung, Margaret Kursey	Class of 2022
Allen Rogers, Susan Wall	Class of 2023

*The musical offering allows us time to reflect on all that God has given us.*

*Offering is our response to all that God has given us!*

*Our sending is a recommitment to the mission of Charles Town Presbyterian*

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Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship

Psalm 130:1-4

Out of the depths I cry to you, O Lord!

**O Lord, hear my voice! Let your ears be attentive to the voice of my pleas for mercy!**

If you, O Lord, should mark iniquities,  
O Lord, who could stand?

**But with you there is forgiveness,  
that you may be feared.**

\*Song "Awesome God" LUYH No. 23

\*Song "Change My Heart, O God" LUYH No. 61

\*Song "Healing Grace" LUYH No. 68

Musical Call to Worship

"Give Me Jesus" Mark Patterson  
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Prayer of Confession (in unison)

O Lord, you have taught us that whoever wishes to become great must be a servant, and whoever seeks to be first must be last and servant of all. Still, O Lord, we are like James and John, seeking seats of glory. We organize our lives around ladders to climb, not realizing that we are stepping on people whom you love. Forgive us, O Christ, and teach us to follow in your way, for the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many.

Silent Confession

Assurance of Pardon...

Friends, believe the good news of the gospel,  
**In Jesus Christ we are forgiven.**

\*Sung Response to Confession

"Come, Ye Sinners, Poor and Needy" No. 415  
(Refrain) *I will arise and go to Jesus;  
he will embrace me in his arms.  
In the arms of my dear Savior,  
O there are ten thousand charms.*

Special Music "God Really Loves Us" arr. Dan Balbra  
(© 2021 Bethel Worship Publishing)  
Ben Glover, Dante Bowe, David Crowder, & Jeff Sojka  
Glory Singers

Sung Call to Prayer "In My Life" No. 468 (vs. 4)  
In your world, Lord, be glorified; be glorified.  
In your world, Lord, be glorified today.

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

**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.

\*Song "Have Thine Own Way, Lord"  
Have thine own way, Lord! Have thine own way!  
Thou art the Father, I am the clay.  
Mold me and make me after thy will,  
While I am waiting yielded and still.

Have thine own way, Lord! Have thine own way.  
Search me and try me, Master, today!  
Whiter than snow, Lord, wash me just now,  
As in thy presence humbly I bow.

Have thine own way, Lord! Have thine own way!  
Wounded and weary, help me, I pray!  
Power all power surely is thine!  
Touch me and heal me, Savior divine!

Have thine own way, Lord! Have thine own way!  
Hold o'er my being absolute sway!  
Fill with thy Spirit till all shall see  
Christ only, always, living in me!

(WORDS: Adelaide A. Pollard (1862-1934) MUSIC: George C. Stebbins (1846-1945))

*Songs listed with "No." are found in the purple hymnal. Songs listed with "LUYH" are found in the light blue songbook*

*When this symbol (\*) precedes an element of the service, please rise in body or spirit.*

*Confessing our sins brings us to a place of humility, allowing us to hear God more clearly as we worship.*

*The congregation responds in song because God hears our prayer.*

*Prayer in worship connect us to God and to one another.*

**“God Really Loves Us”**

(Today’s special music)

I've got a friend  
Closer than a brother  
There is no judgement  
Oh, how He loves me  
I've got a friend  
And He is my strength  
He is my portion  
With me in the valley  
With me in the fire  
With me in the storm  
Let all my life testify  
Hallelujah  
We are not alone  
God really loves us  
God really loves us  
Hallelujah  
Oh, praise my soul  
God really loves us  
God really loves us  
His mercy's enough  
His grace is sufficient  
So come if you're needing  
Forgiveness or healing  
His mercy's enough  
Oh, and this is our hope  
The cross, it has spoken  
Death is no more  
Christ is the Lord  
Oh, this is our hope, yeah  
Hallelujah  
We are not alone  
God really loves us  
God really loves us  
Hallelujah  
Oh, praise my soul  
God really loves us (yes, He does)  
God really loves us

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**Today’s Scripture Reading**

Luke 10:38:42

<sup>38</sup>Now as they went on their way, Jesus entered a village. And a woman named Martha welcomed him into her house. <sup>39</sup>And she had a sister called Mary, who sat at the Lord's feet and listened to his teaching. <sup>40</sup>But Martha was distracted with much serving. And she went up to him and said, “Lord, do you not care that my sister has left me to serve alone? Tell her then to help me.” <sup>41</sup>But the Lord answered her, “Martha, Martha, you are anxious and troubled about many things, <sup>42</sup>but one thing is necessary. Mary has chosen the good portion, which will not be taken away from her.”

**NOTES:**

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**We Warmly Welcome Visitors** in the name of our Lord. We invite you to tell us more about yourself by filling out a visitor's card, and placing it in the offering plate located in the narthex.

**Today's flowers** are to the Glory of God.

**New Officer Training.** Pastor John will be leading new officer training for those officers beginning their terms in 2022. Sessions will be held in the parlor following worship today and next Sunday, October 24.

