

First United Presbyterian Church of Dale City (PCUSA)

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1st Sunday in Lent
Camp Hanover Sunday
March 1, 2020
11:00 AM

The Reverend Adam C. Bowling - Pastor
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GATHERING

+ GATHERING SONG *In The Secret* Andy Park (CCLI#:1810119)

MINISTRY IN ACTION

✝ Movie Night: "Noah" - March 13, 2020

✝ Camp Hanover

+ GATHERING WORDS Isaiah 40:1-5

In the wilderness, prepare the way of the Lord!

Make straight in the desert a highway for our God.

Every valley shall be lifted up, every mountain made low.

Uneven ground will be made level, and rough places become smooth.

The glory of the Lord shall be revealed,

and all people shall see it together!

+ OPENING SONG *I Will Call Upon the Lord* 621

PRAYER OF BROKENNESS

Everlasting God, You have created the ends of the earth, and all that is in it.

You have called us to care for Your world and for one another. But we grow

faint and weary. We sin, and we sin again. Forgive us. Renew us and strengthen

us, that we might better follow You in all we say and do. Hear us now, as we

continue to confess in the silence of our hearts . . .

(Silence is kept)

KYRIE *Lord, Have Mercy* 551

Lord, have mercy;

Christ, have mercy;

Lord, have mercy upon us.

Lord, have mercy;

Christ, have mercy;

Lord, have mercy upon us.

ASSURANCE OF GOD'S GRACE

Friends, hear and believe the good news:

In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.

Know this and be at peace.

Thanks be to God!

+ REPSONSE

We Are Forgiven

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We are forgiven.
We are forgiven.
Thanks be to God.
Thanks be to God.
We are forgiven.
We are forgiven.
Thanks be to God.
Thanks be to God.

+ PASSING OF THE PEACE

The peace of Christ be with you.

And also with you.

Please share a sign of Christ's peace with those around you.

PROCLAIMING

TIME FOR CHILDREN

CAMP SONG

Lord, I Lift Your Name on High
FUPCDC Children's/Youth Choirs

Rick Founds (CCLI#117947)

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON

Isaiah 40:1-5, 28-31 (pages 627-629, OT section)

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

NEW TESTAMENT LESSON

Luke 5:12-16 (pages 58-59, NT section)

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

MESSAGE

Longing For Renewal

Doug Walters
Executive Director of Camp Hanover

RESPONDING

+ SONG OF RESPONSE

Light The Fire

Bill Maxwell (CCLI#:332454)

SERVICE OF GIVING

Music at the Offering

Sanctuary

John W. Thompson, Randy Scruggs (CCLI#:24140)

+ PRAYER OF DEDICATION

Eternal God, we thank You for Your providence and praise You for Your grace. We offer these gifts in celebration of all You have done for us, that we might use them to Your glory. Bless this offering and the people who gave it. Help us to use our treasures as well as our time and talent to serve You. Here in our community and throughout Your Kingdom. In Your wonderful name we pray.

Amen.

CELEBRATION OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

Instructions: Please come by way of the center aisle when an usher indicates. All the bread is gluten free. Receive the bread, dip it into the cup of juice, and partake. If you cannot come forward, a server will bring communion to you in your row.

INVITATION TO THE LORD'S TABLE

GREAT PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise. . .

THE LORD'S PRAYER *(All Sing)*

Our Father, which art in heaven: Hallowed-a be Thy name

Thy kingdom come; Thy will be done: Hallowed-a be Thy name

On earth as it is in heaven: Hallowed-a be Thy name

Give us this day, our daily bread: Hallowed-a be Thy name

And forgive us all our sins: Hallowed-a be Thy name

As we forgive those who sin: Hallowed-a be Thy name

And lead us not into temptation: Hallowed-a be Thy name

But deliver us from evil: Hallowed-a be Thy name

For Thine is the kingdom, the power and glory: Hallowed-a be Thy name

Forever and ever, Amen. Amen.

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

COMMUNION OF THE PEOPLE

Music during Communion

The Table

Chris Tomlin, Ed Cash, Wayne Jolley (CCLI#:7028956)

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Lord God, in deep gratitude for this moment, this meal, these people, we give ourselves to You. Take us out to live as changed people because we have shared the living bread and cannot remain the same. Ask much of us, expect much from us, enable much by us, encourage many through us. So, Lord, may we live to Your glory, both as inhabitants of earth and citizens of the commonwealth of heaven. Amen.

