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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 Coots, 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
Organist & Choir Director: Rose Ann Burgess
Bookkeeper: Beth Clark

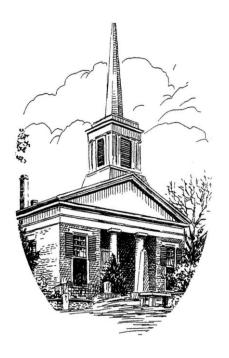
Please contact Beth at (540) 473-2042 or fincastlepresbyterianchurch@gmail.com by Tuesday at 9am with items you want included in the bulletin.

The Church Calendar

Morning Worship	10:30am
Session	. 4th 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

Palm Sunday

April 10th 2022 – 10:30am (In Person & Live Streaming)

Chiming of the Hour

Prelude: St. Theodulph arr. Martha Sobaje
Rose Ann Burgess, organist

Welcome and Announcements:

Introit: Hosanna, Loud Hosanna

Tune: Ellacombe
Gallery Singers

Call to Worship: Psalm 24:9-10

One: Lift up your heads, O gates! And be lifted up, O ancient doors!

Many: that the King of glory may come in,

One: Who is the king of glory?

Many: The Lord of hosts, he is the king of glory

Prayer of Invocation: Rev. Dr. David Dickerson, D.Min

Hymn: #204 All Glory, Laud and Honor

Call to Confession:

One: If we claim to be sinless, we are self-deceived and strangers to the truth.

Many: If we confess our sins, God is just, and may be trusted to forgive our sins

and cleanse us from every kind of wrong.

All: Let us admit our sin before God.

Prayer of Confession: unison

Eternal God.

In Jesus Christ you entered Jerusalem to die for our sins. We confess we have not hailed you as king, or gone before you in the world with praise. For brief faith that fades in trouble, for enthusiasms that fizzle out, for hopes we parade but do not pursue, have mercy on us. Forgive us, God, and give us such trust in your power that, in every city, we may live for justice and tell your loving-kindness, for the sake of our Savior, the Lord Jesus Christ.

Silent Confession: Amen

Kvrie: #823

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

Assurance of Pardon:

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

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

All: As far as the east is from the west, so far has he removed our transgressions from us. Amen.

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: Filled With Excitement

*Doxology #809

Mexican Hymn/ Rubén Avila

*Gallery Singers

*Prayer of Dedication

Prayer of Illumination: The Rev. Dr. David Dickerson, D.Min

Old Testament Reading: Psalm 118:1-2, 19-29

Hymn: #216 Beneath the Cross of Jesus

New Testament Reading: Luke 19:28-40

Sermon: "The First Palm Sunday: A Foretaste of What Is Real" Rev. Dr. David Dickerson, D.Min

Moment of Meditation: Were You There arr. Lloyd Larson

Back Street Ringers

*Profession of Faith: The Apostles' Creed

Hymn: #221 O Sacred Head, Now Wounded

*Charge and Blessing

*Postlude: Lamb of God, pure and holy George Telemann 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), Paul Langford (brother-in-law of Dot Langford & uncle to Leigh Anne Martin), The Family of Judy Morris, Peggy Davis, Ben Womble (brother-in-law of Sandy), TC Beasley, Linda Bennett, Family of Marvin Gates (member of Sandy's extended family)

Easter Season Plans: April 14th at 7:00PM is service of Tenebrae or Maundy Thursday

Easter Sunday: there will be our traditional morning service, as well as the sunrise service at Godwin Cemetery followed by a buffet breakfast at the Family Life Center.

Birthdays: John Griffith 4/3, Rick Vari 4/9, Marissa Schade 4/16, Craig Leisure 4/21, Marilyn Tomblin 4/22. Debbie Coots 4/25

Scripture

Psalm 118:1-2, 19-29

¹O give thanks to the Lord, for he is good; his steadfast love endures for ever! ²Let Israel say, "His steadfast love endures for ever."

