CALENDAR FOR WEEK OF JUNE 24

LEADERSHIP OF THE CHURCH	
SESSION	

Sunday, June 24th		
9:00 am	First Praise	Fellowship Hall
10:00 am	Church School w/ Holy Land	Classrooms
	Presentation	Fellowship Hall
11:00 am	Worship	Sanctuary
6:30 pm	Stated Session Meeting	Room 300
Monday, June 25th		
10:00 am	VBS work day	Fellowship Hall
5:30 pm	MCM Circle	Room 301
7:00 pm	Boy Scouts	Fellowship Hall
Tuesday, June 26th		
6:30 am	Young Dad's Group	Fellowship Hall
6:30 pm	Cub Scouts	Room 300 & 301
Wednesday, June 27 th		
10:00 am	VBS work day	Fellowship Hall
1:00 pm	Prayer Meeting	Library
7:00 pm	College Group	·
Thursday, June 28th		
7:00 pm	Praise Band Rehearsal	Fellowship Hall
Sunday, July 1st		
9:00 am	First Praise	Fellowship Hall
10:00 am	Church School	Classrooms
11:00 am	Worship/ Commission Youth for Trip	Sanctuary
12:00 pm	Church Picnic (Independence Day)	Fellowship Hall

David Rockness, Moderator		Mark Auten, Cler	
Class of 2018	Class of 2019	Class of 2020	
Mark Auten	Bill Brawley	Mike Campbell	
Roger Hyatt	C. P. Chappell	Brent Curtis	
Karen Shore	Janice Pluer	Tom Morrow	
Sue Stevens	Steve Robinson	Mike Toma	
Harry Weyer	John Streb	Gene Vaughan	

DIACONATE

Scott Mauney, Moderator	David Ramey, As	ssociate Moderator
Class of 2018	Class of 2019	Class of 2020
Sandy Bickett	Fern Alexander	Beverly Chappell
Maria Heilman	Ross Culp	Andrew Coates
Pat King	Lorra Lee Holshouser	Hillary Cole
Paul Manning	Joyce Lytle	Angie Copeland
Scott Mauney	David Ramey	Teresa Trimble
Carol McClure		
Tom Trosuk		

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Head Usher	Maria Heilman
Assistant Usher	Fern Alexander
Ushers	Cassandra Rockness, Carole Crews
Youth Usher	Evan Prochaska
Greeters	Mike Toma, C.P. Chappell
Acolyte	Caroline McMillan
Bell Ringer	Carter Culbreth
Soundboard	Tony Ervin
Lay Reader	Dot Campbell



FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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Loving God, Loving People, and Making Disciples
June 24, 2018 ◆ 11:00 A.M.

Please complete the Friendship Pad and pass it down your pew for all to sign. *Please stand as you are able.

Please turn off your cell phones or place them on "vibrate." Words printed in **bold** are said by the congregation.

PRELUDE: Prelude on *Slane* John Barr

Greg Thompson, organist

WELCOME Dave Rockness

CALL TO WORSHIP Jason Sentas

INVOCATION

* HYMN OF PRAISE 128: Spirit, Working in Creation

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH: 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.

TIME WITH CHILDREN Dave Rockness

OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Dot Campbell

FIRST SCRIPTURE READING:

Isaiah 49: 5-6

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PASTORAL PRAYER WITH SILENT CONFESSION & 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 AND OFFERTORY: Give God the Glory Schutz/Hopson Chancel Choir

Give God the glory and honor. Alleluia. Give God the glory due His holy name. Blessed is the Lord God; His love endures forevermore. Alleluia. God, our refuge, still be our strength, be our joy and hope. We praise You, we praise Your name forever. Alleluia.

*THE DOXOLOGY 34: Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow

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

SERMON SCRIPTURE READING: Acts 1:4-8

SERMON: "Church In Culture: The Great Commission" Dave Rockness

HYMN 474: I Surrender All

*INVITATION

*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

*RESPONSE 329: Come, O Spirit, Dwell Among Us

Come, O Spirit, dwell among us, come with Pentecostal power; give the church a stronger vision, help us face each crucial hour. Built upon a firm foundation, Jesus Christ, the Cornerstone. Still the church is called to mission that God's love shall be made known.

*POSTLUDE:

Rondeau in F Major

David Lasky

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

If you are our guest today, welcome! We're so glad you're here. For more information on FPC, please indicate your interest on the Friendship Pad. You can become a FPC member by your profession or reaffirmation of faith or transfer of membership. Please speak with our pastor following the service for information. Large print bulletins are available from the ushers. The sanctuary is equipped with a hearing loop. Assisted listening devices are available from the sound console at the back of the sanctuary.

