

*The Service for the Lord's Day*  
*Trinity Sunday/Father's Day*  
June 16, 2019

## WE GATHER TO WORSHIP

PRELUDE "Joyful Reflections" Cynthia Dobrinski  
Lynn Pritchett, flute

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS Pastor/Liturgist

\*CALL TO WORSHIP Liturgist

Leader: Because from the beginning God has been faithful,

**People: we aim to serve God with lives of faithfulness.**

Leader: Because in the Trinity God patterned community,

**People: we bring our lives together in this church.**

Leader: Because God's prophets stood up for justice,

**People: we join our voices to witness for peace.**

Leader: Because God has showered us with love,

**People: we gather to worship God!**

\*OPENING HYMN OF PRAISE

"Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty!" PH#138

\*PRAYER OF CONFESSION Liturgist

**We know that you are a God of abundance, and yet often we have been a people of scarcity. You have showered us with reasons for praise, but we have not always shared your gifts with the world. You have granted us opportunities for love, and we have responded with cold indifference. You have given us chances to be transformed, and we have fallen into old, selfish habits. Forgive us, O God, of the ways we fall short. Empower us to know the depth of your grace. Move us to respond with lives of faithfulness, until our every movement is an act of praise, our every word a song of thanksgiving, and our every breath a prayer. -Amen-**

\*ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

Leader: Know that whoever is in Christ is a new creation:

**People: The old has passed away, the new has come.**

**All this is from God, who through Christ reconciled us.**

Leader: Put on the new being and become ambassadors for Christ for we are forgiven. **-Amen-**

\*THE PASSING OF THE PEACE (Briefly pass the peace of Christ to those immediately around you.)

\*RESPONSE OF PRAISE (*Gloria Patri*) PH#579

**Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;**

**As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, Amen.**

TIME WITH THE YOUNG DISCIPLES/YOUNG AT HEART

(No Age Limit) followed by Children's Church (4 years old through 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade) in Room 116 outside the Sanctuary.

## THE HEARING OF GOD'S WORD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION Liturgist

SCRIPTURE READINGS (Please stand as you are able for the readings of Scripture.)

\*Old Testament Reading: Liturgist

*Proverbs 8:1-4, 22-31* (Pew Bible pg.590)

SPECIAL MUSIC "Have Faith in God" B. B. McKinney

Briana Tatum, soloist

\*New Testament Reading: Pastor

*Romans 5:1-5* (Pew Bible pg.155)

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.

**People: Thanks be to God.**

SERMON Rev. Mark Hinchcliff

"Faith, Endurance, Character, and Hope"

## RESPONDING TO GOD'S GRACE

\*HYMN OF RESPONSE

"I Need Thee Every Hour" (Insert)

\*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

*The Apostles' Creed (Traditional) PH pg. 14*

**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**

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER (sung)

**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-**

OFFERING OF OUR GIFTS AND OURSELVES

Call to Offering Liturgist

Offertory "Rejoice Greatly, O My Soul, Op. 65" Sigfrid Karg-Elert

\*The Doxology PH#592

**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 Liturgist

## SENDING IN GOD'S NAME

\*SENDING HYMN "This Is My Father's World" PH#293

\*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION Pastor

\*BENEDICTION RESPONSE "Amen" Danish

POSTLUDE "Allegretto" Georg Philipp Telemann

*\*All who are able are invited to stand.*

## HAPPY FATHER'S DAY!

**Welcome to our visitors today!** We are glad you are here and we hope you will join us for worship again. If you are interested in joining the church, there are three ways you may do so. They are: transfer of letter from your church of previous membership, reaffirmation of faith if you have already been baptized; and baptism and affirmation of faith if you have not been baptized. Please ask our pastor or a ruling elder for more details.

**Please use the friendship register** to indicate your presence in worship. Pass the register back to the center aisle and note those who are seated with you on the pew and greet them following the worship service. If you are visiting with us for the first time, please include your address, telephone number, and e-mail as well.

**Children are welcome and invited to worship with us in many ways!** There are worship bags and Children's Bulletins in the narthex. Children of all ages are invited to come forward at the *Time with the Young Disciples*. **Children 4 years old through 2nd grade are invited to Children's Worship with their leader after the Time with the Young Disciples. Children in 3<sup>rd</sup> grade and above are encouraged to worship with their families.** There is a nursery downstairs beneath the narthex for **children ages birth through 3-years-old** during the entire service.

**Need help hearing the service?** Receivers connected to the sound system are available in the Narthex. Just ask an usher.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

***Odds and Ends* Chamber Music Concert is TODAY at 3:00 PM at PHCC.** Virginia King and Deborah Burgess are in this one along with 9 high school performers. There is a little bit of everything in this one, hence the name *Odds and Ends*!

A Congregational Meeting will take place next Sunday, June 23, following the 11:00 worship service to elect the Nominating Committee members. Elder Denny Casey will chair the committee for the Session.

