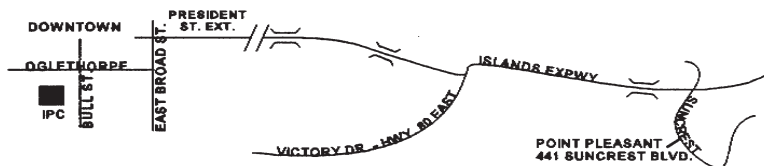


OUR CHURCH TODAY

- 9:30 a.m. Sunday School classes for all age groups
- 10:10 a.m. Cherub/Seraph Choir (Grades 1-2)
- 11:00 a.m. Morning Worship Service, sanctuary
- 3:45 p.m. Chatham Transitional Ministry Bible Study, Rev. Evan Gear
- 4:00 p.m. Point Pleasant open for appropriate Lord's Day leisure activities
- 4:15 p.m. Youth Parents' meeting at Point Pleasant near pavilion
- 5:30 p.m. Evening Worship Service at Point Pleasant
- 6:30 p.m. **Care Group #10 (R. Mullinix)** (Deacons: A. Gibson, P. Schenk and M. Mullinix) Set up/Clean up for supper
- 6:45 p.m. Fellowship Supper, Point Pleasant
\$5.00 Adult, \$3.00 Children (2 years old to 8th Grade),
\$4.00 High School and College; \$16.00 maximum per family
- 8:30 p.m. Point Pleasant facilities will close



WEDNESDAY LUNCH AND BIBLE STUDY

TELFAIR HALL ~ LUNCH AT 11:45 A.M.
BIBLE STUDY 12:20 P.M.
MESSAGE BY REV. TIMOTHY FOSTER

WELCOME TO INDEPENDENT

Our Church extends a cordial welcome to all who worship with us today. Visitors are asked to complete a Friendship Card in the pew rack and place it in the offering plate. Both visitors and members are encouraged to use the back of the card to request information, make comments, or write prayer needs. We are delighted to have you with us this Lord's Day. The bulletin is your guide to the service. A more thorough explanation of our "Order of Service" is available at the front doors. Our service begins at 11:00 a.m. and ends sometime after noon.

SANCTUARY FLOWERS

The flowers today are given to the glory of God, by *Ernest and Dottie Mitchell*, in celebration of their *53rd Wedding Anniversary*.

BAPTISM

The sacrament of covenant baptism will be administered during this morning's worship service by Mr. Parrish to *Finlay Dale Gibson*, son of *Mr. and Mrs. Andrew G. Gibson (Jennifer)*.

CHURCH IN BEREAVEMENT

The congregation of Independent Presbyterian Church extends sincere sympathy to *Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth A. Wood (Tracy)* and family on the death of Tracy's parents, *Robert A. Grotheer*, who passed away on Monday, August 19, 2019, and *Ann N. Grotheer*, who passed away on Sunday, August 18, 2019 in Savannah, GA.

YOUTH PARENTS' MEETING

There will be a Youth Parents' meeting tonight at 4:15 p.m. under the pavilion at Point Pleasant. Paul Rodgers will share vision and values, the calendar and events for the upcoming academic year.

LOW COUNTRY BOIL

Our Low Country Boil will be held next Sunday evening, September 1, immediately following the worship service at Point Pleasant. Dinner is free to those who come to the service. Please don't forget to bring your homemade ice cream for dessert. If you would like to provide a churn of ice cream, please contact Tricia Barrett at 912-713-5040.

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I.P.C. Sexton:.....	421-8112

Worship at I.P.C.

