



Purity Presbyterian Church

135 Wylie Street, Chester, SC 29706

March 28, 2010

4:00 pm

**Installation of Rev. Trey Hegar to the Ministry
of Word and Sacrament at Purity Presbyterian Church:
A worship service of Providence Presbytery**

GATHERING

PRELUDE

"Partita on 'Hymn to Joy' "
I. Chorale, V. Trio

Charles Callahan

GREETING

Rev. Dr. Mark Verdery

*PRESENTATION OF THE MINISTER

Rev. Dr. Mark Verdery
Galatians 3:27, Ephesians 4:4

Leader: As many of you as were baptized into Christ
have clothed yourselves with Christ.

**People: *There is one body and one Spirit,
just as we were called to the one hope of our calling.***

Leader: In *his* baptism, *Trey* was clothed with Christ
and is now called by God through the voice of the church
to enter upon the ministry of Word and Sacrament at Purity Presbyterian
Church.

**People: *We remember with joy our common calling to serve Christ,
and we celebrate this call of God upon Trey.***

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Geoff Dunn
Psalm 34:3 and Psalm 95:1

Leader: Proclaim with me the greatness of the Lord;

People: Let us exalt the name of the Lord together.

Leader: Come, let us sing to the Lord;

People: Let us shout for joy to the Rock of our salvation!

*PRAYER OF ADORATION

(In Unison)

God of all glory, on this first day you began creation, bringing light out of darkness. On this first day you began your new creation, raising Jesus Christ out of the darkness of death. On this Lord's Day grant that we, the people you create by water and the Spirit, may be joined with all your works in praising you for your great glory. Through Jesus Christ, in union with the Holy Spirit we praise you now and forever. Amen.

*HYMN OF PRAISE No. 464

"Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee"

Hymn to Joy

CALL TO CONFESSION

Rev. James Platt

The Proof of God's amazing love is this:
While we were still sinners Christ died for us.
Because we have faith in him,
We dare to approach God with confidence.
In faith and penitence,
Let us confess our sin before God and one another.

CONFESSION OF SIN

**Mighty and merciful God,
you have called us to be your people
and claimed us for the service of Jesus Christ.
We confess that we have not lived up to our calling.
We have been timid and frightened disciples,
forgetful of your powerful presence
and the strength of your Spirit among us.**

**O God, forgive our foolish and sinful ways.
As you have chosen us,
and claimed us in our baptisms,
strengthen us anew
to choose Christ's way in this world.
Give us your Holy Spirit,
that each one in ministry
may be provided with all the gifts of grace
needed to fulfill our common calling;
through Jesus Christ our Lord and Savior. Amen.**

a brief silence is kept

DECLARATION OF FORGIVENESS

Rev. James Platt

Hear the Good News! Who is in a position to condemn? Only Christ and Christ died for us, Christ rose for us, Christ reigns in power for us, Christ prays for us. Anyone who is in Christ is a new creation. The old life has gone; a new life has begun. Know that you are forgiven and be at peace. **Amen.**

THE WORD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Rose Marie Dillion

O Lord our God, your word is a lamp to our feet and a light to our path. Give us grace to receive your truth in faith and love, that we may be obedient to your will and live always for your glory; through Jesus Christ our savior. **Amen.**

OLD TESTAMENT READING (Pew Bible page 672)

Isaiah 43: 1-7

Rose Marie Dillion

GOSPEL READING (Pew Bible page 12)

Matthew 11: 28-30

Rose Marie Dillion

ANTHEM

“There is a Balm in Gilead”
Purity Choir

arr. Walter Ehret

EPISTLE READING (Pew Bible page 233)

I Peter 2: 4-10

Rev. Dr. Mark Verdery

SERMON

“WHO ARE WE?”

Rev. Dr. Mark Verdery

***HYMN No. 525**

“Here I am, Lord”

Here I am Lord

The Service of Installation

LITANY OF GIFTS

Rev. Dr. Mark Verdery
I Corinthians 12: 3-7, 27

Leader: There are varieties of gifts, but it is the same Spirit who gives them.

People: *There are different ways of serving God but it is the same Lord who is served.*

Leader: God works through each person in a unique way, but it is God’s purpose that is accomplished.

People: *To each is given a gift of the Spirit to be used for the common good.*

Leader Together we are the body of Christ, and individually, members of it.

