

**\*THE HYMN**

*He is King of Kings*

HE IS KING

(Congregation sings the refrain upon direction)

Oh, he is King of kings, he is Lord of lords, Jesus Christ, the first and last, no one works like him.

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Megan Mashburn, Nan Nowell, John Young, Brandon Odom, soloists

**\* 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.

**THE 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.

**THE OFFERTORY**

*Glorious Spirit*

arr. Cathy Moglebust

The Handbell Choir; Jeff Peters, director

Jane McRae, violin; Alex Rodiek, trumpet; James Zellers, flute

**\*THE DOXOLOGY AND PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

LASST UNS ERFRUEUEN

Praise God from whom all blessings flow. Praise Him, all creatures, here below.

Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise, praise the Father, praise the Son, and praise the Spirit, Three in One. Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

**\*THE HYMN 144**

*Alleluia! Sing to Jesus!*

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**\*THE CHARGE AND BENEDICTION**

**\*THE CHORAL RESPONSE**

*Lo, He Comes with Clouds Descending*

arr. David Willcocks

**\*THE POSTLUDE**

*When In Our Music God is Glorified*

James Pethel

Michael Morgan, organ



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“Hopes, Dreams and Good News”

11 a.m. Worship

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**THE GATHERING**

Sarah Are

Leader: The Lord be with you.

People: **And also with you.****THE PRELUDE**

*Prayer of St. Gregory*  
Alex Rodiek, trumpet

Alan Hovhanness

**\*THE CALL TO WORSHIP**

Leader: I will extol you, my God and King, and bless your name forever and ever.

People: **Every day I will bless you, and praise your name forever and ever.**

Leader: Great is the Lord, and greatly to be praised; God's greatness is unsearchable.

People: **One generation shall laud your works to another and shall declare your mighty acts.**

Leader: On the glorious splendor of your majesty and on your wondrous works, I will meditate.

People: **Let us worship God, our creator, redeemer and sustainer.**

- Psalm 145:1-5

**\*THE PROCESSIONAL HYMN 143***All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name*

DIADEM

**THE CALL TO CONFESSION****THE PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

Eternal God, creator of the earth and all that is in it, we have been casual with your name. We have listened while others have taken it for their own purposes; we have shortchanged ourselves by substituting easy piety for transcendent awe. We know our imagination cannot begin to comprehend, let alone capture the scope of your being, but we do try anyway. Forgive us, we pray. Open our minds to a vision of you that is exceedingly, abundantly more than we could ever ask or imagine. Through Jesus Christ our Lord we pray, Amen.

**A MOMENT OF SILENCE** *(for examination of conscience and personal prayers of confession)*\* *(The asterisk indicates parts of the worship when the congregation is invited to stand as they are able.)***THE ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

Leader: Let the same mind be in you that was in Christ Jesus, who though he was in the form of God did not regard equality with God as something to be exploited, but emptied himself, taking the form of a slave, being born in human likeness. And being found in human form, he humbled himself, and became obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross.

People: **Therefore God also highly exalted him, and gave him the name that is above every name, so that at the name of Jesus, every knee should bend, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, and every tongue should confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.**

Leader: Believe the promise of the gospel:

People: **In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.**

- Philippians 2:5-11

**THE CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE**

(Hymn 147)

**Give we the glory and praise to the Lamb; take we the robe and the harp and the palm; sing we the song of the Lamb that was slain, dying in weakness but rising to reign.**

**\*THE PEACE OF CHRIST**

Leader: The peace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you all!

People: **And also with you.****THE CONCERNS OF THE CHURCH***(Visitors and members are invited to sign the blue friendship register pad and pass it down the pew.)***THE PSALTER LESSON**

Psalm 46

(page 489 in the pew Bible, OT)

**THE ANTHEM***Dance of Exultation*

Dan Forrest

Thine, O Lord, is the greatness, and the power, and the glory, and the victory, and the kingdom, and the majesty. For all that is in the heavens and in the earth is thine; thine is the kingdom, O Lord, and thou art exalted as head over all.

(I Chronicles 29:11)

Mac Frampton, piano; Michael Morgan, organ

**THE GOSPEL LESSON**

Luke 1:68-79

(page 54 in the pew Bible, NT)

**THE SERMON***"Hopes, Dreams and Good News"*

Baron Mullis

**ELDER ON CALL:** Ellen Landers 404.259.0586

**DEACON ON CALL:** Katrina Weis 404.819.5844

**USHERS:** Jeanne McCarthy, Emilie Paille, Christopher Crowder and Christian Bromley

**GREETERS:** Gail Kitchens, Ericson Harris, Nancy Hamilton and Bill Means

**COUNTERS:** Lysley Tyler and Van Jensen

**COFFEE AND CONVERSATION HOST:** Holly Campbell

**INFANT/TODDLER VOLUNTEER:** Hillery McNeill

**TWOS/THREES VOLUNTEER:** Tish Woolley

**PREK AND KINDERGARTEN:** Kim Nuckols and Suzanne Macpherson

**1ST-3RD GRADE:** Sue Ballay and Becky Schreiber

**FELLOWSHIP:** Deacons - Leslie Prince

*Have no anxiety about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. And the peace of God, which surpasses understanding, will guard your hearts and minds in Christ Jesus.*  
- Philippians 4:6-7

