

**MORNING WORSHIP
SUNDAY, MAY 9, 2010**

Eight Forty-Five & Eleven O'Clock Worship Services
Eleven O'Clock Broadcast over WLNI 105.9 FM

WE ASSEMBLE IN GOD'S NAME

Prelude Prayer C. Mawby

Westminster Chimes

Call to Worship

Leader: Let us worship God, our light and our salvation.

All: The Lord is the stronghold of our lives.

Leader: We desire to live in God's house and to seek God in his holy temple.

All: We have come with shouts of joy, to sing and to make music to the Lord.

Leader: Let us worship God in spirit and in truth.

All: Teach us your ways and make straight our paths in this hour of worship and always.

*Hymn #469 Morning Has Broken Bunessan

*Prayer of Adoration and the Lord's Prayer

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Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession (in unison)

Risen Christ, you are the vine; apart from you we can do nothing. Yet we live each day as if this were not true. Too often, our faiths exist without action, and we wonder if others are able to see the power of the gospel in our lives. Lord, forgive us when we fail to act in ways that make our faith known to all. Create in us a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within us. Do not cast us from your presence or take your Holy Spirit from us. Restore to us the joy of your salvation and sustain us with your Spirit. Fill us with your abiding love, that we may bear fruit worthy of our calling to life in service of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ, in whose name we pray. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

*Affirmation of Faith – The Apostles' Creed Hymnal p. 14

*Gloria (p. 579) Greatorex

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.

The Sacrament of Infant Baptism (11:00 A.M.)

Hannah Grace Thornton and Abigail Brooks Thornton, born July 20, 2009, daughters of Robert and Melissa Thornton.

Concerns of the Church

Minute for Mission – Christian Education

Children's Moment

WORSHIP WORKSHOP (11:00 A.M.) - for ages 3 & 4 and K & 1st grades (Gateways to Worship) in the classrooms across from the Nursery.

*Hymn 324 Open My Eyes That I May See Open My Eyes

Pastoral Prayer

Anthem (11:00) The Morning Trumpet R. Wetzler

O when shall I see Jesus, and reign with Him above,
And shall hear the trumpet sound in that morning?
And from the flowing fountain, drink everlasting love,
And shall hear the trumpet sound in that morning?

*O shout, glory, glory! I shall mount above the skies,
When I hear the trumpet sound in that morning.*

When shall I be delivered from this vain world of sin,
And shall hear the trumpet sound in that morning?
And with my blessed Jesus, drink endless pleasures in,
And shall hear the trumpet sound in that morning?

Through grace I feel determined to conquer, though I die,
And shall hear the trumpet sound in that morning.
And then away to Jesus, on wings of love I'll fly,
And shall hear the trumpet sound in that morning.

WE HEAR GOD'S WORD

Old Testament Lesson: Isaiah 1:10-18 (pew Bible pp. 630-631)

New Testament Lesson: James 2:14-26 (pew Bible p. 230)

Sermon "Faith that W.O.R.K.S." Meggan M. Farwell

WE GO OUT IN GOD'S SERVICE

Offering Offertory Minuet F. J. Haydn

*Doxology (p. 591) Old Hundredth

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

*Prayer of Dedication

*Hymn #367 Jesu, Jesu, Fill Us with Your Love Chereponi

*Benediction and Choral Response

*Postlude Praise the Lord with Drums and Cymbals S. Karg-Elert

*Those who are able, please stand

* * * * The ushers will seat worshipers

**WELCOME TO
FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

We welcome all who have joined us for worship today. All worshippers are asked to sign the friendship pad as it is passed during the Concerns of the Church. We're glad you're here!

Church Membership: If you are without a church home in Lynchburg, you would be warmly welcomed into our fellowship. The Session meets in the History Room to receive new members immediately following each worship service on the 2nd and 4th Sundays of the month.

Infants and Young Children: If your child needs attention, you are welcome to sit in the Narthex where you can still hear the worship service, or you may want to take your child to the Nursery (Room #8, Ground Floor). An usher will be happy to assist you.

If you are hearing impaired, we have special devices available in the Narthex before the service. Simply ask an usher for help.

BIRTHS: The rosebud in the chancel celebrates the birth of Avery Virginia Gilmer, born April 8, 2010, daughter of Drew and Alison Gilmer and granddaughter of Graham and Helen Gilmer.

SUMMER CHOIR begins June 6. Those wishing to sing with members of the Chancel Choir on a Sunday-by-Sunday basis throughout the summer may simply join us for a brief rehearsal any Sunday morning at 10:15 A.M. in the sanctuary to prepare an easy anthem. No auditions, robes, or sign-up: just come and sing, and help us lead worship. If you have any questions, please contact Raymond Weidner at 384-6231. Open to high school age singers and up.

