

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH WAYNESBORO, VIRGINIA

*A community-minded congregation living out the love of Christ as we serve one another with
humility, gentleness, and patience through God's grace.*

May 6, 2018 11:00 AM



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CALENDAR

Sunday, May 6

9:45 AM Adult Sunday School Barksdale Room
9:45 AM Children's Sunday School Room 204
10:00 AM Choir Rehearsal Sanctuary
11:00 AM Traditional Worship Service Sanctuary
12:00 PM Bluegrass and BBQ Luncheon

Wednesday, May 9

7:00 PM Choir Rehearsal Choir Room

Thursday, May 10

2-4 PM Food Bank
4:00 PM String Student Rehearsal

Sunday, May 13

Mother's Day

8:45 AM Early Communion Service Barksdale Room
9:45 AM Adult Sunday School Barksdale Room
9:45 AM Children's Sunday School Room 204
10:00 AM Choir Rehearsal Sanctuary
11:00 AM Traditional Worship Service Sanctuary

Tuesday, May 15

10:30 AM Presbyterian Women Summit Square
2:30 PM Session Meeting Room 208
7:00 PM String Student Concert

Wednesday, May 16

12:30-1 PM Fishburne National Honor Practice
6:00 PM Bible Study Room 212
7:00 PM Choir Practice Choir Room

Worship Attendance: 79 attended Worship on April 29

Liturgist for 11 AM Service: Mike Cunningham

Greeters:

11:00 AM Ruth Kelley

Deacons:

11:00 AM Cynthia Hoover

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS

Monday-Wednesday 8:00AM-2:30PM
Thursday 8:00AM-4:30PM

PASTOR'S OFFICE HOURS

Monday-Wednesday 9:00AM-12:00PM
Afternoons and Thursdays - By
Appointment

Service for the Lord's Day

6th Sunday of Easter

May 6, 2018 11:00 AM

PRELUDE

Préambule, Op. 31, no.2

Vierne (1870-1937)

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

INTROIT

O Come, Let Us Sing Unto The Lord

Lantz III (b. 1956)

CALL TO WORSHIP (*Adapted from Isaiah 55 and Matthew 5*)

Leader: Let everyone who thirsts come and drink deeply!

People: Here all who hunger may satisfy themselves freely.

Leader: Why should we spend our money for that which is not bread?

People: Why do we labor for that which cannot satisfy?

Leader: Here you may feast on the goodness of the Lord.

People: Now those who hunger and thirst for right living shall be filled.

Leader: It shall be to the Lord a memorial,

People: And for us an everlasting sign that we are loved!

All: Thanks be to God!

OPENING PRAYER

*HYMN 396

Brethren, We Have Met To Worship

Holy Manna

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

O God, you are the great inviter, always extending a welcome to us. We respond with caution, fearful of what may be required of us. We respond with narrow delight, hoping the invitation is only for us and not for "them." We respond hesitantly, not trusting or believing that you really want and invite us. We respond with excuses, waiting to make a full commitment, waiting to give more until we feel ready. Tender God, release us from the grip of our fears and guilt. Enable us to respond to your invitation to pray, to give, to serve. Make us open to receiving what you give and risking something new for you. And help us to follow the example of Jesus in all areas of our lives. Amen.

SILENT PRAYER

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

PASSING OF THE PEACE

Leader: May the peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.

People: And also with you.

**(Please take a few moments to greet those around you.)*

*GLORIA PATRI 581

Greatorex (1816-1853)

FIRST SCRIPTURE LESSON

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God!

Psalm 69: 6-9 p. 462

ANTHEM

The Unclouded Day
Terri McMurray and Paul Brown

Alwood (1828-1909)

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SECOND SCRIPTURE LESSON

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God!

John 2: 13-22 p. 863

SERMON

Worship: Our Ultimate Response

Rev. Merle L. Fisher, Jr.

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH *The Apostles' Creed* p.35

*HYMN 498

Loaves Were Broken, Words Were Spoken

Beach Spring

THE LORD'S SUPPER

Invitation

Leader: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Leader: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them up to the Lord.

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

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

Communion of the People

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE & THE LORD'S PRAYER

OFFERING

Offertory

When The Angels Carry Me Home

Monroe (1903-1975)

*Doxology Hymn 606

Old Hundredth

*Prayers of Dedication

*HYMN 1

Holy, Holy, Holy!

Nicaea

*BENEDICTION

CHORAL RESPONSE

Amen

Moravian 1759

*POSTLUDE

Fugue in C BuxWV 174

Buxtehude (1637-1707)

**Please stand if able*

Elders:

Class of 2018

Bill Bare *Budget & Finance*
Mark Henderson *Admin. & Outreach*
Nancy Snyder *Pastoral Care*

Class of 2019

Cary Bennett *Preschool*
Jeannie Curry *Congregational Care*
Betty Dixon *Missions*

Class of 2020

Colleen Cash *Christian Education*
Steven Doherty *Admin. & Outreach*
Joyce Tipton *Worship*

Deacons:

Class of 2018

Anne Epes
Ruth Kelley
Mary Ann Maupin
Bob Miller

Class of 2019

Bruce Bosselman
Mary Scott Miller
Jo Ann Pannill

Class of 2020

Jean Droughman
Sandi Henderson
Cynthia Hoover
Jennifer Jones

Trustees:

Gil Ayers Anne Wood Bill Phillips

Treasurer: Warner Sandquist

Clerk of Session: Betsy Ruehl

Food Bank Items for May: Peanut Butter, Jams, Jellies, Apple Butter

CHURCH STAFF

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Miss Sarah Watson, Nursery Attendant
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Terri McMurray and Paul Brown

Terri McMurray looked and listened hard during her years around some of the great master traditional musicians in North Carolina and southern Virginia, and it shows in her banjo, guitar and uke playing. Terri played for many years with the Old Hollow Stringband and the Toast String Stretchers, both widely respected old-time mountain bands.

Paul Brown started singing the songs his mother knew from central Virginia when he was a little kid. He picked up the banjo at age ten and the fiddle and guitar as a young man. He steeped himself in the music of great senior fiddle and banjo players, spending time with them at home and on the road for decades.

Paul and Terri's latest album is *Red Dog: Fiddle Songs and Fiddle Tunes*.

Reminder of date changes: Presbyterian Women will meet on May 15 at Summit Square at 10:30 AM. Session will meet later that day in Room 208 at 2:30 PM.

Tuesday 22 May 7pm: Internationally acclaimed organist Stephen Tharp will play a concert in our Sanctuary, continuing the Woodberry and Harris's 125th birthday celebration.

Prayers for Health and Other Concerns:

Shenandoah Nursing Home: Rubye Schwab

Stuarts Draft Retirement Center: Bertie Hammer, Rosalie Boyd

Summit Square: Anna Carson, Aileen Kennedy, Betty Barksdale, Ray Quillen, Eloise Morris

Home: Anne Johnson, Harold Prettyman, Betty Huff, Nancy Garber, Arlene Moren, Ruth Martin, Tom Montgomery, Mary Ultee, Ann Kline, Bobbie Poland, Jean Hashagen

Friends and Family: Erin Akens (Jen Jones), Terry Tuckwiller (Jen Jones), Kaiser family (Anne Harris), Andy & Jean Robeson (Cathy Cunningham), Wanda Braden (Cathy Cunningham), Lucy Colbert, Allyson Carr

Travel: George and Myra Chapman