SENDING

+ **SENDING SONG** *You Shall Go Out with Joy (The Trees of the Field)* 80

+ CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

Friends, when life gets chaotic, when you long for renewal, do as Jesus did. Withdraw into the wilderness and pray. Come away to a quiet place and get some rest.

May your mosquito bites be few and your care packages from home abundant.

May you eat 'til you are full and never tire of corn dogs and chicken nuggets.

May your sunscreen always be "on" and may you have plenty of "Off".

May your flashlight batteries stay charged, and your campers, at the end of the day, be drained.

May your "rest times" be long and the thunderstorms be short.

May your trips to the infirmary be rare and your hugs from campers many.

May the water in your water bottle be ice cold, and your showers be steaming hot.

May your campfires light easily, and may your marshmallows never burn.

And may God touch your lives and use you to touch the lives of everyone you meet.

Go now to love and serve the Lord.

Amen.

+ **RESPONSE** *You Shall Go Out with Joy (The Trees of the Field) [Reprise]* 80

+ *Please stand, in body or in spirit.*

Worship Notes

* **WELCOME!** Whether you are new in the area, a resident of the community, or visiting, we are delighted you joined us in worship. Please fill out the card in the friendship register and bring it to the rear of the sanctuary after the service for a special gift. To find out more about this church, please ask at the Welcome Table or call the Church Office at 703-670-7834.

* **LITURGISTS:** Lora Nedimyer (8:30)
Afton Schwalm (11:00)

provoking discussion in the light of forgiveness. Each session is independent of the others. Our study guide is a quick read, so homework is painless and fast!

- ✚ **SIGHT AND SOUND "NOAH":** A showing of the Sight and Sound DVD "NOAH" is scheduled in our sanctuary on **March 13th** from 7-9 PM. This is a free event for the FUPCDC congregation and friends. We will have a free-will offering to off-set the DVD site license fee. Any additional money collected will be added to the FUPCDC Scholarship Fund. We hope you will join us.
- ✚ **KAIROS PRISON MINISTRY:** Kathy Cobb, Sam Parris, and Peggy Heins will be participating in the Women's and Men's KAIROS Prison Ministry 4 day events during the month of April. Please prayerfully consider baking cookies, making a donation or signing up to pray for the inmates and the team. The team will be providing **200 dozen cookies** that will be collected by **March 29th**. The Kairos team at FUPCDC thanks you for your continued support of this vital ministry. Your generosity is a blessing to so many. Please visit the KAIROS table in the Narthex Welcome Center **March 8th** and **March 15th** for additional details and to sign up. "And the king will answer them, 'Truly I tell you, just as you did it to one of the least of these who are members of my family, you did it to me.'"
- ✚ **EASTER FLOWERS:** Please consider purchasing Easter flowers (**tulip, azalea, or hydrangea**) to adorn our church on Easter Sunday. The cost is **\$15.00** and can be purchased in honor or memory of someone special to you. Please make sure you fill out the information on the Easter Flowers envelope (located on table in the Narthex Welcome Center). Order and money are due by **April 6th**. Flowers can be picked up **after the 11AM Easter service on April 12th**. Make the check out to FUPCDC and write Easter flowers in the memo line. Thank you so much.
- ✚ **SAVE THE DATES!:** There will be a Church-Wide Overnight Family Retreat at Camp Hanover, **August 22-23, 2020**. More information will be coming soon!
- ✚ **WEDNESDAY NIGHT ALIVE MEAL:** Please join us for the Wednesday Night Alive Meal at **6 PM**. On **March 4th** the meal is **Potluck: "Breakfast for Dinner"**. Come join us for an evening of **FOOD, FELLOWSHIP, and FAITH**. Contact Jon or Gaylene Guest with any questions.
- ✚ **LENT WEDNESDAY WORSHIP:** Join us **Wednesday, March 4th** at **7:00 PM** in the sanctuary for a service of scripture, prayer, and communion.
- ✚ **PASTOR'S BIBLE STUDY:** Come join us for the Nooma Bible study, "Trees" by Rob Bell, on **Wednesday, March 4th** at **7:30 PM**.
- * **AARP FREE TAX ASSISTANCE FOR 65 OR OLDER (Now - April 14th):** Please call Chinn Park Regional Library, 703-792-4800, or read note on bulletin board in Narthex Welcome Center for information, dates and times, and what to bring when you come for tax help.
- * **HELP NEEDED:** Men, Women and Youth (16+) are needed to volunteer to run the **Video** during the 8:30 AM and/or 11:00 AM services. We will teach you. Contact Peter Glycer, 703-590-0866 or Marti Hall, 703-626-2269.