- Thank you for turning off cell phones during the worship service.
- Please leave any food or drink outside of the Sanctuary.
- Those arriving late are asked to take their place either during the first hymn or the Psalm.
- Our Sunday services are now available as a Live Webcast for those who are unable to join their local congregation. You can join the service at ipsav.org/webcast.
- The Audio Ministry provides CDs of previous sermons by calling the church office. All sermons preached by our ministers can be accessed from the church website at www.ipsav.org, or at www.SermonAudio.com/ipsav
- If able, please make room in your pews for others. This helps the ushers as they seat people.
- Sound amplification devices are available by asking a deacon at the front doors.
- I.P.C. uses the *Trinity Hymnal*, *Trinity Psalter* and the *Trinity Psalter Hymnal*.
- Nurseries for children to the age of three are provided on the second floor of the Axson Memorial Building. Children ages 4 through Kindergarten are dismissed for a separate service following the collection.

For Prayer & Participation This Week

Mon, Aug. 26	1:00 p.m.	Sewing Class, Fellowship Hall
	3:00 p.m.	Smocking Class, Fellowship Hall
Tues, Aug. 27	6:30 a.m.	Men's Prayer Breakfast, Fellowship Hall
	9:30 a.m.	Church staff meeting
	11:30 a.m.	Pastoral Staff Meeting, Admin. Bldg.
Wed, Aug. 28	10:45 a.m.	Women's Intercessor Group
	11:45 a.m.	Noon Luncheon/Bible Study, Telfair Hall
	5:30 p.m.	Officer Training, Admin. Bldg., 2 nd Fl., Assembly Rm.
	6:30 p.m.	Men's Chorus Rehearsal, Choir Rm.
	6:30 p.m.	High School Dinner, 210 Whitaker Street Bldg., 3 rd Floor
	7:00 p.m.	High School Fellowship, 210 Whitaker Street Bldg., 3 rd Floor
Thurs, Aug. 29	7:00 p.m.	Careers, 210 Whitaker Street Bldg., 4 th Floor

Coming Events

Sept. 1	Low Country Boil, 5:30 p.m., Point Pleasant
Sept. 2	Church Office closed; reopens at 8:30 a.m. on Tuesday, September 3
Sept. 4	Sanctuary Choir rehearsals begin, Choir Room
Sept. 8	PM Services return downtown; The Lord's Supper, PM Service; Chapel Choir begins
Sept. 10	Women's Bible Study begins, 10:00 a.m., Telfair Hall
Sept. 10	Tuesday Morning Circle at Paula Deen's Creek House Seafood & Grill, 104 Bryan Woods Road, 10:30 a.m. (Hostess: Murle Breer)
Sept. 10	Tuesday Evening Circle at the home of Mrs. Anne Portell, 340 E. 50 th Street, 7:00 p.m.

The Record of Our Faithfulness

Wednesday Noon Service on 8/14/19 – 44

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THE LORD’S DAY MORNING WORSHIP ELEVEN O’CLOCK

“Let us show gratitude, by which we may offer to God an acceptable service, with reverence and awe.” Hebrews 12:28

The Silent Prayer Upon Entering the Sanctuary

Let Your merciful ears, O Lord, be open to the prayers of Your humble servants; and that they may obtain their petitions, make them to ask such things as shall please You; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Prelude - “Partita in Laudate Dominum” Charles Callahan

+ The Welcome and Announcements

The Call to Worship

Jehovah reigns; let earth be glad, and all the isles their joy make known; with clouds and darkness He is clad, on truth and justice rests His throne. (*Trinity Hymnal*, #63, stanza 1)

+* **The Psalter/Hymnal - #361** “O Praise Ye the Lord” (Psalm 149)
Laudate Dominum

* The Invocation and 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.

* 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.

* this refers to the realm of the dead, not the place of punishment.

** “catholic” means “universal” church, the true church in all times and places.

* **The Gloria Patri** (*Hymnal*, #271) Lyngham

All glory to the Father be, all glory to the Son, all glory to the Son, all glory to the Spirit be while endless ages run, while endless ages run, while endless ages run.

