

## WE GATHER IN THE LORD'S NAME

Greeting/ Announcements: Worship Leader Kim Albert

Meditation words: Learning...speaking...healing...peace

Prelude

\*Gathering Song: Jesus Loves Me red #437 v.1

**Jesus loves me, this I know, for the Bible tells me so!****Little ones to him belong: they are weak, but he is strong.****Yes, Jesus loves me! Yes, Jesus loves me!****Yes, Jesus loves me! The Bible tells me so.**

\*Salutation and Call to Worship:

Welcome to worship, people of God's mountain!

**May God in Jesus Christ be lifted up!**

Those who trust in the Lord are like Mount Zion...

**Which cannot be shaken but endures forever!**

Jesus brings healing to every moment of faith

**And life to all who believe in Him!**

Jesus commanded them at first to not tell others about Him...

**But now He commands us to tell all we meet!**

Jesus does all things well.

**And so must we!****Let us worship God!**

\*Hymn: Jesus Loves Me red #437 v. 2-3

May the Lord be with you!

**And also with you!**

\*Let us pray the unison prayer of thanksgiving.

Unison Prayer of Thanksgiving: **We thank You, God of Jerusalem****Israel and of all who believe, that You surround Your people****both now and forever, as we walk the road of faith. We give****thanks for the Holy Bible, and as we study and open our****hearts to You, make us able to grow in grace and be a light****to others. Work healing in our lives, and impress on our****hearts the people we must tell about eternity. Bless our****Sunday School year, as we study Your Word and learn how****to live as Christians in today's world, and make it grow in****spirit and number. Show us how to love as You have loved****us, to heal as You have healed us, and to forgive as You have****forgiven us. As we worship, surround us with Your love and****wonder. In Jesus' name, we pray.**

\*Silent Confession of Sin and Amen

Assurance of Pardon

\*The Gloria Patri

red Hymnal # 734

Walks with Jesus

Kim Albert

Children (K thru 2<sup>nd</sup> grade) exit for Children's Church

First Scripture Reading: Psalm 125 pew Bible p.604

Prayers of the People (see list below)

The Lord's Prayer Red Hymnal – Inside Front Cover

\* Hymn: On Eagles' Wings red #438

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

\*Doxology red Hymnal # 34

\*The Apostles' Creed Red Hymnal – Inside Front Cover

\*Prayer

## WE LISTEN FOR THE WORD OF GOD

Second Scripture Reading Mark 7:24-37 pew Bible p.976

Anthem:

Sermon: "Doing Everything Well!" Dr. Russell Lee

Prayer

## WE RESPOND TO THE WORD OF GOD

\*Hymn: Lord, Speak to Me red #593

\*Charge and Blessing

Response

Postlude

\*Congregation Standing

Directives for Prayer

Mission Possible, Haiti and Dominican Republic Sunday School

Shut-in: Corinne Williams Wyatt Barczak

We welcome our visitors and ask them to fill out a bright yellow visitor card

located in the pew rack. We invite you to commit your life to the Lord Jesus

Christ in Christian discipleship and become a member of this fellowship.

You may do this by meeting with the Session to express your faith in Christ

in one of the following ways: Profession of Faith, Transfer of Membership

or Reaffirmation of Faith.

Listening devices are available from the audio support person at the rear of the sanctuary.

**Flowers** – Given to the glory of God and in honor of Michaella's fourteenth birthday from her parents, Mike and Melissa, and her siblings, Maelyn, Maddie and Matthew.**Prayer Cards** are available in each pew. If you would like to have a card sent to someone that we pray for during the service, please fill out the card and place in the offering plate. Our prayer card ministry team will send out a card during the following week.**Ushers** – serving today are Mark and Carol Foster at the North Door Mike Freshour and Skyler Smith\* at the South door. Today's Acolyte is Maelyn Freshour. Don Cherry is doing audio at the 11 am service.Children's Church and Nursery: The children are invited to Children's Church in the room across from the nursery. Children's Church is for preschoolers through 2<sup>nd</sup> graders. Today's leader is Melissa Fraser. Each Sunday the nursery mother is Terri Hazelwood.This Week's Announcements**Upper Rooms** – Sept/October edition now available in both the North and South vestibules, as well as front foyer. Get your copy early while the supply lasts.**Rally Day** – Today -We will begin with worship at 9am, a full breakfast at 9:30 am, our Sunday School Program in the Fellowship hall at 10:15 am, and worship at 11 am. Sunday School Classes and teachers for all ages will be ready to share the word of God each Sunday morning. Make sure to be here on that day, and make an extra special effort to commit to what God can teach us all this year!**Back to Church Time!** – Now is the time for us to covenant to be more regular in attendance, and rally forth to church. Take time to invite church members and friend, and showup for Sunday School and worship this fall as vacations wind down and the fall approaches. Don't fall for the world, stand up for Jesus.**Good Samaritan** – We are collecting needed items for The Good Samaritan. As Fall and Winter approach their needs increase. They are in need of the following items at this time: canned meats, peanut butter, and large men's shoes. The Good Sam box in the foyer is available for all donations. We appreciate all your help in contributing to this worthy cause.**Bless our Schools** – Sunday, September 16 will be a special day set aside by Moms in Prayer International; a time for churches around the world to pray for students, teachers, and school staff in their own congregations.**Women's Heart Health discussion** – Dr. Srinivasan from Sentara Heart Center will be speaking to men and women on Tuesday, September 18 at 7:00 pm at The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints church building, 3192 Dan River Church Road. All are welcome to attend. Refreshments will be served.**Bible Study** – Attention Ladies! Mark your calendars; we will begin our new Bible study class on September 20 at 10:30. We will be studying *The Invisible War* –by Chip Ingram. Learn more about how to recognize Satan's deceptive schemes, and hold strong to the Word of God to win the spiritual battles. Please answer the first 5 questions on pages 8 & 9 before class. Cost of books is \$7.00. If you have any questions, contact Karen Henderson.

