



*Called by God
to be the heart, voice, hands and feet of
Christ where the Spirit leads us.*

**SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY
TUCKAHOE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

NOVEMBER 22, 2015

CHRIST THE KING DAY

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

MUSIC MEDITATION

CALL TO WORSHIP

Grace and peace from the Lord God,
who was and is and is to come.

Grace and peace in Jesus Christ,
the Alpha and the Omega.

Let us worship God.

***HYMN**

"Come, Thou Almighty King"

No. 2

***PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

Holy One, we dare to call you Lord, but yield to you only fragments of our lives. You had nowhere to lay your head; we surround ourselves with comfort. We expect to serve you with what remains after we have indulged our desires. Forgive our greed, our lack of trust, our desire to pick the times and places we will respond to your call...*(silent confession)*...

***ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

***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.

*** PASSING OF THE PEACE**

The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.
And also with you!

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON 2 Samuel 23: 1-7 Page 299
This is the Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God**

EPISTLE LESSON Revelation 1: 4b - 8 Page 245
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ANTHEM *"Crown Him Lord of All"* arr. Parks

RECEPTION OF NEW MEMBERS

Questions of Membership

*The Apostles' Creed

Page 35 in the Hymnal

*The Prayer of Reception

O God our one true Parent: We praise you for calling us to be a servant people, and for gathering us into the body of Christ. We thank you for choosing to add to our number brothers and sisters in faith. Together, may we live in your Spirit, and so love one another, that we may have the mind of Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom we give honor and glory forever. Amen.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Welcome

With joy and thanksgiving we welcome you into Christ's church to share with us in his ministry; for we are all one in Christ.

Hymn of Reception *"Blest Be the Tie That Binds"* No. 306
(verse 1)

*Blest be the tie that binds our hearts in Christian love.
The fellowship of kindred minds is like to that above.*

MOMENTS WITH THE CHILDREN

***HYMN** *"At the Name of Jesus"* No. 264

GOSPEL LESSON John 18: 33 - 37 Page 113
This is the Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

MEDITATION *"King Jesus"* Patrick Dennis

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

PRESENTATION OF GIFTS AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY *"Let Us Give Thanks"* arr. Sprunger

***DOXOLOGY**

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise him all creatures here below; Praise him above, ye heavenly hosts; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

***PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING AND DEDICATION**

***HYMN** *"Come, Ye Thankful People, Come"* No. 367

***CHARGE AND BENEDICTION**

POSTLUDE *"Rejoice the Lord Is King"* Darwall

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WORSHIP LEADERS

Patrick Dennis, *Pastor*; Mark Cain, *Director of Music Ministries*;
Sarah Cothorn, *Assistant to the Director of Music Ministries*;
Fred Martin and Bill Carter, *Lay Readers*

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND CALENDAR

We welcome our visitors and guests today and invite you to sign the Friendship Pads when they are passed in the pews. Please share your contact information with us. If you are visiting Tuckahoe for the first time, please see a member in the narthex to receive a gift. Everyone is invited to join us in Duntreath Hall following worship for a time of fellowship.

The chancel flowers are given by Pam and A. W. Dickerson to the Glory to God and in loving memory of Edward Wrenn and Grace Dickerson. **Nursery helpers** are Allison and Virginia Neil, Callie Fabrie, Pat Miller, Kerry Barksdale and Camellia Wroniewicz. **The acolyte** is Cara Fabrie. **The Fellowship Time is hosted by** the New Covenant Class.

The church office will be closed this Thursday and Friday in observance of the Thanksgiving Holiday.

Following "Moments with the Children", children go with Becky Goode to room 209, where they will experience a Godly Play presentation and work. "*Baptism*" will be explored today. Following worship, Becky will bring the children to fellowship time in Duntreath Hall to meet their families. Children younger than age 4 attend nursery as usual. Children older than 1st grade will remain in worship to fully participate in the service.

There will be no Wednesday Night Supper or Wednesday night programming this week. Enjoy the Thanksgiving holiday with your family and friends!

Tim Beane is hoping to organize a group of Tuckahoe volunteers to sort non-perishable food products once a month at FeedMore. The shift would be from 1:00 to 3:45 pm on a Monday afternoon each month beginning in January. You would not have to volunteer each month, only when it's convenient for you. **If you're interested, there is an information session right**

after church today and again on December 6 in Room 108. If you cannot attend either of these sessions, but are interested in participating, please give Tim a call at 754-0496.

