

May 19, 2019



Steeple Views

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, MARTINSVILLE, VA

Youth and Family Sunday



Please join us this Sunday, May 19, for one combined service at 11:00 AM. Youth and family will lead the service and a fundraiser lunch & silent auction will immediately follow in the fellowship hall.

Free Community Breakfast!!

Join us in service and fellowship, **Saturday, May 18.**

7:00 AM, Volunteers begin preparing.

8:00–9:30 AM, Serving

Contact Paul Cannaday,

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



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What's Happening at FPC

Thursday, May 16

Red Cross Bloodmobile, 1:00 PM - 5:00 PM, Elks Lodge, 300 Fairy Street

Sunday, May 19

Youth and Family Sunday

Unlock/Lock up: Ed Pace/Henry Moore

NO Contemporary Worship this week

Fellowship & Refreshments, 9:30 AM, Fellowship Hall

Sunday School, 9:45 AM, Children 4 yrs-2nd grade, Room 11-12 under the Sanctuary

****PLEASE NOTE**** Adult class will be starting a new study entitled "***Fear of the Other***", looking at the gospel's command to love one another. Please join us in the Session Room (Room 134, upper level)

Youth and Family Sunday, 11:00 AM, Sanctuary

Ushers: *Monty Montgomery, Joe DeVault, Jerri DeVault

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.

Service at 11:00 AM

The Service for the Lord's Day, May 19, 2019

Fifth Sunday of Easter

Scripture Lessons

Revelation 21:1-6 and Psalm 148

Sermon by Mark Hinchcliff

"Oh Happy Day!"

Full text of lectionary readings

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

More Happenings

Tuesday, May 21

Agape Ministry, 12:00 PM, Session Room

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

Sunday, May 26

Two Cents a Meal Offering

Unlock/Lock up: Johnny Pinkard/Dru Rothrock

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)

Traditional Worship, 11:00 AM, Sanctuary

Ushers: *Denny Casey, Billy Kirby, Rob King

Liturgist: Tracy Hinchcliff

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, May 27

Memorial Day, Church Office Closed

Wednesday, May 29

Prayer Shawl Ministry, 4:00 PM, Session Room

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:

Connie Anderson, 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), 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), Ron Rebman, Barbara Regen, Walt Seamon, C J Swinney (grandson of Deborah Blankenship and great-grandson of Pearl Minter), Roger Williams (V. Esarey), persecuted Christians and all troops in defense of freedom throughout the world.

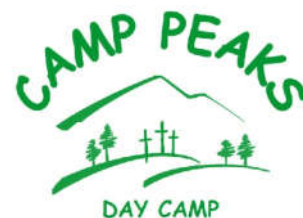


Please submit prayer requests to Rita in the church office, (276) 632-3431, office@fpcmartinsvilleVA.org.

Summer Camp

Camp Peaks, July 22-26, 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM

For children ages 5-12. Campers will meet at the church & travel to the Martin's farm each day plus field trips. The cost is \$35, drinks and snacks are provided but campers need to pack a lunch. Brochures are available in the narthex, outside the chapel, and 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



Vacation Bible School

VBS Roar, June 24-28, 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM

For rising K-6th graders. Lunch will be provided.

Registration forms are available in the pews, narthex, church office, & the church website. **Space is limited this year so register early!** We also need LOTS of adult & teen helpers.

For more information or to volunteer, contact Sam Smith at sfsmith@mail.roanoke.edu or 276-224-2811



Send us your Graduate's Information

Please forward the name and graduation date, along with school name, and any other pertinent information by May 15. Our church family would love to celebrate your accomplishment with you and your family!



Quilters Wanted!

Our platelet donors love Red Cross T-shirts and often get cold during their donation. We want to raffle off an American Red Cross T-shirt quilt like the image below, which a donor had made for herself. Are there any volunteers who have experience quilting with knit material/interfaces? We're hoping to find someone to make one with T-shirts we have. If interested in donating your time to this very worthy cause, please contact: **Gloria Thaxton, American Red Cross** at 540 494-8601, gloria.thaxton@redcross.org



Please remember

Peanut Butter for Grace Network

Our assignment for Grace Network's food pantry for April, May and June, is **PEANUT BUTTER**, 18 ounce jars. 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.



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

Useful Links

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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