

October 30, 2016



Steeple Views

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, MARTINSVILLE, VA

Trunk or Treat Sunday, Oct. 30



Halloween fun is this **Sunday, October 30, 3:00–5:00 PM**, in the FPC parking lot!

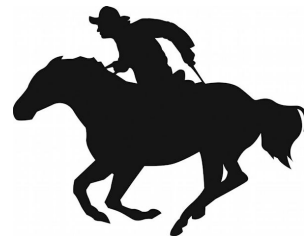
Bring the kids for treats!

Decorate your vehicle and compete for the prize for the best decorated trunk and costumes while you hand out treats. Sign up on the bulletin board outside the church office, call the office (632-3431), or contact Leanna Blevins at (276) 224-3143.

Stewardship Campaign

Move that Bag!

Please, please, please move that bag!! The stewardship bags are moving, but more slowly than anticipated. Please do not keep the bag longer than 48 hours, and remember to pass it to the very next person on your list. If, for some reason, you cannot contact the very next person or family, let the captain listed at the top of the list know (contact information is available) and pass it to the person on the list below the missed contact. Our goal is to finish the campaign by month-end, but we need to pick up the pace to accomplish this goal. Your participation and help are greatly appreciated!



—Chris Beeler, Stewardship Chair

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What's Happening This Week

Thursday, Oct. 27

Red Cross Bloodmobile, 2:00–6:00 PM. Our congregation supplies volunteers who check in donors and serve them at the canteen after they finish

donating blood. If you can help, please contact Nancy Baker: (276) 638-7923, nbaker08@comcast.net.

Disciple Bible Study, 6:00 PM, King's Grant Multi-Purpose Room

Praise Band, 7:00 PM, Chapel

Thursday–Sunday, Oct. 27-30

Grace Network Pumpkin Patch Last Days

Thurs. & Fri. 11:00 AM–7:00 PM, Saturday 9:00 AM–

5:00 PM, Sunday 1:30–5:00 PM, First Baptist Church side lot on Mulberry Road.



Sunday 30

Roll Call of Remembrance (for All-Saints Day)

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 Adult class, Session Room

Confirmation Class, 9:45 AM, Youth Room

Traditional Worship, 11:00 AM, Sanctuary

Usher group #3: Monty Montgomery (Captain), Buck Flythe, Milt Davis, Nancy Davis, Joan Montgomery

Liturgist: Nancy Baker

Trunk or Treat, 3:00–5:00 PM, church parking lot

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

The Service for the Lord's Day, October 30

Reformation Sunday

24th Sunday after Pentecost (Ordinary Time)

Scripture Lessons

Luke 19:1-10; Psalm 19:137-144

Sermon by Rev. Mark Hinchcliff

"Lost and Found: See Anyone You Recognize?"

Additional Lectionary Readings for Sunday

Habakkuk 1:1-4; 2:1-4; 2 Thessalonians 1:1-4, 11-12

[Full text of lectionary readings](#)

Monday, Oct. 31, All Hallows Eve

G.P.S. 3:00–5:00 PM, Music & Bible for children K-8

Tuesday, Nov. 1, All Saints Day

Steeple Views Deadline, 4:00 PM. Please email information to



Gael Chaney,
steepleviews@firstpresbyterianmartinsville.org.

Cooks Who Care, 9:45 AM & 5:30 PM, Marge Dunn Kitchen. Volunteers are needed to prepare and package meals for church members in need of a meal.
Circle 2, 7:00 PM, Parlor, Marge Dunn hostess. Open to any interested women.

Wednesday 2

Steeple Views mailing, 4:00 PM, copier room. Volunteers appreciated.
Sanctuary Ringers, 5:45 PM, handbell room
Chancel Choir, 7:00 PM, Choir Room. New singers always welcome!

Thursday 3

Disciple Bible Study, 6:00 PM, King's Grant Multi-Purpose Room
Praise Band, 7:00 PM, Chapel

Sunday 6

Communion Sunday, both services, Prep/clean-up team: Chaney
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 Adult class, Session Room
Confirmation Class, 9:45 AM, Youth Room
Traditional Worship, 11:00 AM, Sanctuary
Usher group #4: Monty Montgomery (Captain), Jerri & Joe DeVault, Lang Mauck, Bill Stone
Liturgist: John Brown
Communion Serving Team: Harold Lamm, Captain, Jean Williams, Lynn Pritchett, Cathy Stone, Joan Montgomery, Monty Montgomery

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

Volunteers Needed

Cooks Who Care, Tuesday, Nov. 1

Cooks Who Care meets on the first Tuesday of each month in the church kitchen to prepare meals to be frozen and delivered to congregational members and others who may appreciate a meal due to illness, death in the family, birth of a baby, or other need. Cooking together provides fun, fellowship, new recipes, and, most important, a meaningful way to nurture each other within the cooking group and the congregation.

We begin with a devotional at **9:45 AM**, start cooking at 10:00 AM, and package the food at **5:30 PM**. You may sign up for one or both sessions. Please contact Judy Ware (666-2269 or je_ware@yahoo.com) for more information.



Congratulations

to Jon Tatum and Kristen Pruett-Tatum on the birth of their daughter, Norah Maribelle Tatum, on October 24, 2016, in Roanoke. Proud grandmother is Barbara Tatum; uncle and aunt are Neil and Kym Tatum, and cousins, Briana and Cole Tatum.

Prayer Concerns

The following members and friends of our congregation need our prayers: Walter Anderson, Rory Bowen (Rusty Reaser), Jim Brunt (Nancy Davis' brother), Dot Bryson, Evelyn Clark, Ernie Cobb (Marge Dunn's brother in-law), Virginia Coley, Brennen Cox, Sandra B. Cox, Floyd Craig, Nancy Dawson, Jim Ford, Daniel Handy (Pearl Minter's son in-law), Clara Hartley, Clyde Hill, Tracy Hinchcliff, Karl Kelly (Monica Steven's brother), Ann King, Myrtis Lester, Kristi Mong (Victoria Esarey), Ed Pace, Anne Peterson, Dr. Dan Prince, Diane Pruesner (Pastor Mark's Aunt), Louise Mauck Rawls, Barbara Regen, Laura Stevens, Lilian Turman, Martha and Joe Valentine, Sarah Wells, Pat Wilson, and all our troops throughout the world.



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

Our Mission

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

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<http://www.fpcmartinsvilleva.org/>

FPC online directory: <https://members.instantchurchdirectory.com/>

FPC Facebook page: <https://www.facebook.com/FPCMartinsvilleVA>

Presbytery of the Peaks: <http://www.peakspresbytery.org/>

Revised Common Lectionary: <http://lectionary.library.vanderbilt.edu/>

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