

Fincastle Presbyterian Church

Church Directory

PO Box 144, Fincastle VA 24090
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The Session

Clerk of Session: John Kilby

2019

Hal Bailey, Becky Downs, Bob Omer

2020

Lynne Bolton, Alan Brenner, John Griffith

2021

Sandy Gates, Garland Jones, Lyn Burton

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: Beth Clark

Office Hours:

Monday & Friday: 8:00am - 4:00pm

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

Mondays - Wednesdays: 8:30am – 11:30am

Other Times by Appointment

Please contact Beth at (540) 473-2042 or secretary@fincastlepresbyterian.org
by Wednesday with items you want included in the bulletin.

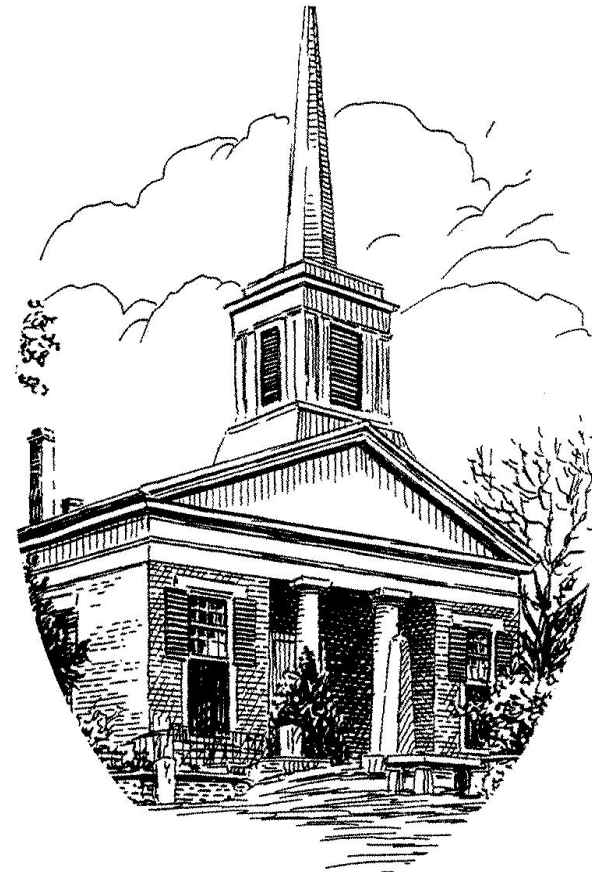
The Church Calendar

Morning Worship 10:30am

Nursery available and Children's church during service

Session 4th Thursday

Bell Choir 12pm every other Sunday



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.

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Service for the Lord's Day

4th Sunday after Epiphany

February 3rd, 2019 – 10:30am

Prelude: *"In Thee, Lord, Have I Put My Trust"*
J.S. Bach

Welcome and Announcements

Choral Introit: #803 *"Jesus, Stand Among Us"*

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

Leader: O come, let us sing unto the Lord:

People: let us make a joyful noise to the rock of our salvation.

Leader: Let us come before his presence with thanksgiving,

People: and make a joyful noise unto him with psalms.

Prayer of Invocation

Hymn: #263 *"Alleluia Sing to Jesus"*

Call to Confession:

Leader: The proof of God's amazing love is this: while we were sinners
Christ dies for us.

**People: Because we have faith in him, we dare with confidence to
approach God.**

All: Let us ask God to forgive us.

Prayer of Confession: (unison)

Almighty and most merciful Father,

We have erred and strayed from Thy ways like lost sheep. We have followed too much the devices and desires of our own hearts. We have offended against Thy 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 Thou, O Lord, have mercy upon us, miserable offenders. Spare Thou those, O God, who confess their faults. Restore Thou those who are penitent, according to Thy 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 Thy holy name.

Silent Confession: Amen

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

Assurance of Pardon: (Psalm 103:8. 10-12)

Leader: The Lord is merciful and gracious, slow to anger, and plenteous in mercy.

