

May God fill our hearts with love as we worship and have fellowship together. A hearty welcome to all!

PRELUDE

STRIKING THE HOUR

GREETING

CONCERNS OF THE CONGREGATION

Announcements

Prayer Concerns

OPENING MUSIC “I Worship you Almighty God” *Chancel Choir*

CALL TO WORSHIP

Proverbs 2

L: Incline your ear and hear my words, and apply your mind to my teaching.

P: It will be pleasant if you keep them within you, if all of them are ready on your lips.

L: So that your trust may be in the Lord, I have made them known to you today.

P: The rich and poor have this in common: the Lord is the maker of them all.

L: Let us worship God!

***HYMN**

“Soldiers of Christ, Arise”

CH 723

***PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

O God, Giver of mercy, in Christ’s name hear us as we confess our sin. We speak when we should listen; we hesitate when we should act. Anger prevents us from working your righteousness; selfishness inhibits our responding in faith. We are called to proclaim boldly the dawn of your kingdom, but our shouts turn out to be mere whispers. Cleanse us of wickedness, and fill us with meekness. Redeem us in Christ, in whose name we pray. Amen.

***SILENT PRAYERS OF CONFESSION**

***ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

L: Jesus gave the most extravagant gift of all – the offering of himself for us. Through this selfless gift, we are set free, and our sins are forgiven

P: Thanks be to God!

*Congregation please stand, if able

***CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE**

“Seek Ye First”

“Seek ye first the kingdom of God and His righteousness, And all these things shall be added unto you – Allelu, Alleluia!”

***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH**

The Apostles’ Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

NT LESSON: Romans 8:24-27

Pew Bible p. 983

OFFERING

Offertory

*Doxology

PH 592

*Prayer of Dedication

*HYMN

“I Need Thee Every Hour ”

CH 638

SHARING IN PRAYER

Personal Prayer

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord’s Prayer

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

ANTHEM

“I Want to Be Like Jesus”

Melissa Archer & Talitha Hippeard

NT LESSON: Ephesians 6:18-24

Pew Bible p.1020,1021

SERMON

“Spirit Filled Prayer”

Rev. Smith

*HYMN

“My Jesus, I Love Thee”

CH 79

***CHARGE AND BENEDICTION**

*CHORAL RESPONSE

“Sanctuary”

CH 655

w/congregation

CH – *The Celebration Hymnal*; **PH** – *The Presbyterian Hymnal*

THIS WEEK AT SECOND CHURCH

Sunday, September 13

- 9:00 AM Sunday Bible Study – Lucille Sanger Classroom
9:45 AM Patio Party
10:00 AM Chancel Choir rehearsal – Choir Room
10:30 AM Worship **“24 to Double” following worship**

Lay Reader: Kay Mader

Greeters & Ushers: James Mader (*Head Usher*), Kay Mader, Gennivee Carey, & Betty Casiday

Flower Coordinator: Darlene Mason

Monday, September 14

- 10:00 AM Faithful Five Circle

Wednesday, September 16

- 6:00 PM Covered Dish Supper – Fellowship Hall
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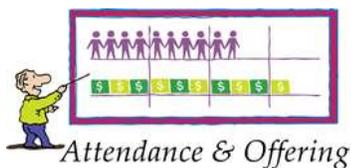
Next Sunday, September 20

- 9:00 AM Rally Day Breakfast – Fellowship Hall
9:00 AM ~~Sunday Bible Study~~ – will resume Sunday, September 27th
10:00 AM Adult Choir rehearsal – Choir Room
10:30 AM Worship **most spots need filling**

Lay Readers: Kay Mader & Mary Rainey

Greeters & Ushers: **needed** (*Head Usher*), Maxine Robertson, **two more needed**

Flower Coordinator: Darlene Mason



Attendance last Sunday: 62
Offering last Sunday: \$3,328.75
Hunger Offering: \$ 145.00
Total Regular Deposit: \$4,374.75

ANNOUNCEMENTS



The September sign-up sheet for Lay Readers & Ushers has been placed on the back table. Thanks so much for your help.

