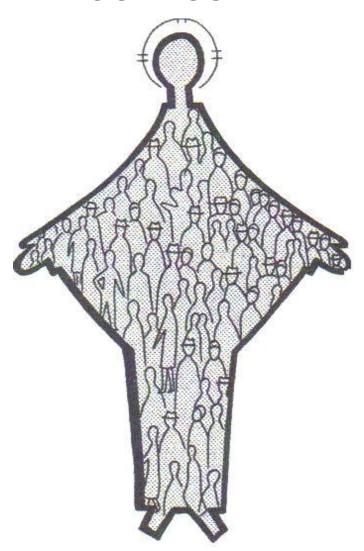
TUCKAHOE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH YOUTH SUNDAY



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 26, 2017

TRANSFIGURATION OF THE LORD

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE

Youth Ensemble

CALL TO WORSHIP

We are surrounded by diversity.

We all come from different backgrounds.

We are here together to listen to God's Word.

We live together and are bound by God's love.

The Lord calls us to worship in unity.

In our worship, let us become one.

*HYMN

"Shine, Jesus, Shine"

No. 192

*PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Holy God, so often we forget to live through you. We get distracted and our focus shifts from you to material things and wants. We get so caught up in ourselves that we fail to come together as one. We stray from our faith, getting far off track from your vision for us. Forgive us, O Lord, for putting you off. Help us to remember it takes many parts to make up one whole. Guide us to work as one people, not just single individuals. Lead us all in a direction of togetherness, so we may live faithfully as one. Through Christ we pray, Amen!(silent confession)

*DECLARATION 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!

MOMENTS WITH THE CHILDREN

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Holy God, open our hearts and minds to hear your Good News. Through your Word unite us as your church so that we can more faithfully do the work of Christ our Lord. Through Him we pray. Amen.

GOSPEL LESSON

I Corinthians 12: 12 - 27

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

ANTHEM

"Amazing" Medley

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON

Esther 4

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SERMON

Corinne Burch and Ian Stevenson

*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.

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

*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

Thank you, God, for allowing our congregation to come together and give our time and dedication to those who are in need. Please bless the gifts we have just received. Allow our youth opportunities to contribute and serve those in our community and beyond. We pray that these gifts can feed the hungry and strengthen the weak. And may we offer our whole selves for the work of God's kingdom. Through Christ, we pray. Amen.

*HYMN "You Are Holy" No. 705

*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

WORSHIP LEADERS

Patrick Dennis, *Pastor*; Sarah Dennis, *Director of Christian Formation*; Mark Cain, *Director of Music Ministries*; Logan Albertson, *Acolyte*

TUCKAHOE YOUTH

Logan Albertson William Adair
Corinne Burch Jay Guller
Bailey Kane Kiel Mahoney
Robbie McVey Matthew Moore
Thomas Moore Hannah Ray
Marin Shade Kyle Smith

Ian Stevenson Austin Waxenfelter

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND CALENDAR

We are pleased to have you worship with us and sincerely pray our service inspires and challenges you. You are invited 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.

A new member class will begin next Sunday, March 5 from 9:00 – 9:30 a.m. in the church parlor. The class will meet for each of the Sundays in March at the same time and location. If you are interested in learning about what it means to be a member of our church, please contact Patrick Dennis via email at patrick.dennis@tuckahoepres.org or by calling the church office at 804-282-2860.

The flowers are given by Barbie Keatts to the Glory of God and honor of Tuckahoe's youth. Nursery helpers are Shannon Galt, Ruth Anna Langdon and Alison Blevins. The Fellowship Time is hosted by the Cothern and Groves families.

Pastoral Care Concerns:

Hospitalized or recovering: Barbie Keatts, Virginia Newton, Samuel Sommers and Sara Sommers.

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.

Join us Tuesday mornings at 9:30 a.m. in the church parlor for a half hour of weekly time of prayer. We will join our hearts together to pray for our congregation, our city, our world and each other. Different ways of praying will also be explored.

The Monday night Women's Bible Study group will meet Monday, March 6th at 7:00 p.m. at the home of Ruth Anna Langdon, 903 Regester Parkway. Beginning this month, a new text will be studied—Having a Mary Heart in a Martha World. Meg Packard will have books available on Sunday for a cost of \$9. This is the perfect time to begin participation in this monthly study!

Join us for this week's Wednesday Night Supper. The menu is fried chicken, with all the fixin's. The dinner will be followed by the Ash Wednesday Service in the sanctuary. (See the announcement below for more information on this service.) Please sign up on the friendship pads during worship today, call the church office by Monday afternoon, or register on our web-site by clicking the Wednesday Night Supper block on the home page.