People: He hath not dealt with us after our sins, nor rewarded us according to our iniquities.

Leader: As the heaven is high above the earth, so great is his mercy toward them that fear him.

People: As far as the east is from the west, so far hath he removed our transgressions from us.

All: Amen!

*Gloria Patri: #805

Prayers of the People & the Lord's Prayer

Offering: #539 *"I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light"* Kathleen Thomeson
sung by Choir

*Doxology # 809

*Prayer of Dedication

Children's Time

Hymn: #697 *"In Christ There Is No East or West"*

Prayer of Illumination

Scripture Reading:

Jeremiah 1:4-10

Bob Omer

Pg. 647

Luke 4:21-30

Pg. 892

Sermon:

"You Can Never Go Home Again! (OR, Can You?)"
The Rev. David Dickerson

*Profession of Faith:

The Apostles' Creed

*Hymn: #526

"Trusting Jesus"

*Charge and Blessing

*Postlude:

"Prelude in e minor"
J.S. Bach

*Standing

Announcements

February 3, 2019

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 (*Becky's friend*), Laura Holt, Leon Tomblin, Andrew Tucker, Emily Beard, Sue Ellen Bolton Thayer, Jackie Ferrel, Holly Myers (*Ty's daughter*), Ruth Schaaf (*Bev's mother*), Andrew Pauley, Mary Lee Reese, Clyde Hypes, Mary Black, Audrey Brizendine (*Evelyn's friend*), Gloria Willis, Rogena Sharp (*mother of Vickie Littleton*), the family of Bethany Stevens (*daughter of Mike & Carol Stevens*), Clyde & Natalie Givens, Doug Ross, Eric Burton

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.

Bell Choir: Anyone interested in giving bells a try? No experience necessary, only enthusiasm. Please join us every other Sunday at 12pm. Contact Debbie Coots (540)588-5925 for more information.

Adult Sunday School Class: Please join us at 9:30am

Duty Elder: Bob Omer

Fellowship Hour: Not having this Sunday due to Souper Bowl Event.

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 ensure they are in the building when someone has signed up to use the Fellowship Hall.

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.

Upcoming Events

Sunday, February 3rd: 2 cents-a-meal Offering

Sunday, February 3rd: Souper Bowl Sunday after church in the Fellowship Hall will have soup and sandwiches.

Wednesday, February 20th: Endowment Meeting

Thursday, February 21st: Presbytery Meeting at 9am First Presbyterian Church, Martinsville

Saturday, March 23rd: Please place on your calendars. Lifetouch will take photographs of all of us for our new Church Directory 12pm-7pm. If you have great photos of church gatherings etc. please send them to Sandy Gates so they can be included in the Directory.

Birthdays: Beverly Schade 2/4, John Graham 2/22, Kip Burton 2/26

FERRUM COLLEGE PRESENTS



COLLEGIATES IN CONCERT

Professor Adam McAllister
Director

Sunday, February 17th
6pm

FINCASTLE UNITED METHODIST
CHURCH

Free & Open to the Public

DEAR FINCASTLE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
MEMBERS AND FRIENDS,

We are presently wanting to add folks to our various Committees.
Below is the contact person for each Committee, please contact them if
you would like to serve on their committees.

Finance Committee: Chairman and contact person Becky Downs
downsbecky@gmail.com

Communication Committee: Chairman and contact person Sandy
Gates gatesofbot@ntelos.net

Congregational Care: Chairman and contact person Bob Omer
maggie04@lumos.net

Mission's Committee: Chairman and contact person Hal Bailey
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Christian Education: Chairman and contact person Lyn Burton
kielyn@rbnet.com

Worship Committee: Chairman and contact person Lynne Bolton
normlynn@aol.com

Fellowship Committee: Chairman and contact person John Griffith
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Property Committee: Chairman and contact person Alan Brenner
alanbrenner@hotmail.com

Personnel Committee: Chairman and contact person Garland Jones
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