

TUCKAHOE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



*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

OCTOBER 2, 2016

TWENTIETH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

MUSIC MEDITATION

CALL TO WORSHIP

Give thanks to the Lord, for God is good.

God's steadfast love endures forever.

Present your bodies as a living sacrifice.

This is our spiritual worship.

Let us worship God.

*HYMN

"We Are Standing on Holy Ground"

No. 406

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

...In the name of Jesus Christ, we are forgiven!

Thanks be to God.

*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

CENTSAILITY OFFERING

MOMENTS WITH THE CHILDREN

GOSPEL LESSON Luke 4: 14 - 22 Page 61
This is the Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

***HYMN** *"Open the Eye of My Heart"* No. 452

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON Exodus 3: 7 - 15 Page 50
This is the Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

COMMUNION MEDITATION *"The Price of Freedom"* Patrick Dennis

***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH -NICENE CREED**
Hymnal - page 34

PRESENTATION OF GIFTS AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY *"To God Be the Glory"* arr. Foncannon

***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**

ANTHEM OF PREPARATION
"Good Christian Friends, Rejoice and Sing" Busarow

SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

INVITATION

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God
It is right to give our thanks and praise.

...joining the song of the universal church and the heavenly choir:

Isa. 6:3, Rev. 4:8; Ps. 118:25-26

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of power and might,
heaven and earth are full, are full of your glo - ry.
Ho - san - na in the high - est. Bless - ed is he who
comes in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

... as we share this joyful feast.

Christ has died, Christ is risen, Christ will come again.

THE LORD'S PRAYER *Ecumenical, Hymnal, page 11*

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

DISTRIBUTION OF THE ELEMENTS

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

***HYMN** *"May the God of Hope Go with Us"* No. 765

***CHARGE AND BENEDICTION**

***RESPONSE** *"Blessed Assurance, Jesus Is Mine!" - Refrain*
This is my story; this is my song, praising my Savior all the day long;
This is my story; this is my song, praising my Savior all the day long.

***POSTLUDE** *"Voluntary on "Ein' Feste Burg""* Young

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WORSHIP LEADERS

Patrick Dennis, *Pastor*; Rev. Hal Breitenberg; Sarah Dennis, *Director of Christian Formation*; Mark Cain, *Director of Music Ministries*; Sarah Cothorn, *Assistant Director of Music Ministries*; Pat Macaulay, *Lay Reader*

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND CALENDAR

Today we will celebrate the sacrament of the Lord's Supper. As you receive the bread, please hold it as we will take it together as one body of Christ. As you receive the cup, take it as the Spirit leads you as a reminder that God claims us individually.

We will collect the monthly CentsAbility Offering during the Moments with Children today.

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.

The flowers are given by Pat Miller to the Glory of God and in honor of Tuckahoe's staff. Nursery helpers are Rachel Berriman, Ann Gapper and Meg Packard. The acolyte is Cara Fabrie. The Fellowship Time is hosted by the Brady family.

Pastoral Care Concerns:

Hospitalized or recovering: Harriette Kent and Flossie Quensen.

Our Christian sympathies and prayers for God's comfort are extended to Jean Watlington and her family upon the death of her husband, John (J.B.) Watlington, on Sunday, September 25th in Harrisonburg, VA. A memorial service will be held at Tuckahoe on Saturday, October 29th. Details are being finalized at this time.

Ushers for the month of October are Dave and Kathy Bauer, Bill Carter, Tom Coleman, Jim Cooke, Chris Stevenson and Gary Wilkinson.

Childcare is provided during the worship hour for children infant through first grade. The Nursery in Room 104 is designed for infants through 23 months. Two and three year olds may be taken to Room 102. Children age 4 through 1st grades may be taken to Room 105 for childcare. Parents are responsible for picking up children from childcare at the conclusion of the service.

Don't miss this excellent opportunity to hear Cindy Corell, PCUSA missionary to Haiti, speak one last time before she returns to Haiti. Cindy will be speaking today at 3:00 p.m. at UPSeminary Early Center. This final event features the award-winning documentary *Poverty, Inc.* and discussion with Cindy, our mission co-worker in Haiti, about what is happening there and in other parts of the world.

Join us for this week's Wednesday Night Supper when Cooking Team 1 will be treating you to Greek Night! Meet in Duntreath Hall at 6:00 p.m. to enjoy pork souvlaki, spanakopita, Greek salad, pita bread and baklava. Beginning with this week's WNS and continuing through November 16th, there will be programs for adults following dinner and M & M Kids and Skittles will resume for the children. All programs will conclude by 7:30 p.m. This Wednesday, Sarah Dennis will lead the first of our series on "The Story - Behind the Scenes" with a look at how the historical context of Genesis affects our interpretations of the stories. Please sign up on the friendship pads or call the church office by Monday afternoon to let us know how many to expect.

