

## Announcements

### Pastor Appreciation Month

Please take the opportunity this month to express your appreciation to Pastor Russell and his family for their service to our congregation and community by placing a card or note on the table outside of the secretary's office.

### Fall Back

Daylight Savings Time ends on Sunday, November 1<sup>st</sup>. Don't forget to set your clocks back one hour before going to bed on Saturday, October 31<sup>st</sup>, so you can attend the morning worship service/live stream on time.

### Thanksgiving Food Drive

In the month of November our church will be joining with the Primitive Baptist Church of Garden City in collecting items for their food pantry. This helps us to be able to minister to our community this Thanksgiving season during this difficult time as we continue to move forward in dealing with COVID-19.

Items needed are:

Canned goods	boxed food
Personal hygiene	non-refrigerated drinks
Paper goods such as paper towels & toilet paper	

Please bring these items and place in the crate located outside the secretary's office. The drive will last from November 1<sup>st</sup> to November 29<sup>th</sup>.



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*October 25, 2020*

*Rev. Daren L. Russell*  
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*Garden City, GA 31408*

# **Chapel-in-the-Gardens Presbyterian Church**

*Presbyterian Church in America*

## **“Worshiping Him in Spirit and in Truth”**

*October 25, 2020 at 10:30 a.m.*

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Even now, declares the Lord, return to me with all your heart, with fasting and weeping and mourning. Rend your heart and not your garments. Return to the Lord your God for he is gracious and compassionate, slow to anger and abounding in love. (Joel 2:12-13)

### **The Preparation for Worship**

**The Prelude** – *Please prepare your heart and mind for worship as you wait silently before the Lord.*

**The Apostolic Greeting** Jude 1b,2  
*“To those who are called, sanctified by God the Father, and preserved in Jesus Christ: Mercy, peace, and love be multiplied to you.”*

### **The Welcome and Announcements**

**The Silent Prayer of Preparation** Habakkuk 2:20  
*“The LORD is in His holy temple; let all the earth be silent before Him.”*

**The Adoration of God** Psalm 124:8  
*“Our help is in the name of the Lord, the Maker of heaven and earth.”*

**The Call to Worship** Psalm 105:1-4  
*“Give thanks to the LORD, call on his name; make known among the nations what he has done. Sing to him, sing praise to him; tell of all his wonderful acts. Glory in his holy name; let the hearts of those who seek the LORD rejoice. Look to the LORD and his strength; seek his face always.”*

**The Hymn No. 26** *“A Mighty Fortress Is Our God”*

**The Prayer of Adoration and Lord’s Prayer**

**Reading of the Psalms** – Psalm 53

### **Musical Meditation/Anthem**

**The Pastoral Prayer** Psalm 37:23-24  
*“The LORD delights in the way of the man whose steps he has made firm; though he stumble, he will not fall, for the LORD upholds him with his hand.”*

### **The Means of Grace**

#### **The Prayer of Illumination**

**The Exposition of God’s Word** Rev. Daren L. Russell  
*“This is God’s holy, inspired, and inerrant Word.”*

*The 5 Solas of the Reformation*  
*5 – Soli Deo Gloria*  
*Revelation 4 & 5*

### **The Response & Blessing**

**The Hymn No. 280** *“I Love Thy Kingdom, Lord”*

**The Benediction** Revelations 1:5b, 6  
*“To him who loves us and has freed us from our sins by his blood and made us a kingdom, priests to his God and Father, to him be glory and dominion forever and ever. Amen.”*

## **A Mighty Fortress Is Our God**

A mighty fortress is our God, a bulwark never failing;  
Our helper He, amid the flood of mortal ills prevailing:  
For still our ancient foe doth seek to work us woe;  
His craft and pow'r are great, and, armed with cruel hate,  
On earth is not his equal.

Did we in our own strength confide, our striving would be losing,  
Were not the right man on our side, the man of God's own choosing:  
Dost ask who that may be? Christ Jesus, it is He;  
Lord Sabaoth, His Name, from age to age the same,  
And He must win the battle.

And though this world, with devils filled, should threaten to undo us,  
We will not fear, for God hath willed His truth to triumph thru us.  
The prince of darkness grim, we tremble not for him;  
His rage we can endure, for lo, his doom is sure,  
One little word shall fell him.

That word above all earthly pow'rs, no thanks to them, abideth;  
The Spirit and the gifts are ours thru Him Who with us sideth;  
Let goods and kindred go, this mortal life also;  
The body they may kill: God's truth abideth still,  
His kingdom is forever.

## **I Love Thy Kingdom, Lord**

I love Thy kingdom, Lord,  
The house of Thine abode,  
The Church our blest Redeemer saved  
With His own precious blood.

I love Thy Church, O God!  
Her walls before Thee stand,  
Dear as the apple of Thine eye,  
And graven on Thy hand.

For her my tears shall fall;  
For her my prayers ascend;  
To her my cares and toils be giv'n,  
Till toils and cares shall end.

Beyond my highest joy  
I prize her heav'nly ways,  
Her sweet communion, solemn vows,  
Her hymns of love and praise.

Sure as Thy truth shall last,  
To Zion shall be giv'n  
The brightest glories earth can yield,  
And brighter bliss of heav'n.