Student Ministry News

- ✚ **CAMP HANOVER PIZZA PARTY: TODAY**, after the 11:00 AM contemporary service please come to a pizza party for families with children and youth (1st grade and up) in the Triple Room. Come to learn more about summer camp opportunities for your children and youth. All families that come to the pizza party will receive a discount code for summer camp! Financial assistance is available to make camp possible for any child that wishes to attend. Please RSVP to the pizza party by emailing Pastor Adam at adam.bowling@fupcdc.org.
- ✚ **YOUTH GROUP "CHOPPED" NIGHT**: Join us TONIGHT, from 5:00 PM - 7:30 PM at the Parris' Home (5876 Fincastle Drive, Manassas, VA 20112) for a fun culinary competition. Teams will compete to create an appetizer, a main course, and dessert. No cooking experience necessary! All youth (5th grade and up) and their friends are welcome to join us! Please bring \$3 and your friends. RSVP to Elder Afton at 571-221-0778 or bulldogz89@gmail.com.
- ✚ **WEDNESDAY NIGHT ALIVE MEAL FUNDRAISER**: Youth, come and help serve the Wednesday Night Alive Meal at 6 PM on Wednesday, March 4th.
- * **TEXT MESSAGES**: Sign up for Text Messages: Text @youthfupc to 81010.

Joys and Concerns

All those who are ill or facing difficulties, including:

- ✚ Makayla Brain * Pina Scott * Grace Ofosu-Addo * Mark Levy
- ✚ Kinsey Brain * Russ Van Wingerden * Lynn Wilson * Larry Menzie
- * Haleigh Startin * Linda Ford * Chris Glycer Family * Jean Peterman

✚ Congregational love and sympathy is extended to the family of Leigh Anderson at the death of Leigh's aunt, Betty Barger, on February 26, 2020.

* Congregational love and sympathy is extended to the family of Larry Kreider, a long time member of First United Presbyterian Church of Dale City, VA, who passed away Wednesday, February 19, 2020.

* Congregational love and sympathy is extended to Becky George and family at the death of her father-in-law, Charlie, Friday, February 14, 2020. Special prayers for Charlie's wife and Bruce's mom, Emma, who has now lost her son and husband in the span of 3 months. Please pray for God's comfort and strength for Emma, Becky, and the entire family at this time.

* Congregational love and sympathy is extended to Nancy and Dave Stokes at the death of Nancy's sister, Susan Pringle, on Monday, February 17, 2020 in New Jersey. Please pray for comfort and peace for the entire family during this difficult time.

The churches of National Capital Presbytery, especially:

- ✠ Riverside Presbyterian Church - Sterling, VA
- ✠ The Rock Presbyterian Church - Bethesda, MD

Calendar

March 1 - 8, 2020

SUNDAY, March 1

Camp Hanover Sunday

- 8:30 AM Worship - Traditional - Communion
- 9:45 AM Christian Education
- 11:00 AM Worship - Contemporary - Communion
- 11:15 AM Club 143 Children's Church
- 12:10 PM Camp Hanover Pizza Party for Families
- 12:15 PM Spread the Bread
- 1:00 PM Peace Church (Spanish Speaking Service)
- 5:00 PM Youth - Chopped Night! @ Parris' Home
- 5:45 PM Jubilation Handbells
- 7:00 PM Cub Scout Pack 289 Committee Meeting

MONDAY, March 2

- 10:00 AM Personnel Committee
- 10:30 AM Holy Fitness

TUESDAY, March 3

Election Day

- 7:15 PM ACE Committee
- 7:15 PM Mission and Outreach Committee
- 7:15 PM Boy Scout Troop 964
- 7:30 PM Nominating Committee
- 7:30 PM AA 101

WEDNESDAY, March 4

- 10:30 AM Holy Fitness
- 1:30 PM Staff Meeting
- 4:30 PM Piano/Organ Practice
- 6:00 PM Wednesday Night Alive Meal
- 7:00 PM Lent Evening Worship
- 7:00 PM Peace Church Prayer Meeting
- 7:30 PM Pastor's Bible Study
- 7:30 PM Chancel Choir
- 7:30 PM RIF Meeting

