

SEPTEMBER 2025

THE QUAKER QUILL

THE NEWSLETTER OF QUAKER MEMORIAL PRESBYTERIAN

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A WORD FROM OUR PASTOR




Grace and Peace to You,

School is back in the swing...we have blessed our students and teachers as they head back into the classroom and pray that they have a safe and wonderful year filled with joy and learning! If you did not receive a backpack blessing tag, we still have several in the office...just let us know and we will get one to you.

A very big thank you to everyone who donated school supplies to our Lynchburg area schools, the supplies have delivered and greatly appreciated.

With the start of the school year brings the start of youth choir, children's choir, chancel choir, Sunday School and The Welcome Table. Find a place to get plugged in this fall...if you have questions, reach out to me or a member of the Session to find a place to get connected.


September 14 will be a big day! First, Joseph Robert will be preaching during worship... Joseph is the son of Laura Robert, a junior at Covenant School and a youth elder. I hope that lots of folks will pack the pews to support Joseph's first time in the pulpit. Second, after worship we will say goodbye to the Rogers Family...Valerie and her girls have been a vital part of our congregation and we want to send them off to their new home in Asheville, NC with all the fanfare and love we can muster.



This fall, I will be rehearsing with the Opera on the James as part of the ensemble for Madame Butterfly. It is always a joy to have an opportunity to sing beautiful music in our city.



I hope to see you in worship and invite a friend!



Shalom,
Anghaarad

Singers & Listeners of All Ages – Everyone is Invited!

THE WELCOME TABLE

at

QUAKER MEMORIAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

5810 Fort Avenue, Lynchburg, Virginia 24502

Potluck Dinner & Community Sing

featuring

A Warm Welcome, Fine Food & Sweet Harmony
Americana & Roots Music, Spirituals, Gospel Songs,
Country Blues, Mountain Hymns & Civil Rights Anthems

FRIDAY EVENING
September 12th at 6:00

Bring a Friend or Two & a Dish to Share...

For more information, please call 434.239.2548

This is a Community Event.

People of All Faiths & People of No Faith are Welcome.

Atheists are Particularly Welcome, Especially if They can Sing Bass.

NEWS & EVENTS



COFFEE WITH THE PASTOR

Join Anghaarad for coffee at The Bagel & I at 20584 Timberlake Road on Monday, September 22 from 10 am to noon. Come for a cup of coffee, tea or even breakfast and great conversation...this is a wonderfully relaxing time for all members of Quaker and friends.



This month **Lunch Bunch** will head to Red Lobster. Join us on Wednesday, September 17 at 11:30 am. We will need to give a final head count to the restaurant by Monday, September 15 so please RSVP to Sara by text, call 434-941-3349 or email her at buzzandsara@gmail.com.



MEMORIALS FOR AUGUST

In memory of Linda Carey
Given by:

TW & Margaret Ann Martin
Shannon Stokes

In memory of Lois Sandidge
Given by:

Bob & Maureen Lockridge
Andrea & David Webb, Sr.

In honor of Paul & Barbara Sunwall's
50th Wedding Anniversary
Given by:

Marshall & Susan Hamilton

In memory of Janis Tanner
(Peggy Deyerle's sister)
Given by:

Shirley Morris

A Note from Peggy Deyerle

I am so thankful for all the kind words expressed to me and my family with phone calls, texts and in person after the death of my beloved sister Janis Tanner on Sunday, August 10th. Due to recent health concerns I do not feel safe to travel to Florida for her memorial service which will be this Saturday. I will be there via FaceTime. I am so grateful for our church family which is so compassionate, loving, and caring. I love you all. ❤️

Online Giving Available

Just a reminder that we now offer electronic giving. You can give simply by scanning the QR code to the side or go to our website www.qmpc.org and click the GIVE NOW button at the top of the page to be taken to our secure site. There is a small fee involved and you will have the option to cover that fee when you give.



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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 	2 8am Garden Maintenance 9am Zoom Bible Study	3 11:30 am Centering Prayer 6pm Pray for others at home	4 7 pm Earth Care Committee 7pm Chancel-Choir rehearsal	5 8am Garden Maintenance	6
7 9am Sunday School 10am Worship	8	9 8am Garden Maintenance 9am Zoom Bible Study 10am Communion at The Summit 6pm Communion at Bentley Commons	10 11:30 am Centering Prayer 6pm Haiti Mission Committee Meeting 6pm Pray for others at home 6:30pm Property Committee meeting	11 10am Comfort Support Group 7pm Chancel-Choir rehearsal	12 8am Garden Maintenance 6pm Welcome Table	13 9am to noon 
14 9am Sunday School 10am Worship (Joseph Robert preaching) 11:15am Farewell to the Rogers family	15	16 8am Garden Maintenance 9am Zoom Bible Study	17 11:30 am Centering Prayer 11:30am Lunch Bunch 6pm Pray for others at home	18 3pm Communion at Willow Ridge 7pm Chancel-Choir rehearsal	19 8am Garden Maintenance	20
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