



INDEPENDENT
Presbyterian Church

A NEW PEOPLE. A NEW MEMPHIS.

WELCOME TO INDEPENDENT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH!

As a fellowship of believers, we like to know all who are worshipping with us today, so please fill out the Friendship Pad and pass it down the aisle. If you are a visitor, thank you for joining us. Any questions about our church? We encourage you to ask a member on your aisle, an usher, or a minister for help. They can answer your questions or assist you in finding someone who can.

More opportunities for teaching and fellowship at IPC are listed in the back of this bulletin. Visitors interested in joining IPC are invited to attend our *Pathway Class Weekend for Prospective Members*, Friday, August 17, and Saturday, August 18. For more information or to register, please contact the Tamera Rackley, trackley@ipcmemphis.org, or (901) 685-8206.

Our Sunday morning Worship Services are shown via live stream in the Chapel for families with babies/young children, latecomers, or any other reason you might be more comfortable there. Additionally, a fully-staffed nursery is available during all services.

We also live stream our 8:30 and 11:00 services at ipcmemphis.org. Please note: the link will be active only on Sunday morning. In addition, audio recordings of this morning's sermon are available in the bookstore immediately following the 8:30 worship service, or during the following week on our website.

Please see an usher if you need a hearing amplification device.

PLEASE ENJOY YOUR COFFEE OUTSIDE OF THE SANCTUARY.

THE LORD'S DAY WORSHIP

THE FIRST DAY OF JULY, TWO THOUSAND AND EIGHTEEN
Eight-Thirty and Eleven O'clock

THE WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE MEDITATION “All Creatures of Our God and King” arr. Purifoy
Luke Folse, Clarinet
Jennifer Velázquez, Organist

THE CALL TO WORSHIP — from Psalm 86:8-10

The Minister: There is none like you, O Lord, nor are there any works like yours.

The Congregation: All the nations you have made shall come and bow down before you, O Lord, and shall glorify your name.

All: For you are great and do wondrous things, you alone are God. Amen!
Let us worship God!

The Reverend Parker Tenent, Assistant Pastor (8:30 a.m.)
The Reverend J. Edward Norton, Associate Pastor (11:00 a.m.)

THE PROCESSIONAL HYMN

“Jesus Shall Reign” No. 441

THE PRAYER OF ADORATION

THE ASCRIPTION OF PRAISE

Toulon

I greet thee, who my sure Redeemer art,
My only trust and Savior of my heart,
Who pain didst undergo for my poor sake;
I pray thee from our hearts all cares to take.

Thou art the King of mercy and of grace,
Reigning omnipotent in ev'ry place:
So come, O King, and our whole being sway;
Shine on us with the light of thy pure day.

Please sign and pass the Friendship Pad at this time.

THE CORPORATE CONFESSION OF SIN

Righteous God, you have crowned Jesus Christ as Lord of all. We confess that we have not bowed before him and are slow to acknowledge his rule. We give allegiance to the powers of this world and fail to be governed by justice and love. In your mercy, forgive us. Raise us to acclaim him as ruler of all, that we may be his loyal ambassadors, obeying the commands of our Lord Jesus Christ. *Amen.*

THE ASSURANCE OF PARDON

God demonstrates his own love for us in this, that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us.
— *Romans 5:8*

THE DOXOLOGY

Lasst Uns Erfreuen

Let all things their Creator bless, and worship him in humbleness, O praise him, alleluia!

Praise, praise the Father, praise the Son, and praise the Spirit, three in one,

O praise him, O praise him, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

Children (Kindergarten) may be dismissed to their worship leader.

THE STATEMENT OF FAITH

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 PRAYER OF INTERCESSION 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

"Awake, My Heart"

Marshall

Dr. Randal Rushing, Director

Awake, my heart, and render To God thy sure defender,
Thy Maker, thy preserver, A song of love and fervor.
Confirm my deeds and guide me: My day, with thee beside me,
Beginning, middle, ending, Will all be upward tending.
My heart shall be thy dwelling, With joy and gladness swelling;
Thy word my nurture, giv'n To bring me on toward heaven.

