# **Church Directory**

PO Box 144, Fincastle VA 24090 (540)473-2042 www.fincastlepresbyterian.org

### THE SESSION

Moderator: The Reverend Dr. Iain S. Maclean Clerk of Session: John Kilby

#### 2016

Lynne Bolton, John Graham, John Hancock
2017
Bruce Bulmer, Debbie Coots, Gwen Griffith
2018

Kip Burton, Sandy Gates, Dick Woodard

### TRUSTEES

Bob Omer, Garland Jones, Peggy Davis

### PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN

Moderator: Marcia Helms Vice-Moderator: Gwen Griffith
Secretary: Leigh Anne Martin Treasurer: Nancy Pauley

Historian: Connie Miles

### THE CHURCH STAFF

Minister: The Reverend Dr. Iain S. Maclean
Minister Emeritus: Dr. Edgar Mayse
Treasurer: Barbara Hancock
Organist and Choir Director: Evelyn Renshaw
Interim Secretary/Bookkeeper: Joyce Minnich

### **Office Hours:**

Tuesday: 10am - 4pmFriday: 10am - 4pm

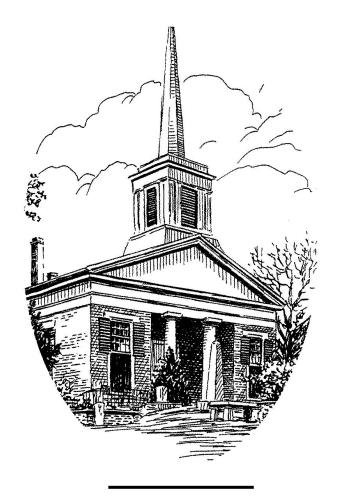
### THE CHURCH CALENDAR

Morning Worship	10:30 am
Nursery available on Sunday morn	nings & during special events
Children's church during service	
Presbyterian Women	
Bell Choir	12 noon, every other Sunday

Please contact Joyce, 540-473-2042 or <u>secretary@fincastlepresbyterian.org</u> by noon on Friday with items you want included in the bulletin.

The Presbyterian Church at Fincastle, Virginia is a continuation of the Sinking Springs congregation formed in 1754 and the Mountain Union congregation organized in 1832. The building was erected in 1771 for the established Church of England in Botetourt County.

# FINCASTLE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



### THE GREAT ENDS OF THE CHURCH

The proclamation of the gospel for the salvation of humankind; The shelter, nurture, and spiritual fellowship of the children of God;

*The maintenance of divine worship;* 

The preservation of the truth;

The promotion of social righteousness;

And the exhibition of the Kingdom of Heaven to the world.

(G-1.0200 – Book of Order)

# Fincastle Presbyterian Church Service for the Lord's Day Passion | Palm Sunday March 20, 2016 - 10:30 a.m.

\*Hymn # 204 "All Glory, Laud and Honor"

Please come forward and place the palm leaves on the ground around the Lord's Table.

Welcome and Announcements

# Prayer of Confession:

Eternal God, in whom we live and move and have our being, whose face is hidden from us by our sins, and whose mercy we forget in the blindness of our hearts; Cleanse us from our offenses, and deliver us from proud thoughts and vain desires, that with reverent and humble hearts we may draw near to you, confessing our faults, confiding in your grace, and finding in you our refuge and strength; through Jesus Christ your Son.

Silent Confession

Kyrie #823 "Lord, Have Mercy upon Us"

Lord, have mercy upon us, Christ, have mercy upon us, Lord, have mercy upon us.

