



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

FEBRUARY 28, 2016

YOUTH SUNDAY

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

MUSIC MEDITATION

"Fanfare"

Miller

KMD Bells

CALL TO WORSHIP

Friends, hear the good news! The world is at peace when people believe in the love of Christ!

So I will bless you as long as I live; I will lift up my hands and call on your name.

Because your steadfast love is better than life, my lips will praise you

My soul is satisfied as with a rich feast and my mouth praises you with joyful lips.

What more do we need?

Because the Lord has made an everlasting covenant and promised unfailing love.

*HYMN "Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah" No. 65

*PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you. We shake our heads at others' calamities, yet ignore the signs of our own destruction. We enjoy a prized place in your garden, yet year after year fail to bear good fruit. Forgive us, God of grace. Give us the wisdom to repent and be reconciled to you, so that we may have the gift of life. Through Jesus Christ our Lord, Amen.

*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

...Receive the good news of the gospel: In Jesus Christ we are forgiven.

Thanks be to God! 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.

* 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 Isaiah 55:1-9 Page 685
This is the Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God**

PSALTER LESSON Psalm 63:1-8 Page 527 This is the Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God**

ANTHEM "Prince of Peace" Imboden/Rhoton

MOMENTS WITH THE CHILDREN

*HYMN "There's a Wideness in God's Mercy" No. 435

GOSPEL LESSON Luke 13:1-9 Page 76
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SERMONS

Seniors: Sam Anderson, Harrison Carr, Marshall Cooke, Claire Galvin, Phebe Martin, Garrett Turner

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH (Apostles' Creed)

I believe in God, the Father almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ his only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

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 "O God, You are My God" Strasser

*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 DEDICATION

*HYMN "I Danced in the Morning" No. 157

*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

Postlude "Passacaglia" Young

WORSHIP LEADERS

Tuckahoe Youth, Youth Advisors and Mark Cain, *Director of Music Ministries*

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND CALENDAR

We welcome our visitors today and invite you to join us for refreshments in Duntreath Hall after the service so we can get acquainted. Please sign the Friendship Pads when they are passed in the pews. If you are visiting Tuckahoe for the first time, please see a member in the narthex to receive a gift.

The flowers are given by Fred and Carol Martin to the Glory of God and in loving memory of their parents. **Nursery helpers** are Allison and Virginia Neil, Terry Brady, Becky and Fred Groves and Meg Packard. **The acolyte** is Lily DeBolt. **The Fellowship Hour is hosted by** Sherry Flournoy.

Pastoral Care Concerns:

In our prayers for comfort and healing: Stacey Orcutt and Stuart Shires

Following "Moments with the Children", children go with Becky Goode to room 209, where they will experience a Godly Play presentation and work. "Faces of the Journey, Part 3" 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.

Again this morning you will have an opportunity to have individual pictures taken for your "personal profile" which we maintain in the church database. We have the family pictures from the directory loaded in the database; but these individual pictures will give us a chance to associate your picture with your

individual record and thus be seen on the new online directory available to members (only) through the web site.

Tuckahoe Presbyterian is forming a meditation group as a Lenten practice. We will meet in the church parlor for the next five Thursdays from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. No prior meditation experience is necessary, just an openness to explore this biblically-sound tradition and means for peaceful reunion with God and others. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Sara Sommers at sarasommers@comcast.net or phone 389-3340.

A Service of Healing and Wholeness is the scheduled program for Wednesday, March 2 at 6:45 p.m. in the sanctuary. This service of worship will include an extended time for individual prayers of intercession offered by Pastor Dennis, with the laying on of hands by elders. All are encouraged to attend and offer needs for personal healing, as well as those of loved ones and neighbors.

The regular Wednesday Night Supper will precede the service at 6:00 p.m. in Duntreath Hall. Cooking Team #7 will prepare chicken tetrazzini, salad, bread and dessert and there is a kid's menu of chicken nuggets & fries. During the programming for adults the children will participate in M & M Kids and Skittles in Room 202. Please sign up on the friendship pad this morning or call the church office by Monday afternoon so we will know how many to set up for.

We will welcome back families who need shelter provided by CARITAS (Congregations Around Richmond Involved to Assure Shelter), during the week of March 5 – March 12. There is a Volunteer Sign-up Poster in Duntreath today. PLEASE SIGN UP TO HELP WITH DINNERS, LUNCHES, OVERNIGHT SUPPORT, LAUNDRY, AND OTHER DUTIES. Contact Jennifer Albertson at 804-615-6262 or jhalbertson@yahoo.com if you have questions.

