

Pilgrim Presbyterian Church

601 Albert Street - Martinsburg, WV 25404

Rev. Dr. Jerry C. Mead, Pastor

January 7, 2017

*Let us help one another to **quietly** prepare our hearts for worship.*

Welcome and Announcements

RE Richard Wilburn

Focusing Our Thoughts on God

Order of Morning Worship

**Words of our Holy God* Call us to Worship

Daniel 7:13-14

**In light of such a call, we thankfully respond with our* Confession of Sin

Eternal God, in whom we live and move and have our being, whose face is hidden from us by our sins, and whose mercy we forget in the blindness of our hearts: cleanse us from all our offenses, and deliver us from proud thoughts and vain desires, that with reverent and humble hearts we may draw near to you, confessing our faults, confiding in your grace, and finding in you our refuge and strength; through Jesus Christ your Son. Amen

**Salvation through Christ grants to us* Assurance of God's Pardoning Grace

Colossians 1:12-14 – **Pastor**

Give thanks to the Father,

who has qualified you to share in the inheritance of the saints in light.

He has delivered us from the domain of darkness
and transferred us to the kingdom of his beloved Son,
in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins.

*Prayer of Adoration and Aspiration – **Pastor**

**We rejoice in the hope of the glory of God with* Psalms, Hymns, & Spiritual Songs

*Psalm 72:1-12 [to the tune of "Rejoice, All Peoples, Homage Bring" #72] Psalter

*Hymn "Come, We that Love the Lord" # 700

*Spiritual Song "Before the Throne of God Above" Insert

Old Testament Scripture Reading

Micah 4:6-5.6

Hymn "From Heaven High I Come to You"

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The Prayer of the Church & the Lord's Prayer

Weekly Activities

Sunday	9:15 AM	Sunday School
	10:30 AM	Worship including the Lord's Supper
	Noon	Nurture Group Lunch and Study
Monday	6:30 PM	Prayer Meeting @ Daniel and Elizabeth Jones'
Wednesday	8:00 AM	Men's Prayer Breakfast @ Pownell's Bistro
	10:00 AM	Ladies' Bible Study
Saturday	7:30 PM	Rescue Mission- Greg Mead speaking
Next Sunday	9:15 AM	Sunday School
	10:30 AM	Worship
	5:30 PM	Youth Group
	5:30 PM	Men's Bible Study Fellowship

Large Print Copies

Large print copies of the hymns, psalter selections and spiritual songs are available on the back table, for those needing larger print.

Sermon Text for 1/14/18

Hebrews 3:1-6

Communion

Today, January 7, 2017, we will be celebrating our spiritual communions with the Lord and with each other as the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper is administered during the worship service. Please take time to prayerfully consider the condition of your relationship with the Lord that you may join in this celebration with a clear conscience regarding the sin in your life and in full confidence of your salvation through Christ. During the final hymn, an offering will be received for the Deacon's Compassion Fund. This fund is used to assist church family members as well as those in the community.

Membership - Inquirer's Class

There will be a Membership-Inquirer's Class starting Sunday, January 14th at 9:15 AM – The amount of time will be determined (7 or less Sundays) and is planned for each Sunday. There is a sign-up sheet on the back table. RE Jim Fink will be teaching the class and more details will be forthcoming. Guide books will be provided. This class is provided for the individual to become a member of Pilgrim and as a refresher for members that desire to attend.

Tithes and Offerings

Tithes and offerings will be receipted at the end of the year if given by check or cash placed in an envelope marked with your name.

Pilgrim Presbyterian Church Officers

The officers' phone number/emails are listed in the church directory.

Session

TE Dr. Jerry Mead, Pastor
RE Daniel Jones

RE Jim Fink, Clerk
RE Rick Wilburn

Deaconate

Randy Underwood-*Head Usher*
Bill Manuel-*Church Treasurer*
Jeff Jones-*Compassion Fund*

Charles Kemp-*Secretary*
Charles Fahnestock
Bob Deweese-*Chairman*

Staff

Youth Director & Pastoral Intern – Greg Mead
Custodian – Rick Wilburn
Church Secretary – Greg Mead

Church Office 304-263-5362

Pastor 304-582-9344

Youth Director 304-268-5745

Church Email: church@pilgrimpc.org
Pastor Email: jmead@pilgrimpc.org
Youth Director Email: youth@pilgrimpc.org

Church Web Page: www.pilgrimpc.org
"includes link to Archived Sermons"

Childcare Helpers – Sunday School and Worship

01-07-17 Heather Mead
01-14-17 Susan Zych
01-21-17 Donna & Deanna Hercules
01-28-17 Mim Mead

Greeters

01-07-17 Randy & Cathy Underwood
01-14-17 Gene & Shirley Grove
01-21-17 Linda Mead & Marilyn Sauder
01-28-17 Greg & Mim Mead

*Acknowledging God's ownership of all persons and things, and that
we are only stewards of life and possessions is carried out through*

Worship in Tithes and Offerings

Offertory

*Response 'We Give Thee But Thine Own' # 432, Stnz 1

*Prayer of Dedication

The preaching of the Word is an ordinance of God for our salvation

Sermon

Worship Him

Sermon Text

Matthew 2:1-12

[pew Bible p 807]

*Hymn

"At the Lamb's High Feast We Sing"

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* Profession of Faith

The Apostle' Creed

[Hymnal p 845]

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

Hymn

"As with Gladness Men of Old"

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Deacons' Compassion Fund Offering

Blessing

Hebrews 13:20-21

Sermon Outline

Introduction:

The gospel of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ,
calls on all to worship and serve Him as King.

1. Worship Him as king [vv1-2]

2. Recognize Him as King [vv3-8]

3. Follow Him as King [vv9-12]