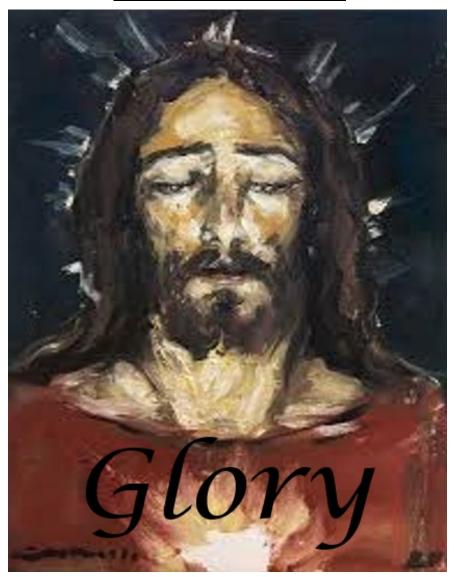
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Transfiguration of the Lord Union Sunday February 14, 2021 10:00 AM

The Reverend Adam C. Bowling - Pastor

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Today's Transfiguration of the Lord Worship Service has been prepared and is being led by the students, faculty, alumni, and staff of Union Presbyterian Seminary. Union Seminary has campuses in Richmond, VA and Charlotte, NC, and is the Seminary where our Pastor, the Rev. Adam C. Bowling, attended. If you would like to learn more, please visit: <a href="https://www.upsem.edu/">https://www.upsem.edu/</a>.

## WE ASSEMBLE IN GOD'S NAME

+ GATHERING SONG

God of Wonders

Marc Byrd, Steve Hindalong (CCLI# 3118757)

### Verse 1

Lord of all creation
Of water earth and sky
The heavens are Your tabernacle
Glory to the Lord on high

### Chorus 1

God of wonders beyond our galaxy
You are holy holy
The universe declares Your majesty
You are holy holy
Lord of heaven and earth
Lord of heaven and earth

### Verse 2

Early in the morning
I will celebrate the light
When I stumble in the darkness
I will call Your name by night

### **Bridge**

Hallelujah (to the Lord of heaven and earth) Hallelujah (to the Lord of heaven and earth) Hallelujah (to the Lord of heaven and earth) You are holy

#### Chorus 2

God of wonders beyond our galaxy
You are holy holy
Precious Lord reveal Your heart to me
Father hold me hold me
The universe declares Your majesty
You are holy holy holy

### Chorus 3

God of wonders beyond our galaxy
You are holy holy
Precious Lord reveal Your heart to me
Father hold me hold me

### **Ending**

Hallelujah (to the Lord of heaven and earth) Hallelujah (to the Lord of heaven and earth) Hallelujah (to the Lord of heaven and earth) Hallelujah (to the Lord of heaven and earth)

**WELCOME** Rev. Adam C. Bowling

## + CALL TO WORSHIP

Ryan Atkinson Student

When our world is changing and we have no one to guide us, we seek you, revealing Lord, and you will answer,

I will not leave you.

When we do not know how to fix what is broken, we pray to you, healing Lord, and you will answer,

I will not leave you.

When we are overwhelmed by the daunting task that is life, we come to you, omniscient Lord, and you will answer,

I will not leave you.

Lord, we know that life is full of the good and the bad, for we also know that you are always there, ready and able. Guide us omnipresent Lord, as we move forward through the midst of changes, give us strength of Spirit, that we may continue to serve you.

Amen.

1 Called as partners in Christ's service, called to ministries of grace, we respond with deep commitment fresh new lines of faith to trace. May we learn the art of sharing, side by side and friend with friend, equal partners in our caring to fulfill God's chosen end.

2 Christ's example, Christ's inspiring, Christ's clear call to work and worth, let us follow, never faltering, reconciling folk on earth.

Men and women, richer, poorer, all God's people, young and old, blending human skills together gracious gifts from God unfold.

3 Thus new patterns for Christ's mission, in a small or global sense, help us bear each other's burdens, breaking down each wall or fence. Words of comfort, words of vision, words of challenge, said with care, bring new power and strength for action, make us colleagues, free and fair.

4 So God grant us for tomorrow ways to order human life that surround each person's sorrow with a calm that conquers strife.

Make us partners in our living, our compassion to increase, messengers of faith, thus giving hope and confidence and peace.

