

## THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR

### Sunday, March 8

9:00 a.m. Sunday School  
 10:00 a.m. Worship Service  
 11:15 a.m. Children's Choirs Rehearse  
 BINGO— Youth Fundraiser

### Monday, March 9

10:00 a.m. Art Class  
 7:00 p.m. Pastor Nominating Committee

### Tuesday, March 10

9:00 a.m. Romeo's  
**<TERRIFIC TUESDAYS>**  
 5:00 p.m. Galatians Bible Study  
 6:00 p.m. Supper  
 6:30 p.m. Bible studies, homework help for kids

### Wednesday, March 11

11:00 a.m. Centering Prayer

### Thursday, March 12

7:00 p.m. Chancel Choir Rehearsal

### Friday, March 13

10:00 a.m. Lynchburg Retired Teachers General Meeting

**PLEASE PICK UP YOUR OFFERING ENVELOPES AND SERVING SCHEDULES IN THE NARTHEX!**

### Bingo— TODAY!

Join us today after service for Bingo & Lunch. \$10 will get you 10 games of Bingo & a soup / salad lunch. Join the fun to support our Youth!



Terrific Tuesdays meets for 6 weeks to enjoy supper together and grow in faith through Bible studies. Don't like to drive at night? Join the early Galatians study at 5 pm, stay for supper, then head home. After supper choose from the Galatians Bible study or Creativity and the Bible. Homework help for kids is available.

### Scholarship Opportunity

Applications are being accepted for the Weigand Scholarship which provides financial assistance to QMPC and other church members of the Lynchburg area. Students seeking an undergraduate degree with financial need are encouraged to apply. Applications may be obtained from the church office or by emailing office@qmpc.org. Completed applications must be received at QMPC by April 15. They may be emailed to office@qmpc.org or mailed to Scholarship Committee, 5810 Fort Avenue, Lynchburg, VA 24502.

## Session

### Class of 2020

Eric Barringer, chair- Personnel  
 Neal Gibson, chair- Missions  
 Liz Huband, chair-Christian Education  
 Howard Jennings, chair –Nominating  
 John Lanier, co- chair, Budget & Finance

### Class of 2021

Phyllis Beilfus, chair– Worship & Music  
 Clyde Harkrader, v. chair- Worship & Music  
 Steve Hubbard, co-chair– Budget & Finance  
 Bob Lockridge, chair– Endowment  
 Shirley Morris, chair- Fellowship

### Class of 2022

Julia Bryan, Clerk of Session  
 Gerald Doyle, Personnel  
 Hank Mullins, Communication Committee  
 Sally Sease, Care & Nurture  
 Olivia Webb, Worship & Music



### Church Directory

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## Quaker Memorial Presbyterian Church



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*Welcoming All  
 Serving Christ  
 Transforming Lives*

The Service for the Lord's Day  
 2nd Sunday in Lent  
 March 8, 2020

WELCOME Nancy Dawson

\*PASSING OF THE PEACE Nancy Dawson  
*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."*

ANNOUNCEMENTS Nancy Dawson

PRELUDE *If You But Trust in God to Guide You* arr. Held

### DISCIPLES GATHER TO WORSHIP GOD

\*CALL TO WORSHIP  
 L: Our ancestors in the faith dared to trust God.  
 P: **They left all to follow God's call and promise.**  
 L: We come today to hear what God would say to us.  
 P: **Our hearts and minds and souls await your Word, O God.**

### PRAYER OF INVOCATION

\*HYMN #65 *Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah*

**\*PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

God of Abram and Sarai, we confess that we have not listened with all our being for your direction. We have not wanted to accept the cost of following Jesus. We want to feel the winds of your Spirit, but we don't want to be blown off our feet. O God of love, forgive us. Help us to trust you and dare to embrace your call to us with confidence and hope. **AMEN**

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

**\*ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

**\*GLORIA PATRI**

Glory be to the Father, and the Son, and the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen. Amen. Amen. Amen. Amen.

**TIME WITH CHILDREN**

(Children age 4 through grade 2 leave for Children's Worship Time)

**DISCIPLES LISTEN TO THE WORD OF GOD**

SCRIPTURE READING Genesis 12:1-5a pew Bible, page 12  
Lector

ANTHEM Beautiful Savior arr. Manooki  
Chancel Choir

SCRIPTURE READING John 3:1-17 pew Bible, page 114

SERMON Trusting God Nancy Dawson

**\*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 #741 Guide My Feet

**PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE**

**THE LORD'S PRAYER** Hymnal, page 35

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 Meditation on "Beecher" arr. Peterson

\*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)**

Gracious God, we dedicate to you not only these gifts, but also ourselves, in deep gratitude—for your call on our lives, your guidance in the baptismal journey, and for blessing us that we may be a blessing to others. Accept what we bring for your own good purposes. In Christ we pray. Amen.

\*HYMN #443 There is a Redeemer

**DISCIPLES DEPART TO SERVE GOD**

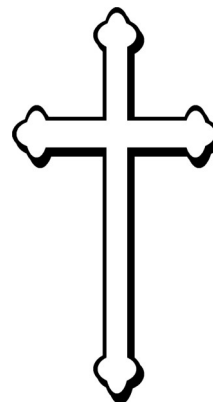
**\*BENEDICTION**

\*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE Hymn #824

O Jesus, blest Redeemer, sent from the heart of God, hold us, who wait before thee, near to the heart of God.

\*POSTLUDE Praise Ye the Father arr. Wells

\*Please stand if able.



**Welcome to Worship at Quaker Memorial Presbyterian Church!**

*Our faith community extends a warm welcome to visitors 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.*

*Visitors are invited to take a visitor gift bag (available in the narthex).*

**OUR GREETERS** this morning are David Webb, Jr. and Olivia Webb.

**OUR USHERS** for the month are Joan Woodroof (head), Anita Dezendorf, Philip Hubbard, Steve Hubbard, Chuck McKeag.

**OUR ACOLYTE** this morning is Faith Jacob.

**OUR NURSERY HELPERS** this morning are Lisa Cawthorne & Lilly Wood.

**OUR CHILDREN'S WORSHIP LEADERS** this morning are Nicole Plucker and Michelle Lee.

**OUR LECTOR** this morning is Grace Lanier.

**OUR LITURGIST** this morning is Clyde Harkrader.

**THE CHANCEL FLOWERS** this Sunday are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of Tim Roach by his wife Meg and his family.

**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.

**WELCOME PADS** are located in each pew. Each person is requested to sign this pad and provide the appropriate information. Pass the pad to your neighbor and return it to its original position, so that everyone may learn the names of all on your pew.

**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.

*"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