

March 17, 2019



Steeple Views

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, MARTINSVILLE, VA

Easter Lilies

Orders for Easter Lilies will begin on March 24th.
Order forms will be included in the March 24th, 31st, &
April 7th bulletins.



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One Great Hour of Sharing



On Sunday, April 14, you will have the opportunity to give to

One Great Hour of Sharing.

Envelopes will be provided and checks
should be written to the church.

What's Happening at FPC

Thursday, March 14
Praise Band, 7:00 PM, Chapel

Saturday, March 16

Free Community Breakfast, Kitchen & Fellowship Hall

7:00 AM, Volunteers begin preparing.

8:00–9:30 AM, Serving

Contact Paul Cannaday,

pcannaday@comcast.net, 252-8191, for more information.

Facilities, NO WORK SESSION THIS WEEK

Sunday, March 17

Unlock/Lock up: Neil Tatum/Milt Davis

Contemporary Worship, 8:30 AM, Chapel

Fellowship & Refreshments, 9:30 AM, Fellowship Hall

Sunday School, 9:45 AM, Children 4 yrs-2nd grade, Room 11-12 under the Sanctuary; Adult class, Session Room (Room 134, upper level)

Confirmation Class, 9:45 AM, Teen Room

Traditional Worship, 11:00 AM, Sanctuary

Ushers: *Neil Tatum, Paul Cannaday, Victoria Esarey, Bill Kirby

Liturgist: Milt Davis

Childcare for infants and toddlers is provided all morning in the nursery under the Sanctuary. Children's Worship is offered for age 4 through 2nd grade during the 11:00 service after the Time with Young Disciples.

Services at 8:30 & 11:00 AM

The Service for the Lord's Day, March 17, 2019

Second Sunday in Lent

Scripture Lessons

Genesis 15:1–12, 17–18 and Psalm 27

Sermon by Rev. Mark Hinchcliff

"Living Into the Promise"

Full text of lectionary readings

www.presbyterianmission.org/devotion/revised-common-lectionary/

More Happenings

Monday, March 18

GPS, 3:00 PM, Music and Christian education for children K–8th grade.

Cottage Place Dinner, 5:30 PM, Fellowship Hall. Volunteers are needed beginning at 5:00; if you can help, please contact Paul Cannaday, 252-8191,

pcannaday@comcast.net.

Tuesday, March 19

Agape Ministry, 12:00 PM

Lenten Lunch, 12:00 PM, First Presbyterian Church

Steeple Views Deadline, 4:00 PM. Please email information for this weekly edition

to steepleviews@fpcmartinsvilleVA.org.

Wednesday, March 20

Sanctuary Ringers Practice, 5:45 PM, Handbell Room

Chancel Choir Practice, 7:00 PM, Choir Room. New singers are welcome to join!

Thursday, March 21

Red Cross Bloodmobile, 1:00–5:00 PM, Elks Lodge, 300 Fairy Street. Our congregation supplies volunteers who check in donors and serve them at the canteen after they finish donating blood. Contact Nancy Baker, 638-7923, nbaker08@comcast.net, if you can help.

Praise Band, 7:00 PM, Chapel

Sunday, March 24

Two-Cents-a-Meal Offering, for hunger projects in our Presbytery and beyond

Unlock/Lock up: Johnny Pinkard/Victoria Esarey

Contemporary Worship, 8:30 AM, Chapel

Fellowship & Refreshments, 9:30 AM, Fellowship Hall

Sunday School, 9:45 AM, Children 4 yrs-2nd grade, Room 11-12 under the Sanctuary; Adult class, Session Room (Room 134, upper level)

Confirmation Class, 9:45 AM, Youth Room

Traditional Worship, 11:00 AM, Sanctuary

Ushers: *Ralph Shank, Jr., Bob Davis, Harold Lamm, Henry Moore

Liturgist: Liz Ferrell

Childcare for infants and toddlers is provided all morning in the nursery under the Sanctuary.

Children's Worship is offered for age 4 through 2nd grade during the 11:00 service after the Time with Young Disciples.

Monday, March 25

GPS, 3:00 PM, Music and Christian education for children K–8th grade.

