

August 14, 2016



SECOND

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Seeking, Sharing, Serving



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The Rev. Evan R. Smith

Pastor

August 14, 2016

Service of Worship

10:30 A.M.

Welcome to the house of the Lord! May God's grace and peace fill you.

PRELUDE

STRIKING THE HOUR

GREETING

CONCERNS OF THE CONGREGATION

Announcements

Prayer Concerns

OPENING MUSIC "What a Mighty God We Serve" *Chancel Choir*

Call to Worship Psalm 80

L: Give ear, O Shepherd of Israel, stir up your might and come to save us!

***P:* Restore us, O God of hosts; let your face shine, that we may be saved.**

L: Then we will never turn back from you; give us life, and we will call on your name.

***P:* Restore us, O Lord of hosts; let your face shine, that we may be saved.**

L: Let us worship God!

***HYMN** "Ye Servants of God" CH 38

***PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

Have mercy upon us, O God, for sin clings so closely and its burden is great. Because of sin, our hands are at our sides when they should reach out to serve others. Our knees are shaky when we should be standing firm and walking in your example. We become trapped by our own misdeeds; we cannot escape sin's weight on our lives. Through Christ's grace and direct intervention, lift this burden from us, and help us walk in freedom and in strength. Amen.

***SILENT PRAYERS OF CONFESSION**

***ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

L: Who is in a position to condemn us? Only Christ, and Christ dies for us that might be reconciled to God.

***P:* Thanks be to God! In Jesus Christ we are forgiven! Amen.**

life. In the name of Jesus Christ, we are forgiven!

***CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE** “Holy, Holy” CH 69

*Holy, holy, holy, holy, Holy, holy,
Lord God Almighty;*

*And we lift our hearts before You as a token of our love,
Holy, holy, holy, holy.*

***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.

OFFERING

Offertory

*Doxology

*Prayer of Dedication

SPECIAL “We Are An Offering” Chancel Choir

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE 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.

OT & NT LESSONS John 13: 1, 3-5, 12-17 (NLT) Insert

SERMON “Who We Are: Serving” Rev. Evan R. Smith

***HYMN** “Take My Life, Lead Me Lord” CH 664

***CHARGE AND BENEDICTION**

***CLOSING** “Make Me A Servant” CH 669

Chancel Choir with the congregation

*Congregation please stand, if able

THIS WEEK AT SECOND CHURCH

Sunday, August 14

- 9:30 AM Sunday Bible Study - Lucille Sanger Classroom
10:00 AM Chancel Choir- Choir Room
10:30 AM Worship

Greeters & Ushers: Mary Rainey (Head Usher) and
3 others are needed

Flower Coordinator: Kathy Holsinger

Wednesday, August 17

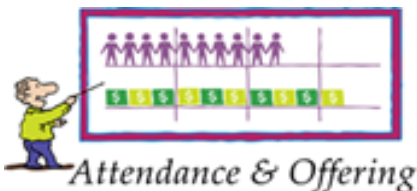
- 6:00 PM Annual Picnic - American Legion Hall
357 Cedar Green Road Staunton VA

Sunday, August 21

- 9:30 AM Sunday Bible Study - Lucille Sanger Classroom
10:00 AM Chancel Choir- Choir Room
10:30 AM Worship

Greeters & Ushers: *All spots need to be filled.*

Flower Coordinator: Kathy Holsinger



Attendance last Sunday: 66

Offering last Sunday: \$ 2,870.00

Total Deposit \$ 3,106.00

As an aid to people who have trouble reading the regular sized type on the Sunday worship bulletin, a large print version is available. Simply request one from any usher.

