

Church Calendar

Sunday, April 13 (Palm Sunday)

- 8:30 a.m. Early Worship
- 9:30 a.m. Fellowship Reception
- 9:45 a.m. Meet in Narthex for walk to Park
- 10:00 a.m. Palm Sunday Service in the Park
- 11:00 a.m. Traditional Worship
- 5:30 p.m. Youth Group (discuss Youth Sunday)

Monday, April 14

- 9:00 a.m. Weekday School
- 12:45 p.m. Staff Meeting
- 2:45 p.m. GPS (Grow, Praise, Sing)
- 6:00 p.m. Congregational Supper
- 7:00 p.m. Committee Night Meetings

Tuesday, April 15

- 9:00 a.m. Weekday School
- 5:45 p.m. Sanctuary Ringers
- 7:00 p.m. Praise Band

Wednesday, April 16

- 9:00 a.m. Weekday School
- 6:00 p.m. Elder Training
- 7:00 p.m. Chancel Choir

Thursday, April 17

- 9:00 a.m. Weekday School
- 6:00 p.m. Maundy Thursday Covered Dish Supper and Worship (Fellowship Hall)

Friday, April 18

- 6:30 p.m. Good Friday worship at Grace Presbyterian Church

Saturday, April 19

- 8:00 a.m. Community Breakfast

Sunday, April 20 (Easter Sunday)

- No Early Service
- 9:30 a.m. Easter Breakfast in Fellowship Hall
- 10:15 a.m. Egg Hunt
- 11:00 a.m. One Combined Worship Service

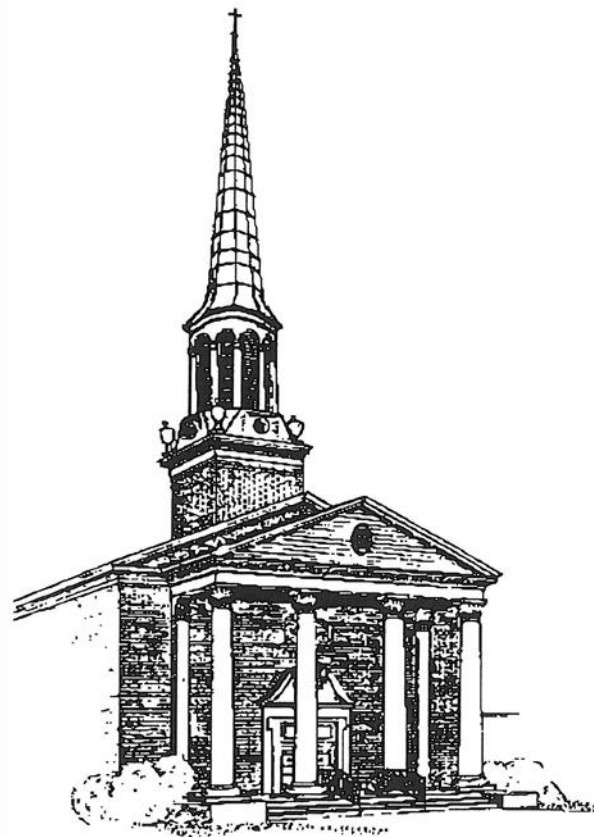
FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

1901 Patrick Henry Avenue

Martinsville, Virginia

Sixth Sunday in Lent – Palm Sunday

April 13, 2014



Our Mission

Share God's love, embrace our neighbors, nurture each other.

Early Worship Service, 8:30 a.m.

Sunday, April 13, 2014

WE GATHER TO WORSHIP

GATHERING SONG *All Glory, Laud, and Honor*

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

*GREETING EACH OTHER

*SONG OF PRAISE *There is a Redeemer*

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON (1 Tim 1:15, 1 Peter 2:24)

Leader: Hear the good news! The saying is sure and worthy of full acceptance, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners.

People: He himself bore our sins in his body on the cross, that we might be dead to sin and alive to all that is good. In the name of Christ we are forgiven!

Leader: The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you.

People: And also with you.

SONG OF RESPONSE *Lamb of God*

WE LISTEN FOR GOD'S WORD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE READING Psalm 51:1-12, John 12:1-19

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

SERMON *Body and Spirit: Cleansing* Jenny Spivey

WE RESPOND TO GOD'S CALL

STATEMENT OF FAITH (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.

OFFERING OUR GIFTS TO GOD

OFFERTORY SONG *Jesu, Jesu*

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

PRAYER RESPONSE *He Knows My Name*

WE GO TO BUILD GOD'S KINGDOM

*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

*BENEDICTION RESPONSE *The Bond of Love*

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Welcome to the Early Worship Service as we gather informally here in the chapel to celebrate the presence of the God with songs, prayers and messages. All are welcome.

Visitors please sign the register and a Visitor Card at the entrance to the chapel. We are so glad to have you join us for this time of fellowship and worship. If you would like to know more about our church and its mission, please indicate on the visitor card.

Please join us after the service in the Narthex to walk to Wilson Park for the Palm Sunday Service in the Park.

Musical and vocal talent needed for the Praise Team! If you are interested please contact Virginia King at vrking@kimbanet.com or 276-732-1687

The One Great Hour of Sharing Offering will be taken this morning and next Sunday, April 24. The purpose of this offering is to meet human needs and is shared through three programs of the PC(USA) The Presbyterian Hunger Program, Self-Development of People, and Presbyterian Disaster Assistance. Please give generously to this offering which is a witness to the unity to which Christ calls us. Special envelopes are available in the pew racks.

Holy Week and Easter Worship Service Schedule

Thursday, April 17, Maundy Thursday – 6:00 p.m. covered dish supper and Worship. We will eat and worship around tables in the Fellowship Hall and focus on the connection of the Passover meal with Jesus' Last Supper.

Friday, April 18, Good Friday –Joint Worship Service hosted by Grace Presbyterian Church, 6:30 p.m. “Viewpoints from the Cross”
Sunday, April 20, Easter Sunday – Easter Breakfast 9:30 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall, Egg Hunt at 10:15, followed by ONE Worship service in the Sanctuary at 11:00 a.m., with the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper.

Prayer Concerns

Doc Altizer, Walt Anderson, Kimberly and Richard Bryson, Carolyn Carr, Robert F. and Helen Decker (brother and sister-in-law of Doris Marshall), Marge Dunn, Lee Eden, Beth Ford, Clara Hartley, Charlie Miller, Ed Porter, Barbara Regen, Margaret Smith, Harold Wells, our Pastor Nominating Committee and our future Pastor, and all our troops throughout the world.

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The Session

Moderator: Jenny Spivey Clerk: Joan Montgomery

Mission: Nancy Baker, Administration: Chris Beeler,

Fellowship: Pearl Minter, Christian Education: JoAnne Sanders,

Stewardship: Lang Mauck, Evangelism/Outreach: Nancy Moore

Worship: Cathy Stone, Congregational Care: Virginia Truitt

Facilities: Neil Tatum

Trustees

Manly Boyd, Chris Beeler, Ed Linker, Bill Manning

Dru Rothrock, David Garland

Other Committee Moderators

Trustees: Dru Rothrock Early Worship: Virginia King