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
Kathryn Boyle, Administrative Assistant
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Marie Harper, Preschool Director

WEEKLY E-NEWS SIGN UP

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Service for the Worship of God

February 23, 2025

Prelude — *Improvisation on "Lattimer"* — Charles Callahan

Welcome & Announcements — Rev. Dr. Jim King

♦Introit — *This is the Day* — Les Garrett
Music Makers, Directed by Pauline King, Youth Assistant, Julie Davis
accompanied by Evelyn Smith

Call to Worship

Leader: Let us trust in the Lord.
People: And we will be protected.
Leader: Let us delight in the Lord.
People: And we will have the desires of our hearts.
Leader: Let us commit our way to the Lord.
People: And the Lord will act.

*Hymn of Adoration — # 12 *Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise*

*Prayer of Adoration and Silent Prayer of Confession — Rev. Nate Taylor

*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: Love keeps no record of wrongs, and God is Love.
Based on I Corinthians13:5 and I John 4:8
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 Lesson — I Corinthians 15:35–38 — p. 981

8:45 a.m. Anthem — *Shepherd of My Heart* — Tina English
Sunrise Singers

11:00 a.m. Anthem — *Tune My Heart* — J. Brighton
Junior Choir, Directed by Jenny Kirkbride, Youth Assistant, Evelyn Smith

♦Children's Message

Second Lesson — I Corinthians 15:42–50 — p. 982

Sermon — Imperishable

Hymn of Reflection — #840 *It Is Well with My Soul*

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.

8:45 a.m. Offertory — *Awake, Thou Wintry Earth* — arr. Tom Birchwood

11:00 a.m. Offertory — *You Are the Light of the World* — T. Taylor
Cherub Choir, Directed by Kirby Gundlach

*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 — #838 *Standing on the Promises*

*Benediction

♦Choral Benediction — *The Love Round* — Traditional

Postlude — *Postlude on Two Spirituals* — Charles Callahan

Next Sunday is Youth Sunday.

A Congregational Meeting will be held on Sunday, March 9, following the 11:00 a.m. worship service. The purpose of this meeting is to review the 2024 Annual Report, review the 2025 Budget, and to vote on the Terms of Call for our Pastors.

FLOWER DEDICATION
The chancel flowers are given by Barb & Doug Peyronnet in loving memory of their parents Pat Bernick and Nellie Peyronet.

Ushers: 8:45 a.m. John Barnes & Mark Rowe
11:00 a.m. Roy Grier & Laurie Giudice

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
Inquirer's Class
11:00 a.m. Worship
12:00 p.m. Rise Against Hunger
5:00 p.m. Youth Choir
6:00 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:
Pre Lent Dinner Series
Due to weather, the dates have changed to February 27 & March 6. It's not too late to sign up, via Realm, email or call the church office.
March 4 Shrove Tuesday
Scouts Pancake Supper
5:30-7:30 p.m.

Saturday March 22 Spring Church Campus Clean Up.

Vacation Bible School!
June 23-27
"*Road Trip! On The Go With God."*