Session Meeting, 7:00 PM, Session Room

Tuesday, March 26

Lenten Lunch, 12:00 PM, Calvary Christian Church

Steeple Views Deadline, 4:00 PM. Please email information for this weekly edition to steepleviews@fpcmartinsvilleVA.org.

Wednesday, March 27

Prayer Shawl Ministry, 4:00 PM, Session Room, Anyone is welcome to join! We will even teach you how to knit. Contact Joan Montgomery, 632-1157, joanmontgo@gmail.com, for more information.

Sanctuary Ringers Practice, 5:45 PM, Handbell Room

Chancel Choir Practice, 7:00 PM, Choir Room. New singers are welcome to join!

For a complete calendar of what's happening at FPC Martinsville, visit our website: www.firstpresbyterianmartinsville.org/calendar.cfm.

Prayer Requests

These members and friends of the congregation need our prayers:

Ken Ashley, Doc Altizer, Connie and Walter Anderson, 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), Janet Cox, Sandra Bryson Cox, Angela Denney (niece of Cynthia Dobrinski), Daniel Handy, Helen Hawkes, Jean Hill, Jeannie Hinchie (D. Bryson), 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, George Townsend, Roger Williams (V. Esarey), persecuted Christians and all troops in defense of freedom throughout the world.



Please submit prayer requests to Rita in the church office, (276) 632-3431, office@fpcmartinsvilleVA.org.

Please remember

Canned Fruit for Grace Network

Our assignment for Grace Network's food pantry is CANNED FRUIT, 15 ounce cans. Please include plastic grocery bags with your donation. Deodorant, toothpaste, bath soap, feminine products, dish detergent, laundry detergent, and toilet paper are also distributed to food pantry clients. Personal care and household items are also needed at the SSRC shelter (former Rainbow House/CAFV). Boxes for donations to both ministries are in the church hallways.



Community Services

Lenten Lunches

Lenten Lunches and Devotionals

Tuesdays, 12:00 Noon

March 12, at Starling Avenue Baptist Church

March 19, at First Presbyterian Church

March 26, at Calvary Christian Church



April 2, at Grace Presbyterian Church
April 9, at Broad Street Christian Church



A FUNdraiser dance for Grace Network

If you are interested in helping and need more information, please contact Christy Hall at Grace Network, 276-790-3878. If you are interested in attending the event, tickets may be purchased for only \$25 per person and all proceeds go to Grace Network!

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A FUNDRAISER DANCE FOR GRACE NETWORK

FRIDAY, APRIL 5 * 6 PM

Join us for a step back in time at **THE HERITAGE**

formerly the Bassett Country Club

WHAT WERE YOUR GLORY DAYS?

'50S

Bobby Socks
Poodle Skirts
Rock & Roll

'60S

Mini Skirts
Pant Suits
Sittin' on the Dock
of the Bay

'70S

Bellbottoms
Hot Pants
Saturday Night Disco

- **Silent Auction 6 - 7:30 p.m.**
- **Burgers, Hotdogs & Fries by Knights of Columbus**
- **Cash Bar featuring Mountain Valley Brewing & Hamlet Vineyards**
- **Vintage Car Pictures**
- **Balloon Raffle**

\$25 PER PERSON
ALL PROCEEDS GO TO
GRACE NETWORK



TICKETS AVAILABLE AT
GRACE NETWORK

For more information, contact
Christy Hall at 276-790-3878



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Our Mission

Share God's Love, Embrace Our Neighbors, Nurture Each Other

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www.firstpresbyterianmartinsville.org/page.cfm/topic/newsletter

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FPC website: www.firstpresbyterianmartinsville.org/ or www.fpcmartinsvilleVA.org/

FPC online directory: members.instantchurchdirectory.com/

FPC Facebook page: www.facebook.com/FPCMartinsvilleVA

Presbytery of the Peaks: www.peakspresbytery.org/

Presbyterian Church (USA): www.pcusa.org/

Daily Bible Readings: www.presbyterianmission.org/devotion/daily/

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2019: Reed Moore, Ralph Shank Jr

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