

**MORNING WORSHIP
SUNDAY, JUNE 7, 2009**

Ten O'Clock Worship Service
Eleven O'Clock Broadcast over WLNI 105.9 FM

WE ASSEMBLE IN GOD'S NAME

Prelude O Lux Beata Trinitas R. Weidner

Westminster Chimes

Call to Worship

Leader: Love is patient and kind; it is not jealous or conceited or proud;

All: Love is not ill-mannered or selfish or irritable; it does not keep a record of wrong;

Leader: Love is not happy with evil, but is happy with the truth. It never gives up.

All: Of faith, hope, and love, the greatest of them all is love.

*Hymn 138 Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty! Nicaea

*Prayer of Adoration and the Lord's Prayer

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Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession (in unison)

Merciful God, though the splendor of your light and righteousness may seem to hide you from us, in your love you reveal yourself and your will to us in so many ways. Yet we close our eyes, our ears, and our hearts, from your commandments and direction. We assess our lives through the distorted lens of the views of the world, and are pleased with ourselves. We measure our success by the rules of culture, and judge others who do not match our expectations. Challenge our complacency, and in that challenge let us embody a love that lifts our spirits to your vision. We pray this in the name of Jesus Christ our Savior. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

*Affirmation of Faith (see insert) The Ten Commandments

*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.

Concerns of the Church

Senior Sunday Recognition

WE HEAR GOD'S WORD

Children's Moment

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

Offering Hymn to the Trinity M. Burkhardt
Offertory Anthem

Father, to you our praise we bring;
For love, for care, glad voices sing;
We laud with joy, the earth shall ring: Alleluia!

Spirit of God, you give us power,
Your blessings now upon us shower,
Our faith you bring into full flower. Alleluia!

O Christ, to you all glory be,
From sin your death has set us free
To live with you eternally, Alleluia!

Glory to God, the Father, Son,
And Holy Spirit, Three in One.
Forevermore God's praise be sung. Alleluia! Amen.

*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

Old Testament Lesson: Psalm 1 (pew Bible p. 489)

New Testament Lesson: Matthew 22:36-39 (pew Bible p. 25)

Meditation "The Spirit of Love" John M. Scholer

*Hymn 510 Jesus, Thou Joy of Loving Hearts (vss. 1-3) Quebec

THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

Invitation to the Lord's Table
Prayer of Thanksgiving
Words of Institution
Reception of the Sacrament
Prayer of Commitment

*Hymn 510 Jesus, Thou Joy of Loving Hearts (vss. 4 & 5) Quebec

*Benediction

*Postlude Trumpet Voluntary J. Stanley

*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.

Congratulations to all of our High School Graduates!

Look where they will be going in the fall:

Connor Bell	Yale University
Elizabeth Carrico	Old Dominion University
Hunter Carrington	Virginia Tech
Carter Craddock	Sewanee - University of the South
Stuart Craighill	University of Virginia
Haden Cross	University of Virginia
Noah Grabeel	University of Virginia
Caleb Kidd	Hampden-Sydney
Kathleen Lifsey	Presbyterian College
Jake Link	Undecided
Caroline Moore	Radford University
Christian Paxton	College of Charleston
Christopher Richards	Virginia Tech
Bennett Whitehouse	Wofford College
Burke Wombwell	University of Georgia

Summer Schedule:

May 24 – September 6, 2009, 10:00 A.M. Worship

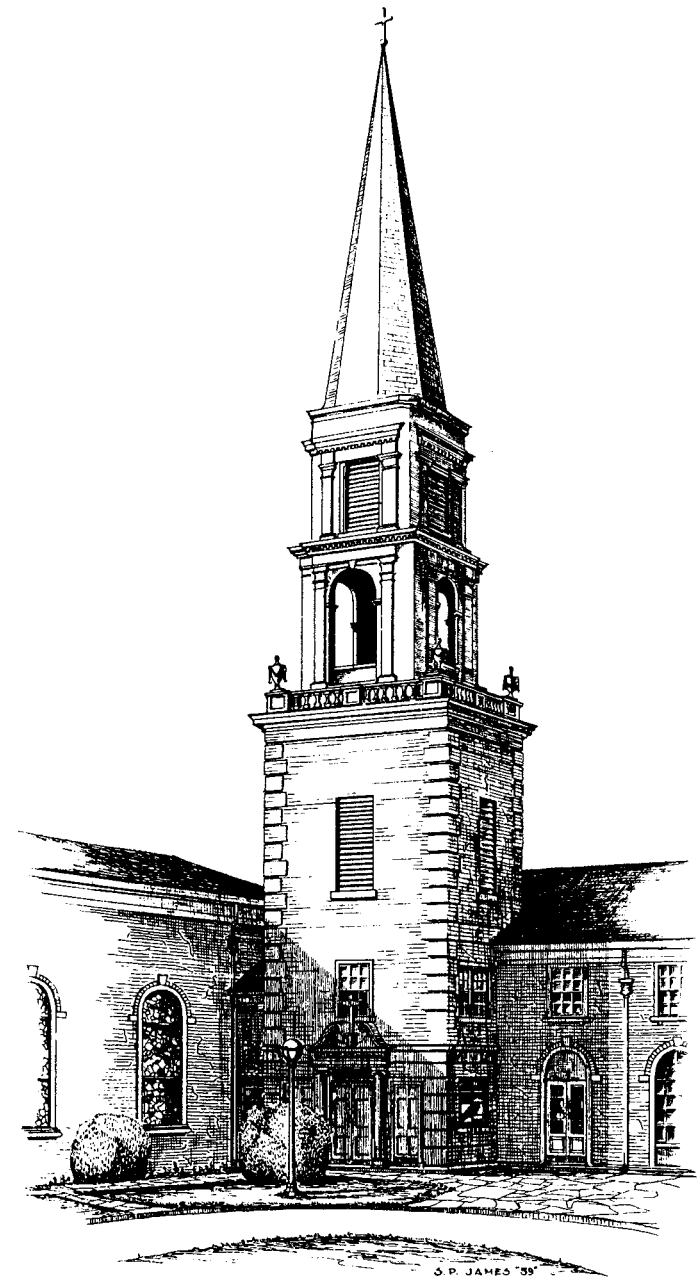
Adult Sunday School at 9:00 A.M. (May 31, June 7, June 14)
in Fellowship Hall

First Presbyterian Church

Virginia Episcopal School Road

Lynchburg, Virginia

June 7, 2009



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

Raymond Weidner, *Organist/Choir Director*
Marie Daughtrey, *Weekday School Director*
Lori Wright, *Business Administrator*
Gail Midkiff, *Parish Nurse*

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