The Pastoral Prayer

The Scripture Reading - Acts 18:23–19:20 (29th reading—pew Bible pp. 927-928)
Psalm 125:1–5 (pew Bible p. 517)

The Sacrament of Covenant Baptism

* **The Hymnal - #111** “This Is My Father’s World” Terra Beata

The Prayer of Thanksgiving

The Collection

The Anthem - “Almighty Father” Benjamin Harlan
Men’s Chorus

Almighty Father; You alone are holy.
You are my refuge, I will trust in You.
You are a tower, a mighty fortress.
You are my strength and shield, You are God.
Almighty Father, You alone are holy.
You guide my footsteps that I may not fall.
In joy or sorrow, I will exalt You.
You are my righteousness, You are God.
Almighty Father, You alone are holy.
You are Creator, You are all in all!
Yours is the power, Yours is the glory.
Yours is the majesty, You are God.

* **The Doxology & Dismissal** (*Hymnal*, #731) Old 100th
Children ages 4 & 5 may leave for a separate service as we sing

Praise God from Whom all blessings flow; praise Him all creatures here below; praise Him above, ye heav’nly host, praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

The Sermon “SECURED BY GOD” Mr. Foster

* **The Hymnal - #645** “Jesus, the Very Thought of Thee” St. Agnes

* **The Benediction and Response** (sung by all) Eventide
I need Thy presence every passing hour; what but Thy grace can foil the tempter’s pow’r? Who like Thyself my guide and stay can be? Through cloud and sunshine, O abide with me. (*Trinity Hymnal*, #402, stanza 3)

The Postlude - “Postlude on Laudate Dominum” Charles Callahan

* Congregation Standing ** Children’s Church: Natalie and Mabel Brown

+ Latecomers may be seated

GREETERS–ELDERS:	SUNDAY SCHOOL GREETER:
FRONT DOOR Elder & Mrs. F. Daniell	ELDER: G. Brunson
NORTH SIDE C. Martin	GREETERS–USHERS/DEACONS:
SOUTH SIDE W. Brodmann, Jr.	FRONT DOOR J. Helton
	BAPTISMAL FONT T. Fruit

THE LORD’S DAY EVENING WORSHIP POINT PLEASANT ~ FIVE THIRTY O’CLOCK

“God is spirit, and those who worship Him must worship in spirit and truth.” John 4:24

Preparation (5:15-5:30 p.m.)

Hymn Sing
+ *Announcements*

Praise

Call to Worship and Prayer of Praise

+* *Psalter Hymnal - #212* “Come, Thou Almighty King” Trinity

Confession of Sin, Pardon, and Thanksgiving

* *Reading of the Law of God* (*see back panel of hymnal*)

Prayer of Confession

Assurance of Pardon

Affirmation of Faith - The Heidelberg Catechism (1563) – Lord’s Day 7

Q. 21 What is true faith?

True faith is not only a sure knowledge by which I hold as true all that God has revealed to us in His Word; it is also a wholehearted trust, which the Holy Spirit works in me by the gospel, that God has freely granted, not only to others but to me also, forgiveness of sins, eternal righteousness, and salvation. These gifts are purely of grace, only because of Christ’s merit. (*Psalter Hymnal*, p. 875).

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Collection - “O Rest in the Lord” Felix Mendelssohn
Soloist: Mr. Forrest Williams

O rest in the Lord, wait patiently for Him
And He will give thee thy hearts desires.
Wait patiently for Him.
Commit Thy way unto Him and trust in Him.
Fret not thyself because of evildoers.
O rest in the Lord.....

Provision for Life and Growth

Scripture Reading - Judges 17–18 (pew Bible pp. 216–218)

Prayer of Intercession

* *Psalter -* Psalm 80 (see handout) Bryn Calfaria

* *Prayer of Illumination*

Scripture & Sermon - Mr. Shaw

“THE GOSPEL ACCORDING TO THE END OF THE JUDGES”

Thanksgiving and Blessing

* *Psalter Hymnal - #172* “Speak, O Lord” Speak O Lord

* *Benediction*

* Congregation Standing