### Keep in your prayers...

Baby Oliver Whiddon (friend of Jill Klotz)  
 Friends and relatives of Hugh Bell: Connie Crowley, Sandra Fortson, Timothy Johnson, Marilyn Neforas, Kent Smith, and Robin and Charles Wilkins  
 Victor Carballosa  
 Walter Gilbert (Patrick Gilbert's father)  
 Kat Harris (Eric Harris' mother)  
 Ann Herndon (Will's mother)  
 Family of Penny Hill  
 Charlotte Hudson (Jeff Adams' mother)  
 Ellen and Jim Landers  
 Friends and relatives of Linda Johnson  
 Jan McMahan  
 Lin Parker (friend of Nancy Coomes)  
 Marilyn Pentelovich (friend of Shari Tant)  
 Karen Peterson and family (friend of Daisy Ottmann)  
 Tom Oder  
 Betty Ray  
 Peter Regnault (Phil Regnault's father)  
 Sandy Ryan  
 Carlene Sauer (Kasey and Stephanie Libby's family)

Beth Klotz Von Seggern (Jack Klotz's sister)  
 Helen Schroder  
 Richard and Robert Stack (Jane Stack's family)  
 Shannon Miller and Doug Strain (family of Bill Smith)  
 Katye, Alex and Finley Watts  
 Wells family  
 Marty Wender (Phil Regnault's friend)  
 Dr. Nathaniel West (Dr. West's father)  
 Evelyn Wimberly (Nancy Frampton's ex-mother-in-law)  
 Rick and Lorelee Wolters (Greg Wolters' parents)  
 John Young

### WORSHIP THIS SUNDAY

Welcome to worship at Morningside Presbyterian Church.

**Baron Mullis, Senior Pastor** is our preacher, **Sarah Are, Interim Director of Youth Ministries** is our liturgist.

- Large print hymnals and Bibles as well as hearing aids are available; ushers will gladly assist.
- Please complete the information in the Friendship Pad at the end of the pews and pass the pads down and back again during the **Concerns** portion of worship.
- Children are welcomed and encouraged in worship every Sunday. Those who wish to attend Sunday School may do so **after the Peace of Christ**.
- PreK and Kindergarten are in Room 001 and remain until after worship.
- 1st - 3rd Grade are in Room 003 and return at the offertory.
- 4th and 5th Grade remain in worship today.
- Worship bags are available for all children in the narthex.

### FLOWERS GIVEN TODAY

The flowers are given to the Glory of God and in thanksgiving for our Morningside Presbyterian family by Sarah and Richard Brownlee.

### CURRENTLY SEEKING CANDIDATES

Morningside is currently seeking a Director for our Children's Ministries! If you have reviewed the specifications for what the job entails and believe you qualify for the position then please submit your application to [directorsearch@morningsidepc.org](mailto:directorsearch@morningsidepc.org).

### PLEDGE NOTIFICATION

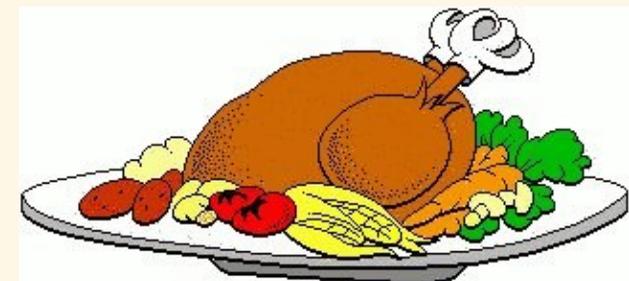
As you think about fulfilling your pledge for this year or for the capital campaign, consider donating appreciated securities (stocks and bonds). Generally, this results in favorable tax treatment. Also, if you have reached age 70 1/2, remember that contributions from a pre-tax 401 (k) or IRA are also tax advantaged. Consult your tax advisor for definitive advice. If you choose to contribute in this manner, please contact our church treasurer, Bill Humphries, for transaction instructions: [bill48@bellsouth.net](mailto:bill48@bellsouth.net) or 770.565.8490.

### PLEASE PICK UP A TURKEY

Our family mission project for November is to collect coins each day of the month for Thornwell, a Presbyterian home that provides a loving and nurturing environment to children in need. Please pick up your cardboard turkey today outside of the Sanctuary and return turkeys and coins to the church no later than **November 30th**. [office@morningsidepc.org](mailto:office@morningsidepc.org).

### SOMETHING TO SNACK ON

Thanksgiving is a few days away which means there will be plenty of food at the table! If you have leftovers please bring them to the church kitchen on **Sunday, November 27** before service begins. During fellowship hour on this day, we will have these edibles available to snack on.



