

PRELUDE**TRINITY CHIMES**

INTROIT *Seek Ye First* arr. Hollander
(Starmount Ringers – Green)

GREETING AND ANNOUNCEMENTS Rev. John Odom
(Please take a moment to sign and pass the Friendship pad.)

MINUTE FOR MISSION**OPENING SENTENCES**

***SING THE FAITH, 2103** *We Have Come at Christ's Own Bidding*
(Words are also projected.)

***PRAYER OF CONFESSION** Rev. Kathryn Campbell
God of compassion, in Jesus Christ we behold your transforming light, yet we continue to live in darkness. Preoccupied with ourselves, we fail to see your work in the world. We speak when we should listen. We act when we should reflect. Forgive us, and give us the grace us to live in your light and to walk in your ways, for the sake of him who is the light of the world, Jesus, Christ, our Lord and Savior.

***ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

***SING THE FAITH, 2030** *The First Song of Isaiah* (sing twice)
(Words are also projected.)

***PASSING THE PEACE**

Since God has forgiven us in Christ, let us forgive one another.
The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.

And also with you.

(Aware of cold and flu season, exchange signs of peace and reconciliation with those around you with appropriate words and gestures.)

CONVERSATION WITH CHILDREN

*[The first Sunday of each month, 1st - 5th graders will remain in worship so that all may participate in the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper. Childcare is provided for Infants – kindergarten in **Room 212.**]*

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE READINGS Exodus 24:12-18, p. 68 Pew Bible
Matthew 17:1-9, p. 17 Pew Bible

SERMON "Transfiguration Class" Rev. John Odom

*Those who are able may stand.

***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH** *The 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.

CONCERNS AND CELEBRATIONS**OFFERING**

OFFERTORY ANTHEM *Baba Yetu* Kiagiri
Chancel Choir – Cole Smith, congas

***SING THE FAITH, 2195** *In the Lord I'll Be Ever Thankful*
(sing twice)

PRAYER OF DEDICATION*SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER****INVITATION TO THE LORD'S TABLE**

Pastor: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Pastor: Lift your hearts.

People: We lift them to the Lord.

Pastor: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: It is right to give God thanks and praise.

GREAT PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING**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.

WORDS OF INSTITUTION**SPECIAL COMMUNION MUSIC**

In Remembrance arranged Tucker
Starmount Ringers – Green

Let Us Break Bread Together arr. Helman
Starmount Ringers – Blue

COMMUNION OF THE PEOPLE

[All baptized Christians are invited and encouraged to receive sustenance from the Lord's Table. The elders will start trays of bread and cups down each aisle. Please pass the trays along the pew until all have been served. You may eat the bread and drink the cup as you feel led. A gluten-free wafer is served in the middle pew section only. It is in the tray immediately following the bread.]

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

***SING THE FAITH, 2241** *The Spirit Sends Us Forth to Serve*

***CHARGE & BENEDICTION**

***BENEDICTION RESPONSE, 587** *Amen*
(Congregation and Choir)

***POSTLUDE**

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FLOWERS TODAY ARE GIVEN: by Mitchell, Cynthia, Megan and Ryan Hunt, and Richard Krol, Jr., in memory of Forrest L. & Lena D. Hunt, and in honor of their wedding date of March 5, 1938; and in memory of Harry J. Duffy and Rose M. Duffy, Cynthia's parents.

ACOLYTE: Jenny Overman

READER: Mary Overman

USHERS: Marshall Melton (Head); Nathaniel Odom, Carter Walton, Brownie Owens, John Ratterree, Steve Walton, Matt Winters

CHURCH OPENER: Exum Bailey **CLOSER:** Marshall Melton

NEW PRAYER CONCERNS

Kris Landrum's father, **Robert K. Arthur**, died February 27th
Isabel Key (Hospice)

ONGOING PRAYER CONCERNS

Jeanne McIlwain (cancer)
Patty Ritter's father died February 21st.
Jean Stogner (recent fall)

SESSION MEMBERS**Committee Chairs****Class of 2011**

Dan Dornier, Youth & Young Adult
Jim Hooper, Finance
Nathaniel Odom, Mission
Susan Porter, Preschool
Patty Ritter, Worship & Music
Bruce Schick, Personnel
Karen Smith, Fellowship

Class of 2012

Donna Bailey, Caring
Caroline Brassfield, Youth & Young Adult / Cong. Nominating
Andrew Corbin, Youth & Young Adult
Jan Epps-Dawson, Evangelism
Drake Dowler, Building & Grounds
Jim Fisher, Stewardship/ Clerk of Session
Rhonda Overman, Communications
Parks Williams, Worship & Music / Cong. Nom. / Admin.

Class of 2013

Nancy Edwards, Caring
Steve Hunt, Finance / Endowment
Kevin Kattmann, Mission
Slade Lewis, Personnel
Sarah Thaxton, Membership
Mary Vigue, Christian Ed.

THIS WEEK AT STARMOUNT

HEARING ASSISTANCE DEVICES are available for all worship services. Please contact an usher.

COMMON GROUNDS CAFÉ: Fair trade coffee and tea served from 8:45 -11:30 a.m. Sundays in the gathering space adjacent to the sanctuary.

LENTEN LEARNERS: Sign up to be part of a small group to share in Bible study during the Lenten season. All materials are provided by the Christian Education Committee and are available for pick-up today. You decide the location and time for your group to meet. Sign-up forms are available at the Welcome Center!

ASH WEDNESDAY WORSHIP: March 9, 6:30—7:15 p.m. in the Sanctuary. Worship will be preceded by supper in the fellowship hall, 5:45-6:30 p.m.

