



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.

THE LORD'S DAY WORSHIP

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

THE WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE MEDITATION

"You Servants of God"
Jennifer Velázquez, Organist

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THE CALL TO WORSHIP

Isaiah 55:1-3; Isaiah 49:13

The Minister: Come, everyone who thirsts, come to the waters; and he who has no money, come, buy and eat! Come, buy wine and milk without money and without price.

The Congregation: Why do you spend your money for that which is not bread, and labor for that which does not satisfy? Listen diligently to me, and eat what is good, and delight yourselves in rich food.

The Minister: Incline your ear, and come to me; hear, that your soul may live; and I will make with you an everlasting covenant, my steadfast, sure love for David.

All: Sing for joy, O heavens, and exult, O earth; break forth, O mountains, into singing! For the Lord has comforted his people and will have compassion on his afflicted. Amen! Let us worship God!

The Reverend Jeremy Jones, Assistant Pastor (8:30 a.m.)

The Reverend Brad Robson, Assistant Pastor (11:00 a.m.)

THE PROCESSIONAL HYMN

"All Creatures of Our God and King"

No. 115

THE PRAYER OF ADORATION

THE ASCRIPTION OF PRAISE

Beecher

Love divine, all loves excelling, Joy of heav'n, to earth come down:
Fix in us thy humble dwelling, all thy faithful mercies crown:
Jesus, thou art all compassion, pure, unbounded love thou art;
Visit us with thy salvation, enter ev'ry trembling heart.

Come, Almighty to deliver, let us all thy life receive;
Suddenly return, and never, nevermore thy temples leave.
Thee we would be always blessing, serve thee as thy hosts above,
Pray, and praise thee, without ceasing, glory in thy perfect love.

Please sign and pass the Friendship Pad at this time.

THE PROFESSION OF FAITH

Jonathan Edwards Kay, 11:00 a.m.

THE CORPORATE CONFESSION OF SIN

Seek the Lord while he may be found; call upon him while he is near; let the wicked forsake his way, and the unrighteous man his thoughts; let him return to the Lord, that he may have compassion on him, and to our God, for he will abundantly pardon. For my thoughts are not your thoughts, neither are your ways my ways, declares the Lord. For as the heavens are higher than the earth, so are my ways higher than your ways and my thoughts than your thoughts. — *Isaiah 55:6-9*

THE ASSURANCE OF PARDON

The Lord is merciful and gracious, slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love. He will not always chide, nor will he keep his anger forever. He does not deal with us according to our sins, nor repay us according to our iniquities. For as high as the heavens are above the earth, so great is his steadfast love toward those who fear him; as far as the east is from the west, so far does he remove our transgressions from us. As a father shows compassion to his children, so the Lord shows compassion to those who fear him. For he knows our frame; he remembers that we are dust. — *Psalms 103:8-14*

THE HYMN OF PRAISE

“How Deep the Father’s Love for Us”
Christi Fleming, Flute James Brown, Guitar
(please see next page for music and words)

1. How deep the Fa - ther's love for us, how
 2. Be - hold the Man up - on the cross, my
 3. I will not boast in an - y - thing: no

vast be - yond all meas - ure that
 sin up - on his shoul - ders a -
 gifts, no pow'r, no wis - dom, but

he should give his on - ly Son to
 shamed I hear my mock - ing voice call
 I will boast in Je - sus Christ: his

make a wretch his treas - ure. How
 out a - mong the scof - fers. It
 death and res - ur - rec - tion. Why

great the pain of sear - ing loss. The
 was my sin that held Him there un -
 should I gain from His re - ward? I

Fa - ther turns his face a - way as
 til it was ac - com - plished. His
 can - not give an an - swer. But

wounds which mar the Cho - sen One, bring
 dy - ing breath has brought me life. I
 this I know with all my heart: his

man - y sons to glo - - ry.
 know that it is fin - - ished.
 wounds have paid my ran - - som.

Children (kindergarten) may be dismissed to their worship leader on the last verse.

THE STATEMENT OF FAITH

Exodus 34:5-7

The Lord descended in the cloud and stood with him there, and proclaimed the name of the Lord. The Lord passed before him and proclaimed, “The Lord, the Lord, a God merciful and gracious, slow to anger, and abounding in steadfast love and faithfulness, keeping steadfast love for thousands, forgiving iniquity and transgression and sin, but who will by no means clear the guilty, visiting the iniquity of the fathers on the children and the children’s children, to the third and the fourth generation.”

