

*Morning Worship—May 27, 2018*

*Trinity Sunday*

*Please sign the Fellowship Pad and pass it to your neighbor. \*Please stand if able. It is our custom to sing, "Amen," after hymns.*

**WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**PRELUDE**

“Prelude in F Major”

**RESPONSIVE CALL TO WORSHIP**

Leader: We come together to worship our one Triune God,

**People: Our one God, who relates to us in three mysterious ways.**

Leader: We come to abide in the Father,

**People: Who bids us to cry Abba, Father, and find our rest in Him.**

Leader: We come to seek guidance from the Spirit,

**People: Who is our counselor, and seals us in our community and in the heavenly community.**

Leader: We come to worship our risen Lord,

**People: Who has been lifted up, and enables us to be lifted up with Him.**

**All: Let us worship our one holy Triune God!**

**\*HYMN OF WORSHIP 155**

“Rejoice, the Lord Is King”

**PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

Gracious God, you have offered up your son so that we may know you and be united with you. You have sent your spirit to seal us in relationship with you. You have opened the door for us to be adopted as sons and daughters. Yet we often choose a distant relationship than to truly be united with you. We overthink our relationship, we overthink you, and become distant. Forgive us, have mercy on us, and be patient with us. Continue to call us back into the true relationship that you have opened up for us.

**SILENT PRAYERS OF CONFESSION**

**ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

Leader: As God directed Moses to raise up a serpent in the wilderness to heal those with afflictions, so also Jesus Christ has been raised up so that we may be healed from our afflictions, and become sons and daughters of God most high.

**People: In Jesus Christ we are Forgiven! Amen.**

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**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.**

**TIME FOR YOUNG DISCIPLES**

Whitney Clarke

**PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION**

**Holy God, as we are in fellowship with your community of Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, be with us in this time so that we may grow in fellowship with you. Give us wisdom and knowledge, and keep us from confusing what is simple for you. Send your Spirit to illuminate your words, so that each of us may grow in knowledge, wisdom, and in love with you. In the precious name of Jesus we pray, Amen.**

**EPISTLE LESSON**

(800/841)

Romans 8:12-17

**ANTHEM**

“It Is Well with My Soul”

arr. Lloyd Larson

**GOSPEL LESSON**

(751/790)

John 3:1-17

**SERMON**

“Sealed in Community”

Rev. Jacob Kave

**PASTORAL PRAYER & THE LORD’S PRAYER (See pew insert)**

**\*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH (See Apostles’ Creed in Aids to Worship pew insert)**

**DEDICATION OF OFFERINGS**

Offering in Music

“Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us”

arr. Mark Hayes

Doxology 591

OLD HUNDREDTH

**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.**

Prayer of Dedication

**\*HYMN OF WORSHIP 343**

“Called as Partners in Christ’s Service”

**BENEDICTION**

**BENEDICTION RESPONSE 538, verse 1**

“Lord, Dismiss Us with Thy Blessing”

**POSTLUDE**

“Trumpet Tune”

by Gordon Young

The flowers today are given to the glory of God by the Blount family.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

We provide **nursery care** from 9:30 AM to 12:30 PM and **Sunday School** for grades K-5 after Time for Young Disciples.

**PASTORAL CONCERNS**— Chlodine Bittner (Jackson Weller’s grandmother), Nelson Clark, Dianne East, Ed Fisher (Sally Clark’s father), Betty Fitzgerald, Kaiden Sheldon, Maile Temple, Tom West, Debbie Whittle’s great niece

**ON THE MEND**— William Copeland, Mrs. Helen Harris (Kathleen Harris’ mother), Tim Kernodle, Mack Williams, Nultie Wiseman