Richard Bennett Student at the University of Dubuque Theological Seminary (our FUPCDC Seminarian)

Almighty God, giver of life, your light shines in our lives and your glory is revealed through your Son, Jesus Christ. Reveal his glory to us as you did to Peter, James, and John, that we may be filled with his power and our mouths may proclaim his presence forevermore.

Amen.

### CALL TO CONFESSION

Amy Simes Student

Jesus said, "Nothing is hidden that will not be disclosed, nor is anything secret that will not come to light." Trusting in God's grace, let us confess our sin. . .

### PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Amy Simes Student

God of compassion, in Jesus Christ you revealed the light of your glory, but we turn away distracted by our own plans. We confess that we speak when we should listen, and stay quiet when we should speak out. We act when we should wait, and we do nothing when we should act. Forgive our aimless enthusiasms, grant us wisdom to live in your light, and to follow in the way of your beloved son, Jesus Christ, our Lord and Savior. . .

(Silence is Kept)

### ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Rev. Adam C. Bowling

Alumnus

Friends, hear the Good News of the Gospel: the brilliance of Christ's presence before us

outshines the darkness of our sin.

Hearing this good news, know that we are forgiven, and be at peace.

Thanks be to God!

### + RESPONSE

Glory to God, Whose Goodness Shines on Me (verse 1)

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Glory to God, whose goodness shines on me, and to the Son, whose grace has pardoned me, and to the Spirit, whose love has set me free. As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be. Amen.

### + PASSING OF THE PEACE

The peace of Christ be with you.

And also with you.

Rev. Adam C. Bowling Alumnus

### WE PROCLAIM GOD'S WORD

TIME FOR CHILDREN

Rev. Dr. Rebecca Davis Associate Professor

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Rev. Dr. Richard Boyce Dean and Associate Professor

GOSPEL LESSON

Mark 9:2-9 NRSV

Rev. Dr. Ruben Afjona Assistant Professor

Six days later, Jesus took with him Peter and James and John, and led them up a high mountain apart, by themselves. And he was transfigured before them, <sup>3</sup> and his clothes became dazzling white, such as no one on earth could bleach them. <sup>4</sup> And there appeared to them Elijah with Moses, who were talking with Jesus. <sup>5</sup> Then Peter said to Jesus, "Rabbi, it is good for us to be here; let us make three dwellings, one for you, one for Moses, and one for Elijah." <sup>6</sup> He did not know what to say, for they were terrified. <sup>7</sup> Then a cloud overshadowed them, and from the cloud there came a voice, "This is my Son, the Beloved; listen to him!" <sup>8</sup> Suddenly when they looked around, they saw no one with them any more, but only Jesus.

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God!

**ANTHFM** 

Hodie in Monte

Doug Brown and Seminary Choir Director of Music and Adjunct Instructor in Church Music

(English translation)
Today on the mountain
the Lord was transfigured,
the heavens were opened,
and the voice of the Lord thundered:
"This is my Son, the beloved,
in whom I am well pleased."
The Lord thundered from heaven,
and the voice of the Lord was heard.

**MESSAGE** Glory

Rev. Dr. Brian Blount President and Professor

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>9</sup> As they were coming down the mountain, he ordered them to tell no one about what they had seen, until after the Son of Man had risen from the dead.

### WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

+ HYMN OF RESPONSE

Mine Eyes Have Seen the Glory

354 Doug Brown Director of Music and Adjunct Instructor in Church Music

### PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

... Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who sin against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

### SERVICE OF GIVING

Music at the Offering

God, We Honor You

709

Chris, Becca, Clara, and Oscar Anderson

+ DOXOLOGY

Praise God, from Whom All Blessing Flow

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Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below; Praise Him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

### + PRAYER OF DEDICATION

Ryan S.

Gracious God, upon this bright mountain you bless us with your presence and shower us with the gift of your grace. May this money be used to reflect that bright grace in a world in desperate need of it. In Jesus' name we pray.

Amen.

