

SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY
TUCKAHOE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

NOVEMBER 13, 2016

26TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

MUSIC MEDITATION

CALL TO WORSHIP

Give thanks to God, for God is good; God's steadfast love endures forever!

Let whoever is wise take heed of God's goodness; let all consider God's steadfast love.

Let us worship God!

*HYMN

"Come, Thou Almighty King"

No. 2

*PRAYER OF CONFESSION

God of grace, we stand in need of your forgiveness. Hostility rages and battles continue; warfare has not ended and lives are lost. We yield to suspicion; our envy creates enemies. We confess that Christ came to create a new order, yet we continue complacently to dwell amid strife. Have mercy upon us and renew a right spirit within us...*(silent confession)*.

*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

...looking to Jesus the pioneer and perfecter of our faith.

Because Christ intercedes for us we have assurance that we are forgiven.

Thanks be to God! Alleluia! 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. Amen.



TUCKAHOE
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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

***PASSING OF THE PEACE**

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

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

PSALTER LESSON Psalm 47 Page 518

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

GOSPEL LESSON Matthew 22: 34 – 40 Page 25

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***HYMN** *“Lord, Speak to Me That I May Speak”* No. 722

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON 1 Samuel 12: 20 - 25 Page 255

This is God’s Word to us today. **Thanks be to God.**

SERMON *“Now What?”* Diane Prevary

***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 *“Here I Am”* arr. Larson

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.

MOMENTS WITH THE CHILDREN Sarah Dennis

PRESENTATION OF GIFTS AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY *“God, and God Alone”* 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**

***CHARGE AND BENEDICTION**

***HYMN** *“O Beautiful for Spacious Skies”* No. 338

POSTLUDE *“The Heavens Declare”* Marcello

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WORSHIP LEADERS

Rev. Diane Prevary, *Parish Associate*; Sarah Dennis, *Director of Christian Formation*; Mark Cain, *Director of Music Ministries*; Sarah Cothorn, *Assistant Director of Music Ministries*; Wendel Gouldman, *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 Julie Hutchins to the Glory of God and in honor of her father, both grandfathers and all our Veterans. **Nursery helpers** are Kyle Smith, Leslie Shimer and Fred and Becky Groves. **The acolyte** is Sophia Lurey. **The Fellowship Time** is hosted by Bill and Nelda Carter and Rhonda Piwowarski.

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

We extend our Christian sympathies and prayers for God's comfort to Sue Albaugh and her family on the death of her father, Stephen Louis Barnes of Caroline County, who passed away on Thursday, November 3, 2016.

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 their children from childcare at the conclusion of the service.

This morning we are collecting non-perishable food items for Lamb's Basket. You may place your contributions in the bin in

the Resource Center marked "Lamb's Basket". You may also drop off your contributions at any time during the month, during church office hours. **Remember the hungry in our community!**

Theology on Tap and Java with Jesus meet this week. Join fellow members and friends for discussions about timely subjects and our faith. November's Theology on Tap will be led by Walter Smith tomorrow, November 14th, at 6:00 p.m. at Strangeways Brewing, 2277 Dabney Road. Java with Jesus, will be led by Matthew Mahoney and will meet this Tuesday, November 15th, at 10:00 a.m. in the Mahoney home, 428 Hampton Ridge Court. This month's conversation is "*Kingship*". Join us!!

Join us for this week's Wednesday Night Supper at 6:00 p.m. in Duntreath Hall. Cooking Team 4 will be hosting a "fried chicken dinner". Following dinner this week 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, Diane Prevary will continue our series on "The Story - Behind the Scenes" with a look at how the historical context of *Samuel* 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.

There is no Wednesday Nigh Supper next week, November 23rd. Enjoy the Thanksgiving weekend with your families!

DEADLINE TODAY FOR THANKSGIVING BOXES! 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 place your boxes in**

the church library. Contact Meg Packard (754-0602), Kay Keyes (360-7371) or Amanda Carr (287-4637) if you have any questions.

The Women's Study Group invites the congregation to fill shoe boxes for Operation Christmas Child. See <https://www.samaritanspurse.org/operation-christmas-child/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. **The deadline is this Wednesday, November 16. Questions? Contact Becky Theuer at 364-8161 or rbtsrt@gmail.com.**

Next Sunday, November 20th the Fellowship Committee is hosting a "Thankful Traditions" lunch, instead of our typical fellowship time. Please bring a dish you are particularly thankful for in your family—a main course, appetizer, dessert, or a side dish. We will eat and fellowship around tables together and celebrate all we have to be thankful for!

A Service of Healing and Wholeness with the theme of "Blue Christmas" will be held in our sanctuary on Sunday, November 27 at 4:00 p.m. Those looking for comfort, hope, wholeness, and renewal for themselves or others are encouraged to come for prayer, contemplation and restful silence.

Mark your calendars for Sunday afternoon, December 4th at 3:00 p.m. for an Advent Workshop for all ages! Meet in Duntreath Hall for crafts, music, cooking-making and more. This is a great opportunity to spend time with your extended church family as we get in the spirit of the Advent season!

LECTIONARY TEXT FOR THIS SUNDAY:
Haggai 1:15b-2:9; Psalm 145:1-5, 17-21; Psalm 98:1-9;
2 Thessalonians 2:1-5, 13-17; Luke 20:27-38

NEXT WEEK'S THE STORY READING:
Chapter 11 – From Shepherd to King
I Samuel 16 – 31; 2 Samuel 6, 1 Chronicles 17: 1-27

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THIS WEEK AT TUCKAHOE

Sunday, November 13

- 9:30 AM Sunday School
- 11:00 AM Worship
- After Worship Fellowship Time - Duntreath Hall
- 12:30 PM Blood Pressure Check - Duntreath Hall
- 12:30 PM Fellowship Committee - Room 108
- 6:00 PM Youth Groups - Duntreath Hall

Monday, November 14 *Office hours 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.*

- 1:00 PM FeedMore Volunteers
- 6:00 PM Theology on Tap - Strangeways Brewery
- 7:00 PM Outreach Committee - Room 106

Tuesday, November 15 *Office hours 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.*

- 10:00 AM Java with Jesus - the Mahoney's home

Wednesday, November 16 *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 Deacons Meeting - Room 106
- 7:30 PM Session Meeting - Duntreath Hall

Thursday, November 17 *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
- 7:30 PM Chancel Choir Rehearsal - Choir Room

Friday, November 18 *Office closed*

TORCH DEADLINE

- 10:00 AM The Story Class @ Cedarfield
- 10:30 AM Meals on Wheels

Sunday, November 20

- 9:30 AM Sunday School
- 11:00 AM Worship and Communion
- 12:30 PM Thankful Traditions Luncheon - Duntreath Hall
- 6:00 PM Youth Group - Duntreath Hall