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Worshiping Church Hymnal: 1990 Hope Publishing Co. Carol Stream, IL #62 Mortal Invisible, #543 Christ  
Beside Me, #611 There Is a Balm in Gilead. **Service Music.** #823 Kyrie, # 805 Gloria Patri, #808 The Doxology.  
**Glory to God Hymnal:** 2013 Westminster John Knox Press, Louisville, KY, #775 I Want Jesus to Walk With Me.  
**The Liturgical Organist,** by Carlo Rossini, J. Fischer & Bro, 119 West 40<sup>th</sup> Street, New York, NY, #24, J. Bernards  
**Today's Hymns and Songs for Piano** by John Carter, Hope Publishing Co., Carol Stream, IL 60188, code No.  
244. **Oxford Service Music for Organ:** edited by Anne Marsden Thomas, Music Department, Oxford University  
Press, Great Clarendon Street, Oxford OX2 6DP, England, Page 24, Adagio, John Stanley.

### **Church Directory**

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### **The Session**

**Clerk of Session:** John Kilby

**2022:** Sandy Gates, Lyn Burton, Hal Bailey

**2023:** Cathy Goad, Paul Phillippe, Bo Trumbo

**2024:** Fred Coats, Lynne Bolton, Jim Porter

### **Trustees**

Bob Omer, Garland Jones, Peggy Davis

### **The Church Staff**

*Interim Minister:* The Rev. Dr. David Dickerson, D.Min.

*Treasurer:* Hal Bailey

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by Tuesday at 9am with items you want included in the bulletin.

### **The Church Calendar**

Morning Worship..... 10:30am

Session..... 4<sup>th</sup> Thursday of each month

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

## Service for the Lord's Day

7<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Epiphany

February 20<sup>th</sup> 2022 – 10:30am (In Person & Live Streaming)

Chiming of the Hour

Prelude: "Like the Murmur of the Dove's Song"

arr. John Carter  
Rose Ann Burgess, organist

Welcome and Announcements:

Call to Worship: Isaiah 55:6,7

One: Seek ye the Lord while he may be found, call ye upon him while he is near;

**Many: let the wicked forsake their way, and the unrighteous their thoughts;**

**All: and let them return unto the Lord, and he will have mercy upon them; and to our God, for he will abundantly pardon.**

Prayer of Invocation:

The Rev. Dr. David Dickerson, D.Min

Hymn: #62

"Immortal Invisible"

Call to Confession:

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

**Many: 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 God,**

**You love us, but we have not loved you; you call, but we have not listened. We walk away from neighbors in need, wrapped up in our own concerns. We have gone along with evil, with prejudice, warfare, and greed. God our Father, help us to face up to ourselves, so that, as you move toward us in mercy, we may repent, turn to you, and receive forgiveness, through Jesus Christ our Lord.**

Silent Confession: **Amen**

Kyrie: #823

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

Assurance of Pardon:

One: Almighty God, who freely pardons all who repent and turn to Him, now fulfill in every contrite heart the promise of redeeming grace;

**Many: remitting all our sins, and cleansing us from an evil conscience, through the perfect sacrifice of Christ Jesus our Lord**

**All: Amen.**

Gloria Patri: #805

**Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.**

Prayers of the People & The Lord's Prayer

Offertory Anthem: "I Want Jesus to Walk With Me"

African American Spiritual

Gallery Singers

\*Doxology #809

\*Prayer of Dedication

Prayer of Illumination:

The Rev. Dr. David Dickerson, D.Min

Old Testament Reading:

Genesis 45:1-15

Hymn: #543

"Christ Beside Me"

New Testament Reading:

Luke 6:27-38

Sermon: "How Ought We To Respond To Our Broken World?"

The Rev. Dr. David Dickerson, D.Min

Moment for Meditation: "Adagio"

John Stanley

\*Profession of Faith:

The Apostles' Creed

Hymn: #611

"There Is a Balm in Gilead"

\*Charge and Blessing

\*Postlude: "Postlude in e minor"

J. Bernards

Rose Ann Burgess, organist

\*Standing

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### Announcements

**Prayer Concerns:** Laura Holt McCann, Mary Lee Reese, Mary Black, Nathalie Givens, Kaki Peaslee, Dianne Poynor, Marilyn Koch (Lisa's Mother), Molly Rose (Valerie Lucas's Cousin), Lisa Curlee (Sarah Bulmer's Sister), Marlene Davidow (Lynne's Friend), Meg Omer, Rick Vari, Mary Beth Huwe, Hiawatha "Hi" Niceley, Billie Wilson (Sue Porter's s.-in-law), Mary Woodard, Amy Ward (Family of Sue Porter), The family of Phyllis Tenser, George Etzler, Gary Crizer (Sandy's daughter-in-law's father), The Family of Tabitha Thompson, Paul Langford (brother-in-law of Dot Langford & uncle to Leigh Anne Martin)

