

TUCKAHOE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

MAY 19, 2019

FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

**Indicates please stand if you are able.*

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

MUSIC MEDITATION

CALL TO WORSHIP

Love the Lord your God,
**with all your heart, and with all your soul,
and with all your strength, and with all your mind!**
Love your neighbor as yourself,
**with all your heart, and with all your soul,
and with all your strength, and with all your mind!**
Do this and you will live!
Let us worship God!

*HYMN

"Amazing Grace"

No. 649

*PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Holy God, we are your sons and daughters,
children of the God most high.
Yet, we do not act to honor you
and our actions deny the love you have for us.
We do not defend the weak or those without families.
We do not uphold the poor or the oppressed.
We prefer your kind fairness, than living unfairly.
Straighten our path, so that we can be guided
as a mother or a father guides beloved children. Amen.

*ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

Hear these words, God loves us no matter what!
In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.
Thanks be to God!



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*Called by God
to be the heart, voice, hands and feet of
Christ where the Spirit leads us.*

***GLORIA PATRI** No. 581
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. Amen.

***PASSING OF THE PEACE**
The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.
And also with you!

ANTHEMS "Praise Him, Everybody Praise Him!" Bonner
"Jesus, Our Friend" Douglas

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

EPISTLE LESSON Revelation 21: 1 - 6 Page 259
The word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

MOMENTS WITH THE CHILDREN

***HYMN** "Lord Prepare Me" No. 701

SERMON SKITS "Seeds, Deeds, and Getting Out of the Weeds"
Based on the Parables of the Sower, the Good Samaritan, and the Prodigal Son

***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH**

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.

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.

PRESENTATION OF GIFTS AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY "Down to the River to Pray" Arr. Wagner

***DOXOLOGY** No. 606
Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all
creatures here below; praise him above, ye heavenly hosts;
praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

***PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING AND DEDICATION**

Eternal God, take and use these gifts for your purpose in the
world – giving food to the hungry, hope to the sad, and new life
in Christ. Teach us to live each day for you, so that future
generations will know your goodness and praise your glory.
Amen.

***HYMN** "Here I Am, Lord" No. 69

***CHARGE AND BENEDICTION**

POSTLUDE "Postlude on Hfrydol" Arr. Payne

WORSHIP LEADERS

Children of Tuckahoe;
Patrick Dennis, *Pastor*; Sarah Dennis, *Covenant Pastor*;
Mark Cain, *Director of Music Ministries*;
and Lily DeBolt, *Acolyte*

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND CALENDAR

We are pleased to have you worship with us and sincerely hope our service inspires and challenges you. Join us in Duntreath Hall after the service for refreshments and a chance for us to get to know you better. Please sign the Friendship Pads when they are passed in the pews. If you are visiting Tuckahoe for the first time, please see an usher in the narthex to receive a gift.

The flowers are given by Dave and Kathy Bauer to the Glory of God and in memory of Margaret Bauer and Burt Knandel and in honor of Palmer Willis and Paul VanRompay. **Nursery Helpers are** Ruth Anna Langdon and Pat Miller. **The Sound Technician is** Jay Guller. **Fellowship hour** is hosted by Bob and Amy Glass.

Childcare is provided during the worship hour for children infant through first grade. The Nursery in Room 104 is designed for infants through 23 months. Two and three year olds may be taken to Room 102. Children age 4 through 1st grades may be taken to Room 105 for childcare. Parents are responsible for picking up children from childcare at the conclusion of the service.

Pastoral Care Concerns:

Continuing prayers for: Ruth Ann Hoge, Jim Leiby, Flossie Quensen and Shirley Wilson.

We extend our Christian sympathies to the family and friends of Phyllis Childs, a long-time member of Tuckahoe who died on May 10, in Pennsylvania. A Visitation and Celebration of Life service will be held Friday, May 24, 2019 in Sellersville, Pennsylvania. Notes of condolences can be sent to Phyllis' son and daughter-in-law, Mark and Glenda Childs 223 Morwood Road Harleysville, PA 19438 or e-mailed to mgchilds2@gmail.com.

Our Christian sympathies and prayers for God's comfort are extended to **Gibbs Johnson and his family** on the death of his brother, **Dwight Johnson**, on May 12 in Tarboro, North Carolina.

There will be a luncheon today, May 19th, after Fellowship Time for all Children's Programming volunteers, families, and youth! The luncheon will take place upstairs and we will have some time to talk about the exciting future of Children and Youth Ministry here at Tuckahoe.

