## **Church Directory**

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

### **THE SESSION**

Clerk of Session: John Kilby

#### 2018

Kip Burton, Sandy Gates, Dick Woodard
2019
Hel Bailey, Backy Downs, Bob Omer

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	. 4 <sup>th</sup> Thursday
Bell Choir	. 12 p.m. every other Sunday

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



#### 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

# Fincastle Presbyterian Church

Service for the Lord's Day 14<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost August 26<sup>th</sup>, 2018 - 10:30 a.m.

Prelude: "Chromatic Fugue"

Pachelbel

Welcome and Announcements

Organ Introit

Call to Worship:

Leader: In the beginning God created the heavens and the

earth.

People: The Spirit of God swept over the face of the

waters;

Leader: Then God said, "Let there be light," **People: And God saw that it was good.** 

All: Let us worship God, the Creator and the Lord of

all things!

Prayer of Invocation

\*Hymn #702 "I Love Thy Kingdom, Lord"

Call to Confession

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 our Lord.

Silent Confession

Kyrie: Lord, have mercy upon us, Christ, have mercy upon us, Lord, have mercy upon us. Assurance of Pardon: (unison)

All: The mercy of the Lord is from everlasting to everlasting. We declare to all who repent in the name of Jesus Christ, all are forgiven. May the God of mercy who forgives us all our sins, strengthen us in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep us in eternal life. Amen.

\*Gloria Patri # 805

Prayers of the People & the Lord's Prayer

Offering: "God gave to us this glorious day" Walther

\*Doxology # 809 \*Prayer of Dedication

Children's Time

\*Hymn #658 "Must Jesus Bear the Cross Alone?"

Prayer of Illumination

Scripture Reading:

1 Kings 8:22-30, 41-43 Lynne Bolton Pg. 299
John 6: 56-69 Pg. 929

Sermon: Where Is The Place of Worship?

The Temple? Our Hearts? Everywhere?

Yes, Everywhere!

The Rev. David Dickerson

\*Profession of Faith: The Apostles' Creed

\*Hymn #747 "Lead On, O King Eternal"

\*Charge and Blessing

\*Postlude: "Trumpet Voluntary in D Major" Purcell

\*Standing

## **Announcements**

August 26<sup>th</sup>, 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, 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), Andrew Pauley, Merilyn Bosch (Evelyn's friend), Dot Langford, Robert Mauck (Elizabeth Bolton Mauck's husband), Mary Lee Reese

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

**Adult Sunday School Class** is starting September 9 at 9:30 a.m. Please plan to join us!

**Duty Elder:** Lynne Bolton

**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 the basket in the 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**

<u>Today</u> Tailgate/Church Picnic at Big Spring Gazebo at 4:00 p.m. Bring your favorite tailgate food and a chair. Don't forget to wear your favorite team's colors.

<u>Monday</u>, <u>August 27 – September 3</u> Georgia Fuller will be on vacation.

**September 2** 2-Cents-A-Meal Offering

**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 July 2018 Income: \$57,946 Expenses: \$50,543