

Pilgrim Presbyterian Church

601 Albert Street - Martinsburg, WV 25404
August 5, 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 Jim Fink

Order of Morning Worship

**God Calls us to Worship*

Psalm 89:1-8

***"Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing"**

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**We Confess our Sin*

Almighty God, we are unworthy to come into your presence, because of our many sins. We do not deserve any grace or mercy from you. We have sinned against you, O Lord, and we have offended you. And yet, O Lord, as we acknowledge our sins and offenses, we also acknowledge you to be a merciful God, a loving and favorable Father, to all who turn to you. And so we humbly ask you, for the sake of Christ your son, to show mercy to us, and forgive us all our offenses. Forgive the sins of our youth, and the sins of our old age. By your Spirit, O God, take possession of our hearts, so that, not only the actions of our life, but also the words of our mouths, and the smallest thoughts of our minds, may be guided and governed by you. Through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom with you and the Holy Spirit, be all honor and glory, now and forever. Amen.

**God Assures us of His Pardoning Grace*

2 Chronicles 30:9b

**We respond with Prayer and Praise*

Prayer of Adoration and Aspiration

***Psalm 121**

Trinity Psalter

***Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah**

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Prayer of the Church

Weekly Activities

Sunday	9:15 AM	Sunday School
	10:30 AM	Worship
	6:00 PM	Snapshots in Church History
Tuesday	6:30 PM	Ladies Book Study @ Fahnestocks' home
Wednesday	8:00 AM	Men's Prayer Breakfast
	7:00 PM	Prayer Meeting @ Church
Saturday	3:00 PM	Youth Group Pool Party @ Stenswolds' home
Sunday	9:15 AM	Sunday School
	10:30 AM	Worship with the Lord's Supper
	4:00PM-Dusk	Church Picnic

Large Print Copies: Large print copies of the hymns, psalter selections and spiritual songs are available on the back table.

Next Week's Sermon Text: Psalm 132

Communion

Next Sunday, August 12, 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.

Youth Group Pool Party

This Saturday, August 11, there will be a youth group pool party at the Stenswolds' home starting at 3pm. Parents are welcome to stay or not as they prefer. Please bring your suit and towel! Dinner will be provided. Please RSVP by August 8 via the Facebook event or by contacting the Greg Meads or Stenswolds.

Church Picnic

Next Sunday, August 12, our annual church picnic will be held at the State Farm Pavilion, War Memorial Park. Hamburgers and hot dogs will be provided. Please bring a side dish or desert to share. The cost for afternoon swimming and one game of miniature golf at the park will be paid for by the church. The pool and mini golf open at 1pm.

Joint Session/Deacon Meeting

There will be a joint Session and Deacons meeting on Thursday, August 16, 2018 at 6:00 PM at the church office. This is an open meeting with a standing invitation for all. If you have a specific topic to discuss with the Session please contact Jim Fink so he can set an appointment for your convenience. If you desire to meet with the Deacons please contact Randy Underwood so he can provide a time for you.

Pilgrim Presbyterian Church Officers
The officers' phone number/emails are listed in the church directory.

Session

TE Kirk Blankenship, Pastor
RE Jim Fink, Clerk
RE Daniel Jones
RE Rick Wilburn

Deaconate

Randy Underwood-*Chairman* Charles Kemp-*Secretary*
Bill Manuel-*Church Treasurer* Charles Fahnestock
Jeff Jones-*Compassion Fund* Bob Deweese-*Head Usher*

Staff

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

Church Office 304-263-5362
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Church Email: church@pilgrimpc.org
Pastor email: kblank@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

08-05-18 Donna/Deanna Hercules
08-12-18 Mim Mead
08-19-18 Laurie Hercules
08-26-18 Linda Mead

Greeters

08-05-18 Bob & Louise Brady
08-12-18 Paul & Donna Hercules
08-19-18 Bill & Nancy Manuel
08-26-18 Bob & Becky Deweese

God calls us to give all that we are and all that we have

***Confession of Faith**

Psalm 119:1-24

(Responsive Reading, Trinity Hymnal pg 829)

We return to Him our tithes and give our offerings

Offertory

***"Gloria Patri"**

#735

*Prayer of Dedication

God shepherds us with His Word

Sermon: "Simon Peter's Aha Moment"

Sermon Text: Luke 5:1-11 [Pew Bible p. 860]

TE Chris Garriott, PCA's RUF Ministry, University of Maryland

****We respond with gratitude and thanksgiving***

***"Holy, Holy, Holy"**

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God sends us out with His benediction

***Benediction**

Ephesians 3:14-21

Sermon Notes