

Announcement and Concerns of the Church

Prayer List:

Members: Patsy and David Dickerson, Nathalie Givens, Mike Goad, Meg and Bob Omer

Friends and family of members: Mary Black, Darren Engle (Keith McMurry's son-in-law), Martha Etzler Cam, Brad Hall (friend of Verna & Ed Shuey), Peggy Hughes, Laura Holt McCann, Wayland Overstreet (friend of Hi Nicely) Doug Paysour, Mary Lee Reese, Whitney Wolford (friend of the Baileys)



- ◆ **Shared Recipes**—If you are willing to share some of your favorite recipes, please email them to Patsy at psdicke@yahoo.com or leave a hard copy in a box labeled Recipes in the kitchen at the church. Patsy will start attaching one per month to the newsletter!
- ◆ **Fellowship Calendar**—Please check out the fellowship calendar downstairs in the Fellowship hall. We have at least one open Sundays in the month of May. Thank you for considering this Fellowship Opportunity
- ◆ Mark your calendars and plan on joining in the Bible study following the Book **“Twelve Extraordinary Women**, led by Lyn Burton. First meeting will be Tuesday, June 13 at 2:00pm in the fellowship hall.
- ◆ Saturday, May 20 is the 2nd annual **“STEP BACK INTO HISTORY DAY”**. The event will include all historic sites for people to walk around and visit...as well as learn a little about Fincastle's history. Hosting the event: HFI, the Town, BCHS, DAR and Botetourt County Schools. And our church certainly holds a major historical significance in our community! We are looking for volunteers to offer 1 or 2 hours to have the church open, and to share a few facts with visitors (facts sheet will be provided). The event will run from 10:00 am to 3:00pm. Let Patsy Dickerson 540-460-4597 or Lynne Bolton 540-521-5433 know if you are interested.

Copyright: All rights reserved. Reprinted/Recorded with permission under One License #A- 73950 The Worshiping Church Hymnal: 1990 Hope Publishing Co. Carol Stream, IL Service Music, # 809 Doxology. Hymns: #801 “This Is The Day”; #593 “The Gift of Love”; #447 “Seek Ye First”; #518 “He’s Got The Whole World in His Hands”, #384 “This is My Father’s World”; Service Music: “Great is Thy Faithfulness” Chisholm/Runyan; “Morning Has Broken” Farjeon/Stevens, “If You Believe” J. Brickman); “Every Time I Feel the Spirit”

Traditional

Fincastle Presbyterian Church



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Service for the Lord's Day

6th Sunday of Easter

Mother's Day

May 14, 2023—10:30 am (In Person & Live Streaming)

Chiming of the Hour

Prelude

"Great is Thy Faithfulness"

Chisholm/Runyan

Welcome and Announcements

Lynne Bolton

Today's readings, songs, prayers, and liturgy have been chosen as an honor to mothers and reflect the themes of: "Love, Thankfulness, Grace, Compassion, Comfort, and Sacrifice."

Hymn: #801

"This Is the Day"

Prayer of Invocation

Jim and Sue Porter

Offering

Offertory Anthem

"Morning Has Broken"

Farjeon/Stevens

Doxology: ***Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below; Praise Him above ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen***

#808

Prayer of Dedication

Jim and Sue Porter

Kip Burton:

Scripture Reading: Love

(Pew Bible page 1000)

1 Corinthians 13

(Pew Bible page 924)

John 3:16

Hymn History

#593

"The Gift of Love"

Jennifer Kincaid

Scripture Reading: Thankfulness

(Pew Bible page 1028)

Colossians 3:15-17

(Pew Bible page 520)

Psalms 100:1-5

Hymn History

#447

"Seek Ye First"

Kaycee Kincaid

Scripture Reading: Comfort

(Pew Bible page 621)

Isaiah 41:10

(Pew Bible page 939)

John 14:27

(Pew Bible page 983-984)

Romans 8:37-38

Hymn History

#518

"He's Got the Whole World in His Hands"

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Time of Sharing

Lori Turner

Lyn Burton

Litany of Thanksgiving (Responsive Reading)

#378

Prayers of the People

Mother's Day Blessing / The Lord's Prayer

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Moment for Meditation

"If You Believe"

J. Brickman

Lynne Bolton:

Profession of Faith: #14

Apostle's Creed

Hymn: #384 (Vs 1,3)

"This is My Father's World"

Lori Turner:

Benediction

Sung Response #561

Just a Closer Walk With Thee (Refrain)

Just a closer walk with thee, grant it, Jesus, is my plea.

Daily walking close to thee: let it be, dear Lord, let it be.