PRAYERS THIS WEEK

Health Concerns

Camden Minnick
Linda Armstrong
Leatrice Gibson
Michael Brown
Mac Moyer
Paul Archer (Allen's brother)

Members in Care Facilities

Doris Miller (Stuarts Draft Retirement Home)
Jane Roby (Ritenour)
Betty Ramsey (Avante)

Birthdays

Louie VanFossen (14)	Darlene Mason (18)
Macon Moyer, II (18)	Jo Fields (19)
Dick Hippeard (22)	Madison Moyer (23)

Anniversaries

None

In the Military

Scott Dice - Basic training, Fort Leonard Wood, Missouri, Son of Melissa and Harry Dice
Nick Dubyk - Army Carlisle Barracks, Pennsylvania (grandson of Betty & [the late] Willis Clemmer)
Christopher Todd - USAF (grandson of [the late] Ruth Weller and Ralph Weller)

Other Church Concerns

Prayers for Scott Dice as he begins his basic training at Fort Leonard Wood, Missouri

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.



ANNOUNCEMENTS



All spots for the last 2 weeks in August need to be filled for Ushers which is on the back table.

Pastor Evan will be away from Staunton from August 15th-August 30th. While he is away, if there is a pastoral need, please contact the Reverend Karen Allamon from First Church. She can be reached at the church at (540) 886-0704 or on her cell phone at 540-414-3193.

On **August 21**, Don Reid will be guest speaker and on **August 28**, Steve Saufley will be the guest speaker.

The **JuBELLation Handbell Choir** will meet briefly in the Chancel Choir room immediately following worship today. Please plan to stay to receive important information about the upcoming fundraiser scheduled for September.



Wednesday - August 17 at 6PM at American Legion Hall 357 Cedar Green Road Staunton VA. Bring a friend, a covered dish and/or dessert and enjoy an evening of fellowship. Entertainment will be provided by the Ovation Singers. Chicken, Hot Dogs and Beverages will be provided. We look forward to seeing all of you there!

Thank You!

Thanks for the generous gift of school supplies. The supplies have been delivered to the Salvation Army. Just in time for the start of School which was August 9th. Beth Ramsey, PW Outreach

IMPORTANT

We are in the process of updating the emergency Contact List. Please contact the office if you have a new phone number or e-mail address.



Baja Covered Dish on **September 14**, at 6PM in the Fellowship Hall. The Mission Committee invites you to bring your favorite dish and hear Darlene and Andy describe their experiences in Mexico.

The **JUBELLATION HANDBELL CHOIR** is planning a fundraiser at the Meeting Place for **September 16th & 17th** to raise money to purchase hand chimes that will enhance our music program. We'll be selling hamburgers, hotdogs & breakfast food on those two days. With only 10 ringers, we'll need lots of help cooking, collecting money, and selling cakes & cookies. If you can help provide a dessert, cook, collect money or assist in any way for this event, please let contact Linda Lickliter. More details will follow closer to event.

WORLD FOOD DAY – Soup and Sandwich Luncheon on Sunday, **October 16** right after Church. Bring your favorite sandwich while Mission Committee provides a variety of soups and our ladies provide desserts.
YUM!

DEADLINE

for **SEPTEMBER** newsletter is **August 19th**. Please send newsletter information to Kay Waitier in the church office by that date. Thanks.

THE SESSION

Class of 2016

Frank Brown
Mark Robertson
Dick Robinson
Woodie Wimer

Class of 2017

Andy Easley
Sue Gochenour
Linda Lickliter
Pam Snyder

Class of 2018

Jo Fields
Darlene Mason
Mary Rainey
Matthew Ramsey

Evan R. Smith, Moderator

Nancy Swisher, Clerk

TRUSTEES

Class of 2016

Dick Hippeard

Class of 2018

Ralph Weller

PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN

Moderator..... Mary Rainey
Vice-Moderator Beth Ramsey
Secretary Talitha Hippeard
Treasurer Sue Gochenour
Historian..... Kay Mader

SESSION COMMITTEE CHAIRS

Christian Education/Worship..... Mary Rainey
Membership, Outreach, & Community Service..... Woodie Wimer
Mission..... Sue Gochenour
Stewardship and Finance..... Mark Robertson
Property..... Andy Easley
Personnel Pam Snyder

CHURCH STAFF

Pastor Rev. Evan R. Smith
Administrative Assistant..... Kay Mader
Church Secretary Kay Waitier
Choir Director..... Pam Snyder
Organist..... Allen Archer