

THE LORD’S DAY		
AUGUST 2, 2026		
11:00 a.m.		
Please use this time to set your hearts on Christ and pray for the Word, our worship, and that holiness and reverence will be known among us.		
PRELUDE	Amazing Grace	arr. Cherwien
CALL TO WORSHIP		
**HYMN OF PRAISE	“Love Divine, All Loves Excelling”	#529
*INVOCATION		
*CONFESSION OF FAITH: HEIDELBERG CATECHISM		Q. 1
Q.1. What is your only comfort in life and death?		
A. That I am not my own, but belong with body and soul, both in life and in death, to my faithful Saviour Jesus Christ. He has fully paid for all my sins with his precious blood, and has set me free from all the power of the devil. He also preserves me in such a way that without the will of my heavenly Father not a hair can fall from my head; indeed, all things must work together for my salvation. Therefore, by his Holy Spirit he also assures me of eternal life and makes me heartily willing and ready from now on to live for him.		
*PSALM OF PRAISE	Psalms for Worship, 78A	
PASTORAL PRAYER	Rev. Chad Bailey	
RESPONSIVE SCRIPTURE READING	Psalms 147	p. 839-840
THE GIVING OF GOD’S TITHES AND OUR OFFERINGS		
OFFERTORY	It Is Well with My Soul	arr. Linker
*DOXOLOGY		
*PRAYERS FOR GOD’S TITHES AND OUR OFFERINGS		#731
*HYMN OF PREPARATION “Breathe on Me, Breath of God (Children K4-1st grade dismissed to children’s church.)		
		#334
SCRIPTURE	Judges 6:1-16	
SERMON	“The Imaginary and the Real”	Rev. Marc Harrington

*HYMN OF RESPONSE “My Faith Looks Up to Thee” #528

*THE BENEDICTION

*BENEDICTORY RESPONSE Gloria Patri Creatorex
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.

*POSTLUDE *Lift High the Cross* arr. Leavitt

*Congregation please stand
**Deacons will seat late arrivals

The flowers are given today by the Dodd Family to the Glory of God and with gratefulness to the Midway Choir for their steadfast faithfulness and tireless commitment to the singing of God’s praises in worship.

We extend our Christian love and sympathy to the Harkins family in the loss of their mother, Martha Harkins

A congregational meeting is scheduled on August 9th, 2026, following the morning worship service for the purpose of dissolving the pastoral relationship between Midway Presbyterian Church and Pastor Marc Harrington.

Sermon Notes:

THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD’S SUPPER

The Lord’s Supper will be served during the evening service next week. Communion elements will be served only from the sanctuary main floor. If you wish to partake, please make your way from the balcony and narthex before communion begins. In the communion trays, moving from outside to inside, the order is wine, juice and wine. All those who have received Jesus Christ as personal Savior and Lord and who are members in good standing in an evangelical church are invited to partake of this special means of grace. Children who have not been received by the elders as communing members should not partake, but learn by reverent observation, even though they may have trusted Christ for salvation. If you are aware that you have not received Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior, you should allow the elements to pass, and you are urged to repent of your sin and embrace the free offer of salvation in Christ by faith.

Sunday, August 2nd
6:30 P.M.

Please join us for a farewell reception honoring Judy Dodd, Music Director who has served 31 years at Midway. We will gather immediately after the evening worship service in the fellowship hall.

Save the Date~Farewell Reception

Sunday, August 9th
6:30 p.m.

Please join us for a farewell reception honoring the service of Pastor Marc, Kate, Geneva, Savannah, and Simon. We want to wish them well as they begin their new ministry. We will gather immediately after the evening worship service in the fellowship hall for a reception and time to say our farewells.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

VISITORS If you are new to Midway and would like to connect with our pastoral staff or would like to know more about the church, please scan the QR code to provide your contact information.



SUMMER SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS Through August 30th, the Pastors and Ruling Elders are teaching the combined Sunday School class in the Fellowship Hall at 9:45 a.m. on the book of 1 Timothy.

WEDNESDAY PRAYER MEETING Please plan to join us on Wednesdays from 5:45-6:15 p.m. in the Fellowship Classroom. Everyone is invited to attend this time of prayer.

SUMMER WEDNESDAY NIGHT BIBLE STUDY This study meets Wednesdays from 6:30 to 7:15 p.m. in the Fellowship classroom. Our pastors are continuing the study on John’s Gospel. Join us as we seek deeper repentance, greater holiness, and richer joy in Christ along with ice cream afterwards.

CHURCH WORKDAY There will be a church workday on Saturday, August 8th from 9:00-12:00. We will be working indoors to deep clean areas like corners, baseboards, windowsills, etc. Please bring vacuums with attachments, dusters and rags - whatever you prefer to clean with! All those who can work are welcome. There will not be any childcare. If you have any questions, please contact Tori Fish (678-644-2976).

MEN’S BIBLE STUDY (Contact marc.harrington@midwaypca.org.)

- Pastor Harrington’s Bible study Wednesdays, 7:00 a.m. at the Daily Grind.
- Men’s Thursday Bible study meets at 12:30 p.m. in the Harvester Classroom. For more information, please contact Chad at chad.bailey@midwaypca.org.
- The Men’s Monthly Bible Study will take a break for the summer and resume in the fall. For more information contact Wayne Haynes at hayneswayne@att.net.

WOMEN’S BIBLE STUDY (Contact Susan Barry sbarry56@gmail.com.)

- Ladies Evening Bible Study meets monthly at Cori Lowman's house and will resume in the fall.

