

THIS WEEK AT QUAKER:

Sunday, March 27

- 9:00 a.m. Sunday School– Lenten Study
- 10:00 a.m. Worship Service
- 11:15 a.m. Children’s Choir Rehearsal
- 4:00 pm Anghaarad’s Installation Service

Tuesday, March 29

- Classical Conversations at QMPC
- 10:00 a.m. Bible study on Zoom
- 7:00 p.m. Lenten Study on Zoom

Wednesday, March 30

- 11:00 a.m. Centering Prayer
- 12:00 p.m. Lenten Study in Fellowship Hall
- 6:00 p.m. Prayer for Church Family at Home

Thursday, March 31

- 7:00 p.m. Choir Rehearsal

Saturday, April 2

- 1:00 p.m. Buzz Curtis Memorial Service

Giving all honor and glory and
thanks to God our Creator

The Presbytery of the Peaks

Invites you to join in witnessing the work of
the Holy Spirit in the installation of

The Reverend M. Anghaarad Teague Dees

Pastor, Quaker Memorial Presbyterian Church of Lynchburg, VA

For the service of the whole body of Christ

Sunday, March 27, 2022

At four o’clock in the afternoon

Quaker Memorial Presbyterian Church

Reception to Follow

Prayers for Ukraine

Stop by the garden to say a prayer for Ukraine and tie a ribbon on the fence in our show of support. Yellow & blue ribbons are provided in a tote by the fence.

Lenten Studies

Conversations around the book "Lent in Plain Sight"

- Sundays at 9am in Moseley Chapel & Zoom
- Tuesdays at 7pm on Zoom only
- Wednesdays at Noon in Fellowship Hall (bring your brown bag lunch)

THE CHANCEL FLOWERS this Sunday are given to the glory of God.

OUR LITURGIST TODAY is Andrea Webb.

OUR LECTOR TODAY is Andrea Webb.

ELDERS ON DUTY FOR MARCH: Neal Gibson & Jane Reynolds

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.

PLEASE REMEMBER to turn off or silence your cell phone prior to the beginning of worship services.

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Session

Class of 2022

- Julia Bryan
- Gerald Doyle
- Neal Gibson
- Sally Sease
- Reuben Womack

Class of 2023

- Sharon Barringer
- Janet LaPrade
- Liz Huband
- Jane Reynolds
- Michael Whorley

Class of 2024

- Jim Glass
- Bob Lockridge
- Valerie Rogers
- Anders Sunwall
- Skip Wodke

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
4th Sunday in Lent Holy Ordinary

*"Will we open ourselves to the holy not only in heaven but also on earth
and right in front of us?"*

March 27, 2022

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 *Jesus Paid It All* arr. Broughton

DISCIPLES GATHER TO WORSHIP GOD

*CALL TO WORSHIP Andrea Webb, Liturgist

L: Return to the Lord your God,

P: for God is gracious.

L: Confess to the Lord your God,

P: for God is merciful.

L: Repent to the Lord your God,

P: for God is slow to anger.

L: Praise the Lord your God,

P: for God abounds in steadfast love.

L: Worship the Lord your God.

P: Together, let us worship God!

*PRAYER OF INVOCATION Andrea Webb, Liturgist

Loving God, may we be found and may we find a place called home, a place where faith holds us and grace renews us. Where forgiveness longs for us to be who you will us to be. May we find a place called home where we are accepted as we are and loved unconditionally. A place called home where we belong and our souls fit, and may this be that place, this community of travelers and doubters and companions on the way. So be it. Amen.

*HYMN #215 *What Wondrous Love is This*

*CALL TO CONFESSION Andrea Webb, Liturgist

We are people born of water and the Spirit. We have made promises to be Christ's disciples, and to show his love to our life's end. Although we fail to fulfill those baptismal vows, God's faithful love endures forever. Confident of God's grace, let us confess our sin together.

*PRAYER OF CONFESSION Andrea Webb, Liturgist

Holy One, the space between us is too great—the agonizing expanse between you and us. The rift we have created by demanding our share, the distance we have put between us as we flee from your love, the resentment we hold to when things don't seem fair. Call us into repentance, to come to you with the knowledge that we must change, and the courage to be transformed. Forgive us and run towards us with open arms. Amen.

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

*ASSURANCE OF PARDON Andrea Webb, Liturgist

God loves you. Do you need to hear that again? God loves you, so much. Know the fullness of God's steadfast love in your life. Go forth, knowing you are forgiven, loved and restored. Thanks be to God.

*CHORAL RESPONSE #544 *Bless the Lord* (sing 2x)

Bless the Lord, my soul, and bless God's holy name.

Bless the Lord, my soul, who leads me into life

TIME WITH CHILDREN Steve Hubbard

DISCIPLES LISTEN TO THE WORD OF GOD

SCRIPTURE READING Luke 15:1-10 Bible, page 95

Andrea Webb, Lector

ANTHEM *I Will Arise* arr. Parker & Shaw

SCRIPTURE READING Luke 15:11-32 Bible, page 95

SERMON Lost & Found Anghaarad Teague Dees

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH The Apostles' Creed Hymnal, page 35

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.

*HYMN #649 *Amazing Grace, How Sweet the Sound*

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.

DEDICATION OF TITHES AND OFFERING

OFFERTORY *Lamb of Glory* arr. Doran

*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)

We offer ourselves to you, O God, not because we are good, but because you are good. It is from your goodness we have these gifts to share for the work of your good Kingdom. May the only appropriate response to your goodness and love be one of gratitude and generosity. May we feast and celebrate, serve and minister, welcome all the lost and found. In Christ name we pray. Amen.

*HYMN #307 *God of Grace and God of Glory*

DISCIPLES DEPART TO SERVE GOD

*BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE *Immortal, Invisible* arr. Smith

*Please stand if able.



"Do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your minds, so that you may discern what is the will of God - what is good and acceptable and perfect."
Romans 12:2