

*Profession of Faith: #14

Apostles' Creed

*Hymn #443

"Only Trust Him"

*Charge

*Sung Response #479

"O How He Loves You and Me"

O how He loves you and me,
O how He loves you and me;
He gave His life— what more could He give?
O how He loves you, O How He loves me,
O how He loves you and me.

*Benediction

Postlude

"Do Lord"

Trad. Spiritual

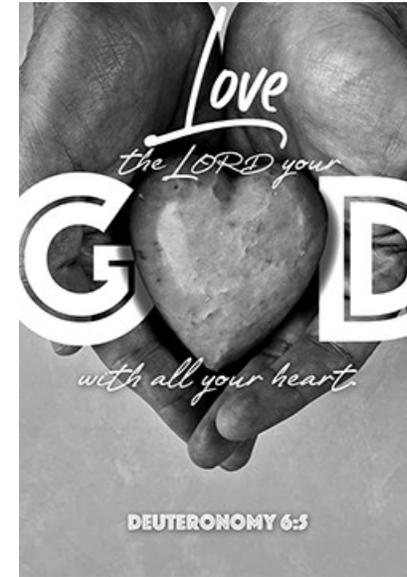
Prayer Concerns



Members: Nick and Becky Deschamps, Nathalie Givens, Hi Nicely, Meg and Bob Omer

Friends and family of FPC: Laurie DeVoto (Patty Vari's sister), Jason and Linda Jenkins (neighbors of the Porters), Lori Katz (friend of Sandy Gates), Laura Holt McCann, the family of Hope Owens (friends of Danette Heinlein), Emily Parker (David Dickerson's cousin), Dr. Steve Richards (friend of Sandy Gates), the family of Carl Rubis (Lori Turner's Uncle, Pat Roberts brother-in-law), the family of Joyce Bolton Turbyfill (Lynne Bolton's aunt), Mary Rae (organist at FUMC).

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Mission Statement:

Striving to be faithful disciples of Jesus Christ, growing in God through uplifting and inspiring spiritual experiences, and serving the community in love.

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Hymns: #297— "Spirit of the Living God"; #584 — "Have Thine Own Way", #443 "Only Trust Him".
#479 "O How He Loves You and Me"

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Service for the Lord's Day

July 13, 2025: 10:20 am Live Streaming & Gathering Music begin
10:30 am. Chiming of the Hour for Worship

Gathering Music

Chiming of the Hour

Prelude: *"My Jesus, I Love Thee"*
Featherstone/Gordan

Welcome and Announcements



Call to Worship: (Responsive)

One: The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you all!
Many: And also with you!
One: Let us worship God. Our help is in the name of the Lord.
Many: who made heaven and earth.
One: This is the day that the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad in it.
One: Praise the Lord!
Many: The Lord's name be praised!

Prayer of Invocation

*Hymn #297 (Vs. 1, Vs. 2 Repeat Vs. 1) *"Spirit of the Living God"*


Call to Confession:

All: Let us confess our sins before God and our neighbor. Let us pray.

Prayer of Confession: (Unison)

**O Lord Jesus Christ,
You gave your life for us that we might receive pardon and peace. Mercifully cleanse us from all sin, and forever keep us in your favor and love. For you live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit, ever one God, world without end.**

Silent Confession: Amen

Kyrie: **Lord have mercy upon us. Christ have mercy upon us. Lord have mercy upon us.** #823

* Please stand if you are able

Assurance of Pardon: (responsive)

(Psalm 103:8,10-12)

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

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

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

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

All: Amen

*Gloria Patri: **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.** #805

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer



Offering:

Regular Offering
Offertory

"Pass Me Not, O Gentle Savior"
Malotte/Hustad

*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



Prayer of Illumination

Old Testament Reading: (pew bible page 101) Leviticus 19:18
(pew bible page 157) Deuteronomy 6:4-9

Hymn #584 *"Have Thine Own Way"*

New Testament Readings: (pew bible pages 901,902) Luke 10:25-37

Sermon: *"The Right Answer Begins With the Right Question"*
Rev. Dr. David Dickerson