Following dinner this week there will be an Ash Wednesday Service in the sanctuary. The service this year will blend the traditional Ash Wednesday observance with elements of healing and wholeness. Instead of personal petitions for healing, we will ask you to write up your desire for the healing for our nation and the world which you will then place on the cross in the front of the sanctuary after you receive your ashes. Begin your Lenten journey with this important reminder, gathered with others in this place so together we may commit our journey toward the new life we celebrate on Easter morn.

The discipline of self-examination and prayer are central features of Lent. But those disciplines should not stop at Easter. In the spirit of "building on Lent" we should integrate those disciplines into our journey with Christ. In an effort to do this, we will make available to you "Prayer Request" cards, which will be found inside new blue-covered friendship pads in the pews. We encourage everyone to make use of these for personal or corporate petitions or thanksgivings. At the bottom of the card, you may indicate whether you would like the Pastor, the Prayer Group, and/or the Deacons (it may be any one, two, or all three) to pray for your request. You will then place your request in a secured box on the table in the Narthex nearest Duntreath Hall. Pastor Dennis will open the box on Mondays and distribute the cards as indicated. God hears the prayers of God's people and we look forward to hearing how hearts and lives are impacted by this new ministry.

In celebration of Dr. Seuss, we are seeking members of our congregation who would like to read one of his books to a classroom at Oakgrove-Bellemeade Elementary. The date is Thursday, March 2 at 9:30 and the reading time will be about twenty minutes. Volunteers would need to be at the school by 9:15 and will need a photo ID. For more information and details, contact Ruth Anna Langdon at 282-4867 or ruthannalangdon@gmail.com.

If you are interested in this summer's Mission Trip working with Appalachian Service Project, please plan to attend an informational meeting in Room 106 on Sunday, March 12th at 12:30 p.m. The dates for this year's trip are June 25 – July 1. Please contact Greg Blevins at <u>blevinz4@verizon.net</u> with questions.

Your shopping dollars at Kroger can add funds to our Outreach programs, without any penalty in your own "rewards points" or changes in your shopping dollars. Have you signed up to designate Tuckahoe as a community beneficiary of Kroger Rewards? There is a straight-forward explanation of how to sign

up on-line in the February edition of *The Torch*. Feel free to call Mary in the church office at 282-2860 and she can help you with the process. Your Kroger shopping dollars can add up for Tuckahoe. Be sure to check it out!

Save the Date! Vacation Bible school is coming! July17-21 we will be exploring the *Maker Fun Factory!* Can't wait to see you all there. If you would like to help, let Sarah know at sarah@tuckahoepres.org.

LECTIONARY TEXT FOR THIS SUNDAY:

Exodus 24:12-18; Psalm 2; or alternate Psalm 99; 2 Peter 1:16-21; Matthew 17:1-9

NEXT WEEK'S THE STORY READING:

Chapter 21 – Rebuilding the Walls Ezra, Nehemiah 1 – 9, Malachi 1- 4

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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THIS WEEK AT TUCKAHOE

Sunday,	February	y 26 YOUTH SUNDAY
9:30	AM	Sunday School
11:00	AM	Worship
After W	orship	Fellowship Time – Duntreath Hall
12:30	PM	Fellowship Committee - Room 108
12:30	PM	Moderator's Meeting - Rom 106
Monday, February 27 Office hours 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.		
10:30	AM	Meals on Wheels
7:00	PM	TPC Book Club @ home of Jean Hayes
Tuesday	, Februar	y 28 Office hours 9:00 a.m 3:00 p.m.
9:30	AM	Morning Prayer - Church Parlor
3:30	PM	Hilliard House Meal
Wednesday, March 1 Office hours 9:00 a.m 3:00 p.m.		
9:30	AM	Staff Meeting - Workroom
5:30	PM	KMD Bells - Sanctuary
6:00	PM	Wednesday Night Supper- Duntreath Hall
6:45	PM	Ash Wednesday Service - Sanctuary
7:30	PM	Adult Handbells - Sanctuary
7:30	PM	Session Meeting - Room 106
Thursday, March 2		
7:00		Men's Bible Study - Room 108
6:30	PM	<u>The Story</u> Evening Class – Room 106
7:30	PM	Chancel Choir Rehearsal - Choir Room
Friday, N		Office closed
10:00	AM	The Story Class @ Cedarfield
Sunday, March 5		
9:30	AM	Sunday School
11:00		Worship & Communion
After Worship		Fellowship Time – Duntreath Hall
12:30		WFSF Committee - Room 108
6:00	PM	Youth Group - Duntreath Hall