

MORNING WORSHIP
SUNDAY, MAY 29, 2011
Ten O'Clock Worship Services
Eleven O'Clock Broadcast over WLNI 105.9 FM

WE ASSEMBLE IN GOD'S NAME

Prelude Pastorale in F J. S. Bach

Westminster Chimes

Call to Worship

Leader: Protect me, O Lord! You are my Lord and every good thing I have is a gift from you.

All: O Lord, you keep me safe. You make life pleasant and my future bright.

Leader: I praise you, O Lord, for being my guide. Even in the darkest night, your teachings fill my mind.

All: You have shown me the path to life, and you make me glad by being near to me.

*Hymn (see insert) We Praise Thee, O God, Our Redeemer Kremser

*Prayer of Adoration and the Lord's Prayer

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Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession (in unison)

O God, every day we make mistakes and need your help and forgiveness. We know that you are more ready to provide that help than we are willing to accept it. In your Son we have seen the kind of life we ought to be living. Forgive us when we are satisfied with the way things are. Help us to overcome our reluctance to follow Christ's example. Give us the wisdom as we go through life to say and do what is right. Continue to direct us along our way to you, for the sake of Jesus Christ. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

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

*Gloria 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.

Concerns of the Church

Children's Moment

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

*Hymn #357 O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee Maryton

Pastoral Prayer

Anthem: Come with Rejoicing R. Leaf

Come with rejoicing, lift up your voices, all Christians join in praise to the Lord.
Blessing and honor be to the Savior, angels on high sing praise to the Lord.
Through every nation praises are ringing, with adoration Christians are singing.
Praise him with cymbal, praise him with trumpet, praise him with singing, praise to the Lord.
Alleluia! All praise to God!

WE HEAR GOD'S WORD

Old Testament Lesson: Psalm 27:1-6 (pew Bible p. 503)

New Testament Lesson: Titus 2:7-8 (pew Bible p. 214)

Sermon **AFTER EASTER: "A Model of Good Works"** John M. Scholer

WE GO OUT IN GOD'S SERVICE

Offering

Offertory Air A. P. Van Iderstine

*Doxology 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 #564 O Beautiful for Spacious Skies Materna

*Benediction

*Postlude Gloria C. Penfield

*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: Children are always welcome in the worship service. 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.

THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER will be celebrated Sunday, June 5, 2011. **TWO CENTS A MEAL offering** will also be received.

NEW OFFICERS: We will ordain and/or install our incoming Elders and Deacons during the worship service on June 5, 2011.

JOIN SUMMER CHOIR anytime throughout the Summer. Interested singers may simply join us at 9:15 any Sunday morning in the choir loft to prepare a simple anthem for worship.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL IS COMING SOON! June 13–17. Main Street is going to be **Inside Out and Upside Down** as we explore Jesus' parables through music, crafts, fun and games. Registration forms are in the front hall, volunteer opportunities are still available for adults and youth (great opportunity to earn service hours ... hint, hint). See you there!

MEMBERS HELPING MEMBERS (June): Helen Gilmer (384-0428) and Betsy Jones (384-7633). Thanks to Carolyn Sparks and Betty Ebert for serving in May.

ATTENTION GRADS! We would like to acknowledge your recent achievement. Please let us know of your **high school or college/university** graduation for our July newsletter. Call or email Sandra at 384-6231 or sandra@fpcly.org.

Summer Schedule:

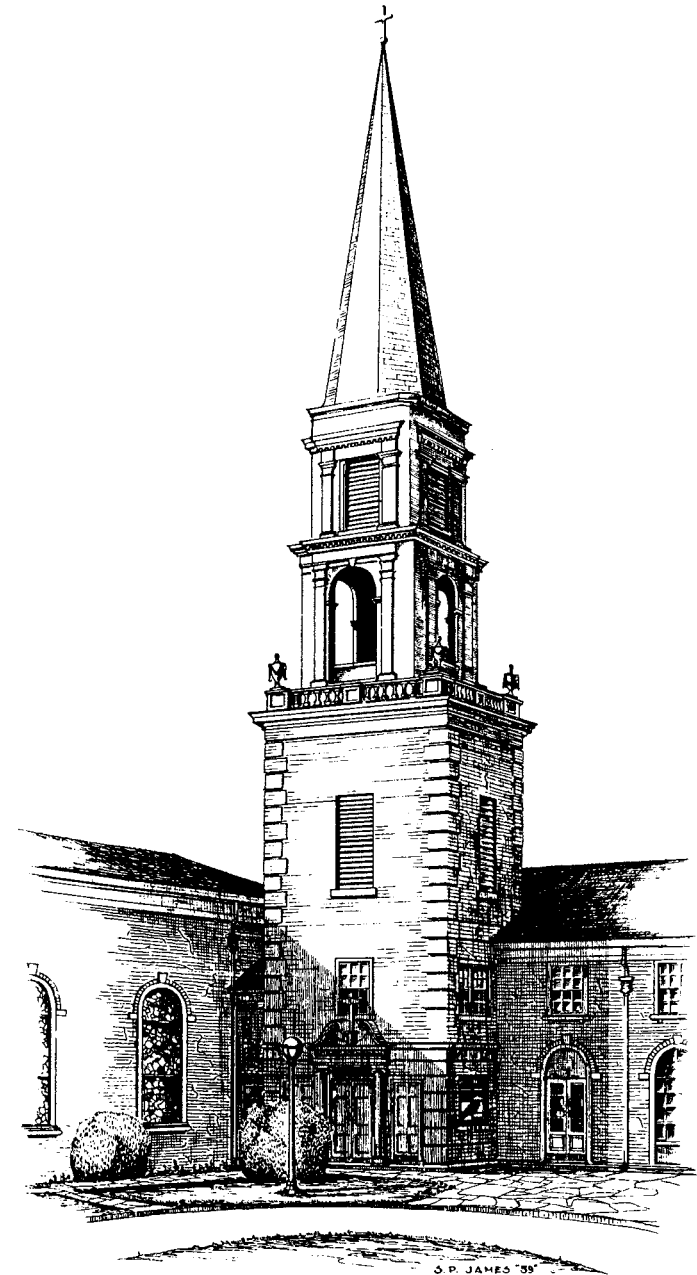
May 29 – September 4, 10:00 A.M. Worship
9:00 – 9:45 A.M., Sunday School (for all ages)
June 5, 12, 19, 26, July 10

First Presbyterian Church

Virginia Episcopal School Road

Lynchburg, Virginia

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John Scholer, *Pastor*
Meggan Farwell, *Associate Pastor for C.E./Youth*
Richard Harbison, *Pastor Emeritus*

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