**Birthdays:** Beverly Schade 2/4, Kip Burton 2/26

**Scripture:****Genesis 45:1-15**

<sup>1</sup>Then Joseph could not control himself before all those who stood by him; and he cried, "Make every one go out from me." So no one stayed with him when Joseph made himself known to his brothers. <sup>2</sup>And he wept aloud, so that the Egyptians heard it, and the household of Pharaoh heard it. <sup>3</sup>And Joseph said to his brothers, "I am Joseph; is my father still alive?" But his brothers could not answer him, for they were dismayed at his presence. <sup>4</sup>So Joseph said to his brothers, "Come near to me, I pray you." And they came near. And he said, "I am your brother, Joseph, whom you sold into Egypt. <sup>5</sup>And now do not be distressed, or angry with yourselves, because you sold me here; for God sent me before you to preserve life. <sup>6</sup>For the famine has been in the land these two years; and there are yet five years in which there will be neither plowing nor harvest. <sup>7</sup>And God sent me before you to preserve for you a remnant on earth, and to keep alive for you many survivors. <sup>8</sup>So it was not you who sent me here, but God; and he has made me a father to Pharaoh, and lord of all his house and ruler over all the land of Egypt. <sup>9</sup>Make haste and go up to my father and say to him, 'Thus says your son Joseph, God has made me lord of all Egypt; come down to me, do not tarry; <sup>10</sup>you shall dwell in the land of Goshen, and you shall be near me, you and your children and your children's children, and your flocks, your herds, and all that you have; <sup>11</sup>and there I will provide for you, for there are yet five years of famine to come; lest you and your household, and all that you have, come to poverty.' <sup>12</sup>And now your eyes see, and the eyes of my brother Benjamin see, that it is my mouth that speaks to you. <sup>13</sup>You must tell my father of all my splendor in Egypt, and of all that you have seen. Make haste and bring my father down here." <sup>14</sup>Then he fell upon his brother Benjamin's neck and wept; and Benjamin wept upon his neck. <sup>15</sup>And he kissed all his brothers and wept upon them; and after that his brothers talked with him.

**Luke 6:27-38**

<sup>27</sup>"But I say to you that hear, Love your enemies, do good to those who hate you, <sup>28</sup>bless those who curse you, pray for those who abuse you. <sup>29</sup>To him who strikes you on the cheek, offer the other also; and from him who takes away your coat do not withhold even your shirt. <sup>30</sup>Give to every one who begs from you; and of him who takes away your goods do not ask them again. <sup>31</sup>And as you wish that men would do to you, do so to them. <sup>32</sup>"If you love those who love you, what credit is that to you? For even sinners love those who love them. <sup>33</sup>And if you do good to those who do good to you, what credit is that to you? For even sinners do the same. <sup>34</sup>And if you lend to those from whom you hope to receive, what credit is that to you? Even sinners lend to sinners, to receive as much again. <sup>35</sup>But love your enemies, and do good, and lend, expecting nothing in return; and your reward will be great, and you will be sons of the Most High; for he is kind to the ungrateful and the selfish. <sup>36</sup>Be merciful, even as your Father is merciful. <sup>37</sup>"Judge not, and you will not be judged; condemn not, and you will not be condemned; forgive, and you will be forgiven; <sup>38</sup>give, and it will be given to you; good measure, pressed down, shaken together, running over, will be put into your lap. For the measure you give will be the measure you get back."

**Hymns:****#62 IMMORTAL, INVISIBLE**

1 Immortal, invisible, God only wise, in light inaccessible hid from our eyes, most blessed, most glorious, the Ancient of Days, almighty, victorious, thy great name we praise.

2 Unresting, unhasting, and silent as light, nor wanting, nor wasting, thou rulest in might; thy justice like mountains high soaring above thy clouds, which are fountains of goodness and love.

3 To all life thou givest, to both great and small; in all life thou livest, the true life of all; we blossom and flourish as leaves on the tree, and wither and perish— but naught changeth thee.

4 Great Father of glory, pure Father of light, thine angels adore thee, all veiling their sight; all praise we would render; O help us to see 'tis only the splendor of light hideth thee.

**#543 CHRIST BESIDE ME**

1 Christ beside me, Christ before me, Christ behind me, King of my heart; Christ within me, Christ below me, Christ above me never to part.

2 Christ on my right hand, Christ on my left hand, Christ all around me shield in the strife; Christ in my sleeping, Christ in my sitting, Christ in my rising light of my life.

3 Christ beside me, Christ before me, Christ behind me, King of my heart; Christ within me, Christ below me, Christ above me never to part.

**#611 THERE IS a BALM in GILEAD**

[Refrain:] There is a balm in Gilead to make the wounded whole; there is a balm in Gilead to heal the sin-sick soul.

1 Sometimes I feel discouraged, and think my work's in vain, but then the Holy Spirit revives my soul again. (Refrain)

2 If you cannot preach like Peter, if you cannot pray like Paul, you can tell the love of Jesus, and say "He died for all." (Refrain)

3 Don't ever feel discouraged, for Jesus is your friend; and if you lack for knowledge he'll ne'er refuse to lend. (Refrain)