CHILDREN’S MINISTRY (matt.ross@midwayschool.org)

- Kids Club Wednesdays from 6:30–7:15 p.m. in the Children’s Ministry Room.

- YOUTH NEWS** (mjcoopjr@gmail.com) or (mgknight02@gmail.com)
- No Sunday Night Bible Studies Tonight!
 - Youth Group Wednesdays from 6:30–7:30 p.m. in the Youth Assembly Room.
 - **Do you have a rising 6th grader in your family?** Please email Jimmy Cooper, so we can welcome them to youth group this summer & include you in all our youth group communications. mjcoopjr@gmail.com

COLLEGE & CAREER BIBLE STUDY meets every Tuesday at 7:00 p.m. in the Youth Assembly Room. Our group is comprised of folks up to 26 years old. Come and enjoy fellowship marked and shaped after sound teaching. For more information, contact chad.bailey@midwaypca.org.

NURSERY NEWS

Contact Jennifer Nichols nursery@midwaypca.org.

THOSE SERVING Sunday, August 2nd

- 9:30** Hogan & Leah Gowder, Susan Barry
10:45 Alexia & Ella Zumbum, Dami, Nelly, Peyton, & Avery Adeoye. Cici Ross, Kechia Magee & boys, Jeanette Tipton
5:15 Anhalise Hendrix, Bobbi Mitchell

THOSE SERVING Sunday, August 9th

- 9:30** Carol DeMar, Emily Dewalt, Julie Hagan
10:45 Tori Biondolillo, Lori Cowley, Wyatt Dewalt, Scott & Laura Keesee, Laura Washington
5:15 Donna Carter, Mac & Cici Ross

Our expectant families: Joseph & Lindsey Tingen (Carter), Evan & Sophia Fish, Nathan & Kaitlin Williams (Williams), Ben & Laura Adams (MacGregor), Hogan & Leah Gowder, Eric & Rachael Jamerson, David & Katie Barry (Barry), Jeffrey & Rachel Siewert
Our Military Personnel: Nate Forrester, Asher Johnson, Guy Scott
Midway Covenant Christian School
Missionaries of the Month: Vincenzo & Judit Coluccia (Italy): vincenzo.c@newlifepca.com; Jonah of Ninevah (USA, Asia – Restricted); Liam & Mary B. Carr (Taiwan)
Church of the Week: Cherokee Presbyterian Church, Canton

MIDWAY OFFICERS

Ruling Elders

Class of 2026: Ken Dewhurst, Paul Fish, Russ Knight, Rodney Pritchett
Class of 2028: Jim Daniels, Wes Richardson, Brian Washington, Bob Whitaker
Class of 2030: Jimmy Cooper, John Garmon, Rick Griffin, Scott Keesee

Deacons

Class of 2026: Dami Adeoye, Tom Biondolillo, Charles Hagan, David Jackson, Cliff Miller, Brady Pritchett, Patrick Rockholz
Class of 2028: Larry Eller, Justin Giannace, Joe Hash, Peter Ian, Sammy Mitchell, Wiley Pritchett, Evanda Remington

EVENING WORSHIP
August 2, 2026
5:30 p.m.

CALL TO WORSHIP

***PSALM OF PRAISE** Psalms for Worship, 16C

***INVOCATION**

***HYMN OF PRAISE** “In Sweet Communion, Lord, with Thee” #657

***CONFESSION OF FAITH: WESTMINSTER LARGER CATECHISM** CH. 2.2

God hath all life, glory, goodness, blessedness, in and of Himself; and is alone in and unto Himself all-sufficient, not standing in need of any creatures which He hath made, nor deriving any glory from them, but only manifesting His own glory in, by, unto, and upon them; He is the alone foundation of all being, of whom, through whom, and to whom, are all things; and hath most sovereign dominion over them, to do by them, for them, or upon them, whatsoever Himself pleaseth. In His sight all things are open and manifest; His knowledge is infinite, infallible, and independent upon the creature; so as nothing is to Him contingent or uncertain. He is most holy in all His counsels, in all His works, and in all His commands. To Him is due from angels and men, and every other creature, whatsoever worship, service, or obedience He is pleased to require of them.

SCRIPTURE READING Ecclesiastes 5

PRAYER Elder Jim Daniels

***HYMN OF PREPARATION** “When I Survey the Wondrous Cross” #252

SCRIPTURE James 5:1-6

Come now, you rich, weep and howl for the miseries that are coming upon you. ²Your riches have rotted and your garments are moth-eaten. ³Your gold and silver have corroded, and their corrosion will be evidence against you and will eat your flesh like fire. You have laid up treasure in the last days. ⁴Behold, the wages of the laborers who mowed your fields, which you kept back by fraud, are crying out against you, and the cries of the harvesters have reached the ears of the Lord of hosts. ⁵You have lived on the earth in luxury and in self-indulgence. You have fattened your hearts in a day of slaughter. ⁶You have condemned and murdered the righteous person. He does not resist you.

SERMON “True Riches” Rev. Chad Bailey

***HYMN OF RESPONSE** “Be Thou My Vision” #642

***BENEDICTION**

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Founded in 1850, Midway Church is a congregation of the Presbyterian Church in America (PCA), a Reformed, evangelical denomination organized in 1973. Our church seeks to be Scriptural in both its government and its doctrine. We believe the Bible is the inerrant Word of God, our infallible and divine authority in all matters of life and faith.

“Beyond all question, the mystery of godliness is great: He appeared in a body, was vindicated by the Spirit, was seen by angels, was preached among the nations, was believed on in the world, was taken up in glory.”

1 Timothy 3:16