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THE SESSION

CLASS OF 2016

Brandon Hatcher
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CLASS OF 2017

John Charbeneau
 Rick McKibben
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Class of 2018

David Balsley
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 Rex Frye
 Phil Phillips

THE TRUSTEES

David Riel Ruth Bailey Joe Hemp

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL

Steve Richie-Superintendent David Balsley-Assistant Superintendent

PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN

Co-ordinating Team

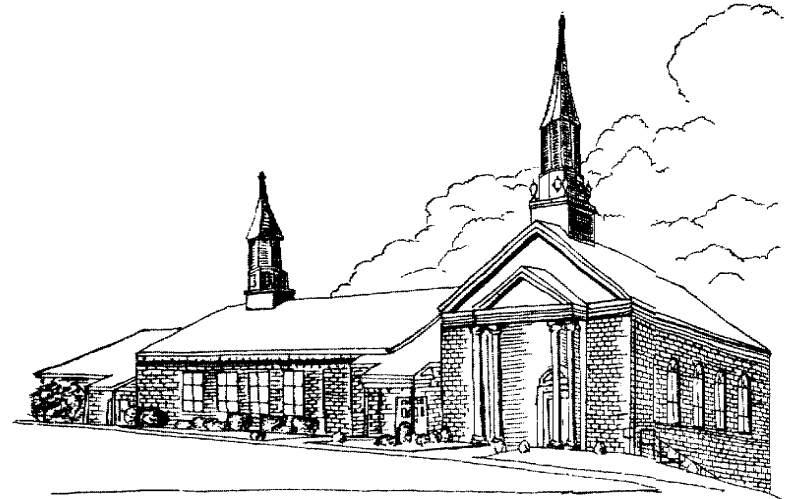
Karen Stevens-Moderator Vice Moderator-Stephanie Stevens
 Carolyn Via-Secretary Jean Ann Clemmer-Historian

Members-at-Large

Amy Thomas and OYF-Christmas Program
 Angela Leach-Missions
 Jean Ann Clemmer/Kim Weller-Easter Program
 Brenda Reid/Kodi Frye-Birthday Objective Program
 Brenda Reid-Search Committee

Circle Representatives

Barbara Riel.....Circle 3
 Kim Weller.....Circle 4
 Sherry Herr.....Circle 6



"The little church with a big heart"

Olivet Presbyterian Church

**1019 Richmond Avenue
 Staunton, Virginia 24401**

The Rev. Lee Thomas, Pastor

MARCH, 20, 2016

PALM SUNDAY

PRELUDE: "All Glory Laud and Honor"

WELCOME AND SHARING OF NEWS

CALL TO WORSHIP:

From Psalm 118

Leader: Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the LORD.

People: The LORD is God, and He has given us light. Bind the festal procession with branches, up to the horns of the alter.

Leader: You are my God, and I will give thanks to You; You are my God, I will extol You.

People: O give thanks to the LORD, for He is good, for His steadfast love endures forever.

INVOCATION AND LORD'S PRAYER

+ HYMN OF PRAISE:

(Red) No. 185

"Hosanna, Loud Hosanna"

+ 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

Scott McMurrain

QUIET MEDITATION: "Grace Greater Than Our Sin"

PASTORAL PRAYER AND CHORAL RESPONSE

TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY ANTHEM: "Rejoice Your King Is Coming"

+ DOXOLOGY AND PRAYER OF DEDICATION

+ HYMN OF PREPARATION:

(Red) No. 187

"All Glory, Laud, and Honor"

SCRIPTURE READING: Luke 19:28-40

SERMON:

"The Palms"

Lee Thomas

+ HYMN OF RESPONSE:

(Red) No. 190

"Beneath the Cross of Jesus"

+ BENEDICTION

+ CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE:

"In my life Lord, be glorified, be glorified. In my life Lord, be glorified today."

POSTLUDE: "Hosanna, Loud Hosanna"

+ CONGREGATION IS INVITED TO STAND

* USHERS MAY SEAT THOSE WAITING

THIS WEEKS CALENDAR

SUNDAY:

10:00A.M.

Morning Worship Service

Attendance last week: 94

Offering last week: \$3,035.10

Sunday School attendance last week:45

Sunday School offering last week: \$41.00

Sunday School for all age groups

11:00 A.M.

MONDAY:

12 Noon

Circle 3 will meet with Dot Harvey

& Mary Shepherd at Gypsy Hill Place (Club Room)

TUESDAY:

7:00 P.M.

Bible Study

THURSDAY:

7:00 P.M.

Maundy Thursday Service

Our greeters today are Carol and Nel Empet.

Our prayer family this week is JoAnn Tigert.

This morning we will receive the One Great Hour of Sharing Offering. This special offering sustains programs that provide disaster relief, food, clean water, training and resources to people all over the world.

For SACRA in March we will be collecting peanut butter, jellies, canned Ravioli, small cans of meat such as tuna, chicken, potted meats, and cereals. Include any non-perishable protein items. They have expressed a real need for these foods. Please leave your donations in social hall for delivery at the end of the month. Olivet and SACRA are most appreciative of your continued support.

Enrollment is open for the annual Baja Mission Trip which is scheduled for July 17-23, 2016. If you would like to be part of this ministry see Rhonda Richie for the facts and forms.

There will be an Easter Sunrise Service and Breakfast Sunday, March 27, 2016 at 7:00 a.m. If anyone would like to help or make a monetary donation, see Kodi Frye or Kim Smith. Please put your name on the sign-up sheet in the vestibule and include how many will be attending.

There will be a Maundy Thursday Service at Olivet on March 24, 2016 at 7:00 p.m.

If you have an emergency and need to contact Lee Thomas, please call his cell phone number at 540-910-0861. The home phone is not used on a regular basis.

The Session meeting scheduled for today has been cancelled.