



# The Chapel Chimes

*"Holding forth the Word Life" - Philippians 2:16*

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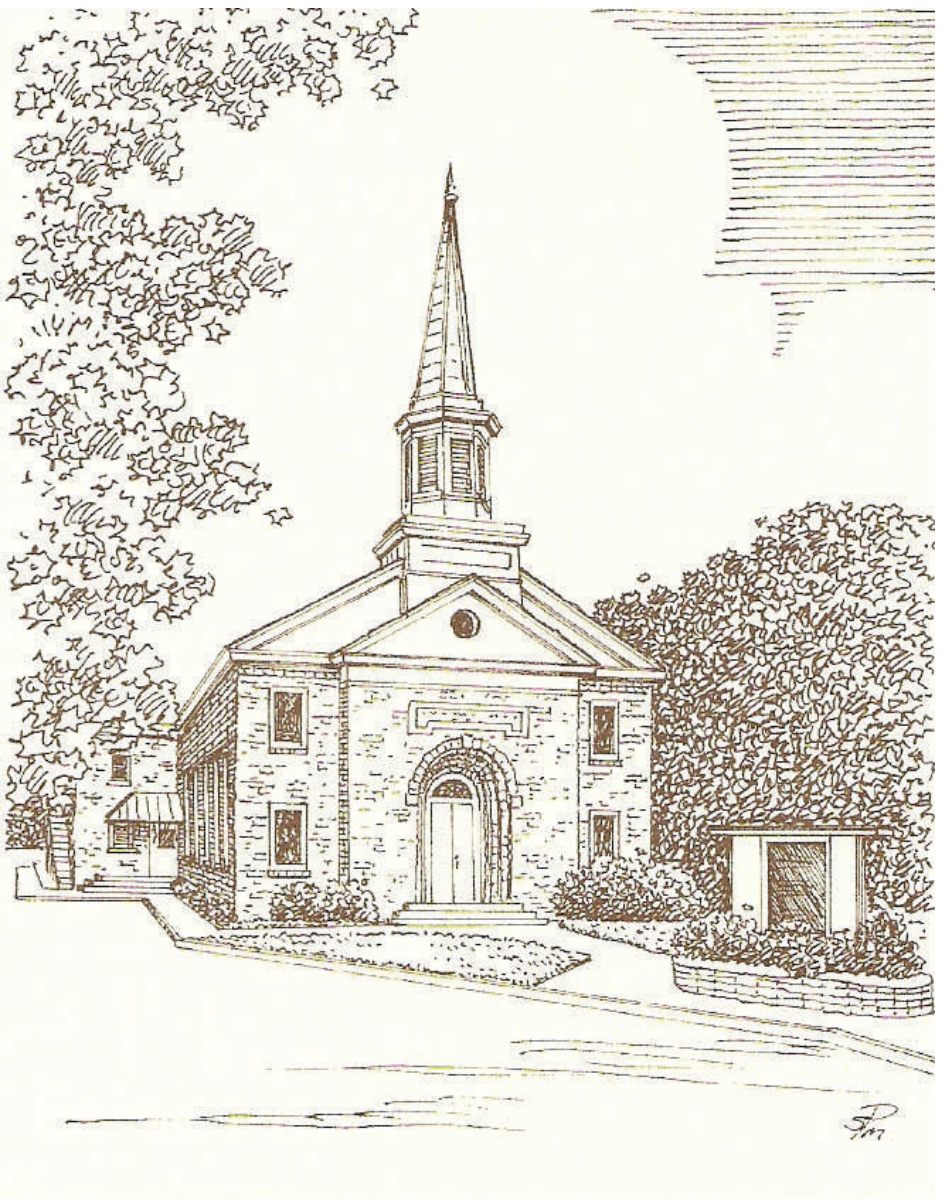
October 2019

## CELEBRATING 84 YEARS OF SERVICE IN GARDEN CITY, GA

We will celebrate our 84th Homecoming at Chapel on Sunday, October 13, 2019, beginning with Morning Worship service at 10:30 a.m. Our guest speaker will be Rev. Ron Parrish, Associate Pastor of Independent Presbyterian Church in Savannah, GA since 1995

Rev. Ron Parrish graduated in 1969 from high school. Then from 1970 - 1977 he pursued his education in Jackson, MS; first at Belhaven College (B.A. '73); and then at the Reformed Theological Seminary (M. Div. '77). Ron was ordained to the Gospel Ministry in 1978 and has served churches in Alabama, Virginia, Florida and Georgia.