Meditation *"Go and Do the Same"*
Hayes/Lynch

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THIS WEEK'S ANNOUNCEMENTS

- ◆ **Let us continue to celebrate our birthdays:** July 15—Nancy Pauley, July 23 — Cathy Goad, July 28— Vickie Littleton. August 6—Patsy Dickerson, August 12 Leigh Anne Martin.
- ◆ We are happy to welcome back **David Austin**, adopted church family friend (using Lori's words!) and thank him for preparing music for our worship today while Lori is away at a well deserved Family Reunion.
- ◆ **Back Street Ringers Practice**— No practice today! **Joyful Singers** practice will be on Wed., July 16 at 3:30 pm. All are welcome! If interested, see Lori.
- ◆ **Botetourt Food Pantry** volunteer opportunities are available on July 18 and 25. Check the sign-up sheet by the side entrance. Ask Teri Walker if you have any questions.
- ◆ **Faith and Family Night with the Salem Red Socks** is coming up on **July 18!** We will be watching the Salem Red Sox vs. the Fayetteville Woodpeckers. If you have not paid for your tickets yet, please feel free to write a check to FPC with "Faith and Family" in the memo portion of the check.
- ◆ **Fellowship**—Please check the calendar downstairs for openings for Sunday after worship fellowship through the remainder of July and August.
- ◆ **QR Code for an E-Giving option:**



Clerk of Session: John Kilby

Class of 2025: Fred Coots, Lynne Bolton, Jim Porter

Class of 2026: Lyn Burton, Hal Bailey, Patsy Dickerson

Class of 2027: Cathy Goad, Patty Vari, Teri Walker

The Trustees

Bob Omer, Garland Jones, Peggy Davis

The Church Staff

Interim Minister: The Rev. Dr. David Dickerson

Treasurer: Hal Bailey

Music Director: Lori Turner

Secretary/Bookkeeper: Danette Heinlein



Planned office hours for week of July 13
Monday, Wednesday and Thursday: 9:00—3:00

- Sunday, July 13** **5th Sunday after Pentecost**
Worship Service: 10:30 am
Duty Elders: Lyn Burton & Cathy Goad
Fellowship: Heinlein
Guest Musician: David Austin
- Wed., July 16 Joyful Singers Practice, 3:30 pm, Sanctuary
Thur., July 17 HFI, 6:00 in Fellowship
Fri., July 18 Faith & Family Night at Salem Red Sox, 6:35 pm game time.
- Sunday, July 20** **6th Sunday after Pentecost**
Worship Service: 10:30 am
Duty Elders: Lynne B & _____
Fellowship: _____
Back Street Ringers practice 12-1:00
Mission Committee Meeting—after service, Logan Room
- Mon., July 21 HFI, 6:00 in Fellowship
Wed., July 23 Joyful Singers Practice, 3:30 pm, Sanctuary
Wholeness and Healing Prayer 5:00, Sanctuary,
Light supper immediately following in Fellowship
- Thursday, July 24 Session, in Fellowship, 7:00
- Sunday, July 27** **6th Sunday after Pentecost**
Worship Service: 10:30 am
Duty Elders: Terri W. & Kathy Goad
Fellowship: _____
Back Street Ringers practice 12-1:00

Texas Flooding—DR00191

From July 4th to 5th, heavy rainfall resulted in catastrophic flash flooding in the Hill Country area in central Texas. Concerns remain for additional heavy rains and flooding from Hill Country to north Texas. The sudden floods resulted in more than 80 lives lost and search and rescue is ongoing.

Presbyterian Disaster Assistance (PDA) is in communication with the Synod of the Sun Presbyterian Disaster Network and Mission Presbytery to coordinate a response and assess the needs, including Emotional and Spiritual Care. If you wish to support these Disaster efforts, **please make checks payable to Fincastle Presbyterian Church, with the designation number DR000191 (U.S. Flooding) in the memo line.** E-giving will be set up very soon.

Please Join in praying for those affected:

Good and Gracious God,

We come before you with humble hearts, overwhelmed by the catastrophic floods in parts of our Mission Presbytery and beyond.

We thank you for the lives saved in the midst of this devastation.

We grieve with those who have lost their loved ones. Comfort and console them, O God!

We pray for those who have lost their homes, businesses, and cherished belongings.

Hear our prayers, O Lord!

As the community prepares to rebuild, we pray for strength and resilience.

Grant us all a generous heart, so that we may rally the resources needed to rebuild our flooded communities.

We trust in your faithfulness, dear God, even in the midst of devastation.

