

September 13, 2009
Rally Day / P W Installation

Service of Worship

11:00 A.M.
P W Lifetime Membership

Welcome! We hope all of you know that we're very pleased you've come to worship our loving Creator. *We extend a special welcome to our guests and request that they fill out the information card in the pew rack, and place it in the offering plate.*

PRELUDE
STRIKING THE HOUR
GREETING

CONCERNS OF THE CONGREGATION

Announcements
Prayer Concerns

OPENING MUSIC

“Take My Life”

Adult Choir

CALL TO WORSHIP

L: God of stillness, God of action, help us find a proper balance to our lives.

P: **Teach us to find time and space for prayer and learning.**

L: May we do our share of common serving.

P: **In work and in prayer, may we be worthy disciples of Jesus, bearing the fruit of righteousness.**

L: Let us worship God!

***HYMN**

“Rise Up, O Church of God”

CB 433

***PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

O God, when we put off until tomorrow our responses to your call, forgive us. When our good intentions are not followed by good actions, have patience with us. When we harden our hearts, making all kinds of excuses why we should not serve you, have mercy. Today when we hear your voice, may we rise up to hear and obey, through the grace of Jesus Christ. Amen.

***ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

L: God's Word to us is a word of forgiveness, a word of assurance, a word of grace.

P: We are loved and accepted because in Jesus Christ nothing can separate us from our Creator and Sustainer. Amen.

***CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE** “Hear Our Prayer, O Lord” CB 641
Hear our prayer, O Lord, Hear Our Prayer, O Lord;
Incline Thine ear to us and grant us Thy peace. Amen.

PW OFFICER INSTALLATION Pam Snyder

OFFERING

Offertory

*Doxology

*Prayer of Dedication

***HYMN** “Fill Me Now” CB 383

PRESENTATION OF BIBLES

CHOIR SPECIAL “I’m Gonna Live So God Can Use Me” *Adult Choir*

NEW TESTAMENT LESSON Acts 16:6-15 *Pew Bible p. 963*

MEDITATION “Shall We Gather at the River?” Dr. Williams

P W LIFETIME MEMBERSHIP PRESENTATION Darlene Mason

***HYMN** “Yes, Lord, Yes” (Twice) CB 601

***CHARGE AND BENEDICTION**

***CHORAL RESPONSE** “Bless the Lord, O my Soul” CB 58
w/congregation

POSTLUDE

* Congregation please stand, if able

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

THIS WEEK AT SECOND CHURCH

Sunday, September 13

- 9:30 AM Adult Bible Study Classes
10:30 AM Adult Choir rehearsal- Choir Room
11:00 AM Worship

Lay Reader: Nancy Swisher

Greeters: Jim & Brenda Wright

Ushers: Ralph Weller (*Head Usher*,) Ruth Weller, Jim Wright, &
Brenda Wright

Flower Coordinator: Betty Clemmer

Monday, September 14

- 10:00 AM Circle # 5 - Church Parlor

Tuesday, September 15

- 11:00 AM Bible Study - Fellowship Hall
7:00 PM Bible Study - Lucille Sanger Classroom

Wednesday, September 16

- 6:00 PM Church Night Covered Dish Supper in Fellowship Hall
Andy Easley and Dan Williams will present the program, on this past
July's Baja Mission Trip

Thursday, September 17

- 6:00 PM Highland-Augusta Mission Community Meeting at Staunton First.
Nancy Swisher and Dan Williams will attend.

Next Sunday, September 20

- 9:30 AM Adult Bible Study Classes
10:30 AM Adult Choir rehearsal – Choir Room
11:00 AM Worship

Lay Reader: Nancy Swisher

Greeters: Ruth & Ralph Weller

Ushers: Frank Brown (*Head Usher*,) Carolyn Brown, Ralph & Ruth
Weller

Flower Coordinator: Betty Clemmer

Attendance last Sunday: 54

Offering Last Sunday: \$ 2,502.50

Total Deposit: \$ 2,616.25

ANNOUNCEMENTS



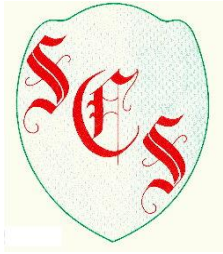
The flowers on the Communion Table are given to the glory of God and in honor of our Music/Choirs and Sunday Bible Study Leaders by the Christian Education and Worship and Music Committees. Your dedication and commitment to Second Church is very much appreciated and we thank you for sharing your special gifts to enhance our worship services and Bible Study.

September's Church Night Covered Dish Supper will be this Wednesday at 6:00p.m. in Fellowship Hall, and will feature a report on this past July's Baja Mission Trip, by Andy Easley and Dan Williams. They were part of a build team of thirteen people that constructed a house for a young family living south of San Quintin. Please bring a food item to share with all. Something Mexican would be appropriate!



