

SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY  
TUCKAHOE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

JULY 2, 2017

FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

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WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

MUSIC MEDITATION

CALL TO WORSHIP

Give thanks to the Lord, for God is good.

**God's steadfast love endures forever.**

Welcome one another in Jesus' name,

**for Christ is truly present among us.**

Let us worship God.

\*HYMN

*"Great Is Thy Faithfulness"*

No. 39

\*PRAYER OF CONFESSION

O God, on lonely Mount Moriah  
you put your servant Abraham to the test.

We confess that we have failed  
much lesser tests of our faith.

We have allowed sin to run our lives,  
to shape how we act toward others,  
and to distort our relationship with you.

In your great mercy, forgive us...

*(silent confession)...*

**Change even our bodies  
from implements of destruction  
to instruments of your peace;  
for the sake of the Lamb of God, Jesus Christ,  
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,  
one God, now and forever. Amen.**

\*ASSURANCE OF PARDON



TUCKAHOE  
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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

**\*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**

**OLD TESTAMENT LESSON**          Genesis 22: 1-14          Page 17  
This is the Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

**SPECIAL MUSIC**                      *"Festive Tune"*          German

**EPISTLE LESSON**                  Romans 6: 12 - 23          Page 156  
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**CENTSABILITY OFFERING**

**MOMENTS WITH THE CHILDREN**

**\*HYMN**                      *"Where Cross the Crowded Ways of Life"*          No. 343

**GOSPEL LESSON**                  Matthew 10: 40 - 42          Page 11

**SERMON**                      *"Faith That Attracts"*          Patrick Dennis

**\*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**                      *"Calm Spirit"*                  Bohm

**\*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 THANKSGIVING AND DEDICATION**

**\*HYMN**                      *"Take My Life"*                  No. 697

**\*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION**

**\*NATIONAL HYMN**          *"Mine Eyes Have Seen the Glory"*          No. 354

**POSTLUDE**

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## WORSHIP LEADERS

Patrick Dennis, *Pastor*; Sarah Dennis, *Director of Christian Formation*; Mark Cain, *Director of Music Ministries*; Sarah Cothorn, *Assistant Director of Music Ministries*; Roger Comley, *Euphonium*; William Adair and Leslie Shimer, *Lay Readers*; Claire Smith, *Acolyte*.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS AND CALENDAR

We are pleased to have you worship with us and sincerely hope 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 be held in the church parlor on three Sundays in August—August 6, 13 and 20 at 11:15 a.m., following worship. If you are interested in learning about what it means to be a member of our church, please contact Patrick Dennis via email at [pdennis@tuckahoepres.org](mailto:pdennis@tuckahoepres.org) or by calling the church office at 804-282-2860.

The flowers are given to the Glory of God. Nursery Helpers are Tabitha Piwowarski, Dot Smith and Hilary Robinson. The Fellowship Time is hosted by Pam and A. W. Dickerson.

We extend our Christian sympathies and prayers for God's comfort to:

Don Virgin and his family on the death of Don's sister, Betty Vaughan, on June 17<sup>th</sup> in Grand Rapids, MI.

Julia and Tom Adair and their family on the death of Julia's mother, Peggy Bonham, on June 19<sup>th</sup>. Service arrangements are not finalized; but, will be held in Bristol, VA.

Ushers for the month of July are Hal Breitenberg, Robins Buck, Bill Clegg, Alex Miller, Kay Noel, Jason Pool and Gene Self.

During the Moments with Children, we will collect the monthly CentsAbility Offering. This important monthly offering, based on "two cents per meal", is a way for all of us to give to the hungry in our community.

Next Sunday, July 9<sup>th</sup> we will celebrate the sacrament of the Lord's Supper during worship.

Also next Sunday, please bring your non-perishable food donations for Lamb's Basket and place them in the Resource Center collection bin. Even during the summer months there are hungry families in your community!

