THE SESSION

Moderator – Rev. Dayton Wilson
Clerk of Session – Paul Reed

CLASS OF 2026	CLASS OF 2027	CLASS OF 2028
John Bittle	Cathy Beverly	Tommy Abbott
Donna Hazen	Ben Burroughs	Randy Broughman
Beth Healy	Ed Gillis	Jennifer Courtney
Paul Reed	Buddy Magrath	Kathy Mauldin

THE DIACONATE

Chair of Diaconate – Clayton Mauldin
Treasurer – Mary Kendall Bittle

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Nita Lucke	P.J. Brown	Kira Hamilton
Clayton Mauldin	Rachel Suchowieski	Gerry Wallace

THE TRUSTEES

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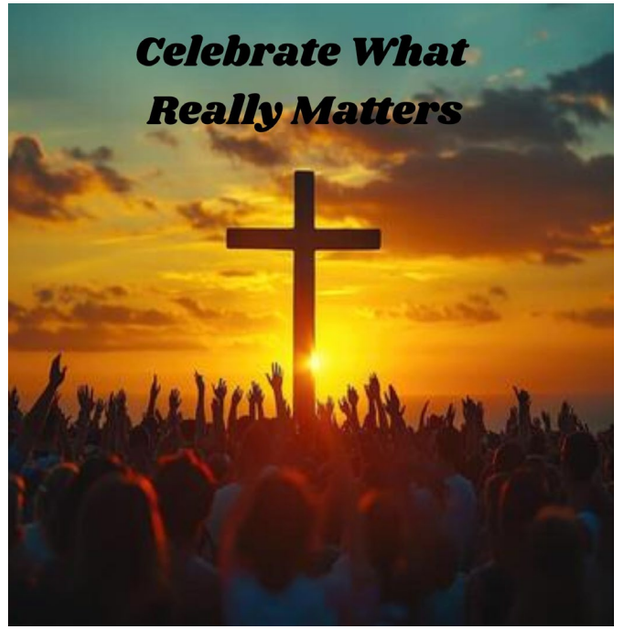
Mike Ellis	Tara Broughman	Joe Burroughs
Bill Hazen	Ed Lawson	Bill Marsh

CHURCH STAFF

Mary Alwine, Administrative Assistant
Bradley Hardee, Music Director/Organist
Kenneth Demming, Sexton
Kira Hamilton, Nursery
Martha Glenn Bowers, Nursery



Kingston Presbyterian Church

Conway, South Carolina
Organized 1858

October 4th, 2026
19th Sunday after Pentecost | 10:30AM
World Communion Sunday

Chiming of the Hour

Leader: May the grace and peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.
People: And also with you.
Leader: Let us prepare our hearts for worship.

Prelude *"Let Us Break Bread Together"* arr. Wells

Welcome and Announcements

Introit *"The Lord Is in His Holy Temple"* Root

GOD CALLS US TO PRAISE HIM

† **Call to Worship** (Responsive)

Leader: The God of creation makes us one in body!
People: Let us join our hearts and voices in praise of the Lord!
Leader: The God of Christ makes us one in the Spirit!
People: Let us join our hearts and voices in praise of the Lord!
Leader: Let us worship and rejoice!

† **Hymn No. 284** *"Rock of Ages"* TOPLADY

Prayer of Confession (Unison)

Gracious God, you have called us to be a new community in Christ, yet we remain divided. Forgive us our fear, anxiety, prejudice, and misunderstandings. Strengthen our common bonds and deepen our resolve to promote the unity of your church. Make us one in genuine love and mutual trust. By your Holy Spirit, forgive us, revive us, and reshape us in your image. Through Jesus Christ, we pray in silence…

Silent Confession

Kyrie

Lord, have mercy. Christ, have mercy. Lord, have mercy.

Assurance of Pardon

Leader: People of God, all of us together received God's mercy in Christ. In Christ We are forgiven, redeemed, and made to be a community united in faith.

People: Thanks be to God!

† 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.

GOD BLESSES US WITH HIS WORD

First Scripture Lesson John 17:20-24 N.T. Pew Bible No. 85

Leader: The Word of God for the People of God.

People: Thanks be to God!

† Psalter *"Psalm 107A"* SEE INSERT

Second Scripture Lesson Colossians 3:11 N.T. Pew Bible No. 156

Leader: The Word of God for the People of God.

People: Thanks be to God!

Sermon "Celebrate What Really Matters" Rev. Frank Holsclaw

GOD SEEKS OUR COMMITMENT

Presentation of Tithes and Offering

Offertory *"Lord, I Want to Be a Christian"* Spiritual

† Doxology

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise Him, all creatures here below; praise Him above, ye heavenly host: praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

† Prayer of Thanksgiving

Invitation to the Lord's Table

The Great Prayer of Thanksgiving

Leader: The Lord be with you.
People: And also with you.
Leader: Lift up your hearts.
People: We lift them up to the Lord.
Leader: Let us all give thanks to the Lord our God.
People: It is right to give God thanks and praise.

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. 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.

Sharing of the Elements

Leader: The gifts of God for the people of God.
People: Thanks be to God!

Communion Music *"Sheep May Safely Graze"* Bach

Prayer After Communion

GOD CALLS US TO RESPOND

† Hymn No. 390 *"In Christ Alone"* IN CHRIST ALONE

† Charge and Benediction

† Closing Response *"Danish Amen"*
Amen, Amen, Amen.

† The Postlude *"Choral Song"* Wesley