Morning Worship—February 19, 2017

Please sign the Fellowship Pad and pass it to your neighbor. *Please stand if able. It is our custom to sing, "Amen," after hymns.

PRELUDE "Great God of Wonders" arr. Don Wyrtzen

RESPONSIVE CALL TO WORSHIP:

Leader: God is here to receive our praise. **People: God is worthy of our adoration.** Leader: God is here to receive our confession. **People: God is near to the brokenhearted.**

Leader: God is here to transform our minds and hearts.

People: Let us joyfully worship God.

*HYMN OF WORSHIP 300

"Down to Earth, as a Dove"

PRAYER OF CONFESSION:

Lord God, Ruler of the universe, You have given us commandments by which to live, and we have broken them again and again. Indeed, we have broken them so often that we are used to it. Forgive us, we pray and help us never to become accustomed to breaking Your law. Hear our prayer as we continue in silence.

SILENT PRAYERS OF CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON:

Leader: In Christ

People: we are forgiven.

Leader: With Christ

People: we have hope of glory.

Leader: For Christ

People: we live gratefully to serve the Lord in the world.

Leader: In Christ, with Christ, for Christ *People: we have life. Thanks be to God!*

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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.

DEDICATION OF OFFERINGS

Offering in Music: "Together in Jesus" arr. Bruce Greer
Doxology 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

TIME FOR YOUNG DISCIPLES

Erin Parris

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

PASTORAL PRAYER & 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.

ANTHEM: "We Would See Jesus" arr. Craig Courtney

UNISON PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION:

Lord, open our hearts and minds by the power of Your Holy Spirit, that as the Scriptures are read and Your Word is proclaimed, we may hear with joy what You say to us today. Amen.

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SERMON "Formed in Family" Rev. Allen Thompson

SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH (Hymnal Pg. 14)

The 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

*HYMN OF WORSHIP (Insert)

"Christ, Be Our Light"

BENEDICTION

BENEDICTION RESPONSE 587

"Five-fold Amen"

Franklin Ritter

POSTLUDE "The Penitent Heart"

Praise God for Last Sunday:

Sunday School Attendance

Worship Attendance

Tithes & Offerings

Saturday Lunch Ministry

Not Recorded

ANNOUNCEMENTS

We provide nursery care from 9:30 AM to 12:30 PM and Sunday School for grades K-5 after Time for Young Disciples.

PASTORAL CONCERNS—Kevin Bailey, Martha Bell, Chuck Bolt, Alice & Randy Bradshaw, Beth Brown, Bill Brown, Claire Campbell, Nelson R. Clark, Judy Cox (Kristen Cox's sister-in-law), Ruby Crowell, Maude Dalton, Rev. Cecil Eanes, Clarence Edmunds, Bill Erwin, Sarah Fisher (Sally Clark's Mother), Betty Fitzgerald, Guy Fowlkes, Fred Gunn, Lois Hayes, Christina Hermetz (Kelsey Thompson's sister), Tim Hooker, Kathy Huggins, Kay Huggins (son-inlaw of Thomas and Alice Saunders), Conner Jones, Jana Keen and family, Angela Langford, Ruth Lawton, Larry Mann, Mamie Martin, Alma Moran, Thelma Meadors, Carolyn Miles, Larry Miller, Alma Moran, A. B. Motley, Debbie Perrin Neal, Lee Norman, Greg Nunley, Ella Ryan, Ethel Sakellaris, Alice Saunders, Lynn Saunders, Linda Terriberry

ON THE MEND--(Praise & Gratitude for improved condition) Martha Bell, James Cannon, Kelvin Gunn, Flo Hall, Libby Hodge, Grace Litzenberg, Thomas Peyton Mahaffey, Russell Vandiver, Jean White, Hampton Wilkins

The flowers that enhance our worship this morning are given to the glory of God and in honor of our children and grandchildren by Ava and Tom Barrett.

A Community Ash Wednesday service will be held March 1 at 7:00 p.m. at Mt. Vernon United Methodist Church. dnesday

If you would like to join our Missions Committee, we are looking for new volunteers. Our need especially is for new contacts for some of our missionaries. Contact Gary Wimer at 434-797-4138 or the church office.

Serving Today

Nursery/Sunday School Harriet Beale

Children's Sunday School Whitney and Catie Clarke

Laura Jones and Erin Parris

Marissa Meadors

Elders at Front Door Eddie Blount

Friendship Period Jarrod Brown and Joan Reynolds

Deacon to Receive Offering Kent Shelton Beale/Meadema Officers to Count Offering Gail Davis

Church School Superintendent

Liturgist

Time for Young Disciples Erin Parris Edward Blount Sound System

Team 3 Ushers

Flower Ministry Women's Day Circle

Weekend Custodian Ron Tanner

Childcare Specialists Lea Smith, Kelley Fochler

Saturday Lunch Ministry Feb. 25 Becky Meadema and Bunny Hayes

Please fill out the

Communication Questionnaire



included as an insert in today's bulletin and either place in the offering plate or leave with the sign-in book to be collected at the close of the service. We want to ensure that our communication with you is as effective as possible. In addition, if you have had a change in your contact information, please let the church office know by emailing christy@fpcdanville.com or calling 434-792-7822.

Have a suggestion or request for a

Family Night Supper menu? Send your ideas to Christy at

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To know Christ and make Him known

THIS WEEK AT FIRST PRESBYTERIAN

MONDAY, February 20

Day School 9 a.m. 9:30 a.m. Prayer Group 10 a.m. Staff Meeting

TUESDAY, February 21

9 a.m. Day School 5:15 p.m. Handbells

WEDNESDAY, February 22

Day School 9 a.m. 12:15 p.m. Chapel. 6 p.m. Youth

THURSDAY, February 23

9 a.m. Day School 5:30 p.m. Chancel Choir

FRIDAY, February 24

All Day Church Office Closed

SATURDAY, February 25

10:45 a.m. Lunch Min. Bible Study 11:15 a.m. Lunch Ministry

SUNDAY, February 26

9:45 a.m. Sunday School:

Mid & High School, Rm 112 Outlook Class, Rm 322

Seekers, Rm 109

10:45 a.m. Worship, Sanctuary

Mid-worship K-2/3-5 SS