

WE GATHER IN GOD'S NAME

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

* THE PEACE

The peace of Christ be with you.

And also with you.

Please turn to your neighbor and exchange the greeting of peace.

* **GATHERING MUSIC #554** *Let All Things Now Living*

Ash Grove

* CALL TO WORSHIP

Praise God with clapping hands;

praise God with hands comforting a child.

Praise God with silent hearts;

praise God with hearts broken for the world.

Praise God with electric guitars;

praise God with soft piano chords.

Praise God with be-bop and hip-hop;

praise God with rhythms that don't stop.

Praise God with a hallelujah chorus;

praise God with a Gregorian chant.

Praise God with dancing steps;

praise God with feet walking for justice.

WE PRAISE GOD

* **HYMN OF PRAISE #119** *The Strife is O'er*

VICTORY

PRAYERS OF THE DAY

THE LORD'S PRAYER – *Hymnal page 16 (Traditional)*

***RESPONSE** *Alleluia, Alleluia, Give Thanks to the Risen Lord*
Alleluia, Alleluia, Give Thanks to the Risen Lord
Alleluia, Alleluia, Give Praise to His Name.

ALLELUIA

Jesus is Lord of all the earth.
He is the King of creation.

Alleluia, Alleluia, Give Thanks to the Risen Lord
Alleluia, Alleluia, Give Praise to His Name.

WE PROCLAIM GOD'S WORD

A MESSAGE FOR THE YOUNG AND YOUNG AT HEART

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION *Break Though the Bread of Life*
Break Thou the bread of life, Dear Lord, to me.
As Thou didst break the loaves Beside the sea;
Beyond the sacred page I seek Thee, Lord;
My spirit pants for Thee, living Word!

BREAD OF LIFE

THE WORD SPOKEN

In the beginning was the Word

And the Word was with God, and the Word was God.

A READING FROM PSALM 150

PEW BIBLE, OT, PAGE 583

A READING FROM JOHN 20:19-31

PEW BIBLE, OT, PAGE 115

For the Word of God in Scripture, for the Word of God among us,
for the Word of God within us;

Thanks be to God.

THE WORD IN MUSIC

ANTHEM *How Lovely Lord, How Lovely*

HAL HOPSON

THE WORD PROCLAIMED: *LEAN INTO DOUBT*

LIBBY INMAN

***HYMN OF RESPONSE #399** *We Walk by Faith and Not by Sight*

DUNLAP'S CREEK

WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

*AFFIRMATION

We are a loving faith family, worshipping and serving God; and testifying in word and deed as disciples of Jesus Christ.

We believe that God is our rock and our fortress, a deliverer who delights in coming to the aid of those who seek the Lord. We believe that God is always moving the world toward justice and righteousness and that we are invited to be agents of that movement. We believe that God is faithful and patient. God does not give up on us or on anything God created. We believe that God is near, always present in our troubles, sadness, loneliness and fear. We place our hope in God because God alone is completely holy, trustworthy and true. Thanks be to God, our Rock and our Redeemer.

JOYS AND CONCERNS OF THE CONGREGATION

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

PRESENTATION OF GIFTS, TITHES, AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY

***DOXOLOGY** (WITH ALLELUIAS)

LASST UNS ERFREUEN

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;

Praise God, all creatures here below, Alleluia! Alleluia!

Praise God above, ye heavenly hosts;

Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

* PRAYER OF DEDICATION

WE GO IN GOD'S NAME

* **CLOSING HYMN #316** *Breathe on Me, Breath of God*

TRENTHAM

* **CHARGE AND BENEDICTION**

* **BENEDICTION RESPONSE** *The Lord Be With You*

CHARLES YANNERELLA

***POSTLUDE**

***CONGREGATIONAL MEETING**

** You are invited to stand if you are able*

WELCOME TO FAITH PRESBYTERIAN

WELCOME to Faith Presbyterian Church. Whether you are a member or a visitor we are so glad that you are worshipping with us this morning and pray that this time of worship will be both renewing and rewarding for you. If you have an interest in joining Faith Presbyterian, please speak to the pastor or call the church at 336.292.5704. Please visit our website at www.faithpresgso.org or Facebook at www.facebook.com/faithpresgso.

Elders of the Month for April Sandy Jones and Lindsey Brown.

On the calendar for this week:

- **Theology on Tap** will meet on Tuesday at 7:00 at **Tim and Laura Maher's home, 4208 Shoal Creek Drive**. If you want to bring something, contact Laura at 509-2613. We will continue our new book study of *Mudhouse Sabbath* by Lauren F. Winner. *Please read Chapter 8.*
- **Adult Sunday School**. Join us each Sunday morning at one of our two adult classes. The **Discussion Class** meets at 9:30 in the parlor for engaging conversation and discussion as we consider the book **Give Up Something BAD for Lent**. Also, you may want to attend our newest class, **The Present Word**, which meets in the library. Using our denomination's curriculum, this class considers scripture and its interpretation for today.