**Calendar**

**Sunday, September 9** 9:00 am Contemporary Worship  
10:15 am Sunday School  
11:00 am Traditional

**Tuesday, Sept. 11** 12:00 noon NA  
7:00 pm Hope Cancer Group

**Wednesday, Sept. 12** 7:30 pm Choir Rehearsal

**Thursday, Sept. 13** 7:00 pm Men of the Church

Friday, Sept. 14 12:00 noon AA

Saturday, Sept. 15 12:00 noon NA

**Church Staff**

C. Russell Lee, Jr., D.Min, Pastor  
Sherolyn Barnett, Administrative Assistant  
Christopher (Chris) D. Jones, Church Musician  
Doris Koch, Church Treasurer  
Ernest (Avon) Traynham, Sexton  
Terri Hazelwood, Nursery Leader

**Session**

Sandi Hughes, Clerk

**Class of 2018**

Steven Crutchfield  
Mike Koch  
Nancy Pool

**Class of 2019**

Art Carter  
Steve Reynolds  
Jim Sizemore

**Class of 2020**

Linda Lumsden  
Donald Cherry  
Sandi Hughes

**Diaconate**

Chairman

**Class of 2018**

Patricia Burton  
Mike Long  
Terri Smith

**Class of 2019**

Laura Edwards  
Brenda McPeters  
Skyler Smith

**Class of 2020**

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Diane Greene  
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**First Presbyterian Church**

9 O'clock Worship ~ September 9, 2018

Prelude  
Welcome/Prayer  
Praise and Worship Time

(#51) Lord, I Lift Your Name on High (3:7)  
Shout to the North (inst)  
On Eagle's Wings (inst)

Announcements  
Prayer Time/The Lord's Prayer (words on screen)  
Offering

(#218) Let Your Glory Fill This Place (11:5)  
Jesus Loves Me (inst)  
Remind Me Who I Am (inst)

Scripture: Mark 7:24-37 pew Bible p.976  
Sermon: "Doing Everything Well!" Dr. Russell Lee  
Prayer  
Closing Song: As We Go

Bob and Ann Egloff, Mike Marvin and Bill Joor,  
and Dr. Russell Lee are today's Praise Team  
Usher for this 9 am service is Terri Smith.  
Brian Raney will provide computer/audio support  
A nursery is available

*As we worship, surround us with Your love and wonder.*

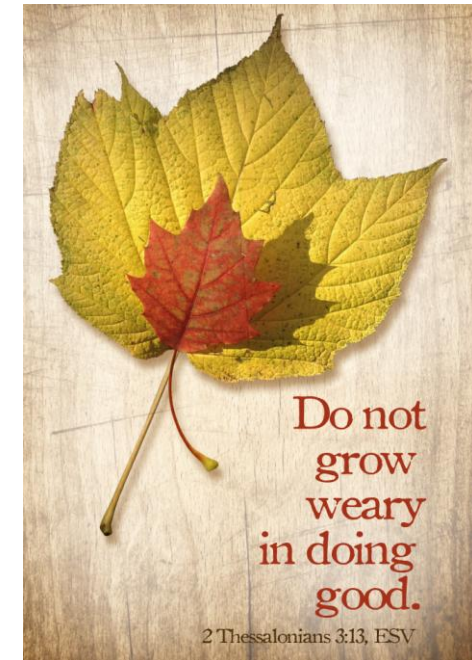


First Presbyterian Church is a  
Stephen Ministry Congregation

**Our Missionaries**

Patrick Cherry, Wake Forest, N. C.  
C.W. & Leslie Bing, Water for the Oppressed, Zambia  
Dave and Rachael Carter, Chad  
Matthew and Teresa Lee, Wycliffe Bible Translators, Cameroon  
Mission Possible, Haiti and Dominican Republic  
Overseas Missionary Fellowship International  
Paul & Reinhold Sydnor, International Assoc. for Refugees, Europe  
Art and Andrea Carter

**First Presbyterian Church**  
**800 North Main Street**  
**South Boston, Virginia**



Mission Statement

**"Growing God's Presence"**

**Foundational Principles**

Christ Centered~Biblically Based~  
Spirit Led~Grounded in Faith and Love

**Values**

Committed~Servant Heart~  
Nurturing~Welcoming~Visioning

**The Lord's Supper** is observed bi-monthly.

All Christians are invited to commune with us.  
A nursery is provided for pre-school children and  
Children's Church is available for children thru 2nd grade each Sunday.  
5 cents-a-meal Offering is collected the last Sunday of each month.  
Worship every Sunday at 9 am and 11 am  
and Sunday School at 10 am.

Contact us for more information about

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