Our church is the host site for the Martinsville-Henry County After 3 Summer Program sponsored by PHCC. This program will run Monday through Friday, 8:00 AM to 6:00 PM, June 3-28 and July 8-19. Middle school children will be using multiple areas of the building including the kitchen, fellowship hall and Irby classroom. Please keep this in mind if you schedule meetings or activities. Above all, let's make them feel welcome!

Synod of the Mid-Atlantic Men's Conference is July 19-21 at Massanetta Springs. Enjoy a weekend of inspiring worship, challenging keynotes, and refreshing recreation. Brochures are available at the church office or you can register online (www.midatlanticmen.org).

VBS ROAR is June 24-28 at FPC from 9:00 AM-NOON for children in grades rising K-6th. Lunch will be provided. Registration forms are available in the pews, church office, and the church website. We also need LOTS of adult and teen helpers. For more information contact Sam Smith at sfsmith@mail.roanoke.edu or 276-224-2811.

CAMP PEAKS is July 22-26, 9:00 AM-3:00 PM for ages 5-12. Campers will meet at the church and travel to the Martin's farm each day. The cost is \$35. Each camper needs to pack a lunch. Brochures are available in the church office. Please return the registration form to the church office by July 15. Space is limited so register early! For more information contact Sam Smith at sfsmith@mail.roanoke.edu or 276-224-2811.

Be sure to remember SOUTHSIDE SURVIVOR RESPONSE CENTER (various household items and toiletries) and GRACE NETWORK (Peanut Butter 18oz). (Optional needs are toilet paper, deodorant, bath soap, toothpaste, feminine products, dish and laundry detergent) when you do your grocery shopping. Both agencies depend on us for assistance.

All church events and bulletin announcements should be scheduled through the office. Announcements should be submitted by Noon on Wednesday. Call the office (276-632-3431) or email (office@firstpresbyterianmartinsville.org).

Deadline for submission of articles for Steeple Views, our church newsletter, is 4:00 PM Tuesdays to Editor Sharon Kirby. (steepleviews@fpcmartinsvilleva.org).

## Church Calendar

**Sunday, June 16**  
 8:30 AM Contemporary Worship  
 9:30 AM Fellowship and Refreshments in FH  
 9:45 AM Sunday School for All Ages  
 11:00 AM Traditional Worship  
 3:00 PM Chamber Concert at PHCC

**Monday – Friday**  
**Tuesday, June 18**  
 3:00 PM Agape Ministry Meeting  
 4:00 PM Steeple Views Deadline

**Thursday, June 20**  
 3:00 PM Carillon Team Meeting  
 7:00 PM Praise Band

**Sunday, June 23**  
 8:30 AM Contemporary Worship  
 9:30 AM Fellowship and Refreshments in FH  
 9:45 AM Sunday School for All Ages  
 11:00 AM Traditional Worship  
 12:05 PM Congregational Meeting  
 5:00 PM VBS Volunteer Dinner

**8:00 AM – 6:00 PM After 3 Summer Program**

<b>June 16</b>	<b>Unlock</b> Johnny Pinkard <b>Ushers</b> *Ralph Shank, Jr., Bob Davis, Henry Moore	<b>Lockup</b> Rob King
<b>June 23</b>	<b>Unlock</b> Neil Tatum <b>Ushers</b> *M. Montgomery, Milt Davis, Nancy Davis, Joan Montgomery	<b>Lockup</b> Monty Montgomery
<b>June 30</b>	<b>Unlock</b> Ed Pace <b>Ushers</b> *M. Montgomery, Joe DeVault, Jerri DeVault	<b>Lockup</b> Denny Casey

## PRAYER CONCERNS

Ken Ashley, Doc Altizer, Carl and Georgette Bishop, Marilyn Bremner (S. Ford), Jason Brown (Nancy Brown's grandson), Jim Brunt (N. Davis' brother), Dot Bryson, Kimberly Bryson, Evelyn Clark, Tommy Cobb (M. Dunn), George Collins (father of Jennifer Nease), Janet Cox, Sandra Bryson Cox, Angela Denney (niece of Cynthia Dobrinski), Daniel Handy, Helen Hawkes, Jean Hill, Anne Holland (sister of Pearl Minter), Joye Hughes, Betty Carol Lamm, Eddie Levi, Laura Stevens Milton, Regenia Noel (M. Stevens), Ed Pace, Amy Bryson Peck, Anne Peterson, Lauren Prince (N. Moore), Barbara Regen, Walt Seamon, C J Swinney (grandson of Deborah Blankenship; great-grandson of Pearl Minter), Roger Williams (V. Esarey), persecuted Christians and all troops in defense of freedom throughout the world.

# FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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 Martinsville, Virginia

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 Based upon Romans 5:1-5 and Proverbs 8:1-4, 22-31

**Pastor:** Rev. Mark Hinchcliff

**Liturgist:** Pearl Minter

### Our Mission

*“Share God's love, embrace our neighbors, nurture each other.”*