

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.*

October 7, 2018 11AM



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October Calendar

Sunday, October 7

- 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
- 11:00 AM Worship Service Sanctuary

Monday, October 8

Office Closed Columbus Day

Tuesday, October 9

- 10:30 AM Presbyterian Women Summit Square
- 2:30 PM Session Meeting Room 208
- 5-10 PM Waynesboro Symphony Rehearsal

Wednesday, October 10

- 6:00 PM Bible Study Room 212
- 7:00 PM Choir Rehearsal Choir Room

Thursday, October 11

- 2-4 PM Food Bank

Friday, October 12 Fishburne NHS Program

Sunday, October 14

- 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
- 11:00 AM Worship Service Sanctuary
- 3:00 PM Waynesboro Symphony Concert

Worship Attendance: 65 attended Worship on Sept 30

Liturgist for 11 AM Service: Sandi Henderson

Greeters:

- 8:45 AM Mary Scott Miller
- 11:00 AM Ruth Kelley

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS

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

Deacons:

- 8:45 AM Mary Scott Miller
- 11:00 AM Bruce Bosselman

PASTOR'S OFFICE HOURS

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

Service for the Lord's Day

27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

October 7, 2018 11:00 AM

PRELUDE *Prelude in g minor BWV 535* Bach (1685-1750)

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

INTROIT *Let All the World In Every Corner Sing* Routley (1917-1982)

CALL TO WORSHIP *(Adapted from Hebrews 1)*

Leader: Long ago God spoke to our ancestors in many and various ways by the prophets, but in these last days he has spoken to us by a Son, whom he appointed heir of all things, through whom he also created the worlds.

People: He is the reflection of God's glory and the exact imprint of God's very being.

Leader: He sustains all things by his powerful word. When he had made purification for sins, he sat down at the right hand of the Majesty on high, having become as much superior to angels, as the name he has inherited is more excellent than theirs. For the one who sanctifies and those who are sanctified all have one Father. For this reason, Jesus is not ashamed to call them brothers and sisters.

People: I will proclaim your name to my brothers and sisters, in the midst of the congregation I will praise you.

OPENING PRAYER

*HYMN 4 *Holy God, We Praise Your Name* Grosser Gott, Wir loben Dich

PRAYER OF CONFESSION **Faithful Lord, you keep your promises. Yet in times of crisis, we forget your promise to always be with us. Even though you work among us in silent and invisible ways, our lack of perception causes us to surrender to fear. We treat our neighbor and the stranger with contempt, instead of in a way which honors you. Forgive us, Lord. Free us from anxiety. Show us how you are present among us, so that we may serve you with renewed determination.**

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

Mark 9:38-50 p. 821

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God!

ANTHEM

View from the Upper Room

Martin/Courtney

In the upper room I see a simple man and, unashamed to bend, He kneels to serve His friends.
And in the upper room I see them as they dine upon the bread and wine, His life and death entwined.
From the upper room I see Gethsemane. I see His anguished plea beneath the olive trees.
And from the upper room I see His arms stretched wide as He is lifted high against the blackened sky.
In an upper room I see a table there where one day I will share the feast He has prepared.
And in an upper room I'll see the Savior's face. Beneath His loving gaze I'll drink the cup of grace.

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SECOND SCRIPTURE LESSON

Esther 7:1-6,9-10, 9:20-22 p. 390

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God!

SERMON

Hidden Agenda

Rev. Chapman

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH: from, *A Brief Statement of Faith*, 1983

See Insert

*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

*Doxology Hymn 606

Old Hundredth

*Prayers of Dedication

*HYMN 310 *I Love Thy Kingdom, Lord*

St. Thomas

CHARGE & BENEDICTION

CHORAL RESPONSE

Alleluia

Vulpus (1570-1615)

POSTLUDE

Fugue in g minor BWV 535

Bach (1685-1750)

*Please stand if able

Elders:

Class of 2019

Cary Bennett Property & Maintenance
Jeannie Curry Congregational Care
Betty Dixon Mission

Class of 2020

Colleen Cash Christian Ed
Steve Doherty Outreach
Joyce Tipton Worship

Class of 2021

Mike Cunningham Preschool
Mark Henderson Budget & Finance
Linda Sandquist Administration

Deacons:

Class of 2019

Bruce Bosselman
Mary Scott Miller
Jo Ann Pannill

Class of 2020

Jean Droughman
Sandi Henderson
Cynthia Hoover
Jennifer Jones

Class of 2021

Terry Crickenberger
Joe Earhart
Anne Epes
Bob Miller

Trustees:

Anne Wood Bill Phillips Burnie Powers

Treasurer: Warner Sandquist

Clerk of Session: Betsy Ruehl

Food Bank Items for October: Boxed Cereal

CHURCH STAFF

Rev. George W. Chapman, III Pastor, gchapman@firstpresway.com
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Mr. Craig Cavanaugh, A/V Technician
Miss Sarah Watson, Nursery Attendant
Mrs. Caroleia Strandburg, Custodian

Prayers for Health and Other Concerns:

Kings Daughters Nursing & Rehab: Carol Barksdale

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, Mary Ultee, Bobbie Poland, Edie Lawrence, Linda Sandquist

Friends and Family: Jessie McCoy (Jen Jones), Kaiser family (Anne Harris), Andy & Jean Robeson (Cathy Cunningham), Wanda Braden (Cathy Cunningham), Lucy Colbert, Allyson Carr, Charlie Fairchilds (Cunninghams), Jennifer Eskridge (Sandy Bellamy), Emersyn James (former Preschool Student), Brittany Davis (Jones), Danny Smith (Nancy Hypes), Betsy Martin (Hashagen)

Military: Jeremiah Henderson