Have you registered your children for our summer Vacation Bible School? We need to have our registrations completed soon, so we can plan appropriately. Your children, grandchildren and their friends are invited to join us for *Maker Fun Factory*, Vacation Bible School, July 17–21, from 9 a.m. – Noon. At this year's VBS, kids will discover that God made them for a purpose...just the way they are! *Maker Fun Factory* is filled with incredible Bible-learning experiences kids see, hear, touch, and even taste! Sciency-Fun Gizmos™, team-building games, cool Bible songs, and tasty treats are just a few of the standout activities that help faith flow into real life. Plus, kids discover how to see evidence of God in everyday life—something we call *God Sightings*. If you would like to register please fill out the form found on our website under "Learn/Vacation Bible School". See you this summer!

*Maker Fun Factory* is looking for decorations! Our VBS theme this summer is about being created by an amazing God. We are looking for children's toys or crafts or decorations to fit our theme. Examples: toy tools, robots, Legos, bricks, trucks, Tinker

Toys etc. If you have something you would like for us to use, please bring it to the church office. If you would like it back, please put your name on it!

**Tuckahoe Volunteers are needed to register campers at Camp Hanover on Sunday, July 23<sup>rd</sup>.** Volunteers need to be there by 2:00. Tasks include registration of campers, welcoming, unloading cars, and taking luggage to campsites. We should be done by 5:00. Please let Tim Beane know if you are available to help out (804-363-7841).

**Tuckahoe's event with YMCA's Bright Beginnings is set for Tuesday, August 1st at 5:30 p.m. at the Target at Libbie Place and more volunteers are needed!** Volunteers need to be in middle school (with a parent) or older. It takes about 2 ½ hours and is loads of fun! Please sign up! If you have questions or wish to volunteer, please contact Amanda Carr at 804-673-0787 or [Amanda.Carr@longandfoster.com](mailto:Amanda.Carr@longandfoster.com).

**The summer is the perfect time to sign up to host an "After Worship Fellowship Time".** As always, you are encouraged to keep our Sunday fellowship time simple...lemonade and cookies are just fine and you will find the pantry well stocked with all the supplies you need. The sign-up calendar is in the Resource Center between the narthex and Duntreath. There are still summer Sundays that need to be filled with hosts.

**CARITAS is in need of your help this summer!! They are calling for all hands on deck in our warehouse, extending an opportunity to those who are interested in service or in need of volunteer hours.** They need individuals or groups who are available to commit to a 2 hour time slot between the hours of 12 pm - 4 pm to help organize inventory, make deliveries, and receive donations. Interested participants must be at least 16 years old (with a parent or guardian). If interested in helping,

please contact CARITAS by phone: (804) 358-0964 or by email: [info@caritasva.org](mailto:info@caritasva.org).

**Camp Hanover is Hiring!** Camp Hanover is looking for counselors (male and female, 18+) and lifeguards (18+, lifeguard certified) to round out their staff for the latter part of the summer season. Dates are July 9 - August 13. For more information, or to apply, visit [www.camphanover/work-at-camp](http://www.camphanover/work-at-camp).

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LECTIONARY TEXT FOR NEXT SUNDAY:

Genesis 24:34-38, 42-49, 58-67

Psalm 45:10-17

Romans 7:15-25a

Matthew 11:16-19, 25-30  
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**STEWARDING OUR LIVES FOR GOD**

*Putting Our Blessings to Work*

*Take from among you an offering to the Lord; let whoever is of a generous heart bring the Lord's offering.*

Exodus 35:5



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## THIS WEEK AT TUCKAHOE

### **Sunday, July 2**

10:00 AM Worship  
After Worship Fellowship Time - Duntreath Hall

**Monday, July 3**      *Church Office Closed*

**Tuesday, July 4**      *Church Office Closed*

**Wednesday, July 5**      *Office hours 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.*

9:30 AM Staff Meeting - Workroom  
10:30 AM Meals on Wheels  
7:30 PM Christian Formation Committee - Room  
106

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

7:00 AM Men's Bible Study - Room 108

**Friday, July 7**      *Office closed*

### **Sunday, July 9**

10:00 AM Worship & Communion  
After Worship Fellowship Time - Duntreath Hall  
12:30 PM Blood Pressure Check - Duntreath Hall