### Assurance of Pardon:

The mercy of the Lord is from everlasting to everlasting. I declare to you, in the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven. May the God of mercy, who forgives you all your sins, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. **Amen.** 

\*Gloria Patri #805

Prayers of the People & the Lord's Prayer

Offering "Morning Has Broken"
Handbell Choir

\*Doxology # 809

\*Prayer of Dedication

Children's Time

Anthem "I've Got Peace Like a River" Traditional Handbell Choir

Prayer of Illumination

Scripture Reading:

Psalm 118: 1-2, 19-29 Kip Burton Pg. 531 Luke 19: 28-40 Pg. 913

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Sermon "Jesus for Christ: The Primary" Dr. Iain Maclean

\*Profession of Faith: The Apostles' Creed

\*Hymn #95 "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name"

\*Charge and Blessing

\*Postlude "Prelude in F Major" J. S. Bach

\*Standing

# **Announcements** March 20, 2016

Welcome to all who worship with us today. If you are a visitor, please fill out a visitor card that is in your pew and put it in the collection plate or give to an Elder. All members, friends and visitors please join us after church in the Fellowship Hall for coffee and refreshments.

**Prayer Concerns:** Mary Westerman, Betsy Holt, JoAnn Lowdon, Mary Myers, Rachel DeHaven (David's mother), Clyde Givens, Al and Ruth Frederick, Greg Miller, Bill Finley, Bill and Jean Branscom, Eric Burton, Jim Miles, Von Hardesty (Iain's friend), Chris Fowler (friend of Becky Downs), Leon Tomblin and Carol.

**Duty Elder:** Kip Burton

Coffee Hour: Lyn Burton & Verna Shuey

Flowers: Valerie Lucas

**Easter Lilies** – There is a sign-up sheet in the Fellowship Hall if you would like to purchase a lily for Easter Sunday. The cost is \$14 and please note if it is in honor or memory of family or friends. All orders must be placed by today.

**Donations are being** accepted for the church Easter Egg Hunt. Please bring plastic eggs with wrapped candy inside. The candy cannot have peanuts or peanut butter in it. You may leave them in the office.

**All Children are** invited to participate in Children's Time. Afterwards, smaller children may go to the staffed nursery and older children may attend Children's Church upstairs.

One Great Hour of Sharing Offering will be received next Sunday. Around the world, people lack access to food, clean water, sanitation, education and opportunity The Offering provides us a way to share God's love with our neighbors in need.

Flowers and Friendship spreads: If you would like to volunteer in providing refreshments (coffee, tea, juice, small food item) for fellowship hour following the service, please sign up in the Fellowship Hall. If you are interested in providing flowers for an upcoming worship service, please sign up on the bulletin board in the foyer.

**Rescue Mission Items for March:** Oven mitts and SOS pads Items can be placed in box in Fellowship Hall.

# **Schedule of Events**

March 24, Maundy Thursday/Tenebrae Service – 7:00 pm The Institution of the Lord's Supper with Rev. Dr. Iain Maclean at Fincastle Presbyterian Church.

<u>March 25, Good Friday Service</u> – 7:00 pm Ecumenical Service at Church of the Brethren, Daleville with local clergy leading the service.

<u>March 27, Easter Sunrise Service</u> – 7:00 am at Godwin Cemetery with refreshments afterwards at Fincastle United Methodist Church.

<u>March 27, Easter Service</u> – 10:30 am Service at Fincastle Presbyterian Church with Rev. Dr. Iain Maclean. Easter Egg Hunt during Children's Time.

<u>March 31, Session Meeting</u> – 7:00 pm in Fellowship Hall.

# **Activities at Fincastle Presbyterian Church**

# **Get Involved!**

### **Bell Choir**

For information please contact Debbie Coots at 540-588-5925. We are actively seeking handbell players. You do not have to have any experience as a musician, only enthusiasm.

**Choir Rehearsal** is at 9:30 am prior to Sunday Service.

# **Presbyterian Women**

Presbyterian Women's Group information please contact Marcia Helms at 540-581-5828, mohelms123@hotmail.com or Gwen Griffith at 540-966-4255, gwengriffith42@gmail.com

# Youth Group Events - Bring a Friend!

Our Middle and Senior High Youth Group will meet every other Sunday evening from 5pm to 7pm in the Fellowship Hall. Dinner will be provided. Join us and bring a friend!

YTD Financial Report through Feb. 2016 Income: \$16,523.49 Expenses: \$14,431.35