

MAY 3, 2015

- * PRELUDE: *“My Shepherd Will Supply My Need”* Bonnie Guy-Violin
WELCOME AND SHARING OF NEWS
CALL TO WORSHIP: Psalm 96
Leader: O sing to the Lord a new song! Sing to the Lord, all the earth.
People: **Sing and give praise to God’s name. Tell the glad news of salvation from day to day.**
INVOCATION AND LORD’S PRAYER
+ HYMN OF PRAISE: (Red) No. 379
“Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing”
+ 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.
+ GLORIA PATRI
CHILDREN’S MESSAGE Tammy McKibben
QUIET MEDITATION: *“Fairest Lord Jesus”*
PASTORAL PRAYER AND CHORAL RESPONSE
TITHES AND OFFERINGS
OFFERTORY ANTHEM: *“O Breath of God”* Bonnie Guy-Violin
+ DOXOLOGY AND PRAYER OF DEDICATION
+ HYMN OF PREPARATION: (Red) No. 64
“Abide with Me: Fast Falls the Eventide”
SCRIPTURE READING: John 15:1-8
Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.
People: **Thanks be to God.**
SERMON: *“Growing and Showing”* Lee Thomas
+ HYMN OF RESPONSE: (Red) No. 368
“My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less”
+ BENEDICTION
+ CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE: *“Alleluia”*
POSTLUDE: *“Sunshine and Joy Medley”*
+ CONGREGATION IS INVITED TO STAND
* USHERS MAY SEAT THOSE WAITING

THIS WEEK’S CALENDAR

SUNDAY:

10:00 A.M. Morning Worship Service
11:00 A.M. Congregational informational meeting
Attendance last week: 110
Offering last week: \$4,127.00

TUESDAY:

7:00 P.M. Bible Study

THURSDAY:

6:00 P.M. Choir Rehearsal

Our greeters today are Christel Nicklas and Clay.

Our prayer family this week is Barbara and Sonny Masincup.

The flowers in the sanctuary this morning are given by Sandra and Bill Sibert in memory of their parents.

For SACRA during the month of May we will be collecting paper products such as paper towels, paper plates and cups, napkins, tissues, toilet paper, etc. Please bring items to the social hall. They will be delivered at the end of the month. SACRA is most appreciative of your continued support.

There will be an informational meeting and discussion period for the congregation in the sanctuary on Sundays May 3, 10, 17 and 24, 2015 from 11:00 a.m. to 12 Noon. These meetings have been set by the Session for the purpose of learning and discussing the views of our church regarding the direction of the PC (USA) and to discuss concerns church members may have about recent changes to the constitution approved by the General Assembly and Shenandoah Presbytery.

An outside workday at the church is scheduled for Saturday morning, May 16, 2015 beginning at 8:00 a.m. All help is appreciated. Bring pick-ups, rakes, chain saws, etc.

Our Birthday Objective and honoring graduates covered-dish luncheon will be held on Sunday, May 17, 2015 at 12 Noon. (Drinks will be provided). Please plan to attend and celebrate the accomplishments of our graduates and support the Presbyterian Women’s Birthday Objective.