

February 27, 2011

**Service of Worship
Hunger/Staple Foods Offerings**

11:00 A.M.

The psalmist wrote: “How very good and pleasant it is when kindred live together in unity!” (Psalm 133:1). Let us extend our hands to our fellow worshipers. *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 “The Lord Is in His Holy Temple” *Chancel Choir*

CALL TO WORSHIP

L: Sing for joy, O heavens, and exult O earth;

P: Break forth, O mountains, into singing!

L: For the Lord has comforted the people and will have compassion on those who suffer.

P: Our hope is in the Lord, this day and forever.

L: Let us worship God.

*** HYMN**

“To God Be the Glory”

CB 56

***PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

O God of tender mercies, we do not learn from your gracious witness. We spend our days consumed with worry and forget to sing your praise. Teach us once more that all of life is in your care. Forgive our failure to trust in you, and free us to love and serve all those whom you love. We ask this through Jesus Christ, your faithful witness. Amen.

***ASSURANCE OF PARDON** [*based on Psalm 139:23-24*]

L: Our God searches and knows our hearts;

P: God tests us and knows our anxious thoughts.

L: The good news of the gospel is this: God forgives any offensive way in us, and leads us in the way everlasting.

P: Amen.

***CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE** CB 340

“Turn Your Eyes upon Jesus”

Turn your eyes upon Jesus, Look full in His wonderful face,
And the things of earth will grow strangely dim,
In the light of His glory and grace.

***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH:** The Apostles’ Creed PH, p. 14

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON: Psalm 131:1-3 Pew Bible p. 538

OFFERING

Offertory

*Doxology

*Prayer of Dedication

***HYMN** “Abide With Me” CB 642

ANTHEM “More Love to Thee, O Christ”
Allen & Melissa Archer

SHARING IN PRAYER

Personal Prayer

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord's Prayer (*use "debts"*)

NEW TESTAMENT LESSON: Matthew 6:24-34 Pew Bible p. 840

SERMON “Rocking Chair Theology” Dr. Williams

***HYMN** “Seek Ye First” CB 713

***CHARGE AND BENEDICTION**

***CHORAL RESPONSE** “Jesus, Your Name” CB 119
Verses 1 & 3 w/congregation

POSTLUDE

* Congregation please stand, if able

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

THIS WEEK AT SECOND CHURCH

Sunday, February 27

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

Lay Reader: Kay Moyer

Greeters & Ushers: Jim Wright (*Head Usher*), Brenda Wright, Mary Rainey, & Maxine Robertson

Flower Coordinator: Sue Gochenour

Monday, February 28

- 9:30 AM PW Coordinating Team – Lucille Sanger Classroom - **All interested, please come!**

Tuesday, March 1

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

Wednesday, March 2

- 12:00 PM HAMC Ministers' Lunch – Tinkling Spring Church

Thursday, March 3

- 5:45 PM JuBELLation – Bell Choir Room
6:45 PM Chancel Choir – Choir Room

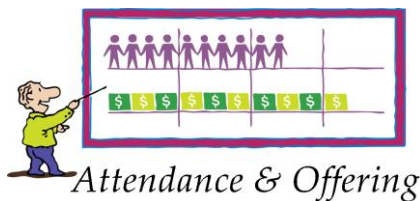
Next Sunday, March 6

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

Lay Reader: Pat Blackley

Greeters & Ushers: Chuck Blackley (*Head Usher*), Linda & Jerry Fry, & Barbara Daugherty

Flower Coordinator: Lelia Lightner



Attendance last Sunday: 56
Offering last Sunday: \$1,970.00
Total Deposit: \$2,307.00

ANNOUNCEMENTS



Flowers

In Loving Memory

The flowers on the Communion Table today are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of our daughter, Diane Cline, by William and Evelyn Jack.

Worship and Music has placed a calendar on one of the back tables in order to sign up ushers and lay readers needed for the month of **March**. **We still need quite a few spots filled so please help us out!**



“I am so made that worry and anxiety are sand in the machinery of life. Faith is the oil.”

- E. Stanley Jones

-The Newsletter Newsletter



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Hunger Offering

The monthly four cents per meal Hunger Offering now supports six ministries:

- The Presbyterian Hunger Program, through Shenandoah Presbytery (\$1,500)
- SACRA (\$750)
- Water for Life, Haiti (\$500)
- Heifer International (\$500)
- Blue Ridge Area Food Bank (\$500)
- Meals on Wheels (\$500)

Any money received above \$4,250 is distributed by the Session according to recommendations of the Mission Committee. The Committee is working on recommendations to disburse over \$1,500 in excess hunger funds from 2010. Thank you for your continued generosity!



World Day
of Prayer
March 4th

Women in Canada and the U.S. who committed themselves in the 19th century to missionary endeavors here and abroad created the vision that led to an inter-denominational prayer service practice in the 20th century. The annual celebration of the World Day of Prayer is held on the first Friday in March.

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: Virginia Brand, Mary McNamara, Marcette Routt, Geneva Smiley; Charlotte Dale; Bobby Dale; Florence Pfeiffer; Scott Holsinger.
- Christian sympathy is extended to Mary Rainey and family, upon the death of Mary's mother-in-law, Ethel Rainey, this past Monday.
- Prayer concerns for those working at the UN these 2 weeks for human rights (Pam Snyder is part of this group), especially our PW sisters from New Zealand who received the devastating earthquake news while here in NYC with us.
- Church concern: the monthly Hunger Offering and the ministries it supports.
- Celebrating a birthday this week: Susan Beard Decker (2); Chandler Snyder (4).
- Celebrating an anniversary this week: Ruth and Ralph Weller (3).
- Persons connected to Second Church in the military:
 - Ian Hippeard – Iraq (grandson of Talitha and Dick Hippeard)
 - Nathan Wade – (grandson of Anita and Bill Haessly)
 - 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 MP, Fort Stewart, GA – (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)
 - Capt. Sam Fitzpatrick – Army, Green Beret, Iraq – (son-in-law of Eve Thomas)
 - Heather Williams – National Guard: Kosovo – (granddaughter of Darlene Mason)