⁹ Open to me the gates of righteousness, that I may enter through them and give thanks to the Lord. ²⁰ This is the gate of the Lord; the righteous shall enter through it. ²¹ I thank thee that thou hast answered me and hast become my salvation. ²² The stone which the builders rejected has become the head of the corner. ²³ This is the Lord's doing; it is marvelous in our eyes. ²⁴ This is the day which the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad in it. ²⁵ Save us, we beseech thee, O Lord! O Lord, we beseech thee, give us success! ²⁶ Blessed be he who enters in the name of the Lord! We bless you from the house of the Lord. ²⁷ The Lord is God, and he has given us light. Bind the festal procession with branches, up to the horns of the altar! ²⁸ Thou art my God, and I will give thanks to thee; thou art my God, I will extol thee. ²⁹ O give thanks to the Lord, for he is good; for his steadfast love endures for ever!

Luke 19:28-40

²⁸ And when he had said this, he went on ahead, going up to Jerusalem. ²⁹ When he drew near to Beth'phage and Bethany, at the mount that is called Olivet, he sent two of the disciples, ³⁰ saying, "Go into the village opposite, where on entering you will find a colt tied, on which no one has ever yet sat; untie it and bring it here. ³¹ If any one asks you, 'Why are you untying it?' you shall say this, 'The Lord has need of it.'" ³² So those who were sent went away and found it as he had told them. ³³ And as they were untying the colt, its owners said to them, "Why are you untying the colt?" ³⁴ And they said, "The Lord has need of it." ³⁵ And they brought it to Jesus, and throwing their garments on the colt they set Jesus upon it. ³⁶ And as he rode along, they spread their garments on the road. ³⁷ As he was now drawing near, at the descent of the Mount of Olives, the whole multitude of the disciples began to rejoice and praise God with a loud voice for all the mighty works that they had seen, ³⁸ saying, "Blessed is the King who comes in the name of the Lord! Peace in heaven and glory in the highest!" ³⁹ And some of the Pharisees in the multitude said to him, "Teacher, rebuke your disciples." ⁴⁰ He answered, "I tell you, if these were silent, the very stones would cry out."

Hymns

All Glory, Laud and Honor

Refrain: All glory, laud and honor to thee, Redeemer, King, to whom the lips of children made sweet hosannas ring.

- 1 Thou art the King of Israel, thou David's royal Son, who in the Lord's name comest, the King and blessed One! [Refrain]
- 2 The company of angels are praising thee on high, and we with all creation in chorus make reply: [Refrain]
- 3 The people of the Hebrews with palms before thee went; our praise and prayer and anthems before thee we present: [Refrain]
- 4 To thee, before thy passion, they sang their hymns of praise; to thee, now high exalted, our melody we raise: [Refrain]
- 5 Thou didst accept their praises—accept the prayers we bring, who in all good delightest, thou good and gracious King! [Refrain]

Beneath the Cross of Jesus

- 1 Beneath the cross of Jesus I fain would take my stand—the shadow of a mighty Rock within a weary land, a home within the wilderness, a rest upon the way, from the burning of the noontide heat, and the burden of the day.
- 2 Upon that cross of Jesus mine eye at times can see the very dying form of One who suffered there for me; and from my smitten heart with tears two wonders I confess—the wonders of redeeming love and my unworthiness.
- 3 I take, O cross, thy shadow for my abiding place; I ask no other sunshine than the sunshine of his face, content to let the world go by, to know no gain nor loss, my sinful self my only shame, my glory all the cross.

O Sacred Head, Now Wounded

- 1 O sacred head, now wounded, with grief and shame weighed down, now scornfully surrounded with thorns, thine only crown: O sacred head, what glory, what bliss till now was thine; yet, though despised and gory, I joy to call thee mine.
- 2 What thou, my Lord, hast suffered was all for sinners' gain; mine, mine was the transgression, but thine the deadly pain. Lo, here I fall, my Savior! 'Tis I deserve thy place; look on me with Thy favor, and grant to me thy grace.
- 3 What language shall I borrow to thank thee, dearest friend, for this thy dying sorrow, thy pity without end? O make me thine forever; and should I fainting be, Lord, let me never, never outlive my love to thee.

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