

Children's Ministry

2024 MEMORY WORK AND CATECHISM AWARDS

SUNDAY SCHOOL MEMORY WORK AWARDS

THREE YEAR OLDS

Eliza Green
Dinah Lybrand
Will Van Hooser
Olivia Wood

PRE-KINDERGARTEN

Annie Coyne
Leighton Howe
Mary Lousie Shaw
Jones Thompson

KINDERGARTEN

David Blades
Gus Muzio
Collins Trammell

FIRST GRADE

Charlie Freeman
Piper Ostberg

SECOND GRADE

Sarah Ann Carroll
William Coyne
Logan McLendon

SECOND GRADE

Ann Caroline Johnson
Caroline Spooner
Rachel Taylor
Mitchell Thomas
Allie Thompson

THIRD GRADE

Caroline Blades
Abby Kate Carroll
Wilda Muzio
Pete Thompson

FOURTH GRADE

James Freeman
Bo Johnson
Timothy Taylor
Sophia Wales
Caty James Gunnells

FIFTH GRADE

Brooks Carroll
Henry Coyne
Emory Govan
Houghton Smith

CATECHISM AWARDS

ENTIRE CHILDREN'S CATECHISM

Brooks Carroll • Henry Coyne • Emory Govan

*Train up a child in the
way he should go; even
when he is old he will
not depart from it.*

~ Proverbs 22:6

THE LORD'S DAY IN WORSHIP

TRINITY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

MONTGOMERY, ALABAMA

AUGUST 11, 2024

MORNING WORSHIP

THE SILENT MEDITATION UPON ENTERING THE SANCTUARY

Other religions have laws and moral precepts – forms and ceremonies – rewards and punishments. But other religions cannot tell us of a dying Savior. They cannot show us the cross. This is the crown and glory of the Gospel. This is that special comfort which belongs to it alone.

J. C. RYLE (1816-1900), IN “THE CROSS”



APPROACHING GOD'S THRONE

The Christian Greeting and Call to Preparation Rev. Kurt Cooper, *Senior Minister*

The Prelude *Air* Gerre Hancock

The Announcements Rev. Michael Howell, *Assistant Minister*

The Chiming of the Hour

The Choral Introit *O Lord Most High* (from Psalm 9) W. A. Mozart

O Lord Most High, with all my heart Thy wondrous works I will proclaim;
I will be glad and give Thee thanks, and sing the praises of Thy name!

† The Call to Worship – from Zephaniah 3

The LORD your God is in your midst,

a mighty one who will save;

He will rejoice over you with gladness;

He will quiet you by His love;

He will exult over you with loud singing.

ALL: Rejoice and exult with all your heart, O daughter of Jerusalem!

The King of Israel, the Lord, is in your midst.

† Indicates the congregation standing

• Indicates seating for those detained

• † The Hymn No. 350

At the Lamb's High Feast We Sing

ST. GEORGE'S WINDSOR

† The Prayer of Invocation

† The Lord's Prayer

**Our Father Which art in Heaven, hallowed be Thy name.
Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done in 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, for ever. Amen.**

• † The Gloria Patri – No. 648 in *The Hymnal*

GREATOREX

THE RECOGNITION OF OUR COVENANT CHILDREN PROMOTING TO FIRST GRADE

The Presentation of the Child's Bible

Gavin Francis Clarke Allan
Jack Roger Behm
Joshua David Blades
Hollan Dowe Brewer
Grayson Knox Cooper
Robert Lee DeMoss IV
Elizabeth Dyer Gibson

Martha Becton Hall
Henry Gause Hudson
Xander Lane Hudson
Richard Wilson Jones, Jr.
Collins Ann Trammell
Augusto Steven Muzio

The Charge

The Response

Jesus Loves Me

JESUS LOVES ME

**Jesus loves me, this I know, for the Bible tells me so;
Little ones to Him belong, they are weak but He is strong.
Yes, Jesus loves me! yes, Jesus loves me!
Yes, Jesus loves me! The Bible tells me so.**

SEEKING GOD'S FACE

The Call to Confession – from Exodus 20

And God spoke all these words, saying, I am the LORD your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of slavery.

You shall have no other gods before Me;
You shall not make for yourself an idol;
You shall not take the name of the LORD your God in vain;
Remember the Sabbath day, to keep it holy;
Honor your father and mother;
You shall not murder;
You shall not commit adultery;
You shall not steal;
You shall not bear false witness against your neighbor;
You shall not covet.

The Silent Prayers of Confession

The Assurance of God's Pardon – Ephesians 1:7-8a

In Him we have redemption through His blood, the forgiveness of our trespasses, according to the riches of His grace, which He lavished upon us.

The Pastoral Prayer

The Offering

*Each one must give as he has decided in his heart,
not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver.
2 Corinthians 9:7*

HEARING GOD'S VOICE

The Anthem

Jesu, Word of God Incarnate

David H. Williams

Jesu, Word of God Incarnate, of the Virgin Mary born;
On the cross Thy sacred body for us men with nails was torn.

Cleanse us by the blood and water streaming from Thy pierced side;
Feed us with Thy body broken, now and in death's agony.

Robert Scott, *flute*

The Prayer for Illumination

Rev. Cooper

† The Reading of God's Word - Ephesians 2:11-13

pew Bible, page 1242

*If you are visiting today and do not own a copy of the Scriptures,
please take one from the table in the narthex as our gift.*

All men are like grass, and all their glory is like the flowers of the field.

**The grass withers and the flowers fade,
but the Word of our God shall stand forever. Amen.**

Isaiah 40:6b, 8

The Personal Meditation and Preparation of the Heart

*Children age four through six may leave to attend Children's Church.
They may be picked up in Room E-100 after the service.*

The Sermon

THE ENDURING COMMUNITY

Rev. Cooper

VII. The Distance

COMMUNING WITH THE LORD JESUS CHRIST AND HIS PEOPLE

The Invitation to and Fencing of the Table

Who should come to the Lord's table? Those who are displeased with themselves because of their sins, but who nevertheless trust that their sins are pardoned and that their remaining weakness is covered by the suffering and death of Christ, and who also desire more and more to strengthen their faith and to lead a better life, and who are members in good standing of an evangelical church. (from the Heidelberg Catechism)

† The Hymn No. 211 *What Wondrous Love Is This* WONDROUS LOVE

† The Nicene Creed – inside cover of *The Hymnal*

† The Prayer of Humble Access

The Words of Institution

The Serving of the Meal

*Please partake of the elements as you receive them,
just as we must each receive Christ for our own salvation by faith.*

The Prayer of Great Thanksgiving

FOLLOWING GOD'S SPIRIT

† The Doxology – No. 650 in *The Hymnal* OLD HUNDREDTH

† The Benediction of God's Grace

† The Threefold Amen – No. 657 in *The Hymnal*

The Postlude *Scherzo on NETTLETON* David Schelat

THE ENDURING COMMUNITY

VII. The Distance

Ephesians 2:11-13

I. Circumcision

A. Significance

B. Flesh

II. Covenant

A. Significance

B. Christ

III. Hope

A. Wishin', Hopin', Thinkin' & Prayin'

B. Hope in the Scriptures

IV. So What?

To all who are spiritually weary and seek rest;
to all who mourn and long for comfort;
to all who struggle and desire victory;
to all who sin and need a Savior;
to all who are strangers and want fellowship;
to all who hunger and thirst after righteousness;
and to all who will come,
this church opens wide her doors and offers welcome
in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ.



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