Family Night covered-dish supper will be Wednesday, September 16th at 6:00 p.m., featuring the Baja Report from Andy and Darlene.



Dave and I want to thank the people of Second Church for the prayers, cards and telephone calls. We are both getting better. Dave is getting around on a wheel chair and physical therapy has Dave walking 500 feet. Again thanks and God Bless You!

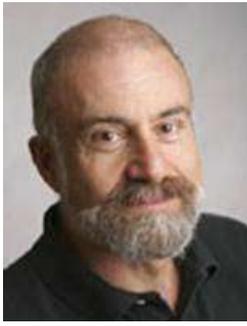
Earl and David Flower

Bible study resumes at 11:00 a.m. on September 22nd in Fellowship Hall.



LUNCH BUNCH will be at "Mi Rancho" Mexican Restaurant, 2116 West Beverly St., Staunton on Sunday, September 20th. Please let me know you'll be attending by texting or calling 255-4793. Thanks, Linda

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Baja Mission Trip Leader to Visit Shenandoah

You are invited to meet and to hear ASHER MOTOLA, a Mexico Outreach Leader for Youth with a Mission (YWAM), from Chico, California. He will be speaking in the following churches while he is visiting Shenandoah Presbytery September 24-27. Take this opportunity to come hear Asher speak about his faith journey and learn about this unique and amazing ministry in which so many people of Shenandoah Presbytery have participated. He will be at other locations as well (*please see the bulletin board by patio door*).

Sunday, Sept 27 – 10:00am – Worship and Presentation at Olivet Presbyterian Church, Staunton, VA

Sunday, Sept 27 – 5pm – Baja Reunion Picnic – Springdale Water Gardens, Greenville, VA. Everyone, whether you've gone on the Baja trip or not, is invited. Bring a covered dish and join the celebration.

Directions: <http://springdalewatergardens.com/blog/contact/>

As leader for our Baja mission trips, Asher serves as one of the Mexico Adventures Outreach Leaders who trains and leads teams to serve in Baja. No plans and coordinates on-site arrangements and provides invaluable cultural education and insight throughout the trip.

For the past 14 years, church members and friends from Shenandoah Presbytery churches have traveled to Baja, Mexico, on mission trips to build houses and other structures for the Oaxacan native people who live in the Vicente Guerrero area. Prior to this time, people from Augusta Stone began going to Baja and decided to invite other churches to join them. So for 16 years now, around 770 people from this presbytery have given a week of their summer to go work alongside the people of Baja to gift them with a solid basic house.

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PRAYER CONCERNS

- Health Concerns: Harry Johns, Jr.; Michael Brown; Mary McNamara; Mac Moyer.
- Church concerns:
 - Our members in care facilities: Doris Miller (Stuarts Draft Retirement Home); Virginia Brand (Shenandoah); Jane Roby (Ritenour); Betty Ramsey (Avante).
- Peace around the world where conflict abounds.
- Celebrating a birthday: Ann Ridle (13); Kay Moyer (17); Leatrice Gibson (18); Robert Morris (21); Dick Robinson (21).
- Celebrating an anniversary: Lisa & Scott Hippeard (13); Leah & Olen Swisher (15).
- Persons connected to Second Church in the military:
 - Jon Clark – Army – (grandson of Anita and Bill Haessly)
 - Nick Dubyk – Army: Belgium (grandson of Betty/Willis Clemmer)
 - Kevin Goodrow , Army MP, Fort Stewart, GA – (grandson of Ken and Lois Sensabaugh)
 - Patrick W. Brown – Air Force – (grandson of (the late) Marie Wiseman)
 - Christopher Todd – USAF – (grandson of (the late) Ruth Weller and Ralph Weller)



Please call the Church Office (885-8159) if you or someone in your family goes into the hospital. This is the only sure way that we will know of your situation, so visits and other support can be given.

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