# September 20, 2020

Guest Minister Dr. Matthew Covington

Worship Leader Albert Myers

Flowers Kathy and Charlie Gray

Greeters and Ushers Kathy and Charlie Gray

Minister's Hospitality Cambey and Jim Gallagher

Music Lana Donovan

This will be our final service for 2020. It has been a difficult year for all churches across the world due to Covid-19. However due to the perseverance of Albert Myers, Kelly Graves and the entire Steering Committee, Wee Kirk has been able to have safe in-church services since July 12th. Thank you to all the volunteers who always say "yes".

Because of the short church season and lower attendance, the coffers for Avery County's Neediest Kids are low while the need is higher than ever. Luke 12:48 tells us "to whom much is given, much will be required" we encourage you to support our precious ministry and give to the children from the poorest county in North Carolina.

Watch your mailboxes as we will announce our 2021 ministers in the spring. As always, we look forward to the next time we get together and urge you to please come and bring a friend!

## Wee Kirk Presbyterian Church

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In addition to CDs, 2018 and 2019 sermons are now available on our website under the "Visiting Ministers" tab and can be enjoyed on your computer, tablet, or phone and through Bluetooth in the car. Contact Albert Myers at agm1536@gmail.com or 733-5003 for questions or help with the website.

# Wee Kirk Presbyterian Church



Circa 1895

## **GUEST MINISTER**

# **Dr. Matthew Covington**

With pleasure we welcome to Wee Kirk Dr. Matthew Covington and his wife Ann.

Matthew Covington is the Pastor of The Presbyterian Church in Bowling Green, Kentucky. He is a graduate of Davidson College, and Columbia Theological Seminary. He says, "In these hectic and troubling times, a church alive to people's needs offers them restful peace, a comforting welcome, and a grand hope in Jesus Christ."

Matthew and Ann met as students at Davidson. They have two daughters: Claire Duren (Grant), and Elizabeth Leverette (Marlowe). Claire and Grant have two sons: Hewitt, and Clark. Elizabeth and Marlowe have one son: James.

Matthew and Ann were married in Linville. In a shameless attempt to curry favor with the Wee Kirk, the church Matthew once served in Natchez, Mississippi, donated copies of The Hymnbook to the Wee Kirk in 1995.

#### WEE KIRK OUTREACH

A significant percent of our gifts and offerings go to our Outreach Program, the focus of which is to serve the needlest 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.

## WEE KIRK PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

LINVILLE, NORTH CAROLINA

September 20, 2020

## ORDER OF SERVICE

#### **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**

Do not worry about your life, what you will eat or what you will wear. For life is more than food and the body more than clothing. Consider the birds: they neither sow nor reap, they have no store-

house, and yet God feeds them.

Consider the lilies, how they grow.

Do not be afraid.

We will not worry. It is God's good pleasure to give us the kingdom. Look around!

God has entrusted all this to us: love, hope, truth, beauty. It is God's good pleasure to give us the kingdom.

HYMN (Instrumental only) Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me

#### PRAYER OF CONFESSION AND ASSURANCE OF PARDON

OLD TESTAMENT READING

HYMN 339 (Instrumental only)

Be Thou My Vision

Psalm 14

NEW TESTAMENT READING

Luke 12:13-21

SERMON "Enough for Our Souls"

PASTORAL PRAYER AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

BLESS BE THE TIE/GOD BE WITH YOU (Instrumental only)

**BENEDICTION** (*Those who are able please stand.*)