

August 5, 2018

Guest Minister Dr. Todd B. Jones

Worship Leader Bob Eoff

Flowers In Honor of the Marriage
 of Stephanie and Scott Bryan

Greeters Judy and Charlie Bradshaw

Minister's Hospitality Judy and Charlie Bradshaw

Refreshments Mary Lois and Sloan Leonard

Usher Rosa McNairy

Music Cissy Shull

Bagpipes John Crom

*Following the service, join us on the lawn
to enjoy refreshments and fellowship.*

WEE KIRK PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
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Manse Phone Number (828) 737-6918
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Sunday Service 9:30 AM Thursday Bible Study (at the Manse) 10:00 AM

For a CD of the sermon call Albert Myers, III at 733-5003
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Wee Kirk Presbyterian Church



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GUEST MINISTER

DR. TODD B. JONES

Today we welcome the Reverend Doctor Todd B. Jones to our pulpit. Todd has been preaching at Wee Kirk since the summer of 1994, when he made his first visit, during the earliest years of its ministry to the summer community. He serves as the Pastor of First Presbyterian Church, Nashville, Tennessee, a 4,300 member congregation where he has been since 2002. Prior to Nashville, he served congregations in Basking Ridge, New Jersey, Columbia, South Carolina, and for eleven years, First Presbyterian Church, Spartanburg, South Carolina. He is married to the former Connie King, a native of Nashville. They have four children and six grandchildren who live in Spartanburg, South Carolina, Franklin, Tennessee and Prague, the Czech Republic. Todd is a graduate of the University of Pittsburgh and Princeton Theological Seminary, and did graduate study in theology at Edinburgh University. He has served as a member of the Board of Trustees of Princeton Theological Seminary since 1998.

Next week our guest minister will be The Reverend Dr. Tom Walker, Senior Pastor, Palms Presbyterian Church, Jacksonville Beach, FL. On Thursday, August 9, starting at 10AM at the Manse, Dr. Walker will lead the Bible Study based on Genesis 1-11, "What does it Mean to be Human?" Please come and bring a friend! Linda and Albert Myers will be hosting Dr. Walker.

Wee Kirk Outreach — More than 90% of our gifts and offerings go to our Outreach Program, the focus of which is to serve the neediest children and families in Avery County. Through your generosity, we provide swimming lessons for Pre-K and 2nd graders, essential needs, medical care and enrichment programs, along with scholarship stipends for some Mayland Community College students. Thank you for your support.



ORDER OF SERVICE

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

LET US PREPARE OUR HEARTS (PLEASE REMAIN SEATED)

Surely the presence of the Lord is in this place. I can feel His mighty power and His grace. I can hear the brush of angels' wings. I see glory on each face. Surely the presence of the Lord is in this place.

CALL TO WORSHIP (FROM PSALM 46)

Leader: God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble.

Congregation: Therefore we will not fear though the earth should change, though the mountains shake in the heart of the sea;

Leader: Though its waters roar and foam, though the mountains tremble with its tumult.

Congregation: The Lord of hosts is with us; the God of Jacob is our refuge.

* HYMN NO. 15

"Sing Praise to God Who Reigns Above"

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Eternal God, who in perfect freedom, created us in love, we come today in need of renewal. We grow tired and discouraged when the road is steep and long, and we are prone to forget the joy of being created in Your image, and the excitement of being called to use our gifts and graces to Your glory. Rekindle within us the romance of faith, that we would fall in love all over again with You, O God, and lead lives worthy of the calling to which we have been called. Remind us today of Your great love for us, of Your commitment to us as treasured children, and send us forth with enthusiasm and joy to pursue Your will and way for our lives. Through Jesus Christ our Lord we pray. Amen.

OLD TESTAMENT READING

Genesis 37:12-23

NEW TESTAMENT READING

Mark 4:35-41

SERMON

"Lord of the Storm"

* THE APOSTLES' CREED

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OFFERING AND * DOXOLOGY

PASTORAL PRAYER AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

* HYMN NO. 306

"Take Thou Our Minds, Dear Lord"

* BENEDICTION

