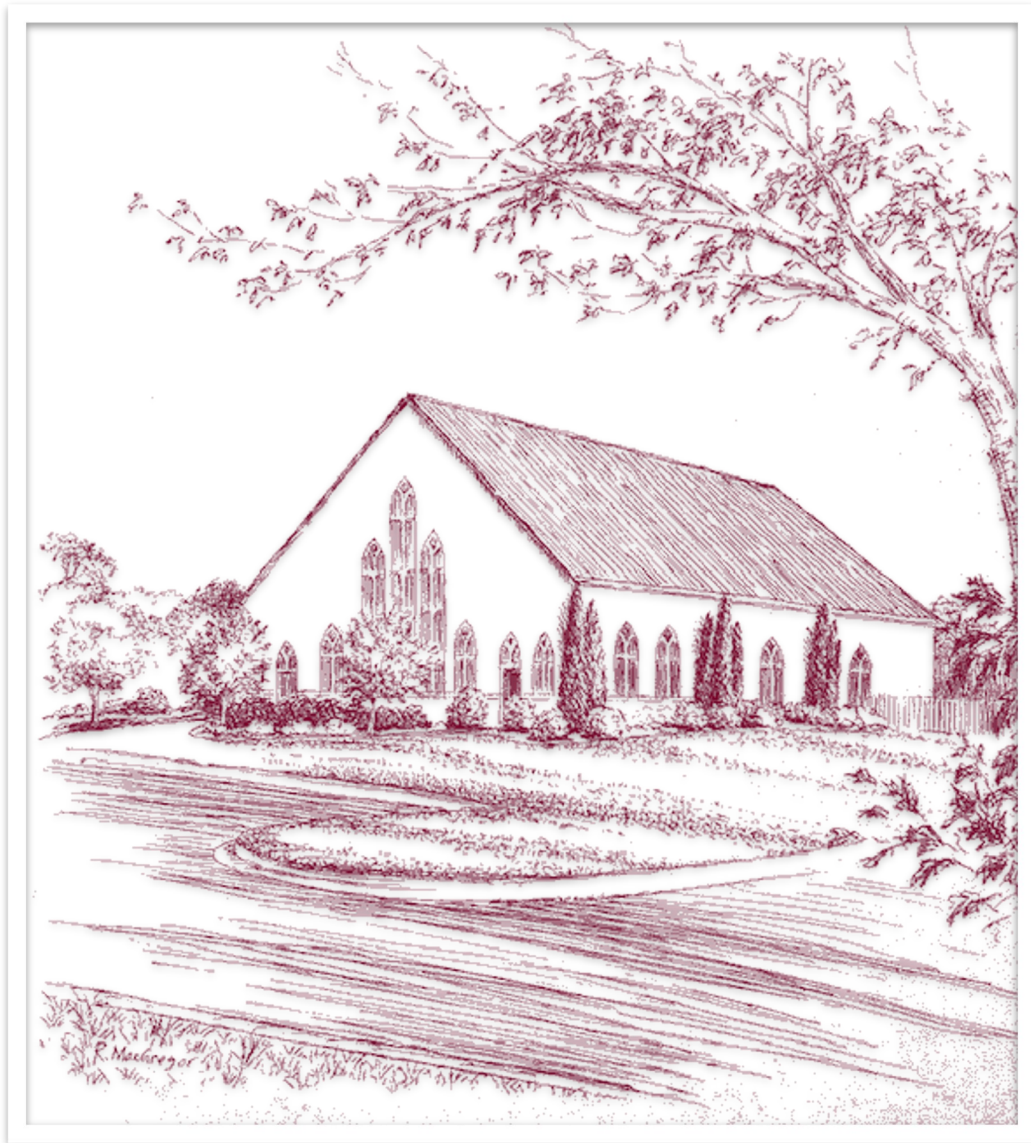


Cherokee Presbyterian Church PCA

March 16, 2025

Worship 10:30am



Prelude *“A Light to Enlighten the Gentiles” (Guilmant)*

Dr. Rod Kirby

Welcome

Mr. Jimmy Friday

***Call to Worship**

Psalm 118:1,7 ESV

Oh give thanks to the LORD, for he is good; for his steadfast love endures forever! The LORD is on my side as my helper; I shall look in triumph on those who hate me.

***Prayer of Invocation**

***Hymn** “Come Behold the Wondrous Mystery”

Scripture Reading

Jeremiah 5:1-13

Pew Bible p. 632

Confession of Sin

***Assurance of Pardon**

Isaiah 44:22 ESV

I have blotted out your transgressions like a cloud and your sins like mist; return to me, for I have redeemed you.

***Gloria Patri**

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.