Chic Lutz Memorial Scholarship — Each year since 1999, Faith Presbyterian Church chooses to help further a student's educational aspirations via the Chic Lutz Memorial Scholarship. Scholarship applications are available in the office if you are interested in applying.

North Carolina bread for the world Gathering – On Saturday, April 13th from 9 a.m. until 4:00 p.m. at the Christ United Methodist Church, 410 N. Holden Road in Greensboro, Bread for the World's 2013 Offering of Letters, which urges Congress to sustain and strengthen programs that help people move out of poverty and feed their families. To Register go to <http://ncbfw2013.eventbrite.com/>.

Two Important Congregational Meetings, April 7 and 21

Today immediately following worship we will hold the first of two congregational meetings. Today we will elect someone to serve on the church nominating committee to join the two Session appointees, Betty Rissmiller and Bonnie Maready. We will also vote on the Session recommendation that the Pastor Nominating Committee (PNC) be composed of five persons who are representative of the Faith membership.

On Sunday, April 21, immediately following worship, we will elect the Pastor Nominating Committee. The role of the church nominating committee is to present a slate of candidates for the PNC who are able and willing to serve. If you or someone you know would like to be considered, please contact members of the church nominating committee soon.

INFORMATION AND PRAYER LISTS

Statistics for March 31, 2013: Attendance—54

April – Canned Meat

April 7-14, 2013

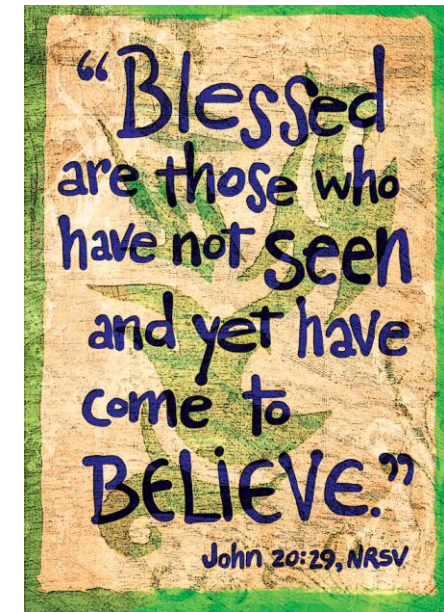
Today:	9:30 a.m.	Sunday School
	10:30 a.m.	Coffee and Conversation
	11:00 a.m.	Worship
	12:00 p.m.	Congregational Meeting
	1:30 p.m.	Rock Church
Monday:	6:30 p.m.	Rock Church
Tuesday:	9:00 a.m.	Staff Meeting
	9:30 a.m.	Parish Nurse
	10:00 a.m.	Chair Exercise
	12:30 p.m.	Bag Lunch & Learn
	7:00 p.m.	Theology on Tap
Wednesday:	7:00 p.m.	Choir
	7:00 p.m.	Rock Church
	8:00 p.m.	Narcotics Anonymous
Friday:	8:00 p.m.	Narcotics Anonymous
Saturday:	9:00 a.m.	Korean School
Sunday:	9:30 a.m.	Sunday School
	10:30 a.m.	Coffee and Conversation
	11:00 a.m.	Worship

Prayer Lists

Westminster Church, Burlington
First Presbyterian Church, Winston-Salem

Faith Presbyterian Church Prayer List:

Peggy Pope	Cile Gorman	Gauge Humphrey
Dot Patat	Jo Anne Jennings	Caitlyn Watkins
Bob and Ann Huffine		Larry Murren
Fran Cuthbertson	Virginia Cornet	Erich Bordne
Pat Magnuson	Jane Hogan	Family of Betsy Waugh
Maxine Heath		Family of Bonnie Evans
Doreen Jones	Ann Collins (former member)	
Bonnie Evans	Georgia Renfrow	Isabel Payne
Pamela Klutz (daughter of Bonnie Evans)		Larry Jones
Helen Hall's daughter	Mary Jane & Bob Phillips	
Kelly Bottoms (friend/Lindsey Brown)	Priscilla Christiansen	
Family of Joe Brooks	Rebecca Elliott's grandmother	
Melissa Burris' Father	Helen Berkemeyer (Lois' mother)	
Mr. Z, PE Teacher at Jefferson School	Andy Moye	
Pat Greeson	John Risley	



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Pastoral Team

Bill Hamilton, Interim Pastor
Libby Inman and Jim Rissmiller
Jeremy Corn, Music Director
Lois Bazhaw, RN, Congregational Nurse
Lynn Wright, Office Administrator

April 7, 2013
11:00 a.m.

Service for the Lord's Day
2nd Sunday after Easter

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