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**THE SESSION**

**CLASS OF 2018**

David Balsley  
Charles Clemmer  
Jean Ann Clemmer  
Rex Frye  
Phil Phillips

**CLASS OF 2019**

Ray Leach  
Phil Miller  
Langdon Reid  
Chuck Richie  
Buck Robinson

**Class of 2020**

Pat Balsley  
D. Reid  
Don Reid  
Butch Smiley  
David Walton

**THE TRUSTEES**

Joe Hemp  
Harold Reid  
Harry Hogshead

**THE SUNDAY SCHOOL**

Steve Richie-Superintendent      David Balsley-Assistant Superintendent

**PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN**

**Co-ordinating Team**

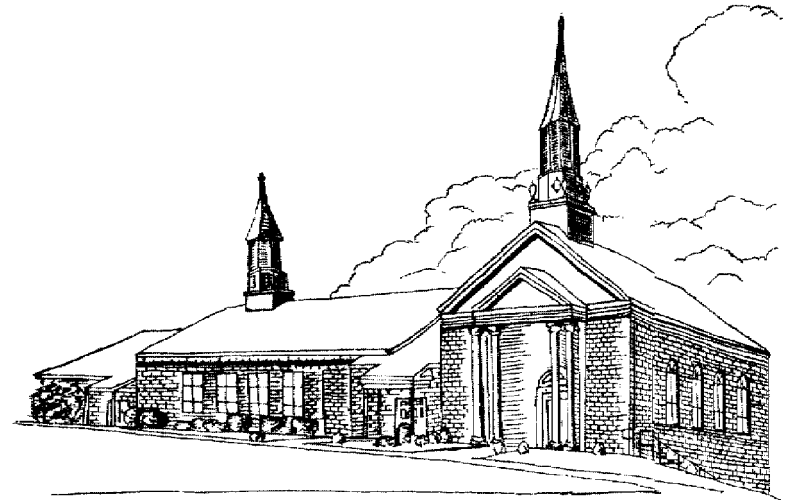
Jean Ann Clemmer-Moderator      Vice Moderator-Sherry Herr  
Carolyn Via-Secretary      Jean Ann Clemmer-Historian  
Kodi Frye-Treasurer

**Members-at-Large**

Amy Thomas and Sarah Hatcher-Christmas Program  
Kim Smith and Kodi Frye-Easter Program  
Community Involvement Committee:  
Amy Thomas, Christel Nicklas, Janna Milstead, Sherry Herr, Kahlan Smith  
Kim Weller-Search Committee

**Circle Representatives**

Pat Hunter.....Circle 3  
Mary Helen Thorne and Kim Weller.....Circle 4  
Esther Ann Walton.....Circle 6



*"The little church with a big heart"*

**Olivet Presbyterian Church**

**1019 Richmond Avenue  
Staunton, Virginia 24401**

**The Rev. Lee Thomas, Pastor**

OCTOBER 21, 2018

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND SHARING OF NEWS

CALL TO WORSHIP:

Leader: O praise the Lord with me.

**People: Let us exalt God's name together.**

Leader: Praise the Lord.

**People: The Lord's name be praised.**

INVOCATION AND LORD'S PRAYER

+ HYMN OF PRAISE: (Red) No. 84

*"I Sing the Mighty Power of God"*

\* **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

Mark Miller

QUIET MEDITATION

PASTORAL PRAYER AND CHORAL RESPONSE

TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY ANTHEM: *"God of Grace"*

DOXOLOGY AND PRAYER OF DEDICATION

+ HYMN OF PREPARATION: (Red) No. 272

*"Just as I Am, Without One Plea"*

SCRIPTURE READING: Hebrews 5:1-10

**SERMON: "Job Descriptions" Lee Thomas**

HYMN OF RESPONSE: (Red) No. 21

*"Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee"*

+ BENEDICTION

CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE: *"Alleluia"*

POSTLUDE

\* CONGREGATION IS INVITED TO STAND

## THIS WEEKS CALENDAR

### SUNDAY:

10:00A.M. Morning Worship Service

11:00 A.M. Sunday School for all ages

Attendance last week: 83

Offering last week: \$2,293.00

Sunday School attendance last week: 48

Sunday School offering last week: \$34.00

12 Noon

Session Meeting

### TUESDAY:

11:00 A.M. Bible Study

### THURSDAY:

6:00 P.M. Choir rehearsal (Olivet)

Our greeters today are Sarah and Brandon Hatcher and Lynlee.

Our prayer family this week is Melanie and Brian Argenbright and Kaylin.

The flowers in the sanctuary this morning are given by Melanie and Brian Argenbright and Kaylin in loving memory of their mother and grandmother, Linda Mitts.

Preschool and elementary children who would like to sing in the Christmas Program on December 16<sup>th</sup> will have short rehearsals immediately following the worship service on all the Sundays in November and December 2<sup>nd</sup>, 9<sup>th</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup>. Come sing with Sarah and Amy as we prepare to celebrate Christmas! Anyone else is welcomed and encouraged to share a Christmas gift of music with our church family that evening. Please see Amy Thomas to volunteer.

The Community Involvement Committee is calling for cupcakes and cookies for distribution to our local fire fighters, police and rescue responders. Please have goodies at the church on Sunday, November 11, 2018. Let's show our appreciation. There will be a planning meeting Sunday, November 4, 2018, after the morning worship service in the social hall. All are welcome.

Olivet is providing and collecting shoeboxes on Sundays during the month of October for Operation Christmas Child. Boxes can be picked up in the social hall until they are gone. Instructions are inside each shoebox, so do not use your own shoebox. Please put your name on the sign-up sheet so we can know where they have gone. You are asked to have shoeboxes turned in by Sunday, November 4, 2018.

For SACRA in October we are collecting the following items: peanut butter, jelly, toothbrushes and toothpaste, canned tuna, cereals, shampoos and detergents. Please leave donations in the social hall and they will be delivered at the end of the month. Thank you for your continued support.

The Women are sponsoring a fall fundraiser. Quarts of Vegetable Beef Soup and containers of Pimento Cheese are available today in the kitchen. Soup \$6.00 and pimento cheese \$4.00.

We will hold our annual congregational meeting on Sunday, October 28, 2018 for the purpose of electing five Elders and one Trustee for the Class of 2021, presenting the budget for 2019 and approving the Terms of Call for the Pastor.