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THE SESSION

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

Class of 2021

Charles Clemmer
Jean Ann Clemmer
Brandon Hatcher
Mark Miller
Alexis Reid

THE TRUSTEES

Harold Reid Harry Hogshead Sonny Masincup

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL

Steve Richie-Superintendent David Balsley-Assistant Superintendent

PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN

Co-ordinating Team

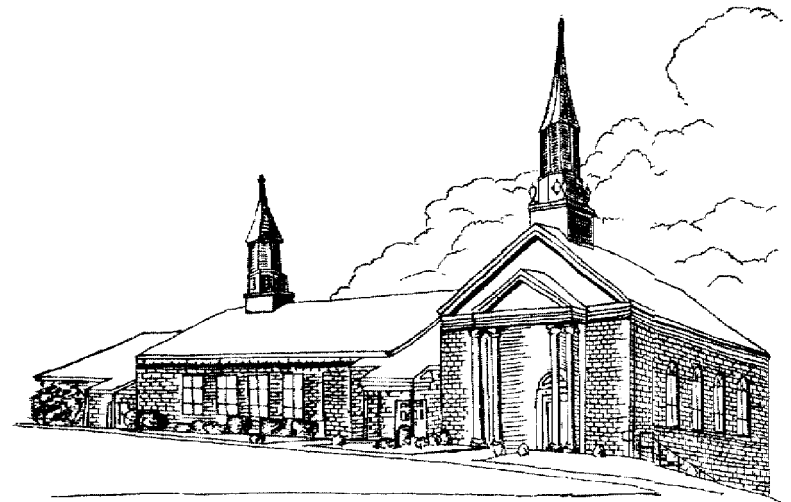
Jean Ann Clemmer-Moderator Vice Moderator-Sherry Herr
Carolyn Via-Secretary Joy Hogshead-Historian
Kodi Frye-Treasurer

Members-at-Large

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

Circle Representatives

Pat Hunter.....Circle 3
Mary Helen Thorne.....Circle 4
.....Circle 6



"The little church with a big heart"

Olivet Presbyterian Church

**1019 Richmond Avenue
Staunton, Virginia 24401**

The Rev. Lee Thomas, Pastor

NOVEMBER 17, 2019

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND SHARING OF NEWS

CALL TO WORSHIP:

Leader: The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.

People: And also with you.

Leader: O praise the Lord with me,

People: let us exalt God's name.

INVOCATION AND LORD'S PRAYER

+ HYMN OF PRAISE: (Red) No. 20

"It Is Good to Sing Thy Praises"

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

Lee Thomas

QUIET MEDITATION

PASTORAL PRAYER AND CHORAL RESPONSE

TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY ANTHEM: *"Lord of the Small"*

DOXOLOGY AND PRAYER OF DEDICATION

+ HYMN OF PREPARATION: (Red) No. 383

"I Love to Tell the Story"

SCRIPTURE READING: Luke 21:5-19

SERMON: "Being Still" Lee Thomas

+ HYMN OF RESPONSE: (Red) No. 349

"Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus"

+ BENEDICTION

CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE: *"Alleluia"*

POSTLUDE

+ CONGREGATION IS INVITED TO STAND

THIS WEEKS CALENDAR

SUNDAY:

10:00A.M.

Morning Worship Service

11:00 A.M.

Church attendance last week: 110

Church offering last week: \$1,948.00

Sunday School attendance last week: 46

Sunday School offering last week: \$35.00

Session meeting

12 Noon

TUESDAY:

11:00 A. M.

Bible Study

6:00 P.M.

Tuesday Night Fellowship (Everyone invited)

WEDNESDAY:

7:00 P.M.

Circle 6 will meet with Lynn DeBord

THURSDAY:

6:30 P. M.

Choir rehearsal (Olivet)

Our greeters today are Christel Nicklas and Clay.

Our prayer person this week is Fran Mines.

Congratulations to the our newly elected officers for the Class of 2022: Elder: David Balsley, Rex Frye, Sherry Herr, Joy Hogshead and Julie Reid. Trustee: John Charbeneau.

The congregation is invited to attend a Thanksgiving Service at Third Presbyterian on Sunday, November 24, 2019 at 4:00 p.m.

For SACRA during the months of November and December we are having a canned-food drive, such as canned vegetables, beans, fruits, peanut butters, jellies and meats. SACRA is in great need of these items. Please leave donations in the social hall by the last Sunday of the month.

On Tuesday, December 17, 2019 the congregation is invited to meet at Olivet at 6:00 p.m. to go caroling. A meal out is planned for afterwards.

There will be a 15-minute rehearsal for the Christmas play immediately following worship in the social hall after which the children will be dismissed to Sunday School or with their parents. The children's Christmas Program will be held at 6:00 p.m. on Sunday, December 15, 2019 followed by a spaghetti dinner sponsored by the Men of Olivet. A free-will offering will be received for the meal and proceeds will go to the children's weekend back pack ministry. All men of Olivet who are interested in helping with the meal is asked to see David Balsley.

The deadline for ordering a poinsettia for the Christmas season is Sunday, December 1, 2019. They are \$6.50 each. Please see Alexis Reid and have your dedication and payment ready when ordering.

The combined choirs of Olivet and Staunton Church of the Brethren will present a musical program at Olivet during the morning worship service on Sunday, December 8, 2019 and at the Brethren Church on Sunday, December 15, 2019 at 11:00 a.m. A repeat performance will be at the Brethren Church on Sunday, January 5, 2020 at 7:00 p.m. where a free-will offering will be received to benefit our local Food Bank.