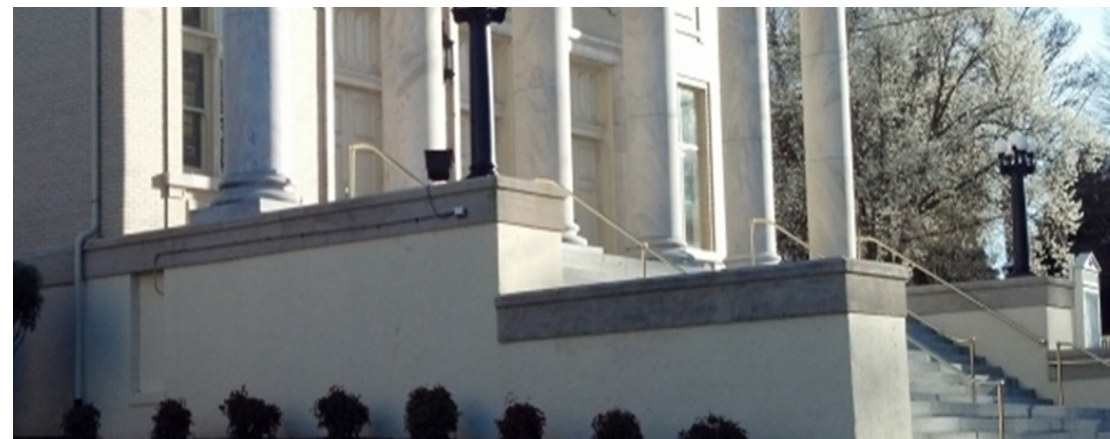
Membership Committee invites the church to a dutch treat get together Wednesday May 30th at Dell’Anno’s on Main at 6 p.m. **Please call the office if you plan on attending so we have a head count before we arrive. Call by Tuesday May 29th.** Let’s all come out and support this church event.

Make plans to join us for “Shipwrecked Rescued by Jesus” our VBS June 11-14 5:30 -8:00 p.m. (Dinner included) classes for children 4 year olds – 5th grade. Adults are invited to attend the adult VBS class that Jackson will lead. Registration forms for children are in the window sills.

Rev. Jacob Kave earned his MDiv. From Eastern Mennonite Seminary & was ordained in Word & Sacrament in the Presbyterian Church (USA) in Sept. He has been chaplain at Hargrave for the past 2 years. Please give him a warm welcome as he brings the message this morning.

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*937 Main St., Danville, VA 434.792.7822*  
**TO KNOW CHRIST AND MAKE HIM KNOWN**



**SERVING TODAY**

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|----------------------------------|---------------------------|
| Nursery/Sunday School            | H. Beale                  |
| Children’s Sunday School         | K. Dolianitis/M. Sweeney  |
|                                  | S. Weller/J. Stowe        |
| Elders at Front Door             | R. Beale                  |
| Security & Side Door             | B. Hayes                  |
| Visitation                       | D. Swann                  |
| Deacon to Receive Offering       | J. Nostrandt              |
| Officers to Count Offering       | Barrett/Crane             |
| Church School Superintendent     | Gail Davis                |
| Liturgist                        | M. Meadors                |
| Time for Young Disciples         | Whitney Clarke            |
| Sound System                     | C.B. Strange              |
| Ushers                           | Team 4                    |
| Flower Ministry                  | Bible Fellowship Class    |
| Asst. Custodian                  | Ron Tanner                |
| Childcare Specialists            | Lea Smith, Kelley Fochler |
| Saturday Lunch Ministry June 2nd | J. Brown/B. Wilson        |
| Saturday Lunch Attendance 5/19   | 86                        |

**Preaching Schedule**

- June 3 Dr. Ralph Hawkins  
June 10 Youth Sunday  
June 17 Rachel Jenkins  
June 24 Dr. Bob Ramey

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**THIS WEEK AT FIRST PRESBYTERIAN**

May 27, 2018

**MONDAY, May 28**

All Day Church Office Closed

**TUESDAY, May 29**

5:15 p.m. Handbells

**WEDNESDAY, May 30**

6:00 p.m. Youth  
6:00 p.m. Dell’Anno’s Dutch Treat

**THURSDAY, May 31**

5:30 p.m. Chancel Choir

**FRIDAY, June 1**

All Day Church Office Closed

**SATURDAY, June 2**

10:45 a.m. Lunch Min. Bible Study  
11:30 a.m. Lunch Ministry

**SUNDAY, June 3**

9:00 a.m. Worship Comm.  
9:30 a.m. Sunday School  
9:45 a.m. Sunday School:  
Mid & High School, Rm 112  
Outlook Class, Rm 322  
Bible Fellowship, Library  
Seekers, Rm 109  
11 a.m. Worship, Sanctuary  
Mid-worship K-2/3-5 SS