

July 20, 2025

Guest Minister	The Reverend Pendleton Barnes Peery
Worship Leader	Chris Teigland
Flowers	Sarah and Allen Shifflet
Ushers	Sarah and Allen Shifflet
Minister's Hospitality	Lili and Chris Teigland
Refreshments	Sarah and Allen Shifflet
Music	Cissy Shull

Website

Please visit the Wee Kirk website (www.weekirk.org) for information about our visiting ministers, church history, and benevolence. For information about volunteering, call or text Jim Gallagher at 704-315-8961. Past sermons also can be found on the website. For more information about sermon recordings, call or text Nancy Wechsler 214-609-0654.

Outreach

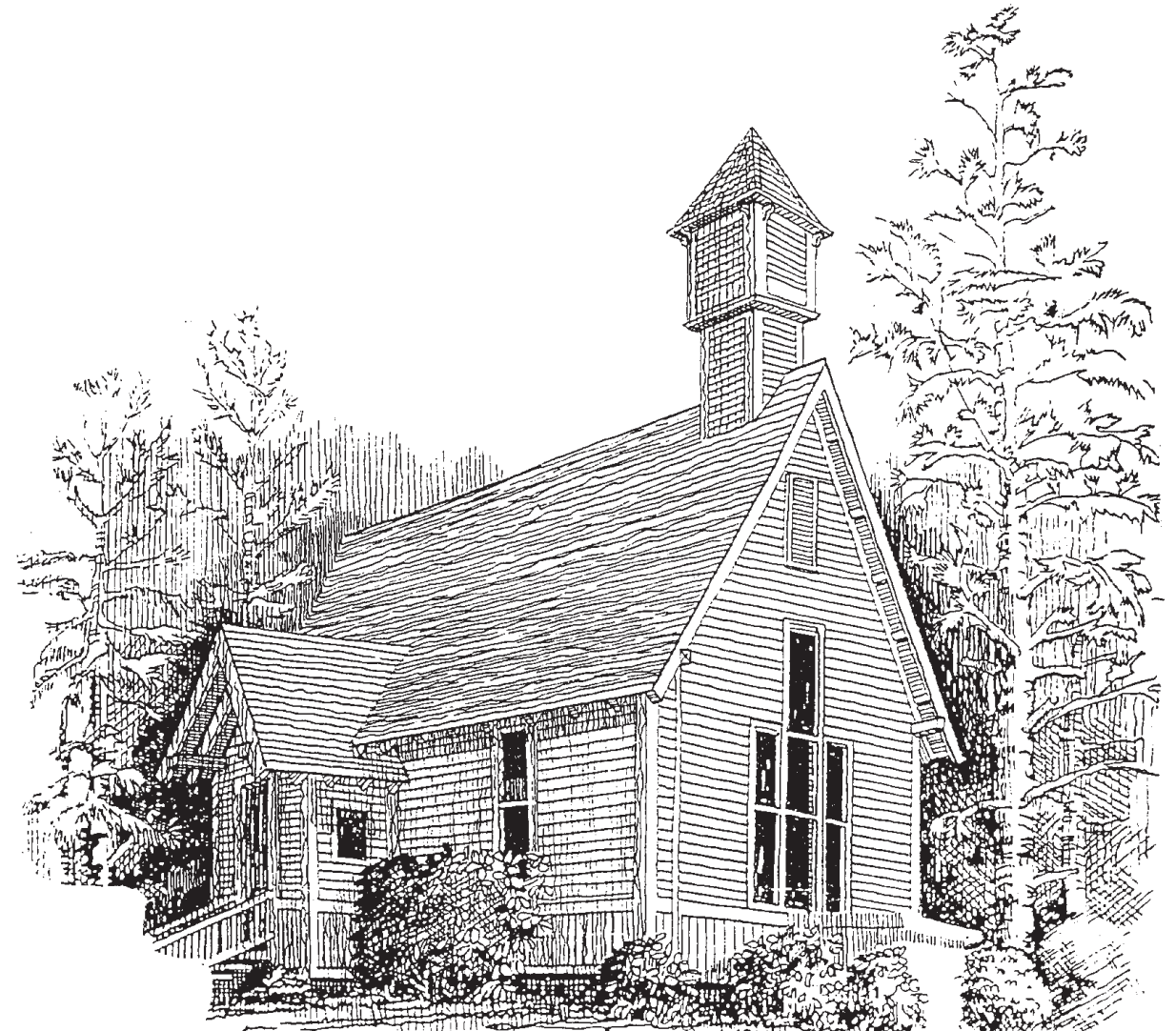
The vast majority of our gifts and offerings go to our Outreach Program, the focus of which is to serve the children and families in Avery County. Through your generosity, we provide funding for tutors in classrooms, swimming lessons for Pre-K and 2nd graders, essential needs, medical care, and enrichment programs, along with scholarship stipends for some Mayland Community College students. Thank you for your support.

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GUEST MINISTER

The Reverend Pendleton Barnes Peery

With pleasure today we welcome The Reverend Pendleton Barnes Peery and his wife Lindsey.

Pendleton B. Peery (Pen) has served as the Senior Pastor of First Presbyterian Church of Charlotte since September of 2012. Father to four children—Wells (17), Eliza (12), Tyler (12), and Liam (11)—Pen enjoys the frenzy and fun of family life and being engaged in the life of the communities that surround and support his family. Pen is married to the Rev. Lindsey Wells Peery (chaplain at Trinity Episcopal School in Charlotte). Pen enjoys running, coaching, reading, and always...always learning.

Reverend Perry can be reached at pendleton.peery@firstpres-charlotte.org.

Next week our guest minister will be
The Reverend Dr. Steven P. Eason
Retired Senior Pastor
Myers Park Presbyterian Church
Charlotte, North Carolina

Friday Morning Bible Study

Dr. Eason will lead the Bible Study on Friday, July 25, starting at 9:00 a.m. in the card room at the Eseeola Lodge. Complimentary continental breakfast and coffee will be available. Please come and bring a friend! Jeannie and Robert Fuller will be hosting Dr. Eason.

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.
Leader: With grateful hearts, let us worship God.

* HYMN NO. 361 *How Firm a Foundation*

PRAYER OF CONFESSION AND ASSURANCE OF PARDON
God, we want to be humble. We don’t like to call attention to ourselves, unless it helps us get ahead. We don’t assume that we have all the answers, unless we don’t like the answer we get. We don’t want to be given titles, unless we can use them for our own advantage. We want to be humble, because you said it will make us great. Help us better understand what you mean by humility and teach us to be faithful servants for you, and for one another.

OLD TESTAMENT READING *Psalm 84:1-7*

NEW TESTAMENT READING *Luke 18:9-14*

SERMON *“God, I Thank You”*

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PASTORAL PRAYER AND THE LORD’S PRAYER

* HYMN NO. 339 *Be Thou My Vision*

* BENEDICTION

** Those who are able please stand.*