AMERICAN RED CROSS: First Presbyterian Church will host an American Red Cross Blood Drive on Tuesday, May 18, 2010 from 12:00 Noon – 6:00 P.M. in the Fellowship Hall. We need blood donors, volunteer workers, and folks to provide snacks for the donors. Please contact Tracy Baker (swee2ths@comcast.net or 384-2683) if we can count on your help.

THE CHANCEL GUILD thanks Johnnie Lu and Evan Morgan for the beautiful rhododendron used last week. Please call Maureen Bendall (384-1644) if you have flowers to share in May.

CHILDREN'S WORSHIP materials available: We hope you noticed the CE worship cart outside the sanctuary. We would love for your children to use the items during the church service and then return them to the cart at the end of church. Younger children may be interested in the crayons and paper, while older children may enjoy the "Pockets" magazine, books, and folders with activities inside. Please help us take care of the items so all the children can enjoy them when they attend church!

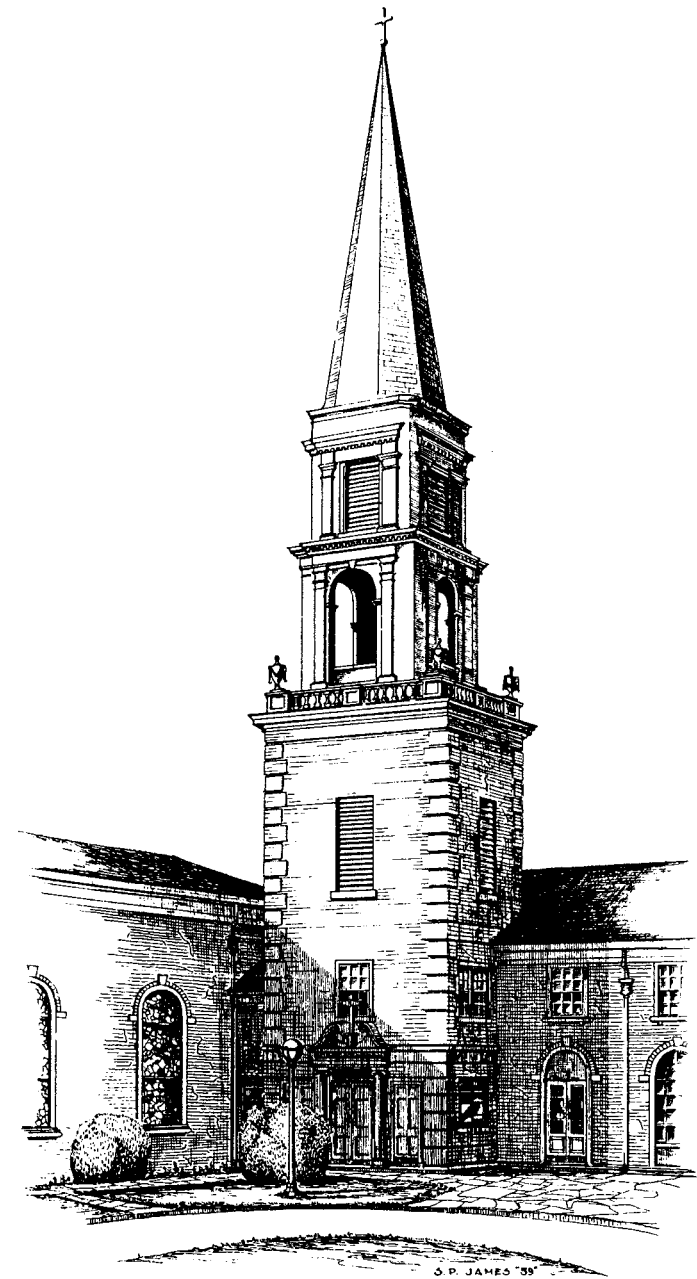
YOUTH SUNDAY SCHOOL offerings for the month of May will go to Presbyterian Home and Family Services for school supplies.

MEMBERS HELPING MEMBERS (MAY): Carolyn & Dick Sparks (384-7236) and Ellen Wiley (384-7676). Thanks to Sue Thornton and Anne McDaniel for serving in April.

Summer Schedule:
May 30 – September 5, 10:00 A.M. Worship

First Presbyterian Church

**Virginia Episcopal School Road
Lynchburg, Virginia
May 9, 2010**



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