THE SERMON

Jonah 3 (*pew Bible page 775*)

The Minister: This is the Word of the Lord.

The Congregation: Thanks be to God!

"Grace to the Nations"

The Reverend Jeremy Jones

Assistant Pastor

SERMON NOTES

THE HYMN OF PREPARATION

“Speak, O Lord”

Jurey Howard, Guitar

Getty and Townend

1. Speak, O Lord, as we come to you to re -
2. Teach us, Lord, full o - be - di - ence, ho - ly

ceive the food of your Ho - ly Word.
rev - er - ence, true hu - mil - i - ty;

Take your truth, plant it deep in us; shape and
Test our thoughts and our at - ti - tudes in the

fash - ion us in your like - ness, that the
ra - di - ance of your pu - ri - ty. Cause our

light of Christ might be seen to - day in our
faith to rise; cause our eyes to see your ma -

acts of love and our deeds of faith.
jes - tic love and au - thor - i - ty.

Speak, O Lord, and ful - fill in us all your
Words of pow'r that can nev - er fail, let their

pur - pos - es for your glo - ry.
truth pre - vail o - ver un - be - lief.

THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

THE PRAYER OF CONSECRATION

THE WORDS OF INSTITUTION

“For as often as you eat this bread and drink the cup, you proclaim the Lord's death until he comes.” — *1 Corinthians 11:26*

THE HYMN OF RESPONSE

“And Can It Be”

Words: Charles Wesley

Music: Scott Roley



1. And can it be that I should gain an in - terest in the Sav-
2. He left his Fa - ther's throne a - bove so free, (so in - fin - ite
3. Long my im - pris - oned spir - it lay, fast bound in sin and na -
4. No con - dem - na - tion now I dread; Je - sus, and all in him

- ior's blood? Died he for me, who caused his pain? For me,
his grace!), Emp - tied him - self of all but love, and bled
- ture's night; thine eye dif - fused a quick - ening ray; I woke,
is mine; a - live in him, my liv - ing Head, and clothed

who him to death pur - sued? A - maz - ing love! How can
for A - dam's help - less race: 'tis mer - cy all, im - mense
the dun - geon flamed with light; my chains fell off, my heart
in right - eous - ness di - vine, bold I ap - proach the eter -

it be, that thou, my God, shouldst die for me? A - maz -
and free, for O my God, it found out me!
was free, I rose, went forth, and fol - lowed thee.
nal throne, and claim the crown, through Christ my own.

- ing love! How can it be, that thou, my God, shouldst die

for me? A - maz - ing love! How can it be, that thou,

my God, shouldst die for me?

THE BENEDICTION

THE RESPONSE

Getty and Townend

Choir and Congregation

Speak, O Lord, and renew our minds; help us grasp the heights of your plans for us.
Truths unchanged from the dawn of time that will echo down through eternity.
And by grace we'll stand on your promises, and by faith we'll walk as you walk with us.
Speak, O Lord, till your church is built and the earth is filled with your glory.

THE POSTLUDE

“Be Thou My Vision”

arr. Adams



THE FLOWERS

The flowers in the Sanctuary are given to the glory of God
in loving memory of Edward M. Kennedy by Dorothy Kennedy,
Michael Kennedy, Parker Morgan, and Leslie Atanasova.

DEATH

Our sympathy to
Cindy and Ray Wilson on the death
of her father, John M. Cole, Jr.,
on June 24, 2018.

DEATH

Our sympathy to
Pat and Lou Gettings on the death
of her stepmother, Frances Sumner Dunn,
on June 25, 2018.

DEATH

Our sympathy to
Alaina and Tyler Ward on the death
of his father, Jerry Douglas Ward,
on June 27, 2018.

