

Pilgrim Presbyterian Church

601 Albert Street - Martinsburg, WV 25404

Rev. Dr. Jerry C Mead, Pastor

April 29, 2018

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

**Those in the congregation who are able, please stand.*

Welcome and Announcements
Focusing Our Thoughts on God

Ruling Elder Richard Wilburn

Order of Morning Worship

*Words of our Holy God Call us to Worship – **Pastor** Psalm 138:1-2

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

1 John 3:4 – **All**

Everyone who makes a practice of sinning also practices lawlessness;
sin is lawlessness.

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

1 John 3:4-5a – **Pastor**

Jesus appeared in order to take away sins, and in him there is no sin.
No one who abides in him keeps on sinning.

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

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

* Psalm 138 [to the tune of "Jesus, Thy Blood and Righteous #520] Psalter

*Hymn "Praise Ye the Father!" # 107

*Spiritual Song "In Christ Alone" Insert

Scripture Reading Hosea 14:1-9 [pew Bible pp 759]

Hymn "O God beyond All Praising" # 660

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

*Prayer of Dedication

Weekly Activities

Sunday	9:15 AM	Sunday School
	10:30 AM	Worship
	Noon	Fellowship Lunch
	5:30 PM	Youth Group
	5:30 PM	Men's Bible Study Fellowship
Wednesday	8:00 AM	Men's Prayer Breakfast @ Pownall's Bistro
	10:00 AM	Ladies' Bible Study
Thursday	7:00 PM	Prayer Meeting, Sanctuary Overflow
Saturday	8:00-Noon	Congregational Work Day followed by Lunch
Sunday	9:15 AM	Sunday School
	10:30 AM	Worship including the Lord's Supper
	6:00 PM	Snapshot in Church History

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.

Photo updates

Over the next several weeks, Araceli Cisneros will be taking new pictures for our introduction wall in the church foyer. Please speak to her, especially families with growing children, about an update.

Congregational Work Day

Saturday May 5 will be our next Congregational Work Day, a great opportunity for service and fellowship! We will start at 8am and finish with a BBQ lunch at noon. All are encouraged to join us! Please sign up to come and note if you are willing to bring a side dish or a dessert.

Communion

Next Sunday, May 6, 2018, we will be celebrating our spiritual communions with the Lord and with each other as the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper is administer 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.

Pastor Jerry's Retirement

This is Pastor Jerry's final Lord's Day preaching regularly for us. He will be on accrued vacation and study leave through June 8. At that time he will be transferred by Potomac Presbytery to the roll of Honorable Retired Ministers.

For any pastoral needs, please contact one of the ruling elders.

Take time today to thank Pastor Jerry for his 20 years of faithful ministry and enjoy some cake during the fellowship lunch after the service.

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-*Chairman*
Bill Manuel-*Church Treasurer*
Jeff Jones-*Compassion Fund*

Charles Kemp-*Secretary*
Charles Fahnestock
Bob Deweese-*Head Usher*

Staff

Youth Director– Greg Mead
Custodian – Rick Wilburn
Church Secretary – Greg Mead

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Youth Director 304-268-5745

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Youth Director Email: youth@pilgrimca.org

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

Childcare Helpers – Sunday School and Worship

04-29-18 Heather Mead
05-06-18 Mim Mead
05-13-18 Laurie Hercules
05-20-18 Linda Mead

Greeters

04-29-18 Bob and Louise Brady
05-06-18 Paul & Donna Hercules
05-13-18 Bill & Nancy Manuel
05-20-18 Leon & Eleanor Jones

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

Sermon: Serving the King, Corporately
Sermon Text: Hebrews 13:7-25 [Pew Bible p 1009]
Hymn "We Are God's People" # 355
Blessing Hebrews 13:20-21

Sermon Outline

Introduction:

Since King Jesus is head of His body, the church,
the parts of His body come together to serve Him.

1. The body of Christ and its Environment [vv9-14]
2. The body of Christ and its Worship [vv15-16]
3. The body of Christ and its Leadership [vv7, 17-19]
4. The body of Christ and His Blessing [vv20-25]