PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

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

OFFERING

Call to Offering

Offertory *"Give Thanks"* by. Smith

*Doxology 606

*Prayer of Dedication

*HYMN 268 *"Crown Him with Many Crowns"*

POSTLUDE

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

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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 plate. 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.

November 22, 2026
Christ the King/Reign of Christ

PRELUDE *"Thanks Be To God"* By. Handel

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth.
People: Worship the Lord with gladness; come into his presence with singing.
Leader: Know that the Lord is God. It is he that made us, and we are his;
People: we are his people, and the sheep of his pasture.
Leader: Enter his gates with thanksgiving, and his courts with praise.
People: Give thanks to him, bless his name.
Leader: For the Lord is good;
People: his steadfast love endures for ever,
All: and his faithfulness to all generations.

*OPENING PRAYER

*HYMN 363 *"Rejoice, the Lord is King!"*

*PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Merciful King Jesus, upon your throne, we claim to have seen you. Yet you remind us that when you were thirsty, we did not give you something to drink, when you were hungry, we did not give you food, and when you were imprisoned or sick, we stayed away from you and the injustice you suffered. We did not see you, because we did not see you in our neighbors in those moments. Help us to see you in the face of everyone we see, in the needs that we hear, and in our commitment to justice, righteousness, and mercy, in the name of your kingdom. Amen

*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Leader: The mercy of the Lord is from everlasting to everlasting!
People: In the name of Jesus Christ, we are forgiven. Thanks be to God!

*GLORIA PATRI 581

FIRST SCRIPTURE READING Ezekiel 34: 11-19

Leader: The word of the Lord
People: Thanks be to God

ANTHEM *"Come with Great Thanksgiving"* by Michael Sharp

SECOND SCRIPTURE READING Matthew 25

Leader: The word of the Lord
People: Thanks be to God

CHILDREN SERMON Patty Oakley

SERMON *"King of Need"* Rev. Dr. Morgan Whitfield, Jr.

*HYMN 265 *"Jesus Shall Reign Where'er the Sun"*

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH 35 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

Session

David A. Young, Clerk of the Session

Class of 2026	Class of 2027	Class of 2028
John Herndon	Coleman Thomas	Debbie Chase
Bonnie Hayes	David Ferrell	Joan Hannah
Carol White	Mary Denton Lyerly	B.J. Munsey
Florence Mogen	Hugh Miller	David Young

Church Directory

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REMEMBER THE FOLLOWING IN YOUR PRAYERS

CONGREGATION: Sherry & Ty Oxley, Jim Coulthard, Judy Hood, Aaron Herman, Cindy Stone.

FRIENDS OF THE CONGREGATION: Trey and Christina Wall (son & daughter in law of Dot Wall), Elizabeth Klein (friend of Steve Willis), Asa Peeples (grandson of Don Makin), Nancy Zingelmann (resident of Highland Ridge Nursing Home), David Coulthard (brother of Jim Coulthard), Bobby Jenkins (Uncle to Jill Alderman), Mark & Vickie Williams (friends of Dot Wall), Mary Ann Williams (friend of Diane Bibb), David Dawson & Family (friend of Coley Thomas), Harriet Lambert (David Ferrell sister), Marlyn Torres(friend of a friend of Dan Gardiner), Clay Spangenberg (friend of Carol White), David Blue (Denise Bernardini brother-in-law), MacKenzie Farmer (friend of Barbara Newcomb), Laura Gordon & Family (friend of David Ferrell), Jeff Barrick (Robin Rhyne brother), Jamie Hall (niece of Cindy & Bill Stone), Mary Gail Hart (Florence Mogen's mother), Ray Spivey (brother of Jo Alderman), Robert Alderman (son of Jo Alderman), Janet & Ray D'Aours (friends of Ron Willoughby and Gail Fei), Mark Cecil (friend of friends of the Hannah's),Family of Carolyn Hodge (Mary Collins's sister), Laura Stanton (Gwen Whitfield's mother), Judy Ferrell (David Ferrell's sister-in-law), Debbie Ours (Cousin of David Ferrell).

Head Ushers for November		**Head Ushers for December**	
November 1, 8	BJ Munsey	December 6, 10	David Young
November 15, 22, 29	Debbie Chase	December 20, 27	M D Lyerly

November 26 & 27—Church office will be closed

November 29-4 pm. Fifth Sunday Concert

December 4—Decorate Sanctuary

December 6-6 pm—Christmas Dinner

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Masking in Worship—Masking in worship and Sunday School will be optional. This policy is subject to change if there is another surge in COVID.

Chancel Guild—We would like to add more members to help prepare communion, clean and polish the brass and silver for worship, and change the paraments according to the church calendar. We will train you. If interested, please contact Mary Denton Lyerly at mdrobert@radford.edu or (540) 392-3731.

The Necessities Pantry collecting—The necessities pantry will start their annual collection of winter gloves, hats and mittens for all ages to distribute at the December Pantry. They can be turned in at the church office or to Florence Mogen.

Christmas Crafts Day
The Christian Education Committee will sponsor our Christmas Crafts Day on November 22 immediately following the worship service. Lunch will be provided. We are looking for volunteers to provide various types of Christmas crafts for the adults and children of the congregation. If you would be willing to provide a craft please contact Patty Oakley. We understand that this is a little early, but the December Sundays already had other activities and this will allow us all to be ready to decorate our homes with awesome crafts the next week over the Thanksgiving holiday.

November 29—Thanksgiving Offering—This special offering goes to the Presbyterian Children's Home of the Highlands, in Wytheville Va.

November 29, 2026, 4:00 pm—Pat & Denise and Friends, variety show of Christmas Cheer through song. This is part of the 5th Sunday Concert Series. **All are welcome.**

The Angel Tree is now up and in the back of the sanctuary. Take an angel and return the gift by December 15, 2026, there are men and women's angels.

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