STATEMENT OF ORDINATIONAN

Rev. Dr. Mark Verdery

Representing the one holy, catholic and apostolic church, Providence Presbytery, by means of this commission, now installs Trey Hegar to the ministry of Word and sacrament, *as pastor of Purity Presbyterian Church.*

***CONGREGATIONAL REAFFIRMATION OF BAPTISM**

Rev. Dr. Mark Verdery

Profession of Faith

Leader: Trusting in the gracious mercy of God, do you turn from the ways of sin and renounce evil and its power in the world?

People: *I do.*

Leader: Do you turn to Jesus Christ, and accept him as your Lord and Savior, trusting in his grace and love?

People: *I do.*

Leader Will you be Christ’s faithful disciple, obeying his Word and showing his love?

People: *I will, with God’s help.*

The Apostle's Creed

Thanksgiving for Baptism

Rev. Dr. Mark Verdery

THE CONSTITUTIONAL QUESTIONS

Questions of the Candidate

Questions of the Congregation

Rev. Dr. Mark Verdery

PRAYER OF INSTALLATION

Rev. Dr. Mark Verdery

*Elders and Ministers of Word and Sacrament may gather around
the candidate for the laying on of hands during the prayer.*

Congregational Prayer (said in unison):

Gracious God,
pour out your Spirit upon your servant, Trey,
whom you called by baptism as your own.
Grant *him* the same mind that was in Christ Jesus.
Give *him* a spirit of truthfulness
rightly to proclaim your Word in Christ
from pulpit, table and font,
and in the words and actions of daily living.
Give *him* the gifts of your Holy Spirit
to build up the church,
to strengthen the common life of your people,
and to lead with compassion and vision.
In the walk of faith and for the work of ministry,
give to your servant, Trey,
and to all who serve as pastors among your people,
gladness and strength, discipline and hope,
humility, humor and courage,
and in all circumstances, an abiding sense of your presence.

DECLARATION & WELCOME

Rev. Dr. Mark Verdery

CHARGE TO THE PASTOR (*the new minister standing*)

Rev. Daniel L. Smoak

CHARGE TO THE CONGREGATION (*the members of the church standing*)

Geoff Dunn

THE OFFERING OF GIFTS

*Today's offering will support candidates for the Ministry
of Word and Sacrament in Providence Presbytery.*

Geoff Dunn

OFFERTORY

"Be Thou My Vision"
Traditional Irish Melody
Sue Feltman

arr. Berry

***DOXOLOGY**

"Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow"

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THE EUCHARIST

INVITATION TO THE LORD'S TABLE

Rev. Trey Hegar

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Through Christ, all glory and honor are yours, almighty God,
with the Holy Spirit in the holy church, now and forever.

Amen.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD

THE COMMUNION OF THE PEOPLE

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

SENDING

*HYMN No. 461

"God is Here!"

Abbot's Leigh

*CHARGE AND BLESSING

Rev. Trey Hegar

*CHORAL RESPONSE

"God Be with You Till We Meet Again"

Ralph V. Williams

*POSTLUDE

"Partita on 'Hymn to Joy' "
III. Etude

Charles Callahan

**Please stand if able*

Mission Statement

*Purity Presbyterian Church has the mission to glorify
Jesus Christ through corporate worship, prayer,
stewardship, study, faith, outreach, witnessing with
our church family and the community.*

Refreshments will be served in the fellowship hall.

PROVIDENCE PRESBYTERY COMMISSION MEMBERS

Edler Rose Marie Dillion
First Presbyterian Church
York, South Carolina

Elder Geoff Dunn
Purity Presbyterian Church
Chester, South Carolina

Reverend James Platt
Member at large Providence Presbytery
Chester, South Carolina

Reverend Daniel L. Smoak
Bethesda Presbyterian Church
York, South Carolina

Reverend Dr. Mark Verdery
Executive Presbyter
Providence Presbytery
Rock Hill, South Carolina

How to Receive Communion by Intinction

At the appropriate time indicated by the ushers please come forward by row to the front of the church. Facing the pulpit, the last row on the “congregation’s left” will come forward first. After the entire left side has been served, the last row on the “congregation’s right” will come forward, followed by the successive rows in front.

As you come forward, hold your hands open with the palms up in front of you to receive the bread. Then, dip the bread in the chalice. After you have received the elements, return to your row using the opposite aisle.

Historical Background of Intinction

The intinction method of distribution is most likely the oldest form of the Lord’s Supper. It is also quite probable that it is the very way Christ used to share the wine and bread with the disciples at the Last Supper. Many churches through out the world use the intinction method to celebrate communion. Today as we partake of the feast of feasts we tangibly unite ourselves with our brothers and sisters in Christ throughout the world and with all the saints throughout history.