

Mike's Monday Message

A friend loves at all Times
Proverbs 17:17a

Dear friends at New Wappetaw,

What a joy it is to be back in McClellanville and to serve as your pastor AGAIN. I have been away for 27 years and yet I have always felt at home when I came back to the village. I look forward to ministry with you and am grateful for this opportunity to reconnect with so many friends, church folk and former students from Archibald Rutledge. New Wappetaw was my first church and you all taught me so much! I left in January of 1995 to start a new church in the upstate, Providence Presbyterian in Powdersville, and returned to Mt Pleasant in 2007 to start Palmetto Presbyterian in Carolina Park. I retired on Sunday September 18th and by God's grace I was here in the pulpit at New Wappetaw on September 25! I have relished the opportunity to worship with you all again.

This is an exciting time in the life of the church following the uncertainty we all experienced during the pandemic. I hope to see you in worship and will be calling and doing visits in the coming weeks. As many of you know, I love to eat and I am always available for lunch or dinner.

Know that you are in my prayers. Hope to see you Sunday at 10:00am in worship.

Blessings,
Mike