### PREPARE AND SERVE A MEAL

Please join us in preparing and serving a meal for the men of Clifton Sanctuary Ministries on **Saturday, November 26 at 5:30 p.m.** Meal service begins at **6 p.m.** and usually lasts an hour. There is a sign-up sheet in the hallway with the portions of a meal needed. We look forward to serving with you and taking the opportunity to chat with some of the men about their stories. If you have any questions feel free to contact David Johnston [dmjohnst@gmail.com](mailto:dmjohnst@gmail.com) or by phone at **617.233.2004**.

### WOMEN'S ROUNDTABLE

**Monday, November 28**, Cindy Humphries will lead a discussion on ways we can enrich our celebration of Christmas, both spiritually and practically. Members and friends are invited for dinner and fellowship at **6:30 p.m.** at the home of Lynn Young, 277 The Prado, 30309. RSVP to Sarah Brownlee [rsbrownlee1046@att.net](mailto:rsbrownlee1046@att.net).

### LISTENING SESSION

The search committee for the Director of Children's Ministries will host a listening session for the congregation on **Sunday, December 4 at 10 a.m.** Kathy Bremer will lead the session as we hear your thoughts and ideas regarding the search.

### NEW MEMBERS CLASS

We are preparing to schedule our next new members class in **December** of this year. If you wish to join Morningside Presbyterian Church, please contact our pastor, Baron Mullis. The class will be scheduled based upon maximum availability.

NEW MEMBERS CLASS  
Taking the next step

### THEOLOGY ON TAP

Theology on Tap will be at Tom Daniel's home (1681 Council Bluff Dr. Atlanta, GA 30345) on **Tuesday, December 6 at 7 p.m.** Please RSVP to the office [office@morningsidepc.org](mailto:office@morningsidepc.org).

### NEWTOWN FILM SCREENING

Save the date and pre-register for a showing of **Newtown**, a film exploring the aftermath of the December 14, 2012 school shooting on **Wednesday, December 7** in the auditorium of the Lovett School. A group of Morningside folks organized by Peter and Carolyn Cobb, Alex Page, and Katy Watts will be attending. To reserve your spot, visit [bit.ly/NewtownATL](http://bit.ly/NewtownATL).

### MPC COUPLES

MPC Couples is having a Christmas Celebration on **Friday, December 9**, and you're invited! This year, the Bremers will host this event. Please RSVP to the Bremers at [kathydaybremer@gmail.com](mailto:kathydaybremer@gmail.com) or **404.872.3001**.

### YOUNG ADULT CHRISTMAS PARTY

Our annual Young Adult Christmas party is coming up on **Saturday, December 10**. The Mogges will host at their home! Please contact Adrienne [adriennemogge@gmail.com](mailto:adriennemogge@gmail.com) to RSVP.

### MPP PARENT TOURS

MPP invites you to share the Prospective Parent Tour dates (**Tuesday, December 13 and Friday, January 13** both at **9:15 a.m.**) with friends and neighbors. These tours are led by current parents and are a great way to be introduced to the Preschool. RSVP to Director Melinda Sandkam [mpp@morningsidepc.org](mailto:mpp@morningsidepc.org) today or contact her for individual tours.

### Faith Development at Morningside

#### ADULT CLASS

Next Sunday begins our Advent Series: *People, Look East!* — *The songs of Advent and Christmas* led by Michael Morgan.

#### CHILDREN

Children will learn more about Moses. In today's scripture, Exodus 25-31:15; 35:4-40:38, we will hear about how the Israelite's Tabernacle was a place for the people to meet together, learn about God, and worship. Today our church community also gathers to learn about God and worship together. The place we meet serves as a visual reminder for us of God's presence, just as the Tabernacle reminded the Israelites God was with them.

### THIS WEEK AT MORNINGSIDE

#### SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 20

9:30 a.m. Coffee and Conversation  
11 a.m. Worship/Children's Sunday School (PreK-3rd)  
12 noon Fellowship  
12:30 p.m. RHO Readers/ Young Adult Luncheon

#### MONDAY, NOVEMBER 21

12 p.m. Arts and Crafts Guild  
7 p.m. Mandolin Society

#### TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 22

11 a.m. Yoga  
2:15 p.m. Parkinson Tai Chi  
4:30 p.m. Tai Chi  
6:30 p.m. Weight Watchers  
7 p.m. Chancel Choir/Handbell Choir Rehearsal

#### WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 23

\*NO ACTIVITIES\*

#### THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 24

\*NO ACTIVITIES\*

#### FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 25

\*NO ACTIVITIES\*

#### SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 26

9 a.m. Women's AA Meeting

#### SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 27

9:30 a.m. Coffee and Conversation  
11 a.m. Worship/Children's Sunday School (PreK-5th)  
12 noon Fellowship

#### CONFIRMATION MENTORS NEEDED

Confirmation will begin January 8th, for our middle school youth. If you would like to serve as a mentor, please contact Sarah Are. Responsibilities include attending 12 Sunday school sessions with your youth, and two outside church events!