**Seventh Sunday after Epiphany February 19, 2023**

**PRELUDE** *Prelude and Fugue in C, BuxWV 137* Buxtehude (1637-1707)

**WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**INTROIT** *What Does the Lord Require* Routley (1917-1982)

**CALL TO WORSHIP**

Leader: You are God's temple: God's Spirit dwells in you.

**People: Let us be holy, for holy is the Lord.**

Leader: You belong to Christ,and Christ belongs to God.

**People: Let us be holy, for holy is the Lord.**

Leader: Let us worship God.

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# MORNING PRAYER

**OPENING HYMN 61** *Your Law, O Lord, Is Perfect* Christus, der ist mein Leben

**CALL TO CONFESSION**

# PRAYER OF CONFESSION

**God of glory, we confess we have not sought your face.**

**We love to hate our enemies and fail to love our neighbors.**

**We love to quote commandments and fail to love our God.**

**Forgive us, Lord, this and all our sin. Teach us the way of your Word,**

**and transform our living to show the wonder of your love in Jesus Christ our Lord.**

**SILENT PRAYER**

**ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

**\*GLORIA PATRI 581** Greatorex

**FIRST SCRIPTURE READING** Psalm 119:33-40 p. 494

**ANTHEM** *Teach Me, O Lord* Hurd (b. 1950)

**SECOND SCRIPTURE READING** Matthew 5:38-48 p. 786

**SERMON** *Perfected..*Patrick Pettit, Interim Pastor

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

**PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE & THE LORD’S PRAYER**

**\*CLOSING HYMN 720** *Jesus Calls Us* Galilee

**\*CHARGE and BENEDICTION**

**POSTLUDE** *Chaconne in C, BuxWV 137* Buxtehude

\***Please stand if able**

**Today’s link is:** <https://youtube.com/live/PzDPAH18xqs?feature=shares>

*Hearing devices are available for your convenience.*

*Please be aware that they do not function until after the service begins.*

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The Legacy: Mary June Cook

Regency at Augusta: Edie Lawrence

Brightview Baldwin Park: Walt Flora

Shenandoah Nursing Home: Rubye Schwab, Nancy Garber

Home: Dick Huff, Mary Ultee, Mary Ann Maupin, Bird Heuchert

Warner & Linda Sandquist, Ruth and Lewis Kelley.

Friends and Family: Erwin Berry (Joan), Bill Bromley, Ron Buckalew, Jean Custen,

Jerry Hughes, Sally McNeel, Bill Metzel (Joyce Tipton),

Col. Stuart Roberts (Mark Henderson), Paul Watts, Bob Cash (Colleen Cash)

Military: Carson Craig

Our Christian sympathies to the family of Nancy Geer. She will be buried in Virginia Beach.

**Mission Disaster Supplies**- nail clippers, emery boards, band aids

**Food Bank** – chicken noodle soup

**REMEMBER** to sign up for WARM shelter meals; sign-up sheets are in the Narthex

**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.*

**February 19, 2023 11:00 AM**

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