

Pilgrim Presbyterian Church

601 Albert Street - Martinsburg, WV 25404

Rev. Dr. Jerry C. Mead, Pastor

January 28, 2018

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

Welcome and Announcements Pastoral Intern Greg Mead
Focusing Our Thoughts on God

Order of Morning Worship

*Words of our Holy God Call us to Worship Psalm 92:1-2, 4

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

Psalm 38:1, 4, 18 – All

O LORD, rebuke me not in your anger, nor discipline me in your wrath! For my iniquities *overwhelm me*; like a burden too heavy for me. I confess my iniquity; I am sorry for my sin.

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

Psalm 34:17-18 – Pastor

When the righteous cry for help,

the LORD hears and delivers them out of all their troubles.

The LORD is near to the brokenhearted and saves the crushed in spirit.

*Prayer of Adoration and Aspiration – Pastor

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

* Psalm 92 to the tune of "Join All the Glorious Names" # 301 Psalter

*Hymn "Come, Let Us Join with One Accord" # 393

*Spiritual Song "He Has Shown You – Micah 6:8" Insert

Old Testament Reading Joshua 22:1-6 [Pew Bible p196]

Hymn "How Vast the Benefits Divine" # 470

Prayer of the Church

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

Weekly Activities

Sunday 9:15 AM Sunday School
10:30 AM Worship
12:00 Noon Fellowship Lunch
Pulpit Search Committee Meeting (Room 7)
5:30 PM Youth Group
5:30 PM Men's Bible Study Fellowship
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
Friday 6:30 PM Nurture Group @ Jerry and Linda Mead's
Friday-Sunday Snow Camp for Youth Group
Next Sunday 9:15 AM Sunday School
10:30 AM Worship with the Lord's Supper
12:00 PM Nurture Group Lunch and Study

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 2/4/18

Hebrews 4:14-5:10

Membership - Inquirer's Class

A Membership-Inquirer's Class is ongoing each Sunday at 9:15 AM and is meeting downstairs in the Fireplace Room. This class is provided for the individual to become a member of Pilgrim and as a refresher for members that desire to attend. The book "Confessing Christ" is being used as a guide.

Tithes and Offerings

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

Communion

Next Sunday, February 4, 2018, we will be celebrating our spiritual communion 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.

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

01-28-18 Linda Mead
02-04-18 Laurie Hercules
02-11-18 Mim Mead
02-18-18 Becky Deweese

Greeters

01-28-18 Greg & Mim Mead
02-04-18 Bob & Louise Brady
02-11-18 Bill & Nancy Manuel
02-18-18 Paul & Donna Hercules

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

Sermon:

The Gospel of Rest

Sermon Text:

Hebrews 4:1-13

[Pew Bible p 1002]

*Hymn

“Jesus, I Am Resting, Resting”

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*Blessing

Matthew 11:28-30

Sermon Outline

Introduction:

To enter God's promised rest,
you must believe He can effectively counter your failures.

1. God's purposes are not frustrated by disobedience and failure [vv1-5]
2. God's continuing promise doesn't mean automatic acceptance [vv6-10]
3. God's promise of rest is a spur to action [vv11-13]