This year's Alternative Giving Fair is immediately following the service today, in Duntreath Hall. It's just in time to take care of your holiday shopping list. Shoppers will have a chance to purchase jewelry, Zuni peanuts, fair-trade coffees, teas, Christmas items, totes and iPad covers and more. Each purchase supports both local and global mission organizations providing support to those in need. Bring your checkbooks or cash to purchase items at the fair. **All purchases must be paid for the day of the purchase – no credit cards.**

There are children enrolled at Oak Grove-Bellemeade Elementary School who will receive few, if any, Christmas presents as a result of their parental financial situations. We would like to brighten their Christmas by recruiting individuals or families in our congregation who would be willing to "adopt" these children by purchasing two relatively inexpensive gifts for each of two children who are students in the school. Typical gifts would be a clothing item and school supplies, a game, or a book. These unwrapped gifts would need to be brought to the church on or before Sunday, December 13. If you have an interest in this opportunity, please contact Dick Mateer (270-6932, rmateer@richmond.edu, or in person) no later than November 23. Mary Valenza, our volunteer coordinator from Communities in Schools, will supply us with the names, ages, and gift suggestions from the parent(s) of each child. Here is a wonderful opportunity to be a Christmas elf. Nine of our church members currently serve as classroom assistants or Literacy Team members at Oak Grove - Bellemeade.

Please join the Worship and Membership Committee next Saturday morning, November 28th, at 10:00 a.m. in the sanctuary to help with the "greening of the sanctuary". Volunteers are needed to assist with the hanging of the door wreaths, the

sanctuary garland and wreaths and the setup of the Advent Wreath. Come if you can!

The Ministry of Prison Fellowship “Angel Tree” project helps incarcerated men and women provide Christmas presents to their children. Tuckahoe will be sponsoring 25 children this year. Please consider helping with this very worthwhile project! We need 50 members of the congregation to purchase and gift wrap one gift each (approx. \$20-\$25). The gifts have been selected by the parents and the sizes checked with the custodial parent. **Look for the Angel Tree in Duntreath Hall starting November 29.** Please pick an Angel from the tree to make Christmas special for a lucky child! Questions? Please contact Pam Burch at 364-5203 or vaburch@comcast.net.

Becky Goode, Director of Children’s Ministries, is planning a “Parents Time Out” for Saturday, December 5th from 3:30 – 6:30 p.m. here at Tuckahoe. Volunteers will assist Becky with leading your children (infants through 10-years old) in crafts and activities during the time you are out. A pizza dinner is included! The price is \$5/child. Please contact Becky at krebccagoode@gmail.com to reserve a spot for your child(ren).

The combined chancel and handbell choirs of Tuckahoe and Three Chopt Presbyterian Churches, accompanied by orchestration, will be performing Vivaldi’s “Gloria” and other seasonal music on Sunday, December 13th at 6:00 p.m. in the sanctuary of Three Chopt Presbyterian, located at 9315 Three Chopt Road. Plan an evening with the whole family to prepare your hearts for this season of light!

**In our prayers for comfort and healing,
Recovering:** Floyd Dixon, Sibbie England, and Gibbs Johnson

**ADDITIONAL LECTIONARY TEXTS FOR THIS
SUNDAY**

Psalm 132:1-12 (13-18)

**LECTIONARY TEXTS FOR NEXT SUNDAY,
November 29, 2015**

First Reading: 2 Samuel 23:1-7

Psalm: Psalm 132:1-12 (13-18)

Second Reading: Revelation 1:4b-8

Gospel: John 18:33-37



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THIS WEEK AT TUCKAHOE

Sunday, November 22

- 9:00 AM Session Receives New Members – Church Parlor
9:30 AM Sunday School
11:00 AM Worship
After Worship Fellowship Time
12:15 PM Alternative Giving Fair – Duntreath Hall
12:15 PM FeedMore Volunteer Meeting – Room 108

Monday, November 23 *Office Hours 9:00 – 3:00*

- 10:30 AM Meals on Wheels

Tuesday, November 24 *Office Hours 9:00 – 3:00*

- 3:30 PM Hilliard House Meal

Wednesday, November 25 *Office Hours 9:00 – 3:00*

- 9:30 AM Staff Meeting - Workroom

Thursday, November 26 *OFFICE CLOSED*

HAPPY THANKSGIVING

Friday, November 27 *OFFICE CLOSED*

Saturday, November 28

- 10:00 AM Greening of the Sanctuary – Volunteers Welcome!

Sunday, November 29

- 9:30 AM Sunday School
11:00 AM Worship & Communion
After Worship Fellowship Time – Duntreath Hall