OUR CHURCH TODAY | JULY 1

8:30 a.m. Worship Service and Communion
8:30 a.m. Children’s Church (Kindergarten)
9:45 a.m. Sunday School
9:45 a.m. Joint Adult Sunday School Class Breakfast | Fellowship Hall
11:00 a.m. Worship Service and Communion
11:00 a.m. Children’s Church (Kindergarten)



SUNDAY SCHOOL 9:45-10:45

Nursery & Preschool –
First floor, rooms divided by age
Kindergarten — *Room 220-222*

1st grade — *Room 216*
2nd grade — *Room 215*
3rd grade — *Room 217*

4th grade — *Room 204*
Junior High — *Room 155*
Senior High — *Room 254*

NO JOINT ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS TODAY

Our joint Adult Sunday school class will take a break from their summer study this morning to enjoy breakfast together in the Fellowship Hall. Cost is \$2.00 a person.

The College Class and the Westminster Class will meet in their regular rooms.

Ed Norton's and Rankin Fowlkes's classes will join the breakfast group, then begin their study in the Chapel the following Sunday, July 8.

CHURCH OFFICE AND BOOKSTORE CLOSED

The Church Office and Bookstore will be closed this Wednesday, July 4, in observance of the Fourth of July holiday.



OUTREACH & MINISTRIES

SUMMER 2018 RUF IN MEMPHIS

Summer RUF in Memphis continues ***next Tuesday, July 10!*** We'll gather at Redeemer Presbyterian Church, 651 Cooper Street, at 7:00 p.m. to hear from John Crosby (University of Memphis), as we continue the series, *Conversations with Jesus*. Join us for a great time of teaching, fellowship, music, and food. Open to all college students! If you have questions, contact John Crosby at john.crosby@ruf.org.

SAVE THE DATES!

EVANGELISM CONFERENCE | AUGUST 2018

Engaging Contemporary Culture with the Gospel of Jesus Christ is the theme of our August Evangelism Conference. Plan to join us on Wednesday nights, August 1, 8, 15, 22, and 29 for dinner and speakers Rev. Leon Brown, Rev. Richie Sessions, Rev. Randy Pope, Dr. David Robertson, and Dr. Sean Lucas. Dr. Robertson will also speak at a congregational lunch on Thursday, August 23, and preach on Sunday, August 26.

Watch for more details in the mail.

PRAYER MINISTRY

Men's Prayer Breakfast in Fellowship Hall | Tuesdays | 6:30 a.m.

Come and join a group of men who meet faithfully for a time of prayer in the Fellowship Hall.

Enjoy a good, hot breakfast for \$3.00.

Women's Prayer Time | Bride's Room | Tuesdays | 10:00 a.m.



UPCOMING EVENTS

Jr. High and Sr. High Pool Party | July 2 | noon-2:00 p.m. | Free

Sr. High RYM Summer Conference | July 9-14 | Panama City Beach, FL

Summer 2018 RUF in Memphis | July 10, 17

Too Fun Tuesdays (K-4th Grade) | July 10, 17, 24

Jr. High Fellowship Bible Studies | July 17, 31 | 10:00 a.m.-noon | IPC

Sr. High Fellowship Bible Studies | July 19, 31 | 10:00 a.m.-noon | IPC

Women's Summer Bible Study | July 10, 17, 24 | 10:00 a.m. or 6:00 p.m.

"Dive-Ins" (1st & 2nd Grade) | July 9, 16

"Dive-Ins" (3rd & 4th Grade) | July 19

Sr. High Scavenger Hunt | July 17 | 5:00-9:00 p.m. | Bring money for dinner out

Summer Wednesday Evening at IPC | July 18

Jr. High Scavenger Hunt | July 19 | 6:00-9:30 p.m. | Free

Jr. High and Sr. High Service Over Self (SOS) | July 22-28 | Memphis

Joint Evening Worship Service with Esperanza | Sunday, July 29

Regular Wednesday Evenings Resume | August 1

Jr. High and Sr. High Guys | August 2 | Gus's, Gibson's, Gym | 6:00-9:00 p.m. | IPC Gym | Free