The Valley Mission extends its thanks to members of Second Presbyterian Church for working with their residents to start and maintain a vegetable garden this summer. Valley Mission residents have been proudly reaping the rewards of fresh produce throughout the summer. One benefit in particular is the pride and usefulness experienced by residents who worked in the garden. This is particularly true of one man who took on leadership of the residents' efforts and found new meaning and enthusiasm in his life. Special thanks are due Paul Wolfe for his leadership of Second Church's efforts to plow and sow the garden and monitor the project throughout the summer.





The Staunton Choral Society welcomes all voices to sing in its annual Christmas Concerts. Rehearsals begin September 14, and are held every Monday evening from 7:00-9:00 at the First Baptist Church. The concerts will be here at Second on Saturday, December 5, and Sunday, December 6.

National Constitution Week September 17-23, 2009



The two hundred twenty-second anniversary of the signing of the Constitution of the United States will be celebrated on Thursday, September 17. The entire week of September 17-23 is designated as Constitution Week. We recognize this anniversary as our constitution guarantees us the blessings of liberty and Amendment 1 of The Bill of Rights protects our religious freedom.

In recognition of Constitution Day, churches in this area are asked to ring their bells at twelve noon on Thursday, September 17, to alert the general public of the basic tenets of that great document. How exciting it will be, when we hear those bells ringing, to know that our nation is a nation under God! How exciting it will be for us all to stop and say a prayer of thanksgiving for these blessings!

CONTACTING PASTOR DAN WILLIAMS

Means	Use this	Comment
Office Phone	540.885.8159	Press #2 for the Pastor's voice mail.
Cell Phone	540.280.5850	Voice mail is now unlimited time
Email	dsw-office@sec-stn.org or dsw2pbn@comcast.net	
Snail Mail	68 Meadowdale Drive, Stuarts Draft, VA 24477	

PRAYER CONCERNS



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- Health concerns:
 - Rosalie Hudson: Augusta Health (pneumonia)
 - Kay Mader: continues at Augusta Health
 - Bill Robertson, Virginia Brand, Linda Jenkins, Marshall Ramsey, Teri King.
- Church concerns:
 - New PW Officers and life member
 - Church Night Supper on Wednesday
 - Our young people receiving Bibles this morning
- Celebrating a birthday this week: Robert Lightner (13); Ann Ridle (13); Mike Herold (16); Kay Moyer (17); Leatrice Gibson (18).
- Celebrating an anniversary this week: Lisa and Scott Hippeard (13); Olen and Leah Swisher (15).
- Persons connected to Second Church in the military:
 - Ian Hippeard (grandson of Talitha and Dick Hippeard)
 - Nathan Wade (grandson of Anita and Bill Haessly)
 - Ty Manson – Navy SEAL (Linda Lickliter’s niece’s husband)
 - Nick DUBYK – Army: Fort Bragg, NC (grandson of Betty/Willis Clemmer)
 - Heath Minnick: USAF, Sacramento, CA (son of Brenda Cason).
 - Wilmer Carl Varner III (Navy) – grandson of Betty Casiday
 - Chris Goodrow (Army, 173rd Airborne: Fort Benning, GA) – grandson of Ken and Lois Sensabaugh
 - Kevin Goodrow (Army Recruiter, Martinsburg, WV) – grandson of Ken and Lois Sensabaugh
 - Ben Carter (Coast Guard) – grand-nephew of Gennivee Carey
 - Patrick W. Brown (Air Force) – grandson of (the late) Marie Wiseman
 - Christopher Todd (USAF) – grandson of Ruth 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.



BIBLES

Bibles are being presented this morning to the following fourth graders:



Presentation of Bibles

Emily Johnson

Emily is the daughter of Susan and Rick Johnson, the sister of Kelly and Matthew, and the granddaughter of Talitha and Dick Hippeard. She is a fourth grader at Thomas W. Dixon Elementary where she is in the gifted program. She especially loves math and art. Emily has entered artwork in the Staunton/Augusta Art Center's "Art in the Park" contest for the past three years and has won something each year with a first place win this year. Emily has also developed an interest in acting. This summer she played an orphan in the ShenanArts production of "Annie" and is looking forward to being in more shows. She has been playing soccer since she was three years old and also plays basketball in the YMCA league in the winter. Emily loves going to church and vacation Bible school and loves giving hugs and greetings to everyone.

Madison Moyer

Madison likes to read and has been in the Brownies previously, but is currently looking for new activities to pursue. She is a good student at Stuarts Draft Elementary School, where she enjoys working on the computer. Maddie is the daughter of Tara and Matt Moyer, sister of MacKenzie, and granddaughter of Macon and Kay Moyer. Maddie loves the family golden retriever, named Casey.

Scott Dice

Scott Dice is a 6th grader at Shelburne Middle School. He especially likes math and history. He is in the band this year and is learning to play the saxophone. Scott enjoys working on the computer, sports, riding his bike, swimming and playing with his nephews Cain and Jackson. Scott likes animals and has many family pets including his gerbil, Alvin. Scott is the son of Harry Dice III, the grandson of Shirley Dice, and the brother of Katie and Allen Dice.

Henry Tyree

Henry is unable to be present this morning. His Bible will be presented at a later date.