Following the morning service we will enjoy a wonderful "Dinner on the Grounds" in the Fellowship Hall. Please bring your favorite dishes to share with members and guests as we celebrate God's blessings to us throughout the years.



Pastor: Rev. Daren L. Russell

Secretary: Raina Martin



### Concerns & Needs:

*Our Sister PCA Churches  
& Pastors in the Savannah Area:*

- Kirk O' the Isles -  
Rev. Pete Whitney
- First Presb. Pooler -  
Rev. John Fender  
Rev. Michael Brown
- Independent Presb. -  
Rev. Terry Johnson  
Rev. Ron Parrish  
Rev. Timothy Foster
- Grace Church of  
the Islands -  
Rev. Brad Waller  
Rev. Charlie Turner
- Trinity Presb.  
(Statesboro) -  
Rev. Roland Barnes
- Golden Isles Presb.  
(St. Simons) -  
Rev. Alexander Brown
- Redeemer Presb.  
(Brunswick) -
- New Covenant Presb.  
(Richmond Hill)  
Rev. Nick Batzig

## WIM NEWS

### Circle Meetings

- » The **Dickson/Monk Circle** will meet at the church - Tuesday, October 8th, at 10:00 a.m.
- » The **Bea LaRoche Circle** will meet at the church, hosted by Joyce Cole - Tuesday, October 8th, at 7:00 p.m.
- » The **Ellen Wing Circle** will meet at the Manse - Monday, October 21st, at 6:00 p.m.

### WIM Council Meeting

Sunday, October 6th, at 5:00 p.m.

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## CLEAN UP DAY FOR WIM WOMEN

Attention All Ladies. It is that time of year again. We need to do our "fall cleaning" in preparation for Homecoming on October 13, 2019. There is a list of tasks that need to be completed posted by the Pastor's Study. I am asking for all ladies to participate in helping to complete the necessary cleaning. Please sign-off on the specific tasks you are willing to do. This will allow you to work on your own and in your own time frame. When you have completed your task please mark the date the task was completed on the list. All work needs to be done by October 8th. Thank you in advance Ladies for your help!

Rhonda Howell  
WIM President



## SUNSHINE CHARMERS

The Sunshine Charmers will be attending the Church Homecoming on Sunday, October 13th following the morning service. Be sure to mark this date on your calendar.

## OCTOBER IS PASTOR APPRECIATION MONTH

October is Clergy Appreciation Month and I invite everyone to express your appreciation to Pastor Russell by placing a personal note or card in the basket on the lamp table outside of the secretary's office.

Please, keep Pastor Russell and his family in your prayers as he continues his dedicated service to our congregation and community as a shepherd, mentor, teacher and counselor. Chapel-in-the-Gardens Presbyterian Church is truly blessed to have Pastor Russell and we should honor him by giving thanks to God for sending us his servant.

Daisy Davis  
WIM President

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## MEN'S FELLOWSHIP NEWS

### Men's Work Day

The Deacon's have scheduled a work day for Saturday, October 5th and Saturday, October 12th, at 8:30 a.m. in preparation for Homecoming. All members, men and women, are encouraged to help out if you can.

### R.O.M.E.O. Club

The ROMEO Club has been canceled for this month due to numerous tasks needed to be completed in preparation for Homecoming.

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## SAVANNAH RIVER PRESB. MTG.

The Savannah River Presbytery Meeting will be held at First Presbyterian Church in Augusta, GA on Tuesday, October 15th beginning at 8:30 a.m.

### Flower Delivery

*Delivering the  
flowers for the month  
of October will be  
Anne Glidewell.*

## GARDEN CITY CHRISTIAN MEN'S FELLOWSHIP

The Garden City Christian Men's Fellowship dinner will be on Thursday, October 17th, at 7:00 p.m. at First Baptist Church of Garden City. Our guest speaker for the evening will be Rev. Daren Russell. This will be Ladies Night so men please bring your wives and enjoy a good meal and fellowship.