Today, World Communion Sunday, Tuckahoe will be collecting gifts for the Peace & Global Witness Offering. This offering will be used by the Presbyterian Church USA "to build on the rich tradition of our church's commitment to peacemaking as well as to

engage with our global partners in new initiatives of reconciliation. This offering will strengthen collaboration with churches, mid councils, and mission partners all over the world. Through this new vision of the offering, we deepen our commitment to the transforming work of the Spirit." Seventy-five per cent of your gifts support programs that work to restore communities and help make our world more just and peaceful through Christ. Twenty-five per cent is for the use of the congregation for similar activities. Please read today's insert for more information.

The Women's Study Group invites women to our monthly meeting held on the first Monday of each month from 7:00-8:30 p.m. at Ruth Anna Langdon's home (903 Regester Parkway – ½block from the church). Beginning tomorrow, October 3, we will continue our study of "Disciples and Other Sinners" starting with Chapter 9 led by Meg Packard. Subsequent lessons also will be taught by Dee Daughtrey, Ginger Spence and Pat Macaulay. No responsibilities (i.e. hosting or teaching) and we end each year with dinner at Brio's in June! Come join our fun group for good fellowship and study. For additional information, contact Pat Macaulay at pmacaula@richmond.edu or 323-1190.

On Saturday, October 15, 2016 Tuckahoe will be hosting our 4th annual Stop Hunger Now packaging event in Duntreath Hall. Please consider volunteering to help support this worthwhile organization by either participating on October 15th or through a monetary donation. **See today's insert for important details on volunteers and funds still needed for this project!**

Mark your calendars for Sunday, October 23rd from 12:15-2:30 and bring a bag lunch to Room 202 to attend the "Listening and Speaking from the Heart" Enrichment Seminar. Drinks, dessert and childcare will be provided. This is a chance for you to learn to listen carefully and speak sincerely so that any and all communication is completely understood by everyone involved. Your Stephen Ministry leaders have designed a fun and interactive

seminar to enhance your ability to understand others and express yourself.

Are you missing the opportunity to clear out unused furniture and household items because there is no yard sale this year? Good news! In late October Outreach is sponsoring a collection of such items to be donated to CARITAS to help families get settled as they transition from a homeless situation into a home. Look for details in the October edition of *The Torch*, including what can and cannot be accepted by CARITAS.

Session has called a congregational meeting to follow worship on Oct. 16, 2016 for the purpose of electing church officers.

LECTIONARY TEXT FOR THIS SUNDAY:
Lamentations 1:1-6, 3:19-26; Psalm 137:1-9; 2 Timothy 1:1-14; Luke 17:5-10
NEXT WEEK'S THE STORY READING:
Chapter 5 – New Command and a New Covenant –
Exodus 19 - 40

THIS WEEK AT TUCKAHOE

Sunday, October 2

- 9:30 AM Sunday School
- 11:00 AM Worship and Communion
- After Worship Fellowship Time - Duntreath Hall
- 12:30 PM Warinner Family Scholarship Committee-Room 108
- 6:00 PM Youth Group - Duntreath Hall

Monday, October 3 *Office hours 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.*

- 7:00 PM Women's Study Group - Ruth Anna Langdon's home

Tuesday, October 4 *Office hours 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.*

Wednesday, October 5 *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 & Program - Duntreath Hall
- 6:30 PM M & M Kids and Skittles - Room 202
- 7:30 PM Christian Formation Committee - Room 106
- 7:30 PM Adult Handbells - Sanctuary

Thursday, October 6 *Office hours 9:00 a.m. -3:00 p.m.*

- 7:00 AM Men's Bible Study - Room 108
- 6:30 PM The Story Evening Class - Duntreath Hall
- 6:30 PM Meditation Group - Church Parlor
- 7:30 PM Chancel Choir Rehearsal - Choir Room

Friday, October 7 *Office closed*

- 10:00 AM The Story Class @ Cedarfield

Sunday, October 9

- 9:30 AM Sunday School
- 11:00 AM Worship
- After Worship Fellowship Time - Duntreath Hall
- 12:30 PM Blood Pressure Check - Duntreath Hall
- 6:00 PM Youth Group - Duntreath Hall