

October 11, 2009

Service of Worship
Stewardship Campaign Kickoff

11:00 A.M.

It's a genuine joy to have every worshiper here to glorify God and to share in fellowship with one another. Welcome to God's house! *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

“Make Me a Servant”

Adult Choir

CALL TO WORSHIP

L: We gather to honor our Maker and Sustainer.

P: May the Spirit enable us to sing with voices united in praise.

L: To listen with alertness to the good news.

P: To give with whole hearts and open hands.

L: Let us worship God in speech and song, and in word and deed.

P: May the sharing of worship become the daring of faith!

***HYMN**

“All the Way My Savior Leads Me”

CB 680

***PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

God our Creator, we offer you our prayer. As individuals, we often feel less than whole. We have experienced losses that have diminished us. We have found our attention to your will divided by other claims upon us. We have discovered how difficult it is to fulfill our best intentions. Forgive us, O God, and enable us to enjoy the fullness of your love. Strengthen us and inspire us to whole-hearted devotion; through Jesus Christ. Amen.

***ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

L: Never does the love of God forsake us.

P: Always does the love of God forgive us.

L: Let that be a source of assurance and the morning's good word.

P: Glory be to God! Amen.

THIS WEEK AT SECOND CHURCH

Sunday, October 11

- 9:30 AM Adult Bible Study Classes
10:30 AM Adult Choir rehearsal- Choir Room
11:00 AM Worship
Lay Reader: Eve Thomas
Greeters: William Jack & Debbie Sedr
Ushers: Danny Fields (*Head Usher*), William Jack, Debbie Sedr, & Brooke Sedr
Flower Coordinator: Kathy Holsinger
12:15 PM Youth Pizza Party and Planning gathering- Fellowship Hall
(*see announcements*)

Monday, October 12

- 10:00 AM Circle # 5 - Church Parlor

Tuesday, October 13

- 10:00 AM Morning Circle - Lucille Sanger Classroom
10:00 AM Circle # 4 - Church Parlor
11:00 AM Bible Study - Fellowship Hall
7:00 PM Bible Study - Lucille Sanger Classroom

Wednesday, October 14

- 7:00 PM Session Special Committee - Room 20

Thursday, October 15

- ~~5:45 PM — JuBELLation — Handbell Room — Practice will resume for both Handbells and Adult Choir on Thursday, October 22!~~
~~6:45 PM — Adult Choir — Choir Room~~

Next Sunday, October 18

- 9:30 AM Adult Bible Study Classes
10:30 AM Adult Choir rehearsal – Choir Room
11:00 AM Worship
Lay Reader: Maxine Robertson
Greeters: William Jack & Brooke Sedr
Ushers: Danny Fields (*Head Usher*), William Jack, Debbie Sedr, & Brooke Sedr
Flower Coordinator: Kathy Holsinger

Attendance last Sunday: 83

Offering Last Sunday: \$ 3,212.50
Total Deposit: \$ 3,914.85

ANNOUNCEMENTS



Flowers
In Loving Memory

The flowers in the Sanctuary today are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of Curtis Pfeiffer by his family.

The Adult Choir is starting rehearsals for our Christmas Cantata on Thursday, October 22 (no practice on October 15). We invite and encourage all to join us, even if it can only be for the cantata, and would love to have you!



Come, Join Us!

World Food Day Soup and Sandwich luncheon is coming! WFD is Friday, October 16 this year, so we will have our annual lunch and special hunger offering on Sunday, October 18, in Fellowship Hall after worship. Plan to come and sample the delicious soups, and please bring some sandwiches to share with all.



**Annual Church
ELECTION**

A meeting of the congregation of Second Presbyterian Church will be held on Sunday, October 25, in the Sanctuary following worship. The purpose of the meeting is to elect elders and a trustee in the Class of 2012. The slate to be proposed by the Nominating Committee will be reported next Sunday.

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	

Calling all Youth! We want to firm up plans for some activities for the rest of this year and into 2010, so we are inviting you and your parents to lunch after worship today. We will gather in Fellowship Hall for lunch (pizza!) and to talk about dates and times to go on a hay ride, have a 50's theme dance, do some service projects, and whatever else!

PIZZA PARTY



**Just a
Reminder...**

Just a reminder to pick up your stewardship materials today! They are in alphabetical order on the tables in the back of the Sanctuary.

In October, many churches conduct stewardship campaigns. Sadly, many church members associate the word stewardship only with pledge cards, budget discussions and a challenge to give more generously. Actually, stewardship deals with managing everything God has given to us — our brain, body, talent, time and spiritual life. It's our total response to God's gifts.

Stewardship campaigns give us an opportunity to re-appraise our lives as a whole. Are we glorifying God with our minds, bodies, talents, property, financial resources, etc? Are we using our gifts to spread Christ's gospel? How are we showing our love to God and the church?

Taking inventory of our stewardship is a meaningful experience. Consider God's indescribable goodness toward you, as well as your response to his showers of blessing. That will reveal the quality of your stewardship.

- The Newsletter Newsletter

LARGE PRINT BULLETIN 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.

PRAYER CONCERNS

- Health concerns: Loretta Clemmer, Kay Mader, Virginia Brand, Linda Jenkins, Marshall Ramsey, Teri King.
- Church concerns:
 - Youth planning lunch today
 - Next Sunday's World Food Day lunch
- Concerns about the seasonal and H1N1 flu.
- Celebrating a birthday this week: Olen Swisher (14); Ryan Hippeard (15)
- Celebrating an anniversary this week: Lelia and Robert Lightner (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



PRAYER CONCERNS



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.