## WE GO IN GOD'S NAME

+ CLOSING SONG

Days of Elijah

Robin Mark (CCLI#: 1537904)

### Verse 1

These are the days of Elijah
Declaring the Word of the Lord
And these are the days
Of Your servant Moses
Righteousness being restored

And though these are days
Of great trials
Of famine and darkness and sword
Still we are the voice
In the desert crying
Prepare ye the way of the Lord

#### Chorus

Behold He comes
Riding on the clouds
Shining like the sun
At the trumpet call
So lift your voice
It's the year of Jubilee
And out of Zion's hill
Salvation comes

### Verse 2

And these are the days of Ezekiel
The dry bones becoming as flesh
And these are the days
Of Your servant David
Rebuilding a temple of praise
And these are the days of the harvest
The fields are as white in the world
And we are the labourers
In Your vineyard
Declaring the Word of the Lord

## Bridge

There is no god like Jehovah (hey)

### CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

Rev. Dr. Timothy S. Moore Director of Donor Development

+ **POSTLUDE** Draw Us with Your Love with I am Thine, O Lord Arr. Cindy Berry Justin Streletz, Pianist

Please stand, in body or in spirit.

The Session has called the State of the Church and Incorporation Annual Meeting on February 21<sup>st</sup>, at the one worship online service, at 10 AM. The purpose of the meeting is to receive the Annual Report and to elect new church officers.

## **Worship Notes**

- \* WELCOME! Whether you are new in the area, a resident of the community, or visiting the FUPCDC website, we are delighted you joined us in worship online. Please fill out the online attendance and please let us know if you have any prayer concerns or needs. To find out more about this church, please email the Church Office at office@fupcdc.org or call at 703-670-7834.
- \* FLOWERS are given by Pam Cox in loving memory of Lisa Chrzan.

## Connect with Us

- \* WE ARE ON FACEBOOK: If you use Facebook, become a Facebook friend, and become a fan of First United Presbyterian. Make friends with others from the church.
- \* WE ARE ON INSTAGRAM: Find us on Instagram @fupcdc.
- \* **FUPCDC WEBSITE:** For detailed news and information, visit the church website at <a href="https://fupcdc.org">https://fupcdc.org</a>.
- \* TEXT ALERTS: Remind is a free text messaging service that will help our church communicate quickly and efficiently. On your cell phone, start a new message to 81010. In the message, type @fupcdc and send. You can unsubscribe at any time.

## Ministry in Action

- **T LENTEN DEVOTIONAL:** Again & Again, A Lenten Refrain, a devotional will be emailed to you about 3 times each week until Easter. Please look for the devotional in your email mailbox starting on **February 15**<sup>th</sup>.
- FAIR SHARE COMMUNITY SPEAKER SERIES: On February 20<sup>th</sup>, the Fair Share Speaker, Jessica Dunn will be on Zoom at 7:00 PM. What do isolating at home during a lengthy pandemic, heavy drinking or drug use, economic hardships, life after incarceration, and unemployment all have in common? Jessica Dunn, the co-creator and Executive Director of *Change in Action, Inc.*, is committed to addressing these problems, by teaching skills, providing education, and modeling accountability. For additional information, please contact Peter Glyer, peter.glyer@fupcdc.org. Open to all.
- NEW FLOWER SIGN UP: We have a new way to sign up for flowers! We now have a Sign Up Genius that you may have received as an email this week. If you previously signed up for flowers by calling the church office, your 2021 information has been recorded on this new sign up. I just need to get the "in honor of or in memory of" information which you can provide in the Sign Up Genius or email to me, Gail Cobb, <a href="mailto:gailzcobb@gmail.com">gailzcobb@gmail.com</a>.

When signing up, please indicate who the flowers are in honor or memory of, in the comment section. In addition, after the service the flowers are typically given to a congregational member who is in need of feeling some love from the congregation. You may choose to keep the flowers and not donate. Just indicate this in the comment section or email me. The cost for purchasing flowers continues to be \$40.00. You may pay for them by sending a check into the office made out to FUPCDC. Please write flowers and the Sunday you signed up for in the memo section.

Thanks for your patience and flexibility as we switch to this new method. If you have any trouble signing up, please email me and I will be happy to help you!

**FLOWERING OF THE CROSS:** We will be flowering the large wooden cross and placing it so it will be visible from Minnieville Road, so we can share Easter joy with our neighbors. We need lots of flowers to make this happen. Here is how you can help:

On **Saturday, April** 3<sup>rd</sup>, some large buckets of water will be placed by the church door. Between **10:00 AM and 2:00 PM** that day we would love for you to drive by and place some store-bought or garden home-grown flowers in one of the buckets of water. **Please wear a mask and practice social distancing when dropping off flowers.** Members of the worship team will decorate the cross early on Easter morning.

The Worship team thanks you for your help!

