

## Church Directory

PO Box 144, Fincastle VA 24090

(540) 473-2042

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### 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

*Secretary/Bookkeeper:* Georgia Fuller

### Office Hours:

Monday & Wednesday: 10:00AM - 4:30PM

Friday: 11:00AM – 2:00 PM

### THE CHURCH CALENDAR

Morning Worship . . . . . 10:30 am

*Nursery available on Sunday mornings & during special events*

*Children's church during service*

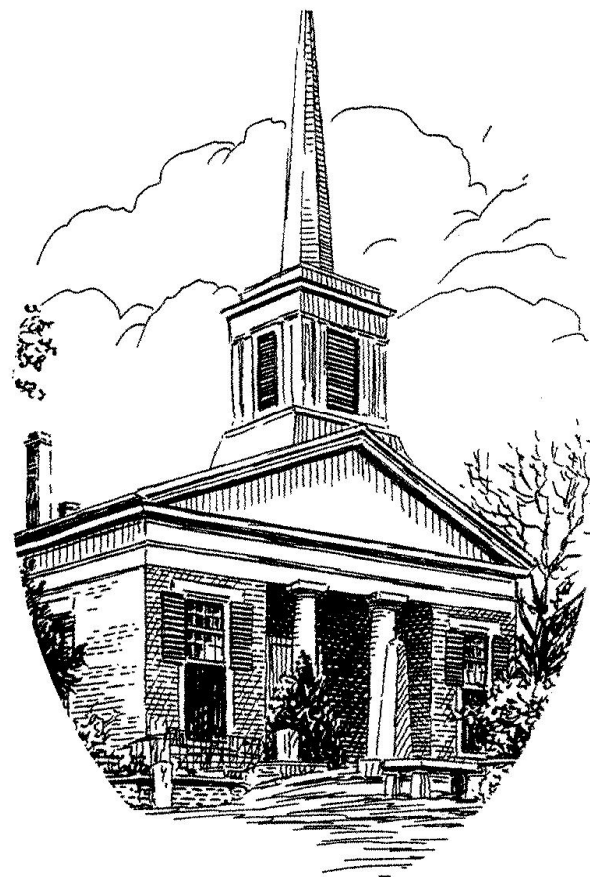
Presbyterian Women . . . . . 2nd Tuesday

Bell Choir . . . . . 12 noon , every other Sunday

Please contact Georgia, 540-473-2042 or secretary@fincastlepresbyterian.org by Wednesday with items you want included in the bulletin.

The Presbyterian Church at Fincastle, Virginia, whose congregation dates to 1763, is a continuation of the Sinking Spring and Spreading Spring congregations formed prior to 1760 and the Mt. Union congregation organized in 1832. The original building was erected in 1771 for the established Church of England in Botetourt County.

# FINCASTLE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



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### 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.*

# *Fincastle Presbyterian Church*

Service for the Lord's Day

17th Sunday after Pentecost

September 11, 2016 - 10:30 a.m.

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## Welcome and Announcements

Prelude "In my beloved God" Dupre

Choral Introit #10 "Glorify Your Name"

## Call to Worship

Minister: O that deliverance for Israel would come from Zion

**All: When the Lord restores the fortunes of His people.**

Minister: God is with the company of the righteous;

**All: Jacob will rejoice, Israel will be glad..**

## Prayer of Invocation

\*Hymn #45 "Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing"

## 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 "We Are Gathered Here to Praise the Lord" Beall/Carter  
Sung by the Choir

\*Doxology # 809

\*Prayer of Dedication

## Recognition and Dedication of all Teachers

## Children's Time

\* Hymn #213 "When I Survey the Wondrous Cross"

## Scripture Reading

I Timothy 1:12-17	John Kilby	Pg.1034
Luke 15:1-10		Pg. 908

Sermon: "Lost" Dr. Iain Maclean

\*Profession of Faith *The Apostles' Creed*

\*Hymn #130 "O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing"

\*Charge and Blessing

\*Postlude "Give praise to Christ Jesus" Dupre

\*Standing

## *Announcements*

### **September 11, 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:** Betsy Holt, JoAnn Lowdon, Mary Myers, Rachel DeHaven (David's mother), Clyde Givens, Al and Ruth Frederick, Jean Branscom, Eric Burton, Chris Fowler (friend of Becky Downs), Carol, David DeHaven, Tina Haxton, Lynne Bolton, Leon Tomblin and Gardner Branscom

**Duty Elder:** John Kilby

**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.

**Rescue Mission Items for September:** Medium Boxes & Pain Relievers (Tylenol, Ibuprofen, Naproxen) Items can be placed in box in Fellowship Hall.

YTD Financial Report through July 2016 Income: \$62,633 Expenses: \$56,815
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## Schedule of Events

**Sunday, September 11** Teacher Dedication

**Sunday, September 11** Sunday School, Youth Group, Kinderkirk and Choir Begins

**Tuesday, September 13** 10:00AM Presbyterian Women will meet for a picnic lunch at the home of Marcia Helms – 171 Pine Haven Rd., Fincastle. Please bring a dish.

**Thursday, September 22** Game Night 7:00-9:00PM

**Sunday, September 25** Church Picnic 1:00PM at Coots' home

**The reception** honoring new attendees and members, scheduled for September 18, has been postponed until later in the fall.

## Activities at Fincastle Presbyterian Church

### **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.

### **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