THURSDAY, March 5

- 1:00 PM Compass 4-H
- 3:00 PM Prayer and Praise Small Group
- 6:00 PM Children's Choir
- 6:00 PM Youth Choir
- 6:30 PM Girl Scout Troop 2279
- 6:30 PM Girl Scout Troop 409
- 7:00 PM FUPCDC Praise Team Rehearsal
- 7:00 PM Boy Scout Troop 964 Nuclear Science Merit Badge Training
- 8:00 PM AA Support Group

FRIDAY, March 6

- 10:30 AM Holy Fitness

SATURDAY, March 7

- 8:00 AM Men's Breakfast
- 8:30 AM Contemplative Yoga

SUNDAY, March 8

Daylight-Saving Time Begins

- 8:30 AM Worship - Traditional
- 9:45 AM Christian Education Hour
- 11:00 AM Worship - Contemporary
- 12:15 PM Spread the Bread
- 1:00 PM Peace Church (Spanish Speaking Service)
- 1:15 PM Building and Grounds Committee
- 5:45 PM Jubilation Handbells

DEACONS: THE MINISTRY OF COMPASSION AND SERVICE

The ministry of deacon as set forth in Scripture is one of compassion, witness, and service, sharing in the redeeming love of Jesus Christ for the poor, the hungry, the sick, the lost, the friendless, the oppressed, those burdened by unjust policies or structures, or anyone in distress. Persons of spiritual character, honest repute, exemplary lives, brotherly and sisterly love, sincere compassion, and sound judgment should be chosen for this ministry.¹

2020 BOARD OF DEACONS

Class of 2020

Agnes Fokwa
Lisa Fortner
Kathy McNeely
Carol Schwalm
Celine Sonkwa

Class of 2021

Amy Bean
Karen Elliott
Liz Goolgasian
Peggy Heins
Therese Same

Class of 2022

Bob Albrecht
Sandy Chamberlin
Claudia Cunningham
Pam Emert
Ellen Nuernberger

Carol Schwalm, *Moderator*.....703-680-7673

RULING ELDERS: THE MINISTRY OF DISCERNMENT & GOVERNANCE

As there were in Old Testament times elders for the government of the people, so the New Testament church provided persons with particular gifts to share in discernment of God's Spirit and governance of God's people. Accordingly, congregations should elect persons of wisdom and maturity of faith, having demonstrated skills in leadership and being compassionate in spirit. Ruling elders are so named not because they "lord it over" the congregation (Matt. 20:25), but because they are chosen by the congregation to discern and measure its fidelity to the Word of God, and to strengthen and nurture its faith and life. Ruling elders, together with teaching elders, exercise leadership, government, spiritual discernment, and discipline and have responsibilities for the life of a congregation as well as the whole church, including ecumenical relationships. When elected by the congregation, they shall serve faithfully as members of the session. When elected as commissioners to higher councils, ruling elders participate and vote with the same authority as teaching elders, and they are eligible for any office.²

See current ruling elders of FUPCDC on page 12 of bulletin.

¹ *The Constitution of the Presbyterian Church (USA), Part II, Book of Order: 2013/2015*, 2013. Published by The Office of the General Assembly, 100 Witherspoon Street, Louisville, KY 40202, p. 26.

² *ibid.*, p. 60.

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Ministers..... People of the Church
 Pastor..... Rev. Adam C. Bowling
 Chancel Choir Director Dana Van Slyke
 Pianist/Organist Justin Streletz
 Contemporary Worship Directors..... Becca and Chris Anderson
 Children's/Youth Choir Directors..... Becca and Chris Anderson
 Jubilation Handbell Director..... Ike Evans
 Nursery Supervisor..... Joann Paige
 Little Hands Preschool Director Tiffany Ramsey
 Sexton..... Homer Detrich
 Office Manager..... Kim Parker

2020 SESSION

Peter Glycer ('20)*Adult Christian Education*..... 703-590-0856
 Mike Gundel ('21)*Building & Grounds* 301-767-5030
 Ruth Washburg ('21)*Children's Ministry*..... 703-407-3976
 Cathy Albrecht ('22)*Communications* 703-670-8369
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 Jon Guest ('21)*Finance & Administration* 703-491-4006
 Chris Martin ('22) *Information Technology*..... 585-455-8423
 Dave Stokes ('21)*Little Hands Preschool* 703-583-9287
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 Norman Cobb ('21)*Personnel* 703-878-7317
 Jon Guest ('21)*Safety & Security* 703-491-4006
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 Marti Hall ('21)*Worship*..... 703-626-2269
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