

September 2, 2018

Guest Minister Dr. Doug Hood
Worship Leader Charlie Gray
Flowers Jean Ivey
Greeters Bonnie and Mark Johnson
Minister's Hospitality Kathy and Charlie Gray
Refreshments Katy and Raleigh Shoemaker
Usher Harriet and Tarlton Long
Music Cissy Shull
Soloist Wendy Burnham
Bagpipes John Crom

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

WEE KIRK PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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Linville, North Carolina 28646
Manse Phone Number (828) 737-6918
www.weekirk.org

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
or email him at agm1536@gmail.com.*

Wee Kirk Presbyterian Church



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GUEST MINISTER

DR. W. DOUGLAS HOOD, JR.

With pleasure we welcome back to the Wee Kirk Dr. W. Douglas Hood and his wife Grace.

Dr. Hood has been the Senior Pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Delray Beach, Florida since 2012. He holds a Master of Divinity from Columbia Theological Seminary and a Doctor of Ministry from Fuller Theological Seminary. He was the 2015 Moderator of the Presbytery of Tropical Florida and was a commissioner to his denomination's General Assembly in 2014 and 2016. Hood's sermons and articles have appeared in *Lectionary Homiletics*, *Preaching Great Texts*, *Biblical Preaching Journal*, and *Preaching: Word & Witness*. Doug is married to Grace, has two children – Nathanael and Rachael – and resides in Boynton Beach, Florida. For more information, visit www.firstdelray.com.

Today our guest speaker is Trey Oakley, CEO of the Williams YMCA of Avery County. Trey is here to tell us about how we can continue to support their cause.

Next week our guest minister will be Dr. John DeBevoise, Senior Pastor, The Palma Ceia Presbyterian Church, Tampa, FL. On Thursday, September 6 starting at 10AM at the Manse, Dr. DeBevoise will lead the Bible Study based on Mark 4:35-41, "The Storm". Please come and bring a friend! Janis Chapman will be hosting Dr. DeBevoise.

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

Leader: From the very beginning, God calls us.

Congregation: God sets us apart with a meaning and a purpose.

Leader: Trusting in God, let us worship together.

* HYMN NO. 385

"What a Friend We Have In Jesus"

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

God of life, we admit to you and to each other that we have not always lived lives of love. We have lost patience and been rude. We have been irritable and insisted on our own way. Forgive us and heal us, dear God, through Jesus Christ. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

God has loved us since the beginning, and God's love for us will never end. Do not fear, therefore, but have faith in God's steady love and ability to make all things new.

FIRST READING

Deuteronomy 6:20-25

SECOND READING

Exodus 17:8-13

SERMON

"Useful Enemies"

* THE APOSTLES' CREED

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OFFERING AND * DOXOLOGY

PASTORAL PRAYER AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

* HYMN NO. 307

"O Jesus, I Have Promised"

* BENEDICTION

