THIS WEEK AT QUAKER:

Sunday, September 21

9:00 a.m. Sunday School

10:00 a.m. Worship

11:15 a.m. Session

Monday, September 22

10:00 a.m. to noon Coffee with Pastor

Tuesday, September 23

8:00 a.m. Garden maintenance

9:00 a.m. Zoom Bible Study

Wednesday, September 24

6:00 p.m. Prayer for Church Family at Home

Thursday, September 25

9:30 a.m. Comfort Support Group

7:00 p.m. Chancel Choir Rehearsal

Friday, September 26

8:00 a.m. Garden maintenance

Coffee with Pastor

Join Anghaarad for coffee at The Bagel & I, 20584 Timberlake Road, tomorrow morning from 10 am-noon. Come for a Cup of Joe, tea or even breakfast and great conversation. This is a wonderfully relaxing time for all members of Quaker and friends.

THE CHANCEL FLOWERS are given by the Eubank and Harman families to the glory of God and in loving memory of Lucille & Ed Austin and Dorothy & Leland Eubank.

OUR ELDERS ON DUTY FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER are Sam Miller & Anders Sunwall.

OUR USHERS FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER are Peggy Deyerle, Sally Sease, Anders Sunwall & Joan Woodroof.

OUR ACOLYTE TODAY is Harper Stanbery.

WORSHIP BAGS are available in a basket in the Narthex for children who stay in the sanctuary during worship. They contain tools for worship and items to foster creativity. Enjoy the bags, and at the end of worship, please return them to the basket.

HEARING DEVICES are available in the Narthex. Please see an usher for assistance.

LARGE PRINT HYMNALS AND BULLETINS are available from the ushers.

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Quaker Memorial Presbyterian Church



Welcome to Worship at Quaker Memorial Presbyterian Church!

Welcoming All Serving Christ Transforming Lives

Our faith community extends a warm welcome to all worshipping with us today and hopes that you will return often.

For more than a century, Quaker Memorial has been committed to our mission of Welcoming All, Serving Christ, Transforming Lives. If you are seeking a church that offers abundant opportunities for spiritual and personal growth and Christian witness, we believe that you will find a home here.

Session

Class of 2025

Steve Bryan
Peggy Deyerle
Steve Hubbard
Sam Miller
Gabe Trent

Class of 2026

Hunter Evans
Molly Garbee
Tami Jacob
Ray Paige
David Webb. Sr.

Class of 2027

Kent Ford
Gail Midkiff
Raye Reynolds
Tom Sorrells
Amanda Stanbery

The Service for the Lord's Day Fifteenth Sunday after Pentecost September 21, 2025

Anghaarad Teague Dees WELCOME **ANNOUNCEMENTS** Anghaarad Teague Dees *PASSING OF THE PEACE Anghaarad Teague Dees We offer God's peace to one another in the ancient words of the church: "The peace of Christ be with you." & response "And also with you."

PRELUDE My Jesus, I Love Thee arr. Birchwood

DISCIPLES GATHER TO WORSHIP GOD

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Steve Hubbard, Liturgist

We look upon our world, our neighborhoods, our families, and see suffering and want.

How long, O Lord?

We see deep suffering, brutal violence, destroyed homes, and ravaged nations.

How long, O Lord?

Let your compassion come quickly to meet us, for we are brought low.

How long, O Lord?

Help us. O God of our salvation!

Help us. O Source of our hope!

*PRAYER OF INVOCATION

Steve Hubbard, Liturgist

Who is like our God, the One who looks down from the heights of the heavens on to the earth?. The One who raises the poor from the dust and lifts the needy from the ash heap. The One who brings fruitfulness from barrenness and gives a home to the homeless. The One who carries the wounded and weak and welcomes all. At all times and in every place may the name of the Lord be praised. Amen.

*HYMN #415 Come, Ye Sinners, Poor and Needy

*CALL TO CONFESSION

Steve Hubbard, Liturgist

We all fall short. We all make mistakes. We all divert our time, our energy, our money, our attention away from God. We have not been faithful in all things and yet God is always faithful. Confident in God's promise to always love us and forgive us, we bring our confession to the throne of grace. Let us pray:

*PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Steve Hubbard, Liturgist

God of glory, you sent Jesus among us as the light of the world, to reveal your love for all people. We confess that our sin and pride hide the brightness of your light. We turn away from the poor; we ignore cries for justice; we do not strive for peace. We have failed to be an obedient church. We have not done your will, we have broken your law, we have rebelled against your love, we have not loved our neighbors and we have not heard the cry of the needy. Forgive our sins, for which you weep. Remind us you love all. Help us to change. To change ourselves and to change our world. We pray in the name of Christ. Amen.

*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Steve Hubbard, Liturgist

Hear the Good News, our God still welcomes us with patience and kindness. Therefore, as people of God's promise, let us receive forgiveness, embrace hope, and faithfully respond, through Jesus Christ, our Lord! Glory to God! We are forgiven. We have hope. We are strengthened in all goodness. Alleluia! Amen!

*CHORAL RESPONSE #327 v. 1 From All That Dwell Below the Skies

From all that dwell below the skies let the Creator's praise arise;

Alleluia! Alleluia!

Let the Redeemer's name be sung through every land, in every tongue. Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

TIME WITH CHILDREN

Amanda Stanbury

DISCIPLES LISTEN TO THE WORD OF GOD

SCRIPTURE READING

Psalm 113

Bible, page 692

Steve Hubbard, Lector

ANTHEM Make Me a Channel of Your Peace arr. Temple

Chancel Choir

SCRIPTURE READING Jeremiah 8:18-9:1 Bible, page 868

SERMON Restored Anghaarad Teague Dees

*HYMN #792 There Is a Balm in Gilead

*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.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

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.

DEDICATION OF TITHES AND OFFERING

OFFERTORY More Love to Thee

arr. Paxton

*DOXOLOGY

Hvmn #606

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise him, all creatures here below: Praise him above ye heavenly host;

Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION (in unison)

As we bring our gifts to our God may we be faithful with little...may we be faithful with much...may we be faithful with what belongs to another...may we be faithful with what is our own. May we faithfully serve God's Kingdom with love, grace, and mercy all of our days. In Jesus' name, we pray. Amen.

*HYMN #384

Soon and Very Soon

DISCIPLES DEPART TO SERVE GOD

*BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE Praise Him! Praise Him! arr. Turner

*Please stand if able.