

SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY
TUCKAHOE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

MAY 21, 2017

SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

MUSIC MEDITATION *"Praise His Name Forever"* Parrish

CALL TO WORSHIP

Sing a new song; tell of salvation each day!

**We will declare God's glory among the nations, God's
marvelous works among all people!**

Bring tributes of praise and ascribe glory to God!

That God's sanctuary may be filled with majesty.

Let us worship God.

*HYMN *"Come Sing, O Church, in Joy!"* No. 305

*PRAYER OF CONFESSION

O God of our fathers and our mothers, we come humbly before you. You are the source of our salvation and the Bringer of light, yet we fail to sense the mystery of your love. We judge others and bear grudges against our neighbors, while it is your nature to forgive. We hold tightly to our possessions, while Christ blesses the poor. In him you have spoken peace, yet we live in turmoil - in our world and in our individual lives. Hear us now as we offer our confession, both spoken and unspoken....*(silent prayers of confession)*.

*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

...In Jesus Christ our sin is forgiven.

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

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON Proverbs 3: 1- 8 Page 585

Jesus said: "I am the way, the truth, and the life. Believe in me."

Thanks be to God.

ANTHEM "Lord, Listen to Your Children Singing" Medema

NEW TESTAMENT LESSON Hebrews 11 & 12 (selected verses)
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MOMENTS WITH THE CHILDREN Sarah Dennis

***HYMN** "Breathe on Me, Breath of God" No. 286

SERMON "Celebrate the Journey" Diane Prevary

***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH** 1 Cor. 15:1-6; Mark 16:9 (16:1-9);
Matt. 16:16; Rev. 22:13; John 20:28

This is the good news which we have received, in which we stand, and by which we are saved, if we hold it fast: that Christ died for our sins according to the scriptures, that he was buried, that he was raised on the third day, and that he appeared first to the women, then to Peter, and to the Twelve, and then to many faithful witnesses. We believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of the living God. Jesus Christ is the first and the last, the beginning and the end; he is our Lord and our God. Amen.

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 "Fantasy on Southern Folk Hymns" arr. Tucker

***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**

Gracious God, accept the gifts we offer today as symbols of our commitment; sanctify them wholly, that they may be used as you desire. Mold us and use us as instruments of your will. We dedicate this offering of our gifts and ourselves in Christ's name. Amen.

***HYMN** "Rejoice, Ye Pure in Heart!" No. 804

***CHARGE AND BLESSING**

POSTLUDE

WORSHIP LEADERS

Diane Prevary, *Parish Associate*; Sarah Dennis, *Director of Christian Formation*; Mark Cain, *Director of Music Ministries*; Sarah Cothorn, *Assistant Director of Music Ministries, Tintinnabulation*; Christie Wilson, *Lay Reader*; Logan Albertson, *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.

The flowers are given by Mary and Meagan McGee to the Glory of God and in loving memory of Bob McGee. **Nursery helpers** are Shannon Galt, Kerry Barksdale and Dan and Melissa Mascher. **The Fellowship Time is hosted by** the Dave Smith Family.

Pastoral Care Concerns:

Hospitalized or recovering: Greg Blevins, Rachel Gray, Mildred Jones, Butch Richardson and Shirley Wilson

The rose on the organ is to celebrate the birth of Georgia Mae Harding, daughter of Patrick and Tyler Wallace Harding, born on April 28th. Georgia Mae is the first grandchild of Dixon and Amanda Wallace.

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.

Our annual "Ladies' Tea" is this afternoon from 4:00 - 6:00 p.m. in Duntreath Hall. All women of Tuckahoe, young and old, are invited to a tea sponsored by the Fellowship Committee. Bring your Moms, grandmothers, daughters, granddaughters, aunts,

sisters, and friends for a time of fellowship, tea and light refreshments. Even if you haven't made a reservation and find you can join us...please come!

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.