- \* LENTEN STUDY: On Sundays, 8:30 9:30 AM on Zoom, join us for FORGIVENESS: A Lenten Study. This is a Lenten study by Marjorie Thompson, a Presbyterian pastor. She wished to explore the way we practice our approach to our Christian duty. Everyone has experienced or is experiencing forgiveness in some form. Is forgiving the best path to healing for the injured? Are there emotional barriers involved with forgiveness? With lively discussion, and much scripture throughout our 6-week journey, we will create a livable and meaningful definition of forgiveness. While Forgiveness is a Christ taught virtue, we were never given instructions on application!
- \* ASH WEDNESDAY: On Ash Wednesday, February 17<sup>th</sup>, there will be a worship service at 7 PM with Communion and Imposition of Ashes. We are asking participants to gather their own elements of bread and cup for communion. We also ask you to gather your own ashes (palm ash, not wood ash) for the Imposition of Ashes. If you cannot gather ashes, you can substitute oil for the ashes (olive oil for example). A shorter Lenten scripture and prayer service will be available online each Wednesday at 7:00 PM through March 24<sup>th</sup>. On Thursday, April 1<sup>st</sup>, we will celebrate Maundy Thursday online at 7:00 PM with virtual communion. You will be able to view these services the same way you view Sunday services on our YouTube channel "FUPCDC Video". The link is https://www.youtube.com/c/FUPCDC.

A note about ashes: Remember that wood ash if it gets wet turns to lye and will burn skin. If you cannot get palm ash, use oil, not ash from wood fires.

Chancel Choir will meet at 7:30 PM immediately following each Wednesday prayer service. Wednesday Night Bible Study will resume after Easter on Wednesday, April 14<sup>th</sup>.

- \* BIBLE BUDDIES: Zoom Along with the Monday Night Ladies Bible Buddies every Monday at 7:00 PM for Bible Study and Fellowship. Please contact Betty Matthews, 703-618-9127 or <a href="mailto:bettysmatthews1@verizon.net">bettysmatthews1@verizon.net</a> for more information. The Bible Buddies' new study is <a href="mailto:Choose Joy: Because Happiness Isn't Enough">Choose Joy: Because Happiness Isn't Enough</a> by Kay Warren. Illness, financial worries, relational problems, loneliness, anxiety—we all deal with challenging issues. But Warren says that a joy-filled life is within reach, no matter what your circumstances!
- \* PASTOR'S WEDNESDAY EVENING BIBLE STUDY: We are studying the Gospel of Matthew every Wednesday at 7:00 PM via Zoom. Contact Pastor Adam for the instructions to join via computer or phone. All are welcome. This Bible study will take a short break during Lent beginning February 17<sup>th</sup>. It will resume on Wednesday, April 14<sup>th</sup>.
- \* CHILDREN'S EDUCATION: Every Sunday, 8:45 9:30 AM, we join King's Grant Presbyterian Church in Virginia Beach, VA, via Zoom, for children in 2<sup>nd</sup> grade to 6<sup>th</sup> grade. If you would like your child to participate, please contact Pastor Adam at adam.bowling@fupcdc.org.
- \* HORIZONS BIBLE STUDY: "Into the Light: Finding Hope through Prayers of Lament" is the title of the 2020 2021 women's Bible study. We will meet via Zoom on the second Monday of each month, at 9:30 AM. This is a study on the hope we can find in the scriptures. Contact Sara Porter, saraporter@comcast.net, or 703-670-8737 for more information.

