Salisbury
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP SCHEDULE

7:00 a.m. Online
8:45 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

*Please rise in body or spirit.
♦ at 11:00 a.m. only

STAFF

The Rev. Dr. Jim King, Pastor & Head of Staff
The Rev. Nate Taylor, Associate Pastor
The Rev. Hezron Thumbi, Seminary Intern
Dr. Mark Patterson, Director of Music & Composer in Residence
Cathy Armistead, Organist
Jenny Kirkbride, Children's & Youth Choir Director
Greg Shultz & Meghann VanSant, Operations and Finance Managers
Amber Earley, Communications Coordinator
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WEEKLY E-NEWS SIGN UP

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Service for the Worship of God

January 26, 2025

Welcome & Announcements — Rev. Nate Taylor

Prelude — *Come, Now Is the Time to Worship* — arr. Peggy Bettcher
Salisbury Ringers

Call to Worship — Adapted from the words of Theresa of Avila

Leader: Christ has no body now on earth but yours.
People: Ours are the eyes with which He looks compassion on this world,
Leader: Ours are the feet with which He walks to do good,
People: Ours are the hands, with which He blesses all the world.
Leader: Christ has no body now on earth but yours.
Let this body rise and worship the Lord.

*Hymn of Adoration — #409 *God is Here!*

*Prayer of Adoration and Silent Prayer of Confession

*Unison Prayer of Confession

God of steadfast love, we confess that we do not live according to Your way. You bless those who are poor with the promise of Your eternal realm, but we desire wealth and the consolation of earthly treasure. You bless those who are hungry with the promise of fullness of life, but we enjoy rich feasts and are never satisfied with enough. You bless those who are weeping with the promise of laughter, but we praise positivity and mock Your suffering servants. Forgive us, God of Grace. Teach us to seek Your blessing and to be a blessing to others through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

*Assurance of Pardon

People: "Have mercy on me, O God, according to Your steadfast love, according to Your abundant mercy, blot out my transgressions." Psalm 51:1
Leader: Believe the good news of the Gospel, in Jesus Christ our sins are forgiven.
People: Thanks be to God!

*Affirmation of Faith — 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.

*Gloria Patri

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.

Prayer of Illumination

First Scripture Lesson — Psalm 19

♦Anthem — *God So Loved the World* — Wayne Wold
Chancel Choir

♦Children's Message

Second Scripture Lesson — 1 Corinthians 12:12–31a

Sermon — Where Do You Belong?

*Hymn of Reflection — #761 *Called as Partners in Christ's Service*

Prayers of the People, 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, the power and the glory forever. Amen.

♦Choral Response

Offertory — *There Is a Balm in Gilead* — arr. Gilbert Martin

*Doxology

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise God, all creatures here below; praise God above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

*Sharing Christ's Peace

Leader: The peace of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ be with you.
People: And also with you.

*Hymn of Parting — #300 *We Are One in the Spirit*

*Benediction

♦Choral Benediction — "Amen" from *Total Praise* — Richard Smallwood

Postlude — *A Thousand Tongues* — William A. McNair

Next Sunday Rev. Dr. Jim King's communion meditation will be "The Fullness of Love" based on 1 Corinthians 13.

The 2025 Chancel Flower Donation calendar is available! Sign up now to reserve your Sunday to honor or remember a special someone or occasion. Call or text Betty Williams at 804-239-8664 or call the church office if you have questions or need assistance signing up.

FLOWER DEDICATION
The chancel flowers are given by Dick & Betty Watson in memory of their parents Flo & Frank Watson, and Louise & Arthur Beales.

Ushers: 8:45 a.m. Mark Rowe & Lorrie Clark
11:00 a.m. Laura Thompson & Patrick Wettstone

Kid Zone: Rev. Dr. Jim King

SUNDAY SCHEDULE:
8:15 a.m. Sunrise Singers
8:45 a.m. Early Worship
9:15 a.m. Children's Choirs
9:45 a.m. Youth & Adult Sunday School
10:00 a.m. Children's Sunday School
11:00 a.m. Worship
5:00 p.m. Youth Choir
6-7:30 p.m. Youth Group

Tithes & Offerings
can be placed during offertory or electronically through our church website www.thesalisburychurch.org or scan this QR code:

Save the Date:
February 23 *Rise Against Hunger;* a whole family service event in the gym following the 11:00 a.m. worship service.