

Church Directory

PO Box 144, Fincastle VA 24090
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THE SESSION

Clerk of Session: John Kilby

2018

Kip Burton, Sandy Gates, Dick Woodard

2019

Hal Bailey, Becky Downs, Bob Omer

2020

Lynne Bolton, Alan Brenner, John Griffith

TRUSTEES

Bob Omer, Garland Jones, Peggy Davis

THE CHURCH STAFF

Interim Minister: The Reverend David Dickerson

Treasurer: Becky Downs

Organist and Choir Director: Evelyn Renshaw

Secretary/Bookkeeper: Georgia Fuller

Office Hours:

Monday & Wednesday: 10:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Friday: 11:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

The Rev. David Dickerson, D.Min: Church Office Hours

Mondays - Wednesdays: 8:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

Other Times by Appointment

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

THE CHURCH CALENDAR

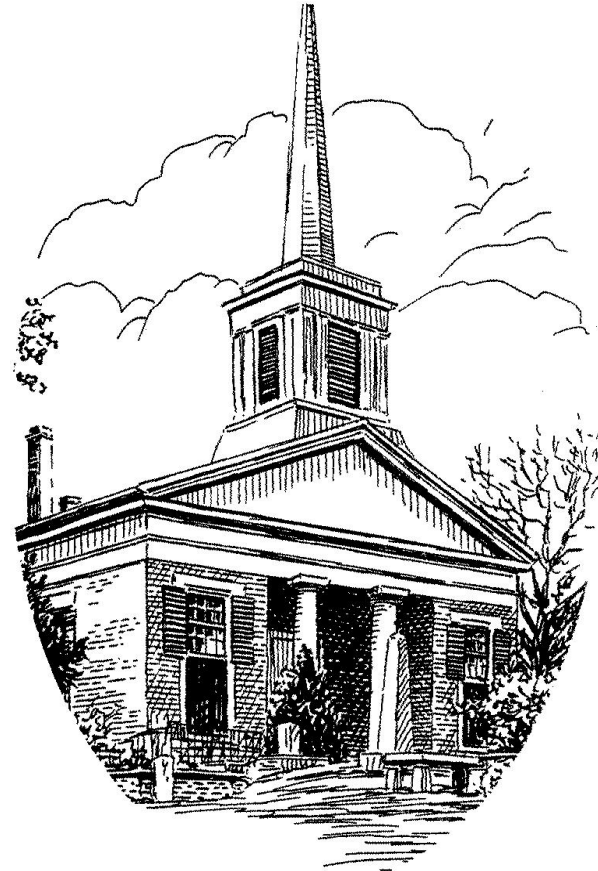
Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.

Nursery available during service

Session 4th Thursday

Bell Choir 12 p.m. every other Sunday

FINCASTLE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



MISSION STATEMENT

*Striving to be faithful disciples of Jesus Christ
Growing in God
Through uplifting and inspiring spiritual experiences
And serving our community in love*

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. Presbyterians have worshipped here continuously since the Revolutionary War.

Fincastle Presbyterian Church

Service for the Lord's Day
10th Sunday after Pentecost
July 29th, 2018 - 10:30 a.m.

Prelude: "Lord, keep us steadfast in Thy Word" Walther

Welcome and Announcements

Organ Introit

Call to Worship: (Psalm 95: 1, 2)

Leader: O come, let us sing unto the Lord: let us make
a joyful noise to the rock of our salvation.

**People: Let us come before his presence with thanks-
giving, and make a joyful noise unto him with
psalms.**

Prayer of Invocation

*Hymn #115 "Fairest Lord Jesus"

Call to Confession: (1 John 1:8-9)

Leader: If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and
the truth is not in us.