**The Six-cents-a-meal offering** will be collected next Sunday, October 24th, and goes to the Presbyterian Hunger Program. To contribute to this offering please note on memo line: hunger offering.

**Let Your Light Shine!** Our annual "Sock it to me" collection begins today and ends on November 21st. We will be collecting socks and tee shirts. There is always a need for men's work socks. Donations may be placed in the basket at the front of the church or dropped off at the church office. For monetary donations, please write "sock it to me" on the memo line. Mission and Outreach team will be happy to shop for you. Cold weather is just around the corner and your donations will be gratefully received by JCCM and distributed to those in need. The Charles Town Christmas parade will be held on Saturday, December 4th. Four people have already signed up to help. If you are interested in helping please see or call Patsy White (304-725-8058), Kathy Donadio (703-403-9189) or Diane Mayhew (304-535-2409). Come out and join the fun! The 2022 calendar for Friendship Ministry Meals is beginning to fill up. So far April, October and November are covered. Please let us know if you can host a month. Our committee will help you with the menu and details if you would like us to help you. Hebrews 13:16—"And do not forget to do good and to share with others, for with such sacrifices God is pleased." We love you! Mission and Outreach Committee

**Yokefellows BBQ Pork/Chicken dinner.** Get your tickets now from any Yokefellow and plan to join us next Saturday, October 23, 4:30-7:00 pm, for fresh pork/chicken BBQ, slaw, mac & cheese, baked bean, desserts, and drinks provided. Tickets: \$15.00 adults; \$7.00 children under 12 years; Free children under 3 years. Donations appreciated. A silent auction for a beautiful double wedding ring handmade quilt, made and graciously donated by June Adams, will be held during the dinner. The proceeds go to the CTPC general fund.

**Sermon Passages:** October 24th: Galatians 2:11-14; October 31st: Ephesians 2:8-10; November 7th: Ephesians 4:1-16; November 14th: John 15:33; November 21st: Genesis 33:1-11; November 28th: Jeremiah 33:14-16.

**Please consider** the following daily scripture readings this week: Monday: John 2; Tuesday: John 3; Wednesday: John 4; Thursday: John 5; Friday: John 6.

**Online Giving.** Online giving helps you to bring your offering before God. In addition to the no-fee Facebook donations and nominal fee Paypal service, we set up online giving through the Presbyterian Foundation. **Money donated via any of these services gets deposited to our church bank account.** By going through the Foundation, the fee they charge actually helps the mission of their organization, which is to help Presbyterian churches to be excellent stewards of their gifts and resources. The exciting part about working with the foundation is that we are able to use a mobile app that is connected to our account. The app is called Give Plus (created by Vanco) and you can find it at the Google Play Store if you have an android device or you may find the app in the Apple app store by searching for "Give Plus." The great part about the Give Plus app is that you can set up for weekly, monthly or one time giving! If you have any questions, please contact the church office. Thank you.

**For electronic giving, please scan here:**



**The flower chart** is available for sign up. Available dates: October 31; November 14, 21, 28. Sign up by calling church office at 304-725-5316, or by email at ctpres@ctpres.org. Please include your name, phone number or email, name of person(s) and in honor of or memory of. Please take flowers with you following worship.

## JOYS AND CONCERNS

**Birthdays this week in October:** Cheryl Fulbright, Austin Gregoryk, Barbara Rose, Spencer Wells

**Prayer Concerns:** U.S. troops serving worldwide. Please continue to pray for those who are sick. Missionaries supported by CTPC: Drake Williams, Mark Hare in Haiti, Michael & Cathy Sander in Eswatini. Please keep these faithful servants in prayer.

**Those persons admitted to the hospital or nursing home seeking a visit from Pastor John must have a family member make contact with the church office. HIPAA law prohibits hospitals from divulging their patient roster.**

**Weekly Congregational Giving** Needed to Meet Expenses Budget: \$6,934. Sunday's Receipts: \$2,914; Special Offerings: Sunday School—\$42; Loose—\$28; Hunger—\$11; Help Fund—\$80; Facility Use—\$300; JCCM—\$5; Memorial—\$5,000.

## The week ahead at Charles Town Presbyterian Church

### **Sunday, October 17**

9:00am Education Hour (all ages)  
10:30am Worship Celebration  
11:30am Officer Training

### **Thursday, October 21**

10:00 am Trimnastics  
5:30pm Friendship Ministry Meal

### **Monday, October 18**

5:30-1:00pm Meals on Wheels (Mon-Fri)  
10:00 am Trimnastics  
7:30 pm A.A. Meeting

### **Friday, October 22**

10:00am Trimnastics

### **Tuesday, October 19**

10:00 am Trimnastics  
7:00pm Session Meeting

### **Saturday, October 23**

9:00am Read Group  
4:30-7:00pm Yokefellows BBQ Dinner  
8:00pm A.A. Meeting

### **Wednesday, October 20**

10:00 am Trimnastics  
4:00pm Zoom Bible Study  
7:00pm CAV Meeting  
8:30pm A.A. Meeting

### **Sunday, October 24**

9:00am Education Hour (all ages)  
10:30am Worship Celebration  
11:30am Officer Training