HONORARY PALLBEARERS

The Medical Staff of
Mercy General Hospital

INTERMENT

Private

RECEPTION

The family will receive friends in the church parlor following the service.

MEMORIALS

The Margaret Langston Nursing Scholarship

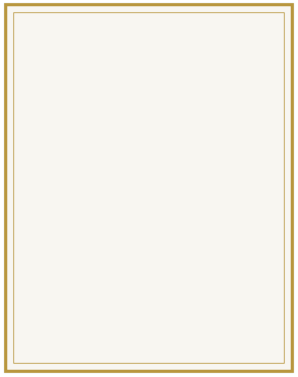
ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

The Langston family wishes to express its gratitude for the many tributes to Dr. Langston and for the kindness extended by his patients, colleagues, and friends.

Be still, and know that I am God.

PSALM 46:10

IN MEMORIAM



DR. WILLIAM ARTHUR LANGSTON

February 11, 1940 – September 20, 2026

Friday, September 25, 2026 · 1:00 PM
First Presbyterian Church
The Rev. Catherine Wells, Presiding

ORDER OF SERVICE

Organ Prelude	
Call to Worship	*The Rev. Catherine Wells*
Hymn · “O God, Our Help in Ages Past”	*Congregation*
Prayer of Invocation	*The Rev. Catherine Wells*
Scripture · Psalm 46	*Dr. Helen Langston*
Anthem	*Chancel Choir*
Tributes	*Alan Pierce · Judge Ruth Avery*
Homily	*The Rev. Catherine Wells*
Hymn · “For All the Saints”	*Congregation*
Benediction	*The Rev. Catherine Wells*
Organ Postlude	

BIOGRAPHY

Dr. William Arthur Langston practiced family medicine for forty-five years and delivered, by his own careful count, 2,104 babies. He made house calls long after it was fashionable and kept every thank-you note.

He served on the hospital board, endowed the nursing scholarship that bears his wife’s name, and played a patient, losing game of chess. He is survived by his daughter, Dr. Helen Langston, his son, Arthur, and five grandchildren.

God is our refuge and strength,
a very present help in trouble.

PSALM 46:1