In past years, Tuckahoe has collected books for our CARITAS guest families (children, teen/youth, and adults) to read - and keep, if they wish - during their time at our church. The response has been positive - adults reading in the restrooms where they could keep the lights on, and parents reading bedtime stories to their children. We are hoping to offer the same "welcome" this year to our families who will be arriving on March 5th. A collection box for your donations will be placed beside the volunteer sign-up poster. Please check your shelves at home and bring some items that our guests can enjoy! Questions? Contact Jackie Stallings or Jennifer Albertson.

Banners are a special part of Tuckahoe's Worship Arts. Thank you to the members who have already assisted with the repair of banners. We will meet again on Saturday afternoon, March 12th from 1:00 – 3:00 p.m. in Duntreath Hall to continue our repair efforts. Sewing expertise is not necessary; many repairs can be made with a hot glue gun. If you would be willing to lend a hand repairing the damaged banners, please contact Ginger Spence at 804-399-0081 or by email at mosesbulrushes@gmail.com.

Guess Who's Coming to Dinner returns on Saturday, March 12, 2016. If you would like to HOST a group of Tuckahoe friends (identities unknown until dinnertime) please let Camellia Wroniewicz at chwroniewicz@gmail.com or Amy Glass at akglass@hotmail.com know! You may choose to host from 4–8 guests. As always, no formal meals are necessary.

The Property Committee has planned our Spring Clean-Up for Saturday, March 19th. Please mark your calendar to help Tuckahoe that day. We'll meet in Wilson Hall and a light breakfast of muffins, coffee and juice will be available to get us started at 8:00 am. If you know of anything that needs attention, either something you can do, or want us to consider, please alert Tom Lee. Please bring your gloves, tools to share, and

willingness to help! Contact Tom Lee, 740-4907 if you have suggestions or questions.

The William & Mary Choir is coming to Richmond and they need your help! The final stop on their 2016 Spring Domestic Tour will reach River Road Baptist Church (8000 River Rd, Richmond, VA 23229) on the evening of Tuesday, March 22nd, at 7:00pm. Following the concert, the singers will need a place to stay overnight. If you would be willing to house at least two singers for the night, they would greatly appreciate it! All that is required is that a bed or couch is available for each singer that you "adopt," along with a set of towels for showering and some form of breakfast in the morning. Sign-ups will be available with Jim Cooke during fellowship hours throughout February and March (as needed).

ADDITIONAL LECTIONARY TEXTS FOR THIS SUNDAY:

1 Corinthians 10:1-13

LECTIONARY TEXTS FOR NEXT SUNDAY, MARCH 6:

First Reading Joshua 5:9-12
Psalm Psalm 32
Second Reading 2 Corinthians 5:16-21
Gospel Luke 15:1-3, 11b-32

THIS WEEK AT TUCKAHOE

Sunday, February 28 YOUTH SUNDAY		
_	AM	New Member Class – Church Parlor
9:30	AM	Sunday School
11:00	AM	Worship
After Worship		Fellowship Time – Duntreath Hall
12:15	PM	Personal Profile Pictures – Duntreath Hall
12:30	PM	"The Story" Committee - Room 108
4:30	PM	Confirmation Class - Room 108
Monday, February 29 Office hours 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.		
10:30	AM	Meals on Wheels
7:00	PM	TPC Book Club @ Mickey Mateer's home
Tuesday	y, March	1 Office hours 9:00 a.m 3:00 p.m.
Wednes	day, Ma	rch 2 Office hours 9:00 a.m 3:00 p.m.
9:30	AM	Staff Meeting - Workroom
10:30	AM	Meals on Wheels
5:30	PM	KMD Bells - Sanctuary
6:00	PM	Wednesday Night Supper - Duntreath Hall
6:30	PM	M & M Kids and Skittles - Room 202
6:45	PM	Service of Healing and Wholeness
7:30	PM	Handbells - Sanctuary
7:30	PM	Christian Formation Committee - Room 106
Thursday, March 3 Office hours 9:00 a.m 3:00 p.m.		
7:00	AM	Men's Bible Study - Room 108
7:30	PM	Chancel Choir - Choir Room
Friday,	March 4	Church Office Closed
Saturday, March 5 CARITAS GUESTS ARRIVE		
Sunday, March 6		
9:30	AM	New Member Class - Church Parlor
	AM	Sunday School
11:00		Worship
After Worship		Fellowship Time – Duntreath Hall
12:30	PM	WFSF Committee – Room 108
4:30	PM	Confirmation Class - Room 108
6:00	PM	Youth Groups