This week's Wednesday Night Supper is the last one until the fall. It's a Low Country Boil and will start at 6:30, instead of 6:00 so the parking lot is shaded for the event! The meal consists of: shrimp, smoked sausage, corn on the cob, potatoes, onions and garlic. The cooking and eating will take place outside (weather permitting). Steve St. John's band, "Sleepy Hollow Bluegrass Band" will be the entertainment for the evening. This is fun for all ages! Please sign up on the friendship pads today, call the church office, or register on line by clicking on the event box on the home page of our web site by Monday afternoon to reserve your family's spot!

Session has called a Congregational Meeting for immediately following worship next Sunday, May 28th. The purpose of the meeting is to elect members for the 2017 Officer Nominating Committee. Nominees are: Bob Lacy, Chair, Bill Carter, John Flournoy, Robins Buck, Barbie Keatts, Melissa Mascher, Heather DeBolt, Bill Vogel, Rachel Sherman, Camellia Wroniewicz and Mary Chris Werner.

We are in the process of gathering names of members to consider for nominations to the offices of Elder, Deacon and Trustee. Please prayerfully consider persons you believe have the dedication and gifts to serve in our leadership. You may also submit your own name if you sense God's leading you to do so. If you would like more information on the duties of each of these offices, please visit our web site under the tab

“About/Leadership”. (www.tuckahoepres.org) Nomination forms are to be returned to Bob Lacy or the church office by June 5th.

On Sunday June 4th, Pentecost Sunday, and we will have a joint worship service with the Trinity Ghanaian Presbytery Fellowship. We will celebrate the Lord’s Supper during worship. Remember to wear red that Sunday!

Make plans to attend the all-church picnic on June 4th at 5:00 p.m. The Fellowship Committee will provide barbecue and buns along with drinks and paper products. You are asked to bring a side or a dessert and a blanket or lawn chair. The Pops Band will play at 6:00.

Save the date! There will a children-led worship service June 11! More information to come, but make sure you mark your calendar and plan to be here for this wonderful morning.

On Sunday, June 18th we will begin our summer worship schedule. There will be no children’s Sunday School and worship will be at 10:00 a.m.

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? If you need assistance with the sign-up process, please call Mary in the church office at 282-2860. Your Kroger shopping dollars can add up for Tuckahoe. We got a nice check for the end of the year and only 24 families are signed up...imagine what we can do with more shoppers signed up!?

Vacation Bible School is July 17 – 21! Remember to invite your friends and family members to join the fun of “Maker Fun Factory”. You can register children via the web site on the

Vacation Bible School page--there is a link to the registration form. Also, volunteers are still needed. Please sign up to help out during the week. There is a sign-up board in Duntreath Hall or you can sign up via this direct link: <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/60b0e4da9af2d6-vacation.>, which is also available on the web site VBS event box.

Please sign up to host an “After Worship Fellowship Time” – the sign-up calendar is in the Resource Center on the right side wall as you enter Duntreath Hall. There are still many dates in the summer that need to be filled.

LECTIONARY TEXT FOR NEXT SUNDAY:

Acts 1:6-14, Psalm 68:1-10, 32-35; 1 Peter 4:12-14, 5:6-11; John 17:1-11

THIS WEEK AT TUCKAHOE

Sunday, May 21

9:30 AM Sunday School

11:00 AM Worship

After Worship Fellowship Time

12:30 PM Fellowship Committee - Room 108

4:00 PM Ladies' Tea - Duntreath Hall

6:00 PM Youth Group - Duntreath Hall

Monday, May 22 *Office hours 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.*

7:00 PM TPC Book Club @ home of Barbara Maiden

Tuesday, May 23 *Office hours 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.*

9:30 AM Staff Meeting - Workroom

9:30 AM Morning Prayer - Church Parlor

3:30 PM Hilliard House Meal

7:00 PM Administration & Personnel Committee -
Room 108

Wednesday, May 24 *Office hours 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.*

6:30 PM Low Country Boil - Rear Parking Lot

Thursday, May 25 *Office hours 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.*

TORCH DEADLINE

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

Sunday, May 28

9:30 AM Sunday School

11:00 AM Worship

12:00 PM Congregational Meeting

After Worship Fellowship Time - Duntreath Hall

Monday, May 29 **CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED**

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