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## OCTOBER MEETINGS

- Deacon's Meeting - Wednesday, October 9th, at 7:15 p.m.
- Joint Session & Deacon Meeting - Wednesday, October 23rd, at 7:15p.m.

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## REFORMATION SUNDAY

October 31, 1517 is the date given for the start of the Protestant Reformation. It was the reclaiming of biblical truth. There were five "Solas" (meaning 'alone') of this movement: Glory to God alone, Scripture alone, Faith alone, Grace alone, and Christ alone. The central issue was the doctrine of justification by faith alone. The recapturing of this truth paved the way for the Protestant movement and the continued growth of the church. Reformation Sunday this year is October 27th.

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## YEARLY PLANNING CALENDAR MEETING

Sunday, November 10th, at 5:00 p.m. there will be a meeting to plan the church calendar for 2020. All committee chairman are required to attend this meeting. Any one interested in helping to plan this calendar are welcome to attend.

Newsletter  
DEADLINE

The deadline for announcements for the November issue of *The Chapel Chimes* is Monday, October 14th, at 12:00 noon.

## OUR HYMNS OF THE FAITH

Many of the British hymn writers were children of the clergy or came from middle or upper class backgrounds. But not Edward Mote. His parents kept a pub in London, and Mote says, "My Sundays were spent in the streets; so ignorant was I that I did not know that there was a God." He was apprenticed to a cabinetmaker who took him to church, where he heard the gospel message. Mote himself became a successful cabinetmaker in a London suburb and was active in his local church.

Mote wrote this hymn while he was working as a cabinetmaker. The chorus came to his mind as he was walking to work, and during the day the stanzas came to him. Two years later he published it in a collection of his own hymns and titled it "The Immutable Basis of a Sinner's Hope." It is a hymn that combines deep biblical theology with sincere personal experience.

### *My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less*

My hope is built on nothing less  
Than Jesus' blood and righteousness;  
I dare not trust the sweetest frame,  
But wholly lean on Jesus' name.

*On Christ, the solid rock, I stand;  
All other ground is sinking sand,  
All other ground is sinking sand.*

When darkness veils His lovely face,  
I rest on His unchanging grace;  
In every high and stormy gale,  
My anchor holds within the vale.

His oath, His covenant, His blood  
Support me in the whelming flood;  
When all around my soul gives way,  
He then is all my hope and stay.

When He shall come with trumpet sound,  
O may I then in Him be found!  
Dressed in His righteousness alone,  
Faultless to stand before the throne!

*Edward Mote (1797-1874)*



### Fall Back

Daylight Savings  
Time ends on Sunday,  
November 3rd. Don't  
forget to set your clocks  
back one hour before  
going to bed on Satur-  
day, November 2nd so  
you will be on time for  
Sunday School.

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### *Our Mission*

*To be  
Kingdom Focused,  
Gospel Driven  
and Christ Centered  
in all that we do.*

### *Our Vision*

*"Our Vision is to reach out to Garden City and the surrounding area with the Good News of Christ; to proclaim the inerrant and infallible Word of God through faithful preaching and teaching of the Reformed faith; to exalt Christ by authentic worship in word, sacrament, prayer and music in spirit and in truth; to glorify the Triune God in thought, word and deed through the practical application and living out our faith by stressing loving Christian fellowship and compassion to those in need; to support mission works in the United States and the world."*

## BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

### October

#### Birthdays

- 2 Kimberly Hord
- 3 Travis Forehand
- 4 Diane Holder
- 7 David Evans
- 8 Ernie Kirby  
Helen Ward
- 20 Nita McNeely
- 21 Nancy Kirby
- 26 John Nelson
- 31 LaVerne Carter

#### Anniversaries

- 7 Mr. & Mrs. Patrick O'Neal
- 23 Mr. & Mrs. Tennyson Holder



Your  
word  
is a lamp  
to guide my feet  
and  
a light  
for my path.  
Psalm 119:105