**People: If we confess our sins, he who is faithful and just
will forgive us our sins and cleanse us from all
unrighteousness.**

**All: Let us confess our sins before God and before
one another.**

Prayer of Confession: (unison)

Almighty God and merciful Father,

**We have erred and strayed from your ways like lost sheep. We have
followed too much the devices and desires of our own hearts. We have
offended against your holy laws. We have left undone those things which
we ought to have done; and we have done those things which we ought
not to have done; and there is no health in us.**

**But you, O Lord, have mercy upon us, miserable offenders, Spare those,
O God, who confess their faults. Restore those who are penitent,
according to your promises declared unto mankind in Christ Jesus our
Lord.**

**And grant, O most merciful Father, for his sake that we may hereafter
live a godly, righteous, and sober life, to the glory of your holy name.**

Silent Confession: **Amen.**

Kyrie: Hymn # 823 "Lord, Have Mercy upon Us"

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

Assurance of Pardon:

Leader: The Lord is merciful and gracious, slow to anger,
and plenteous in mercy. The Lord has not dealt with
us after our sins, nor rewarded us according to our
iniquities.

**People: As the heavens is high above the earth, so great is his
mercy toward them that fear him. As far as the east
is from the west, so far has he removed our
transgressions from us. Amen**

*Gloria Patri # 805

Prayers of the People & the Lord's Prayer

Offering: "Praise be to Thee, Lord Jesus Christ" Scheidt

*Doxology # 809

*Prayer of Dedication

Children's Time

*Hymn #97 "He Is Lord"

Prayer of Illumination

Scripture Reading:

Psalm 62:5-8 Lynne Bolton Pg. 497
Philippians 1:6, 21-23; 2:9-11; 3:20-21; 4:1 Pg. 1022

Sermon: "The Christian Hope"
The Rev. David Dickerson

*Profession of Faith: *The Apostles' Creed*

*Hymn #498 "I Love to Tell the Story"

*Charge and Blessing

*Postlude: "Praise be to Thee, Lord Jesus Christ" Buttstedt

*Standing

Announcements

July 29th, 2018

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 it to an Elder. All members, friends and visitors please join us after church in the Fellowship Hall for coffee and refreshments.

Prayer Concerns: Carol Brenner, Mary Myers, Al Frederick, Jean Branscom, Chris Fowler (friend of Becky Downs), Laura Holt, Dawn (friend of the Burton's), Leon Tomblin, Andrew Tucker, Emily Beard, Sue Ellen Bolton Thayer, Jackie Ferrel, Jessica Nelson, Holly Myers (Ty's daughter), Whitey Richardson, Ruth Schaaf (Bev Schade's mother) and Gwen, Tom & Josh Doshen (Ed Shuey's sister and family) Andrew Pauley, Marilyn Bosch (Evelyn's friend), Hope, Dot Langford, Ann Gardner & family

All Children are invited to participate in Children's Time. Afterwards, smaller children may go to the staffed nursery.

Duty Elder: Lynne Bolton

Fellowship Hour: Lynne Bolton & Sandy Gates

Fellowship Hour Refreshments: If you would like to volunteer in providing refreshments (coffee, tea, juice, small food item) for the Fellowship Hour following the service, please sign up in the Fellowship Hall.

Bell Choir: We are actively seeking handbell players. You do not have to have any experience as a musician, only enthusiasm. For information, please contact Debbie Coots at 540-588-592.

Rescue Mission Items: See item list on basket in Fellowship Hall.

Handicap Parking: Please leave the spaces beside the church building available for handicap parking.

Please call the office to schedule the use of our tables and chairs so we can be sure they are in the building when someone has signed up to use the Fellowship Hall.

Upcoming Events

Sunday, August 5 Communion

Sunday, August 5 Defibrillator Training (after service)

Sunday, August 26 Tailgate/Church Picnic 4:00 p.m. at the Griffith's. Wear your college colors and bring your favorite tailgate food. Meat, bread and drinks will be provided.

Birthdays: Evelyn Renshaw, 8/4; Patsy Dickerson, 8/6; Lydia Sydnor, 8/9; Griff Wood, 8/11; K.J. DeHaven, 8/12; Leigh Anne Martin, 8/12; Jean Branscom, 8/17; Dot Langford, 8/17; Fred Coots, 8/19; Gardner Branscom, 8/23; Jane Jones, 8/31

YTD Financial Report through June 2018 Income: \$48,728 Expenses: \$43,503