VISITORS' RECEPTION: Want to find out more about Starmount Church? Who we are? What we offer? How you can connect? Join us for a brief and informative visitor's reception on Sunday, **March 20th** in the Parlor. Meet current members, enjoy light refreshments, receive information about Starmount Church and find out about membership.

NEW MEMBER CLASS: Sunday, March 27 at 9:00 a.m. in room 315

SPY! MIDDLE SCHOOL: Meet at Tie Dye Nation (5211 W. Market Street) at 5 for some fun! After shirts are made, the group will have dinner together. You will be back to the church by 7 for pick up. The cost is \$20 for both events. Bring a friend! **NEXT WEEK:** Tumblebees! 3:30-6. Cost: \$10 (including dinner)

SPY! HIGH SCHOOL: A late afternoon of enrichment awaits! Meet at the church at 3:30 to head to the Civil Rights Museum for a tour, followed by dinner. Cost for the event: \$15. **NEXT WEEK:** Amazing Race! 5:30-7. Cost: \$3 for dinner.

STARMOUNT PRESCHOOL was voted the "Best Preschool" in the *Triad Moms on Main* "Moms Choice Awards"!!!

WEATHERSPOON ART MUSEUM TOUR: Friday, March 11. Meet at the church at 10:00 a.m. Starmount member, Elaine Gustafson, Curator of Collections at Weatherspoon Art Museum, UNCG has graciously offered to give us a 45 minute tour of the Museum (which has just opened an exhibition that focuses on the top 100 works in its collection). We'll have lunch afterwards at a local restaurant (pay on your own); the tour is free. Please call Leslie Webb at 314-5727 to let her know if you wish to attend.

MEN! Have you made your reservation for the Men's Breakfast next Saturday, March 12 at 8:30 a.m.? Come join the fellowship and the outreach project afterwards. The project is building raised beds for the Church Community Garden. Make your reservation in the Ritual of Friendship pad.

PINE STRAW FUNDRAISER: If you are itching to do your spring landscaping and are in need of pine needles, look no further! With the help of the Building and Grounds Committee, the Youth Mission and Mexico Mission trips are selling Pine Needles, Saturdays, 8 a.m.—2 p.m. They are also taking orders for home delivery and/or spreading. Please contact Kris Kattmann.

<p>SUNDAY, March 6 8:45 a.m. Common Grounds Café 9:00 a.m. Sunday School / VIP's 10:00 a.m. Worship 11:10 a.m. Children's Choir Rehearsal 11:15 a.m. Confirmation Class - 319 11:15 a.m. P.W. Board Meeting - 315 4:30 p.m. Middle School SPY! 5:30 p.m. Senior High SPY!</p> <p>MONDAY, March 7 No Scheduled Meetings</p> <p>TUESDAY, March 8 9:00 a.m. Admin. Committee - 414 10:00 a.m. Program Staff - 414 11:30 a.m. Staff Meeting - 414 12:00 p.m. Mary's Circle - Parlor 3:00 p.m. Ruth's Circle - Parlor 5:30 p.m. Communications 7:00 p.m. Martha's Circle - at Cilie Suttons</p> <p>WEDNESDAY, March 9 9:05 a.m. Preschool Committee - 319 5:45-6:30 Wonderful Wednesday - FH 6:30-7:15 Ash Wednesday Service - Sanctuary 7:15 p.m. Choir Rehearsal</p>	<p>THURSDAY, March 10 7:00 a.m. Men's Bible Study - GS 7:00 p.m. Building & Grounds - 414</p> <p>FRIDAY, March 11 10:00 a.m. Weatherspoon Gallery Tour and lunch (meet at church) No Black & Tan</p> <p>SATURDAY, March 12 8:30 a.m. Men's Breakfast—FH</p> <p>LOOKING AHEAD - March 13 (Daylight Savings Time Begins)</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Pennies for Hunger</i> <i>Invite a Friend Sunday</i> <i>Girl Scout Sunday</i></p> <p>8:45 a.m. Common Grounds Café 9:00 a.m. Sunday School / VIP's 10:00 a.m. Worship / Children's Sunday School 11:10 a.m. Children's Choir Rehearsal 11:10 a.m. Starmount Ringers (Green) 11:15 a.m. Caring Ministries - 315 11:20 a.m. Personnel Committee - 321 4:30 p.m. Middle School SPY! 5:30 p.m. Sr. High SPY! 7:00 p.m. Bridge Group (in homes) 7:00 p.m. Youth & Young Adult Committee</p>
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THE STARMOUNT COMMUNITY GARDEN: Come grow with us! The Starmount Community Garden will be starting its third season very soon. On March 12 the Men of the Church will be installing wood around some of our raised beds. Then, on March 19 at 9:00 AM we'll start planting. We need you and your children. Potatoes, peas, lettuce, and radishes - we'll have lots of seeds and we'll need lots of hands big and small to plant them.

BACH'S LUNCH: March 21-25, 12:15, concert in Sanctuary followed by lunch in the fellowship hall.

ONLINE GIVING @ STARMOUNT is currently available through the church website: www.starmountpres.org. For those who want to find out more, there will be a 15-minute tutorial immediately after worship in the sanctuary **TODAY** and **March 20**.

March 6, 2011 • 10:00 a.m.

Rev. John L. Odom, Pastor
 Rev. Kathryn G.N. Campbell, Associate Pastor
 Cynthia Pugh, Parish Visitor
 Bob Overman, Director of Music Ministries
 Michael Parker, Organist

Starmount Presbyterian Church welcomes you! We are Christ's people, and this is Christ's house with its doors wide open. If you are passing through, Godspeed. If you are looking for a worship home, stay with us. We invite guests to join us, but most of all, to return often.

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