Join us tomorrow night, Monday May 20th, at 6:00 p.m. for Theology on Tap and a timely discussion about your faith and how we can be faithful to Jesus' teaching and live in community with all. Come enjoy a beverage of your choice and some great conversation around the table, led by Sarah Dennis at 6:00 pm at the new location: *MatchBox - Short Pump; 11720 W Broad St, Richmond, VA 23233.*

Class of 2019: we need your info by tomorrow, May 20th! We will be including 2019 high school, college graduates and grad students affiliated with Tuckahoe in the summer edition of *The Torch*. If you have a family member graduating from high school, college or grad school this spring, please be sure the church office has all the information necessary to share their exciting news with the congregation. Email their full name, school they are graduating from, degree type, future plans (job, if known, or college to attend). You may email the details to office@tuckahoepres.org.

Reminder that the deadline is tomorrow, May 20th for our next edition of *The Torch* that will come out June 1 and will span the summer through mid-August. We are always striving to communicate more effectively with our congregation so as to inform you of ministry and mission happenings and opportunities. And so, over the course of the summer we will be instituting changes in our communications that aim to improve this. The first change is to shift our Torch from monthly to six

issues per year primarily so that you have more advance notice of what is happening to get it on your calendars. With this intentional shift, we also hope to have inspirational pieces that will carry through seasons in the church year. If you have questions or would like more information, please contact Cori through the church office.

The Tuesday morning prayer group meets every week at 9:30 a.m. in the church parlor for a weekly time of prayer. Come anytime! Please contact Sarah Dennis with questions (sdennis@tuckahoepres.org).

Please enjoy the preview pictures of the console of the new organ posted outside the sanctuary! Remember to please be sure any contributions for the Organ Fund are received by June 1.

Mark your calendars for incredible food and fellowship at the "Pops Picnic" Sunday, June 2nd at 5 PM! Our annual Church Picnic on the lawn (weather permitting) & Pops Band Concert is an event you don't want to miss! If your last name begins with A-J, please bring a dessert and if it begins with K-Z, please bring a side dish. The church will provide BBQ, beverages and paper products. The Richmond Pops Band will perform for us at 6 PM!

Join us for another fun event as the Richmond Flying Squirrels host Faith and Family Night on Tuesday, June 4, against the Reading Phillies. First pitch is at 7:05 PM with gates opening at 5:00 PM (with family-friendly bands starting at 5 too!). This event is hosted by the Fellowship Committee. Sign up ASAP for FREE tickets by contacting Kit Crawford 804-405-9722 or kmcrawford03@hotmail.com.

Registration is open for Vacation Bible School! Come join us this summer for *ROAR: Life is Wild, God is Good!* VBS is the week of July 15- 19! Children must be 4 years old and potty-trained to participate. If you have any questions or would like to be part of the *ROAR* team, please contact Sarah Dennis at

sdennis@tuckahoepres.org. To sign up, go to the event block on the bottom of the homepage on our website: www.tuckahoepres.org.

The Church Office will be closed on Monday, May 27th in observance of Memorial Day.

Summer Office hours will run Memorial Day through Labor Day. The Office will remain open Monday through Thursday, 8:30 am - 2:30 pm and Fridays will be changing to 8:30 am - 12 pm.

Summer Worship hours begin June 2. Worship will move to 10 AM followed by Fellowship Time in Duntreath. Sunday School classes will not meet for the summer and will reconvene on September 8.

LECTIONARY TEXT FOR NEXT SUNDAY

Acts 16:9-15; Psalm 67;
Revelation 21:10; 21:22-22:5;
John 5: 1-9

THIS WEEK AT TUCKAHOE

- Sunday, May 19** **CHILDREN-LED WORSHIP**
9:30 AM Sunday School for adults and youth
11:00 AM Worship
After Worship Fellowship Time - Duntreath Hall
12:30 PM Mission Trip Meeting - Room 106
12:30 PM Luncheon - Children's Ministry
Volunteers, Families, & Youth - Upstairs
5:30 PM Youth Group (*last one for the year!*)
- Monday, May 20** *Office hours 8:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.*
TORCH DEADLINE
12:00 PM Men's Lunchtime Bible Study - Room 108
6:00 PM Theology on Tap - Matchbox (*new location*)
11720 W Broad St, 23233
7:00 PM TPC Book Club - home of Kaye Keyes
- Tuesday, May 21** *Office hours 8:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.*
9:30 AM Morning Prayer - Church Parlor
6:30 PM Fellowship Committee - Room 108
- Wednesday, May 22** *Office hours 8:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.*
9:30 AM Staff Meeting - Workroom
- Thursday, May 23** *Office hours 8:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.*
- Friday, May 24** *Office hours 8:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.*
- Sunday, May 26**
9:30 AM Sunday School for adults, youth, and
children
11:00 AM Worship
After Worship Fellowship Time - Duntreath Hall



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