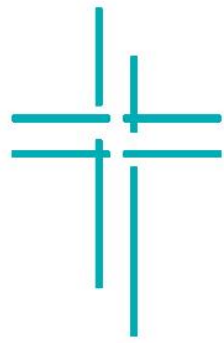


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# SECOND

## PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

**Seeking, Sharing, Serving**



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**The Rev. Evan R. Smith**

***Pastor***

**JULY 16, 2017**

**SERVICE OF WORSHIP**

**10:30 AM**

*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**

*"Sweet, Sweet Spirit"*

Chancel Choir

**CALL TO WORSHIP**

L: Come to God, who has raised Jesus from the dead. This same God gives life to your mortal bodies.

**P: Our Creator lives among us. The Holy Spirit dwells within us.**

L: The Word of God is your promised heritage. The light of Christ will show you the path to joy.

**P: The Spirit of God is the source of our life. Let us incline our hearts to our eternal God.**

L: Set your minds on the things of the Spirit. For to do so is to have life and peace.

**P: Accept our offering of praise, O Lord. Give us life according to your Word!**

L: Let us worship God!

**\*HYMN**

*"O for a Heart to Praise My God"*

CH 650

**\*PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

**Redeeming God, we confess that we frequently set our minds on matters of the flesh and fail to submit ourselves to the rule of your life-giving Spirit. How can we please you when we shrink from trouble and persecution, when we lack the courage and faith to withstand times of testing? How can we please you when we allow the cares of the world to lure us away from you, when we so easily surrender your blessing and joy? Forgive us, O God, and give us courage, strength, and healing! Help us redirect our aims and our attitudes toward you. Let the seal of your Holy Spirit remain upon us and the Spirit of Christ abide within us, that we might share in the eternal life of the One who died to set us free from sin. Amen.**

**\*SILENT PRAYERS OF CONFESSION**

**\*ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

L: God's mercy is from everlasting to everlasting.

**P: In the name of Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.**

L: Know that we are forgiven and be at peace.

**\*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE**

“Lead Me, Lord”

“Lead me, Lord,  
Lead me in Your righteousness;  
Make Your way plain before my face.”

**\*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:

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow.*

*Praise Him, all creatures here below.*

*Praise Him above, ye heavenly host.*

*Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

*Prayer of Dedication*

**ANTHEM**

“Spirit Song”

Chancel Choir

**PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE**

*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.*

**NT LESSON**

Romans 8:1-11

Insert

**SERMON**

“Broken Spirits, Broken Bodies”

Rev. Smith

**HYMN**

“Holy Spirit, Light Divine”

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**CHARGE AND BENEDICTION**

**CLOSING**

“Amen”

Chancel Choir

# PRAYERS

## HEALTH CONCERNS

Bill Haessly-Hospice Care and Anita Haessly care giver  
Ernie Nuckols – heart problems – (Pickle’s grandfather)  
Jean Flower  
Leatrice Gibson

## MEMBER IN CARE FACILITIES

Jane Roby (Ritenour)  
Brannock Easley (Shenandoah)

## BIRTHDAYS

Macon Moyer, III (16)  
Shari Hippeard (20)  
Brooke Sedr (24)

## ANNIVERSARIES

None

## IN THE MILITARY

Scott Dice – Son of Melissa and Harry Dice  
Nick Dubyk – Grandson of Betty and the late Willis Clemmer  
Christopher Todd – Grandson of Ralph and the late Ruth Weller  
Matthew Witcofsky – Son of Janet and Joe Witcofsky

**ADDRESS for Scott Dice** and the address has to look like the following:

**PV2 Scott Dice**  
**937<sup>th</sup> Clearance Company**  
**Bagram Airfield, AFGN**  
**APO AE 09354**

Sympathy for the family of Dick Robinson, his brother, B.W. passed away.

## **REMINDER**

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.

# THIS WEEK

## TODAY

9:30 AM Sunday Bible Study – Lucille Sanger Classroom

10:00 AM Chancel Choir – Choir Room

10:30 AM Worship

**Greeters & Ushers:** Betty Clemmer, Larry Brown, **Head usher and 1 other needed**

**Flower Coordinator:** Darlene Mason

## NEXT SUNDAY

9:30 AM Sunday Bible Study – Lucille Sanger Classroom

10:00 AM Chancel Choir – Choir Room

10:30 AM Worship

**Greeters & Ushers:** Frank Brown, Carolyn Brown, **Head usher and 1 other needed**

**Flower Coordinator:** Darlene Mason

# ATTENDANCE & OFFERING

**Attendance Last Sunday** 69

**Offering Last Sunday** \$3,712.00

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.

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

*The roses on the Communion Table today are given to the Glory of God in celebration of the birth of a daughter, Soreene Alexandra Erskine to Andrea and Zan Erskine, grandparents are David and Teri King and Paul Wolfe the great-grandfather; and also the birth of a son, Taden Parker Rusmisl to Justin and Jennifer Rusmisl, who also have 2 other sons; grand parents are Melissa and Harry Dice and Gregg and Sue Gitchell, and great-grand parents are Kay Moyer and Shirley Dice.*

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## **USHERS**

The **July** sign-up sheet is on the back table, several spots are **open**. Thank you for your help.

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## **CHURCH PICNIC**

Mark your calendars for the upcoming annual picnic on **August 16 at 6 PM**. at the American Legion Hall on Cedar Green Road. Fried chicken, hot dogs, lemonade, and iced tea will be provided. Please bring a salad, vegetable dish, or dessert for all to share. Entertainment by Allen Archer and the Ovation Singers.

Membership and Outreach Committee



# SCHOOL SUPPLIES NEEDED

## School Starts August 8

It's back to school time and PW would like to help with supplies for students in Staunton City and Augusta County.

Basic supplies needed are:

1 bottle Elmer's Glue

Crayons (24)

Glue Stick

Ziploc Bags (quart)

Ziploc Bags (gallon)

Pocket Folders

Pencils (regular #2 & colored)

Liquid Hand Soap

Scissors

Tissues

Crayola Markers

Notebook Paper (wide rule)

Marble Composition Book

Binder (2 or 3 ring)

Pencil Pouch

If you would like to join us in helping, you may leave supplies you purchase in the Church Parlor by **July 23**.

Thank you, Beth Ramsey  
PW Outreach



***Give articles to Darlene Mason no later than 9 AM  
on Thursday, JULY 27!!!***

***Also, Session Committee Chairs, if you would like  
anything in the newsletter, please submit no  
later than 9 AM on Thursday JULY 27***

***The Newsletter will go out on AUGUST 1***

# THE SESSION

## Class of 2017

Andy Easley  
Sue Gochenour  
Linda Lickliter  
Pam Snyder

## Class of 2018

Jo Fields  
Darlene Mason  
Mary Rainey  
Matthew Ramsey

## Class of 2019

Bob Ridle  
Dick Robinson  
Nancy Swisher  
Woodie Wimer

Evan R. Smith, Moderator

Nancy Swisher, Clerk

## TRUSTEES

### Class of 2017

Paul Wolfe

### Class of 2018

Ralph Weller

### Class of 2019

Dick Hippeard

## 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 ..... Linda Lickliter  
Mission..... Sue Gochenour  
Stewardship and Finance..... Darlene Mason  
Property..... Andy Easley  
Personnel ..... Pam Snyder

## CHURCH STAFF

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