- \* FUPCDC CONTEMPLATIVE YOGA CLASS VIA ZOOM: Join us for a time to prayerfully release your cares and recharge physically, spiritually, and emotionally. The Contemplative Yoga group has a spot just for you on Saturdays from 8:30-9:10 AM on Zoom. Classes are always free, just click this link to sign up: CLICK HERE TO VIEW THE SIGNUP.
- \* SPREAD THE WARMTH: Are you looking for a worthwhile project to do while staying at home? Do you knit or crochet? If so, we have the perfect project for you. Our group makes hats and scarves for our friends in the community who are in need of something warm to wear during the winter. We also make hats for those suffering from cancer. If you would like to help or to find out more information about our group, please contact Elizabeth Glyer at lizglyer@gmail.com.
- \* MEN'S GROUP: In lieu of our monthly Men's Breakfast, we now have several small groups of men that meet weekly for 30 minutes for devotion and prayer time. This is a phone-in conference call. We have slots available on Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday. Please contact Sam Parris for your slot: 703-946-7266 or email at samjparris@aol.com.
- \* SPREAD THE BREAD: Spread the Bread is our ministry for people experiencing homelessness. We currently provide a meal each Sunday at 12:20 PM for around 50 people in Prince William County. Volunteer opportunities include making sandwiches, donating drinks and chips, prayer, and more! If you would like to help in any way, please email Jon Guest, jon.a.guest@gmail.com.
- \* SPREAD THE LOVE: We need volunteers to write cards/notes to those in quarantine or to folks who are experiencing isolation due to COVID-19. Other volunteer opportunities include making phone calls to check in with people who may need socialization. If you would like to volunteer for Spread the Love or suggest people to receive cards or calls, please email Sam Parris, samjparris@aol.com.
- \* EMAIL PRAYER CHAIN: We need volunteers to receive one to two emails a week with prayer requests...and pray! If you would like to volunteer to pray, please contact the Church Office, office@fupcdc.org.

# Student Ministry News

\* TEXT MESSAGES: Sign up for Text Messages: Text @youthfupc to 81010.

## Report on Offering: January 2021

	JAN 2020 Actual	JAN 2020 Budget	Year to Date Actual	Year to Date Budget
Offering Pledged	39,188	34,000	39,188	34,000
Offering Unpledged	6,586	3,900	6,586	3,900
Total Offering	45,774	37,900	45,774	37,900

## Joys and Concerns

### All those who are ill or facing difficulties, including:

Ť	David Behrens	*	Ann Hoagland	*	Emmanuel Dankyi-Ankoma	*	Norman Cox
Ť	Gary Albrecht	*	Dana Schnebelt	*	Derrick Schnebelt	*	Kym Havens
Ť	Phil Albrecht	*	Gordon MacDonald	*	Baby Louisa Wolstenholme	*	Jeannine Menzie
Ť	Graceann Case	*	Joanne Willis	*	Baby Dean Moy * Dineen	*	Larry Menzie
*	Lili Avity	*	Amanda Peck	*	Lee and Giselle Watenpaugh	*	Linda Ford
*	Jim Lawson	*	Mary Jackson	*	Jim and Jerolyn Randles	*	Lynn Wilson
*	Patrick Cobb	*	Virginia McPherson	*	Sam Parris' Dad * Brady	*	Leigh Anderson
*	Barb McGill	*	Debbie Niederriter	*	Bill and Laura Parris	*	Grace Ofosu-Addo
*	Waddell	*	Marjorie Lawrence	*	Jason, Adriana, Mikhail Corbin	*	Tim Elliott
*	Kathryn Avery	*	Hunter Martin	*	Mildred Shenk	*	Nate Johnson
*	Becca Whitfield	*	Annette Martin	*	Jennifer Kerr Shye * Ann	*	Larry Hodges

- God's comfort for the wife and family of Jim Toner, who passed away from ALS on Saturday, January 30, 2021. - Helen Franchois
- \* Prayers for the residents and staff of Potomac Place. Linda Wolstenholme
- Congregational love and sympathy are extended to Claudia Cunningham and family at the death of Claudia's sister, Anne Woodfin, on February 11, 2021. She went from the land of the dying to the land of the living. Please lift Claudia, Jack Woodfin, Anne's son, and Suzanne Villani, Anne's daughter, up in prayer at this time.

### All those serving abroad in our military, including from our church:

**†** Kelsey Gibson

Marti Glyer

🗘 2<sup>nd</sup> Lt. Sam Presley, just deployed to Middle East - Mike and Ruth Washburg's nephew

## Celebrations of joy with thanksgiving to God:

Thank you to the congregation for the many cards and calls expressing sympathy over the death of my mom. It was greatly appreciated; it was comforting to have the support of so many. - Larry and Amy Greenslit

## The churches of National Capital Presbytery, especially:

- Northeastern Presbyterian Church Washington, DC
- Northern Virginia Korean Presbyterian Church Annandale, VA

## Calendar February 14 - 21, 2021

### SUNDAY, February 14

Transfiguration Sunday/Union Sunday

8:30 AM Forgiveness: A Lenten Study via Zoom

8:45 AM Children's Education via Zoom

10:00 AM Worship - one service - Online Live Stream Building and Grounds Committee via Zoom

