

Session

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Class of 2023

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We welcome each person who is visiting with our congregation and extend a special invitation for you to make The Presbyterian Church of Radford your home. Please take a visitor's card from the pew, fill it out and place it in the offering box at the back of the sanctuary. Hearing devices are available at the back of the sanctuary. If you wish to use one during worship, please let one of our ushers know. Kindly remove the batteries after use.

Presbyterian Church of Radford

Christ the King Sunday

November 20, 2022

11:00 a.m.

GATHER IN GOD'S NAME

(ASTERISK * indicates rise in body or spirit. BOLD indicates congregational response)

PRELUDE Joey Harrington

WELCOME

MINUTE FOR MISSIONS – Coley Thomas – report from the nominating committee.

Elder class of 2025: Wilma Allen, Alice Collier, DD Munsey, Robin Troxel.

Nominating Class of 2025: Becky Covey, Tom Mogen

*CALL TO WORSHIP (adapted from hymn, "Let All Things Now Living")

Leader: Let all things now living a song of thanksgiving to God our Creator triumphantly sing.

People: God fashioned and made us, protected, and stayed us, by guiding us on to the end of our days.

Leader: We too should be voicing our love and rejoicing; with glad adoration, our songs let us raise.

People: Till all things now living unite in thanksgiving; to God in the highest, hosanna and praise.

*Hymn #367 "Come, Ye Thankful People Come"

CONFESSION

Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession

Ever giving and faithful God, we are surrounded by your presence and by your good gifts. The world of your making is full of your goodness. We confess, however, that we are often dulled to the blessings in our life. We sometimes take them for granted. We live in a world that is blessed but is also broken. Sometimes the brokenness gets the best of us. Forgive us, O God. Meet us where we are broken. Inspire us where we are well to share generously with our neighbors so that all may know your goodness more fully. Amen.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

MASKING IN WORSHIP We thank you for continuing to wear masks at PCR! Beginning May 1st, masking in worship and Sunday school will be optional. This policy is subject to change if there is another surge in COVID-19 cases.

REMEMBER THE FOLLOWING IN YOUR PRAYERS

Congregation: Marj Lyle, Randy Ogden, Jimmie Jenkins, Richard Robertson, Linda Coyle, Ron Stockhoff

Friends of the Congregation: Al Harris (friend of Ginny Jones), Marge Rasheff (Karen Miller's mother), Mary Sue Daniels (sister of Jimmie Jenkins), Greg McFall (friend of the Millers), Melissa Delph (friend of Diane Bibb), April Collins Salvant (friend of Annyce Levy), Jim & Kelly Van Wert (friends of Charlie & Wilma Allen), Amy Jones (Wilma Allen's great niece), Trey and Christina Wall (son & daughter in law of Dot Wall), Ron Singleton (brother of Debbie Chase), SuSu Sadler (friend of Helen Harvey), Carolee Bondurant (friend of Quesenberrys and Dunns), family of Janet D'Amours (friend of Ron Willoughby & Gail Fei), Family of Drew Taylor (husband of Rev. Allison Unroe), Beverly Casey (friend of Jimmie Jenkins & Jill Alderman), Anna Vail (granddaughter of Gary and Alice Collier – spinal surgery on Nov.21), Family of Brian Powell (friend of Robin Williamson), Rebecka Gesscher
The Chancel Guild is looking for people who are willing to set up communion. Session has agreed to having communion the first Sunday of each month beginning in January so additional help is needed. If you are interested in serving PCR in this way, please contact Annyce or Carrie for details. It involves about an hour on Saturday before communion and washing the cups afterwards on Sunday.

CALENDAR AND EVENTS

Head Ushers for November are:

November 6 & 13 Diane Bibb
November 20 & 27 Tom Mogen

Third quarter giving statements are in the back of the sanctuary.

Advent Wreaths, Sunday, Nov. 20th The Christian Education Committee would like to invite everyone to join us immediately after the worship service to make wreaths. We will have all the supplies ready in the Fellowship Hall, so come get ready for the Advent season and make a wreath to take home.

Poinsettia Forms are in the bulletin as an insert. They should be returned to the church either in the offering plate or to church office by **Nov. 27th**.

Congregational meeting Dec. 4th Session has called a Congregational meeting (after church) for the purpose of electing the elders for the class of 2025 (Wilma Allen, Alice Collier, DD Munsey, Robin Troxel) and to fill two vacancies on the nominating committee. The two nominees are Becky Covey and Tom Mogen.

Lunch Bunch Dec. 7th, at noon. Bring a sandwich and a friend. Kylene Hilton will supply desserts and music.

Necessities Pantry is collecting new mittens, gloves, and winter hats to give to those in need at the Necessities Pantry **Dec. 17th**. Please donate as you can. Monetary donations also accepted. Donation boxes are in the Fellowship Hall and back of sanctuary. Necessities pantry can also use donations of deodorant especially women's deodorant!

Assurance of Pardon

The steadfast love of the Lord never ceases. His mercies never come to an end. Friends, believe the good news that there is no hurt, no sin, no loss, no injustice that can separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus. Through the life, death and resurrection of Christ, we have been brought near to God and our sins are forgiven.

Thanks be to God. Amen.

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

FIRST SCRIPTURE READING

The Word of the Lord

Thanks be to God

Psalm 107:1-19, 23-32

CHILDREN'S SERMON

Patty Oakley

ANTHEM – Joey Harrington

SECOND SCRIPTURE READING

The Word of the Lord

Thanks be to God

Colossians 3:15-17

SERMON – “Finding Thanksgiving”

Rev. Steve Willis

GIVE THANKS TO GOD

*HYMN # 336 “*We Gather Together*”

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH – Apostles' Creed – page 35 in Purple Hymnal

OFFERING

Call to Offering

*Doxology #606

*Prayer of Dedication

With gratitude we make these offerings, and we ask, O God, that they would be useful for the work of your kingdom. Bless the work of this church so that it may be reason for people to find joy and thanksgiving. Help us in our lives to recognize the gifts that we have been given and to use them in ways that are pleasing to you and enjoyable to others. **Amen.**

Notes

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

THE LORD'S PRAYER

We now join our voices together to pray as Jesus taught us:

*Our Father, who art in heaven,
Hallowed be thy name,
Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done,
On earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread
And forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors
And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil
For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen*

GO IN GOD'S NAME

*HYMN #643 "Now Thank We All Our God"

BLESSING AND CHARGE

POSTLUDE

Joey Harrington