

August 14, 2022

Wee Kirk Presbyterian Church

Guest Minister	Dr. Steven P. Eason
Worship Leader	Lee Hanna
Flowers	Jocelyn Rose
Ushers	Jennifer and Greg Currie
Minister's Hospitality	Gail Brinn Wilkins and Howard Freese
Refreshments	Molly and Jack Blythe
Music	Cissy Shull Larson Shull Natalie Secrest
Bagpiper	Emmitt LaBelle

Thursday Morning Bible Study

On Thursday, August 18th, starting at 10 AM in the Manse, Dr. Walker will lead the Bible Study based on Job 38-41, "Wonder and Awe as the Basis of Faith". Please come and bring a friend! Linda and Albert Myers will be hosting Dr. Walker.

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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.



Circa 1895

GUEST MINISTER

Dr. Steven P. Eason

With pleasure today we welcome Dr. Steven P. Eason and his wife Catherine.

Dr. Eason is a retired Presbyterian (USA) pastor, author, pastoral counselor, teacher and consultant. A graduate of Duke Divinity School ('79), Steve served churches of all sizes over his 40 years of ministry. From 2002 to 2015 he was the Senior Pastor of Myers Park Presbyterian Church in Charlotte, North Carolina.

His book, *Making Disciples, Making Leaders*, (Geneva Press, 2016), is used by many Presbyterian churches for officer training and leadership development.

Steve and Catherine were married in 1977. They have three grown children and six grandchildren. Their home is in the beautiful hill country of Brevard, NC.

Next week our guest minister will be

Dr. Tom Walker
Retired Senior Pastor
Palms Presbyterian Church
Jacksonville Beach, Florida

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.

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: This is the day the Lord has made.

Congregation: Let us rejoice and be glad in it!

*HYMN NO. 139

Come, Thou Almighty King

PRAYER OF CONFESSION AND ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Gracious God, our sins are too heavy to carry, too real to hide, and too deep to undo. Forgive what our lips tremble to name, what our hearts can no longer bear, and what has become for us a consuming fire of judgment. Set us free from a past we cannot change; open us to a future in which we can be changed; and grant us grace to grow more and more in your likeness and image, through Jesus Christ, the light of the world, we pray. Amen.

FIRST READING

Psalm 8

SECOND READING

1 Kings 19:1-15a

SERMON

"The Broom Tree"

*THE APOSTLES' CREED

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OFFERING AND *DOXOLOGY

PASTORAL PRAYER AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

*HYMN NO. 282

If Thou but Trust in God to Guide Thee

*BENEDICTION

**Those who are able please stand.*