### MONDAY, February 15

Presidents' Day

**Church Office Closed** 

10:30 AM Holy Fitness via Zoom 7:00 PM Bible Buddies via Zoom

7:00 PM Electronic Sign Task Force via Zoom 8:30 PM Production Meeting via Google Meet

## TUESDAY, February 16

7:00 PM Session

## WEDNESDAY, February 17

Ash Wednesday

10:30 AM Holy Fitness via Zoom

7:00 PM Ash Wednesday Worship with Communion

### THURSDAY, February 18

## FRIDAY, February 19

10:30 AM Holy Fitness via Zoom

## SATURDAY, February 20

8:30 AM Contemplative Yoga via Zoom

7:00 PM Fair Share Community Speakers Series via Zoom

### SUNDAY, February 21

State of the Church Congregational Meeting and Corporation of FUPCDC

8:30 AM Forgiveness: A Lenten Study via Zoom

8:45 AM Children's Education via Zoom

10:00 AM Worship - one service - Online Live Stream



Rev. Dr. Brian K. Blount

Brian K. Blount is President and Professor of New Testament at Union Presbyterian Seminary, Richmond, VA and Charlotte, NC. He was called to this position in 2007, after serving for 15 years as the Richard J. Dearborn Professor of New Testament Interpretation at Princeton Theological Seminary.

An M.Div. graduate of Princeton Seminary in 1981, he obtained his B.A. from the College of William and Mary in 1978. After graduating from Princeton Seminary, he went on to become the pastor of the Carver Memorial Presbyterian Church in Newport News, Virginia from 1982-1988. William and Mary's first African-American to receive membership in the Alpha Chapter of the Phi Beta Kappa Honor Society received his Ph.D. in New Testament Studies from Emory University in 1992. He returned to teach at Princeton Seminary the same year. He served as the president of the Society of Biblical Literature from 2017-2018. He served as the president of the Association of Theological Schools from 2018-2020.

Professor Blount's primary work has been in the Gospel of Mark, the Book of Revelation, and in the area of cultural studies and hermeneutics. He is the sole author of six books. He lectures widely. He was the 2011 Beecher Lecturer at the Yale Divinity School, Yale University. The author of numerous articles, he also preaches and directs adult education classes in local congregations. He is married, and he and his wife, Sharon, have two children, Joshua and Kaylin.

## **About Union Presbyterian Seminary**



Union Presbyterian Seminary, one of 10 theological schools of the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.), was founded in 1812 as a theological adjunct of Hampden-Sydney College in central Virginia. Since our founding, we have served the church by educating pastors and teachers, missionaries, and scholars for service to Christ and the world. The "Union" in our name represents the partnership of the synods of Virginia and North Carolina on behalf of theological education.

Union Presbyterian Seminary equips Christian leaders for ministry in the world — a sacred vocation that requires deep learning, commitment to service, and an ability to read culture and circumstance in the light of the rich resources of Scripture and theological tradition. We are a community that is bound by the love of God, enriched by our individuality, and united in bold Christian service for the church in the world. Our graduates serve as pastors of Christian congregations, directors of Christian education, chaplains, international mission workers, social workers, camp directors, and professors of Bible, theology, or religious studies at colleges, universities, and seminaries.

Union Presbyterian Seminary in Richmond, Virginia, occupies a 56-acre campus in historic Ginter Park in Richmond's Northside, with classroom buildings, a mix of student housing options, landscaped grounds, and one of the finest theological libraries in the United States. The campus is on the national historic registry. Worship is held several times a week when classes are in session. Students organize and lead worship, with additional participation and leadership from faculty, alumni, and staff. In addition, the community participates in meals, formal and informal fellowship gatherings, lectures and discussions, community service opportunities, social events, and athletic programs. Students are encouraged to become involved in the life of local congregations.

We also offer programs at a second campus in Charlotte, North Carolina, located in a state-of-the-art facility on the campus of Sharon Presbyterian Church. The curriculum at Union Presbyterian Seminary in Charlotte is designed especially for second-career students who continue full or part-time work while pursuing theological study.

Your Pastor, the Rev. Adam C. Bowling, graduated in 2007 with a Masters of Divinity and a Masters of Arts in Christian Education. Go to <a href="https://www.upsem.edu/">https://www.upsem.edu/</a> to learn more about the Seminary and its program.









## First United Presbyterian Church of Dale City, Woodbridge, VA

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