

May 22, 2022

Guest Minister	Dr. Peter Bynum
Worship Leader	Jim Whitton
Flowers	Harriet and Tarlton Long
Greeters and Ushers	Cambey Gallagher
Minister's Hospitality	Dianne and Brian Bailey
Refreshments	Dee Dee McKay Lili Teigland
Music	Cissy Shull
Bagpiper	Emmitt LaBelle

Next week our guest minister will be
The Reverend Dr. Edwin G. Hurley
Senior Minister
South Highland Presbyterian Church
Birmingham, Alabama

Thursday Morning Bible Study

On Thursday, May 26, starting at 10 AM in the Manse, Dr. Hurley will lead the Bible Study based on John 2:1-11; 4:46-54; 5:2-9; 6:1-15; 6:16-21; 9:1-7; 11:1-44, "The Seven Miracle Signs of John's Gospel". Please come and bring a friend! Gillian and Mike Goodrich will be hosting Dr. Hurley.

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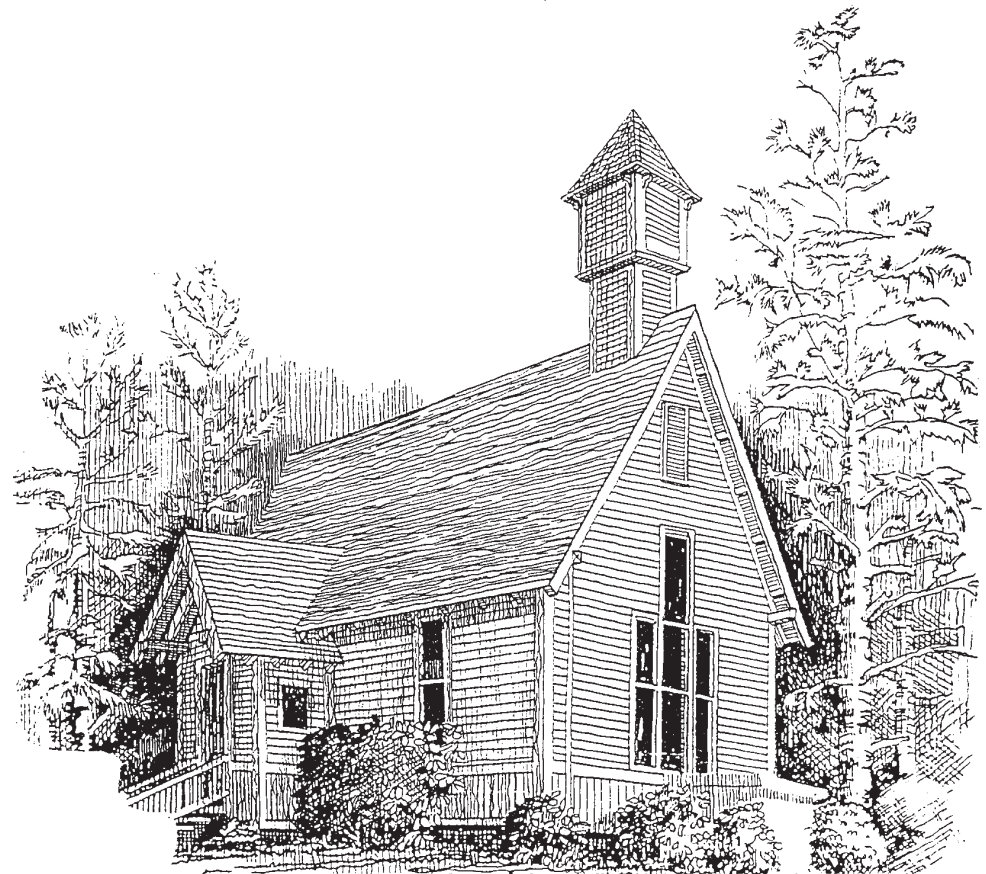
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WEE KIRK PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

LINVILLE, NORTH CAROLINA

GUEST MINISTER

Dr. Peter Bynum

With pleasure today we welcome Dr. Peter Bynum and his wife Stephanie.

Peter Bynum is currently the Senior Pastor of Larchmont Avenue Church in Larchmont, New York. He has degrees from Davidson College (B.A.), the University of Virginia School of Law (J.D.), Union Presbyterian Seminary (M.Div.), and Columbia Theological Seminary (D.Min.). Peter's wife, Stephanie, also serves the church as the Director of Administration in the Office of the Vicar at Trinity Church Wall Street in Manhattan. They have two daughters: Molly (19), who just completed her sophomore year at Columbia University, and Kate (16), who is a sophomore at Mamaroneck High School.

WEE KIRK OUTREACH

A significant percent 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.

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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

Leader: O Lord, because you welcome sinners and eat with them,

Congregation: we humbly take a seat at your family table.

Leader: O Lord, because you call wayward, wandering children home, forgiving us and loving us still,

Congregation: we who have been lost rejoice that we now are found.

Leader: O Lord, because you overlook even our bitterness and gall, because you forget even our resentments and petty pride,

Congregation: we who are not worthy of such love have gathered here to give you praise and honor.

Leader: Let us worship God!

HYMN NO. 356

Come, Thou Font of Every Blessing

PRAYER OF CONFESSION AND ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Holy God, we confess that we keep silent when we should speak. We see iniquity and the injustices of the world, yet we are content to say nothing. We withhold kind words, yet we are quick to speak in judgment.

Forgive us, O God.

Direct the way we should go and help us to use our voices to spread your grace and truth, through Jesus Christ our Lord...

OLD TESTAMENT READING

Psalm 32

NEW TESTAMENT READING

Luke 15:1-3, 11b-32

SERMON

"The Parent Who Had Two Children"

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OFFERING AND *DOXOLOGY

PASTORAL PRAYER AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

HYMN NO. 280

Amazing Grace

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