***Psalm 119** (See Inset)

**Please stand as able.*

Confession of Faith

Heidelberg Catechism

127 Q. What does the sixth request mean?

And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from the evil one means, By ourselves we are too weak to hold our own even for a moment. And our sworn enemies– the devil, the world, and our own flesh– never stop attacking us. And so, Lord, uphold us and make us strong with the strength of your Holy Spirit, so that we may not go down to defeat in this spiritual struggle, but may firmly resist our enemies until we finally win the complete victory.

Pastoral Prayer

Giving of Tithes and Offerings

***Sermon Text**

Luke 4:1-13

Pew Bible p. 859

Sermon

Rev. Clif Daniell

“Christianity is a Fight- Continued”

***Hymn #572 “Onward, Christian Soldiers”**

The Lord’s Supper

***Hymn #457 “Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing”**

***Benediction**

2 Thessalonians 3:5 ESV

May the Lord direct your hearts to the love of God and to the steadfastness of Christ.

***Congregational Response**

Amen. Amen. Amen.

Postlude “Sonata 3 mvt. 3” (*Hindemith*)

Dr. Rod Kirby

Come Behold the Wondrous Mystery

Words and Music by
Matt Boswell, Matt Papa
and Michael Bleecker

Steady Celtic Groove ♩ = 78

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1. Come be - hold the won-drous mys - t'ry in the dawn - ing of the King; He the
2. Come be - hold the won-drous mys - t'ry He the per - fect Son of Man; In His
3. Come be - hold the won-drous mys - t'ry Christ the Lord u - pon the tree; In the
4. Come be - hold the won-drous mys - t'ry Slain by death the God of life; But no

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liv - ing, in His suf - fering Ne - ver trace nor stain of sin. See the
stead of ru - ined sin - ners Hangs the Lamb in vic - to - ry. See the
grave could e'er re - strain Him Praise the Lord; He is a - live! What a

A E/G# C#m7 Bsus Aadd9

long - ing, in our dark - ness Now the Light of Life has come; Look to
true and bet - ter A - dam Come to save the hell-bound man; Christ the
price of our re - demp - tion See the Fa - ther's plan un - fold; Bring - ing
fore - taste of de - liv - 'rance How un - wa - ver - ing our hope; Christ in

E/B C#m7 A Bsus

Christ, Who con - de - scen - ded Took on flesh to ran - som
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CHEROKEE
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, PCA

Events & Announcements

~DATE CHANGE: The next Men's Gathering will be Thursday, March 27th at 6pm at Pastor Clif's home. They will meet for dinner and continue the book study.

~An inquirer's class began today during the Sunday school hour (9:30am). If you are interested in learning more about membership at Cherokee you are invited to attend.

~ Cherokee will partner with two sister churches in our presbytery this summer for a mission trip to Honduras. The dates are July 22nd-29th. If you are interested in learning more about this trip, a meeting will be held following morning worship on Sunday, March 30th at 1pm at Pastor Clif's home.

~The ministry to Phoenix Assisted Living will meet today following the fellowship lunch at 1:30pm. All are invited to attend.

~The Calvin Study group will meet on Tuesday, March 18th beginning at 6:30pm at Pastor Clif's home.

~The Ladies Book Study will meet on Thursday, March 20th, beginning at 7pm.

~The church is hosting a Red Cross Blood Drive on Monday, March 24th. Please go to www.redcrossblood.org to sign up to donate.

~The Youth and Young Adults will meet for lunch on Sunday, March 23rd following the morning worship service. Each family is asked to bring a side dish.

CPC Study Groups & Volunteer Schedule

Community Groups: Meet in various members homes or in the church annex.

Canton: Meets 2nd & 4th Sun.. @ 4:30pm Canton: Meets 3rd Sat. @ 5:30pm
(Contact - Ray Bobo) (Contact - Clif Daniell)

Woodstock Meets Fri. 2/14 @ 5:30pm
(Contact - Sharon Strevel)

Men's & Women's Study Groups

Wednesday– Ladies Bible Study on Christmas Break (Contact: Ann Bailey)
Saturday– Men's Bible Study at Burger King at Hickory Flat @7am. (Contact: Ray Bobo)
Third Thursday (monthly)- Ladies Study Group in Annex @ 7pm (Contact Denise Hicken)

Prayer Meeting

Wednesday– Prayer Meeting at the church @ 7pm.

Volunteer Schedule

Nursery Volunteers: this week Jeri Speck & Isla Hipps-AM, Melody Daniell-PM
next week Anne Portell & Briane Myers-AM, Jeri Speck-PM

Sound Booth: this week Scott Hicken & Grace Manglona-AM
Dick Gavigan & Jason Brewer-PM

next week Taylor Robertson & Derek Berger-AM
Jeff Speck & Rick Mitchell-PM

Visitors: If you are new to Cherokee, please fill out the “Connection Card” found in the pew and place it in the offering plate. You may also fill it out digitally by scanning the QR Code.



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Scott Morgan (Ginger)	FCA Cherokee County