

THIS WEEK AT QUAKER:

Sunday, July 16

9:00 a.m. Sunday School

10:00 a.m. Worship

Monday, July 17

9:00 a.m. Garden maintenance

10:00 a.m. Coffee with Pastor

Tuesday, July 18

10:00 a.m. Bible Study on Zoom

Wednesday, July 19

11:00 a.m. Centering Prayer

11:30 a.m. Lunch Bunch at Market at Main

6:00 p.m. Prayer for Church Family at Home

Thursday, July 20

9:00 a.m. Garden maintenance

3:00 p.m. Communion at Valley View

Coffee with Your Pastor

Anghaarad will be at the Starbucks at 20186 Timberlake Road (in front of Lowe's) tomorrow morning from 10 am to noon. Come by, have a cup of coffee, and have a conversation with your pastor.

Lunch Bunch

This month the Lunch Bunch will head to Market at Main (904 Main Street). Join us this Wednesday, July 19 at 11:30 am. We will need to give a final head count to the restaurant by tomorrow so please RSVP to Sara by text or call 434-941-3349 or email her at buzzandsara@gmail.com.

Session

Class of 2023

Sharon Barringer
Gracie Lanier
Janet LaPrade
Liz Huband
Jane Reynolds

Class of 2024

Jim Glass
Bob Lockridge
Valerie Rogers
Anders Sunwall
Skip Wodke

Class of 2025

Steve Bryan
Peggy Deyerle
Steve Hubbard
Sam Miller
Elizabeth Plucker
Gabe Trent

THE CHANCEL FLOWERS this Sunday are given by Lois O. Sandidge to the glory of God and in loving memory of her family; parents Mr. & Mrs. W. B. Owen, brother Bryan Edward Owen, and sister Evelyn Lacy Owen.

OUR USHERS FOR THE MONTH OF JULY are Susie Hubbard, Janet LaPrade, Valerie Rogers, & Skip Wodke.

OUR ACOLYTE TODAY is Grace Jacob.

OUR USHERS FOR THE MONTH OF JULY: Glenn Flint, Liz Huband, Faith Jacob & Josie Miller.

OUR ELDERS ON DUTY FOR JULY are Peggy Deyerle & Gracie Lanier.

WORSHIP BAGS are available in a basket in the Narthex for children who stay in the sanctuary during worship. They contain tools for worship and items to foster creativity. Enjoy the bags, and at the end of worship, please return them to the basket.

HEARING DEVICES are available in the Narthex. Please see an usher for assistance.

LARGE PRINT HYMNALS AND BULLETINS are available from the ushers.

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Quaker Memorial Presbyterian Church



*Welcoming All
Serving Christ
Transforming Lives*

Welcome to Worship at Quaker Memorial Presbyterian Church!

Our faith community extends a warm welcome to all worshipping with us today and hopes that you will return often.

For more than a century, Quaker Memorial has been committed to our mission of Welcoming All, Serving Christ, Transforming Lives. If you are seeking a church that offers abundant opportunities for spiritual and personal growth and Christian witness, we believe that you will find a home here.

The Service for the Lord's Day
Seventh Sunday after Pentecost
July 16, 2023

WELCOME Anghaarad Teague Dees
ANNOUNCEMENTS Anghaarad Teague Dees
*PASSING OF THE PEACE Anghaarad Teague Dees
*We offer God's peace to one another in the ancient words of the church:
"The peace of Christ be with you." & response "And also with you."*

PRELUDE *Amazing Grace* arr. Broughton

DISCIPLES GATHER TO WORSHIP GOD

*CALL TO WORSHIP Skip Wodke, Liturgist

L: Like the psalmist,
P: **we worship with faithfulness and longing.**
L: God, give us understanding;
P: **Lead us on your paths;**
L: Turn our hearts to love;
P: **Turn our eyes to truth;**
L: Confirm your promise of life—
P: **abundant and eternal life.**
L: May our worship be your praise.
P: **May our lives be holy offerings**

*PRAYER OF INVOCATION Skip Wodke, Liturgist
We gather together in your presence, O God hungry for an encounter with you. Eager to hear your Word, open us to the presence of your Spirit moving in our hearts. May our souls soak in the wonder of your love and mercy, we pray in the name of Christ. Amen.

*HYMN #645 *Sing Praise to God Who Reigns Above*

CALL TO CONFESSION Skip Wodke, Liturgist
Our God is merciful and compassionate, slow to get angry and filled with unfailing love. So let's bring our confession to God, knowing that he will hear our prayers and forgive.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION Skip Wodke, Liturgist
God of our Ancestors, we are reminded that almost from birth we are a people who struggle. We struggle to be in right relationship with one another, with you and with creation. We want what others have. We seek to get our own way. We strive for possessions and power, even at times

treating other people as pawns in a power play. Forgive us, O God, for forgetting who we are in you. Remind us that first and foremost, you created us along with all creation as a joy and treasure. Forgive us when we forget our call to be good stewards and remind us that you have given us everything we need. May we remember that we have enough...we are enough. Call us to live in ways that bless others and love our neighbors as ourselves. In your name we pray. Amen.

(Please take a moment of silence for personal confession and reflection.)

ASSURANCE OF PARDON Skip Wodke, Liturgist
How kind our God is to us...full of grace and compassion! God alone rescues our souls from the grip of death, our eyes from weeping, and our feet from stumbling, so that we can once again walk with confidence and joy! So be at peace: your sins are forgiven!

Thanks be to God! Alleluia! Amen.

CHORAL RESPONSE *Gloria Patri*
Glory Be to the Father, and to the Son,
and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning,
is now, and ever shall be, world without end.
Amen, amen.

TIME WITH CHILDREN Faith Jacob

DISCIPLES LISTEN TO THE WORD OF GOD

SCRIPTURE READING Romans 8: 1-11 Bible, page 191
Skip Wodke, Lector

ANTHEM *Be Thou My Vision* Irish ballad
Bob Beilfus, soloist

SCRIPTURE READING Genesis 25: 19-34 Bible, page 26

SERMON Jacob, Have I Loved Anghaarad Teague Dees

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

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 debts,
As we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation.
But deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power,
and the glory, forever. Amen.

HYMN #445 *God, How Can We Forgive*

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH Apostles' Creed

I believe in God, the Father almighty, Maker of heaven and earth,
and in Jesus Christ his only Son, our Lord;
who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried;
he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead;
he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of
God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick
and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church;
the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins;
the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

DEDICATION OF TITHES AND OFFERING

OFFERTORY *Rock of Ages* arr. Benjamin

*DOXOLOGY Hymn #606
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 (in unison)

O God, your creative presence makes the earth abundant. You provide us with what is needed, in your love. Through this offering, we participate in your work, so all your people might be cared for and shown your love. Let everything we do overflow with blessings for your people. We pray in the name of Christ our Lord. Amen.

*HYMN #327 *From All That Dwell Below the Skies*

DISCIPLES DEPART TO SERVE GOD

*BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE *Praise the Lord! Ye Heavens Adore Him* arr. Smith

*Please stand if able.