Jr. High and Sr. High Girls | August 2 | Brinner & Movie | 6:30-9:30 p.m. | Sr. High Room | Free

Evangelism Conference 2018 | August 1, 8, 15, 22, 23, 25, 26, 29

Sr. High Choir Ski Day | August 11 | Pickwick

Promotion Sunday for K-4th | August 12

Pathway Class Weekend for Prospective Members | August 17-18

Sunday Evening Praise Resumes: *Jesus Teaches Us to Pray* | August 19 | 6:00 p.m. | Sanctuary

Four Corners Resumes (K-5th grade) | August 19

TEACHING ELDERS

Dr. Sean Michael Lucas
Senior Pastor
Rev. Edward Norton
Associate Pastor
Rev. Jeremy Jones
Assistant Pastor
Rev. Mike Malone
Assistant Pastor
Rev. Brad Robson
Pastor of Student Ministries
Rev. Parker Tenent
Assistant Pastor
Rev. Ford S. Williams, Jr.
Pastoral Associate
Rev. John P. Sartelle, Sr.
Senior Pastor Emeritus
Rev. Bill Hogan
Assistant Pastor Emeritus

RULING ELDERS

Mr. Cannon F. Allen
Mr. Matthew G. Buyer
Mr. Richard M. Carter
Mr. William J. Chase Jr.
Mr. Ralph S. DelBove
Dr. Hugh Francis III
Dr. Neumon Taylor Goshorn
Mr. Samuel N. Graham II
Mr. J. Lee Greene Jr.
Mr. Stephen Guenther
Dr. Charles R. Halford
Mr. Bryan A. Hawkins
Mr. John Jurey Howard III
Mr. Nathan W. Kellum
Mr. George G. Leavell
Dr. James R. Mitchum
Mr. William R. Mitchum Jr.
Mr. David R. Neubert
Mr. Matthew J. Olson
Dr. Melvin P. Payne III
Mr. John Philip
Mr. Richard Luther Powell Sr.
Mr. John W. Stokes III
Mr. Terry Michael Washburn
Mr. Adrian Yelverton

DEACONS

Dr. Scott Bartusch
Mr. David Butler
Mr. John W. Chambers Jr.
Mr. Craig A. Christenbury
Mr. Charles Clowers
Mr. John R. Coates
Mr. Glenn W. Cofield
Mr. Duffy Cothran
Mr. John T. Crews Jr.
Mr. Brantley Davidson
Mr. Josh Davis
Mr. John Dorrill
Mr. John J. Dudas
Mr. Michael J. Gabrielleschi
Mr. Robert E. Hicks
Mr. Kevin Holt
Mr. Govan S. Hornor
Mr. Jay Jacks
Dr. John G. Kakales
Mr. William Kay
Mr. James McDonald
Mr. William G. Mueller IV
Mr. Thomas A. Pacello
Mr. Calvin Purcell
Mr. Timothy Rainey
Mr. Alex Ransone
Mr. Chris W. Rogers
Mr. Dudley Schaefer Jr.
Mr. Frederick T. Stukenborg
Mr. Kimbrough Taylor
Mr. Chris Thornton
Mr. Richard B. Vining
Mr. James Dwight Wilder
Mr. Joseph Womack

IPC OFFICE HOURS

Monday-Thursday 8:30 a.m. — 5:00 p.m.
8:30 a.m. — 4:00 p.m. Friday

Church's Main Office 901-685-8206
Music Office 901-685-9707
Recreation Office 901-763-3857

**COVENANTERS' CORNER
BOOKSTORE HOURS**

Monday-Thursday 9:00 a.m. — 5:00 p.m.
Sunday 9:30 a.m. — 11:00 a.m.
901-763-3932

**The Bookstore will be closed on Fridays
until after Labor Day.*

MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of Independent Presbyterian Church
is to make disciples of Jesus by gathering for worship,
growing in community, and going out in love.

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