Bless all who work for relief and restoration. And may your peace, which passes understanding, guard the hearts and minds of those who suffer.

May our response reflect your love for all people and all creation, and thus bring honor and glory to your holy name.

We pray all these in the name of Jesus Christ, our Risen Lord!

Amen!



Picture courtesy of Presbyterian Disaster Assistance

Old Testament Reading

Leviticus 19:18

¹⁸ You shall not take vengeance or bear any grudge against the sons of your own people, but you shall love your neighbor as yourself: I am the Lord.

Deuteronomy 6:4-9

⁴ "Hear, O Israel: The LORD our God is one LORD; ⁵ and you shall love the LORD your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your might. ⁶ And these words which I command you this day shall be upon your heart; ⁷ and you shall teach them diligently to your children, and shall talk of them when you sit in your house, and when you walk by the way, and when you lie down, and when you rise. ⁸ And you shall bind them as a sign upon your hand, and they shall be as frontlets between your eyes. ⁹ And you shall write them on the doorposts of your house and on your gates.

Love the Lord your God
with all your heart and with all your soul
and with all your strength.



Deuteronomy 6:5

New Testament Reading

Luke 10:25-37

²⁵ And behold, a lawyer stood up to put him to the test, saying, "Teacher, what shall I do to inherit eternal life?" ²⁶ He said to him, "What is written in the law? How do you read?" ²⁷ And he answered, "You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your strength, and with all your mind; and your neighbor as yourself." ²⁸ And he said to him, "You have answered right; do this, and you will live."

²⁹ But he, desiring to justify himself, said to Jesus, "And who is my neighbor?" ³⁰ Jesus replied, "A man was going down from Jerusalem to Jericho, and he fell among robbers, who stripped him and beat him, and departed, leaving him half dead. ³¹ Now by chance a priest was going down that road; and when he saw him he passed by on the other side. ³² So likewise a Levite, when he came to the place and saw him, passed by on the other side. ³³ But a Samaritan, as he journeyed, came to where he was; and when he saw him, he had compassion, ³⁴ and went to him and bound up his wounds, pouring on oil and wine; then he set him on his own beast and brought him to an inn, and took care of him. ³⁵ And the next day he took out two denarii^[d] and gave them to the innkeeper, saying, 'Take care of him; and whatever more you spend, I will repay you when I come back.' ³⁶ Which of these three, do you think, proved neighbor to the man who fell among the robbers?" ³⁷ He said, "The one who showed mercy on him." And Jesus said to him, "Go and do likewise."



The Good Samaritan

#297 Spirit of the Living God

1 Spirit of the living God,
fall afresh on me,
Spirit of the living God,
fall afresh on me.
Break me, melt me, mold me, fill me:
Spirit of the living God,
fall afresh on me.

2. Spirit of the living God,
move among us all;
make us one in heart and mind,
Make us one in love:
Humble, caring, selfless, sharing—
Spirit of the living God,
Fill our lives with Love!

#584 Have Thine Own Way

1 Have thine own way, Lord! Have thine own way!
Thou art the potter, I am the clay.
Mold me and make me after thy will,
while I am waiting, yielded and still.

2 Have thine own way, Lord! Have thine own way!
Search me and try me, Master, today!
Whiter than snow, Lord, wash me just now,
as in thy presence humbly I bow.

3 Have thine own way, Lord! Have thine own way!
Wounded and weary, help me, I pray.
Power--all power--surely is thine!
Touch me and heal me, Savior divine!

4 Have thine own way, Lord! Have thine own way!
Hold o'er my being absolute sway!
Fill with thy Spirit till all shall see
Christ only, always, living in me!

#443 Only Trust Him

1 Come, every soul by sin oppressed,
there's mercy with the Lord;
and he will surely give you rest
by trusting in his word.

[Refrain:]
Only trust him, only trust him,
only trust him now.
He will save you, he will save you,
he will save you now.

2 For Jesus shed his precious blood
rich blessings to bestow;
plunge now into the crimson flood
that washes bright as snow. (Refrain)

3 Yes, Jesus is the Truth, the Way,
that leads you into rest:
believe in him without delay,
and you are fully blest. (Refrain)

4 Come, then. and join this holy band,
and on to glory go,
to dwell in that celestial land
where joys immortal flow. (Refrain)