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

“They Shall Soar Like Eagles”

Manzo

James A. Brown, Jr., Director

They shall soar like eagles; rise up and soar like eagles.

They who wait upon the Lord shall not be weary.

They shall never stumble, but gain new strength and power.

They who wait upon the Lord.

Those who are weary and burdened with sorrow

Need not despair there is hope for tomorrow.

God will be there each time you call on him.

THE SERMON

Jonah 4 (*pew Bible page 775*)
The Minister: This is the Word of the Lord.
The Congregation: Thanks be to God!
“I’m So Angry, I Can’t See Straight”
The Reverend Parker Tenent
Assistant Pastor

SERMON NOTES

THE HYMN OF RESPONSE

“Crown Him with Many Crowns”

No. 295

THE BENEDICTION

THE RESPONSE

Beecher

Choir and Congregation

Finish, then, thy new creation; pure and spotless let us be:
Let us see thy great salvation perfectly restored in thee;
Changed from glory into glory, till in heav’n we take our place,
Till we cast our crowns before thee, lost in wonder, love, and praise.

THE POSTLUDE

“Fantasy on ‘Foundation’”

Jordan



THE FLOWERS

The flowers in the Sanctuary are given to the glory of God.

NEW MEMBERS

We are happy to welcome the following new members:

- Jane Brandon
- Leah and Jonathan Hendrick
- Margaret Walker
- Courtney and Ben Willoughby

DEATH

Our sympathy to

Laura and Montgomery Martin on the death
of his father, David Brownson Martin, Sr.,
on June 26, 2018.

OUR CHURCH TODAY | JULY 8

- 8:30 a.m. Worship Service
- 8:30 a.m.Children’s Church (Kindergarten)
- 9:45 a.m. Sunday School
- 11:00 a.m. Worship Service
- 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*

College | Teaching Team | *Room 125*

50s Community | Ed Norton and Rankin Fowlkes | *Chapel*

The Westminster Class | Jurey Howard and Ray Wilson | *Room 233*

COMBINED ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES FOR JULY

Did Jesus Really Mean That? Difficult Passages in Luke

Fellowship Hall | 9:45 a.m.

20s (*career*), 30s, 40s, and 60s+ Communities

WEDNESDAY EVENING AT IPC | JULY 18 | 5:30-7:30 P.M.

Summer Cookout and Family Night on the East Lawn

IPC Grill Team

Hamburgers, hotdogs, potato salad, baked beans, coleslaw,
popsicles, ice cream, and cold drinks

We'll also have waterslides! Children need to bring or wear a bathing suit.

In addition, there will be a guest speaker from 6:30-7:30 in Room 131
for adults without children playing on the slides.

Nursery provided



OUTREACH & MINISTRIES

SUMMER 2018 RUF IN MEMPHIS

Summer RUF in Memphis continues ***this 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.

PATHWAY CLASS WEEKEND FOR PROSPECTIVE MEMBERS | AUGUST 17-18

Are you interested in joining IPC? Would you like to know more about what we believe? Our next *Pathway Class Weekend for Prospective Members* is Friday evening, August 17, and Saturday morning, August 18. To register, or for more information, contact Tameria Rackley, trackley@ipcmemphis.org, or 901-685-8206.

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.

IN THE WORD: BIBLE STUDY FOR MEN OF ALL AGES

Have you wished there was a venue where you could gather with other men to get in the Word together? Starting Thursday, August 30, at 6:30 a.m., in the Fellowship Hall, join Dr. Sean Lucas as we get in the Word by studying the book of Exodus. Over 13 weeks, we will not only engage in the Word as part of a large group, but we will study God's Word for ourselves during the week, using the Bible study guide *Exodus* by Matthew Newkirk from Crossway's *Knowing the Bible* series (available for purchase in the IPC Bookstore). If you have never studied the Bible in-depth with a master teacher, make your plans to be In the Word with Dr. Lucas this fall!

PRAYER MINISTRY

The IPC Men's Prayer Breakfast will not meet during the month of July.
They will resume on Tuesday, August 7, 6:30 a.m., in the Fellowship Hall.

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



UPCOMING EVENTS

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

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

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

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

In the Word: Bible Study for Men | August 30 | 6:30 a.m. | Fellowship Hall

Vocation Mini-Conference with Dr. Donald Guthrie | September 7-8

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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