

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 30, 2016

24TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST ********************************

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

MUSIC MEDITATION

CALL TO WORSHIP

*HYMN

"A Mighty Fortress Is Our God"

No. 275

*PRAYER OF CONFESSION

O God, have mercy upon us as we confess our sin. Christ calls us stewards, but we squander your gifts. He gives us tasks to perform, yet we do as we please. He sends us to minister on behalf of those suffering; we are slow to respond until our own needs are met. He expects us to praise you in all that we do; we take all the credit for those things we do well. Forgive us and help us to be more obedient. (...silent confession)

RESPONSE

"You Are the Lord, Giver of Mercy!"

*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

...in 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

GOSPEL LESSON Luke 8: 1 - 3 Page 67

This is the Word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.

EPISTLE LESSON 2 Thessalonians 1: 1 - 4, 11 - 12 Page 205

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*HYMN "Lord, When I Came into This Life" No. 691

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON Judges 4: 4 - 9 Page 220 This is the Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

SERMON "Sinners and Saints" Patrick Dennis

MOMENTS WITH THE CHILDREN

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH - THE 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.

ANTHEM "Christ Is Made the Sure Foundation" Raney

PASTORAL PRAYER 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 "Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing" Raney

*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

ROLL CALL OF THE SAINTS

*HYMN "For All the Saints" No. 326

*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 "How Firm a Foundation" Burkhardt
WORSHIP LEADERS

Rev. Patrick Dennis, *Pastor*; Mark Cain, *Director of Music Ministries*; Sarah Cothern, *Assistant Director of Music Ministries*; Susan Galvin, *Lay Reader*

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 an usher in the narthex to receive a gift. We invite those of you who are interested in joining the church to contact Pastor Dennis so we can include you in the new member's class beginning in December.

The flowers are given by Beth and Owen Ayers to the Glory of God and in honor of Betty Williamson on her 88th birthday and in loving memory of David G. Williamson. Nursery helpers are Shelly Blackstone, Ruth Anna Langdon and Nancy Fabian. The acolyte is Claire Smith. The Fellowship Time is hosted by the Judy Palkovics.

Remember in your prayers these members of our Tuckahoe family in need of God's healing mercies: Mary Lane Brockenbrough, Jean Bynum, Joan Clement, Harriette Kent, Richard Morton, Corinne Schill and Doris Tate

If you would like to have large-print versions of the bulletin and the hymns to use during worship, please contact the church office and they will be made available to you each Sunday.

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.

Next Sunday we will collect the monthly CentsAbility Offering during the Moments with Children. Remember your family's "two-cents-a-meal" collection to help the hungry in our community!

Join us for this week's Wednesday Night Supper at 6:00 p.m. in Duntreath Hall. Cooking Team 3 will be preparing meatloaf, green beans, mac and cheese, rolls and dessert. Following dinner this week, and continuing through November 16th, there will be programs for adults and M & M Kids and Skittles will continue for the children. All programs will conclude by 7:30 p.m. This Wednesday, Patrick Dennis will continue our series on "The Story – Behind the Scenes" with a look at how the historical context of *Judges* 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.

Join us this afternoon at 5pm for Trunk or Treat in the church parking lot! Cars will be decorated, candy will be handed out, the "Cheezilla Food Truck" will be on hand for you to purchase dinner and the youth group will host a small carnival in Duntreath! This is a Halloween event you don't want to miss.

The Property Committee has planned our Fall Clean-Up for next Saturday, November 5th. Please mark your calendar to help Tuckahoe that day. A light breakfast of muffins, coffee and juice will be served 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. Bring any tools you'd like to share. Contact Tom Lee, 740-4907 if you have suggestions or questions.

Next Sunday, November 6th the youth group is going to be having a "party with a purpose." We will be working with Sole Hope, an organization in Uganda that works to provide shoes for people. These shoes provide protection from disease that enter the body by the soles of the feet. You can find out more about Sole Hope at www.solehope.org. We will be cutting out pieces for these

shoes from old jeans and other forms of denim. If you have any old jeans or other denim, please bring it to Sarah at church by next Sunday, November 6th so we can make shoes!

The Women's Study Group invites the congregation to fill shoe Operation boxes for Christmas Child. See https://www.samaritanspurse.org/operation-christmaschild/pack-a-shoe-box/ for details. Preprinted boxes and instructions will be available in Duntreath beginning on Sunday, November 6. Suggested donation for shipping is \$7, which can be paid online or by check to Samaritan's Purse or Presbyterian Women of Tuckahoe Church. No cash, please. Completed boxes may be returned to the church office or to Duntreath. Deadline is Wednesday, November 16. Questions? Contact Becky Theuer at 364-8161 or rbtsrt@gmail.com.

The Henrico Department of Social Services is sponsoring their Thanksgiving Box program again this year. Thanksgiving food boxes are provided to needy families and individuals within their caseloads and distributed for Thanksgiving. Put together your group, family, class and sponsor a box! All food boxes should feed a family of six. Please, no frozen or fresh turkeys and no perishables. Suggested contents of boxes might include: canned vegetables and fruit, mac & cheese, canned soups, peanut butter, jelly, canned gravy, stuffing mix, potatoes, dessert item, gift card for a turkey (\$15-20). Please have all food items to the church by Sunday, November 13. You may leave your groups' box in the church library. Please note the much earlier date this year!! Contact Meg Packard (754-0602), Kay Keyes (360-7371) or Amanda Carr (287-4637) if you have any questions.

Need more information about Tuckahoe, our mission, ministries and events? Just scan the QR code below with your smartphone and you'll be directed to our church website!



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LECTIONARY TEXT FOR THIS SUNDAY:

Habakkuk 1:1-4, 2:1-4; Psalm 119:137-144; 2 Thessalonians 1:1-4, 11-12; Luke 19:1-10

NEXT WEEK'S THE STORY READING:

Chapter 9 – The Faith of a Foreign Woman Ruth

THIS WEEK AT TUCKAHOE

Sunday, October 30		
9:30	AM	Sunday School
11:00	AM	Worship
After W	orship	Fellowship Time - Duntreath Hall
5:00	PM	Trunk or Treat - Parking Lot and Duntreath
		Hall
Monday,	October	31 Office hours 9:00 a.m 3:00 p.m.
10:30	AM	Meals on Wheels
Tuesday	, Novemb	oer 1 Office hours 9:00 a.m 3:00 p.m.
Wednesday, November 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
6:30	PM	M & M Kids, Skittles, Adult Program
7:30	PM	Adult Handbells - Sanctuary
7:30	PM	Christian Formation Committee - Room 106
Thursday, November 3 Office hours 9:00 a.m3:00 p.m.		
7:00	AM	Men's Bible Study - Room 108
6:30	PM	<u>The Story</u> Evening Class - Duntreath Hall
6:30	PM	Meditation Group - Church Parlor
7:30	PM	Chancel Choir Rehearsal - Choir Room
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10:00		The Story Class @ Cedarfield
Saturday, November 5		
8:00		Fall Clean-Up Day – Wilson Hall
Sunday, November 6		
9:30		Sunday School
11:00		Worship
-		Fellowship Time – Duntreath Hall
12:30		WFSF Committee – Room 108
6:00	PM	Youth Group - Duntreath Hall