Preschool and elementary children during worship: Childcare is provided for infants through kindergarten age during all Sunday morning activities. Childcare is located on the second floor of the educational building. **Worship bags** are available at the rear of the sanctuary for all children.

The flowers in the sanctuary this morning are given by Jim McDonnell to the glory of God and in honor of all the June brides and my wife, Martha Schrashun McDonnell, on our 44th wedding anniversary.

2018 Flower Calendar dates available: We have openings for flowers for the sanctuary for anyone who would like to sign up to provide flowers to enhance worship. The available dates are July 8th, 15th, Aug. 5th. This is a wonderful way to mark a special occasion or honor a loved one. Your flowers can also encourage someone who is ill or homebound if you wish to leave them to be used by our flower ministry volunteers. Your arrangement will be used to create smaller bouquets that will be distributed on Mondays to brighten someone's day.

First Kids Worship: Children's worship will not be held during June, July and August. First Kids Worship will resume meeting on Sunday, September 9.

Vacation Bible School: Registration is underway for this summer's Vacation Bible School, scheduled for July 16-20. Information and registration forms, for children and volunteers, are located at the VBS tables in the parlor and fellowship hall. You may also download forms online at www.mooresvillefpc.org. **Registration deadline is Sunday, July 8.**

VBS Donation Tree: There is a "Donation Tree" in the parlor with items needed for VBS supplies and crafts. Take one of the lion tags, purchase the items, and return items to the church parlor by Sunday, July 8. Be sure to sign the tag out on the clipboard. Your support is greatly appreciated!

Church Picnic: The entire church family is invited to enjoy a picnic on Sunday, July 1, in celebration of our country's 242nd Independence Day. The picnic will be held in the fellowship hall immediately following the 11:00 am worship service. The church will provide grilled hamburgers and hot dogs, and you are asked to bring one side dish (chips, salad, fruit, baked beans, deviled eggs, etc.) and one dessert to complete our picnic. Cost is \$2 for adults and \$1 for children.

In addition, we need volunteers to help with grilling the burgers and hot dogs. Please contact Jason Sentas to volunteer. Dishes may be dropped off in the kitchen before church school and worship. You are encouraged to dress casually for all activities on this special holiday Sunday.

Important June/July Dates for PYF:

- June 24 NO PYF (Bryan on vacation from June 23 30).
- June 27 No Just Desserts
- July (6-13) HS PYF Trip to Jacksonville, FL
- July 8 NO PYF

Notice: If you are not receiving emails from Bryan, please let him know by emailing him at bryan@mooresvillefpc.org or text and/or call him at (704) 449-

8856. Also, check your inbox to make sure the emails are not going to the Junk Folder or Spam Folder. The PYF related emails are coming from his 'mailchimp' account.

PRAYER CONCERNS

Please contact the church if you, a family member, or a friend faces illness, hospitalization, bereavement, or some other concern. Please do not assume the church office knows. If the concern is confidential, please let us know and we will honor your wish for privacy. Names in **bold** indicate new concerns.

Members in Hospitals, Care Facilities, or Homebound

Joan GibsonMargaret CarriganEllen McGuirtLecie MillerFrances HowieMargaret SandersEstelle MottLois KirkJohn WestmorelandMary Fortanbury

Members of the Church

Ray & Billie Brawley Al Culp Diane Crymes
Shirley Morrow Bobby Lytle Bedo & Pat Culberson
Rosemary LaBarre Ralph Herring Amy Barnhardt
Barbara Teeter Martha McDonnell

Friends of the Church

Donna Buyer Ed Barber Joe Moncheski Maureen & Richard Libby Ebert **David Childers** Teresa Knutsen Shirley Abele Judy Nickliss Christine Morgan Louis Newton Jane Scovil Joseph Ross and family Glenn Scott Patt Seyller Ronnie Shultz Beckye Smith Mike & Candi Hawkins Jenny Wheeler **Becky Starnes** Sharp Family Paul Sharp Daniela John Redding Keith Zimmerman William Merrill McKenzie Graham Wanda Cravens Tom McAdams Ryder Woeckener Jeff Kelly Jack Esala Asa Thurston McNeely Matt Childers Brandy & Chris Cottrell Lois Carns Amanda Hall

Armed Forces

LTC David Dennison, Army
P03 Dylan McIntyre, USN
Agi. William Matheny, Army
Major Ben Peacock, USAF

LT James B. Eilers, USN
LTJG Dylan Powell, USN
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