Postlude:

"Every Time I Feel the Spirit"

Traditional

Hymn history information from: <https://www.umcdiscipleship.org/resources/>

Happy Mother's Day



Calendar of Events:

Planned Office hours for week 05/14/2023: Monday 9:00-2:00, Wednesday 9:00 to 2:00; Friday 9:00—3:00

Sunday, May 14

6th Sunday of Easter

Sunday School—No Sunday

Worship Service—10:30 am

Mother's Day

Duty Elders: Jim Porter and Lynne Bolton

Fellowship:

Tuesday, May 16

Historic Fincastle, Fellowship Hall, 4:00-7:30

Saturday, May 20

Step Back Into History Day, 10:00 to 3:00

Sunday, May 21

7th Sunday of Easter

Sunday School—9:30 am

Worship Service—10:30 am

Duty Elders: Jim Porter and Lynne Bolton

Fellowship: P. Vari

Tuesday, May 23

Happy Birthday, Cindy Bailey!

Endowment Meeting 4:00pm Fellowship Hall

Wednesday, May 24

Happy Birthday, Eric McGraw!

Thursday, May 25

Session—7:00 pm, Fellowship Hall

Friday, May 26

Happy Birthday, Joel Branscom

Sunday, May 28

Pentecost

Sunday School—9:30 am

Worship Service—10:30 am

Duty Elders: Paul Phillippe and John Kilby

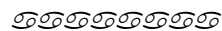
Fellowship:

Monday, May 29

Memorial Day

Wednesday, May 31

Happy Birthday, John Hancock!



Clerk of Session: John Kilby

Class of 2023: Sandy Gates, Lyn Burton,

Hal Bailey

Class of 2024: Cathy Goad, Paul Phillippe,

Bo Trumbo

Class of 2025: Fred Coots, Lynne Bolton,

Jim Porter

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Hymn 801
This Is the Day

1. This is the day,
this is the day that the Lord has made, that the Lord
has made;
We will rejoice,
we will rejoice and be glad in it, and be glad in it.
This is the day that the Lord has made;
We will rejoice and be glad in it.
This is the day, this is the day that the Lord has made.
2. This is the day,
this is the day that he rose again, when he rose again
We will rejoice,
we will rejoice and be glad in it, and be glad in it.
This is the day that he rose again, when he rose
again;
We will rejoice and be glad in it.
This is the day, this is the day when he rose again.
3. This is the day,
this is the day when the Spirit came, when the Spirit
came
We will rejoice,
we will rejoice and be glad in it, and be glad in it.
This is the day when the Spirit came;
We will rejoice and be glad in it.
This is the day, when the spirit came.

Hymn 593
The Gift of Love

- 1 Though I may speak with bravest fire,
and have the gift to all inspire,
and have not love, my words are vain;
as sounding brass, and hopeless gain.
- 2 Though I may give all I possess,
and striving so my love profess,
but not be given by love within,
the profit soon turns strangely thin.
- 3 Come, Spirit, come, our hearts control,
our spirits long to be made whole.
Let inward love guide every deed;
by this we worship, and are freed.

Hymn 447
Seek Ye First

- 1 Seek ye first the Kingdom of God and it's righteous-
ness
and all these things shall be added unto you;
Allelu, Alleluia!
- 2 Ask, and it shall be given unto you
seek and ye shall find,
knock, and the door shall be opened unto you;
Allelu, Alleluia!

Hymn 518

He's Got the Whole World in His Hands

1 He's got the whole world in his hands,
he's got the whole world in his hands,
he's got the whole world in his hands,
he's got the whole world in his hands.

2 He's got the wind and the rain in his
hands,
he's got the wind and the rain in his hands,
he's got the wind and the rain in his hands,
he's got the whole world in his hands.

3 He's got the tiny little baby in his hands,
he's got the tiny little baby in his hands,
he's got the tiny little baby in his hands,
he's got the whole world in his hands.

4 He's got you and me, brother, in his hands,
he's got you and me, brother, in his hands,
he's got you and me, brother, in his hands,
he's got the whole world in his hands.

Coda: He's got the whole world in his hands.

Hymn 384 (vs 1,3)

1 This is my Father's world,
and to my listening ears
all nature sings, and round me rings
the music of the spheres.
This is my Father's world:
I rest me in the thought
of rocks and trees, of skies and seas—
his hand the wonders wrought.

3 This is my Father's world:
he shines in all that's fair;
in the rustling grass I hear him pass,
he speaks to me everywhere.
This is my Father's world:
why should my heart be sad?
The Lord is King, let heaven ring!
God reigns; let earth be glad!

#561 Just a Closer Walk With Thee (Refrain)

Just a closer walk with thee,
grant it, Jesus is my plea.
Daily walking close to thee:
let it be, dear Lord, let it be.