

Greeter Today: Patty Clark
 Greeters Next Week: Jim & Peggy Riley
Note: Greeters, if you will not be available a particular Sunday, please contact Barbara at the church office.
 Nursery Today: Karen McClanahan and Mike Catron
 Nursery Next Week: Patty Clark and Norma Smith
Note: Nursery Volunteers, if you switch your scheduled day, please contact Barbara at the church office after calling Retha to change your day.
 Young Disciples' Worship: Tim & Holly Briscoe
 Deacon of the Week: Carolyn McConnell (676-3924)
 Deacon of the Week Next Week: Norma Smith (628-7606)

HAPPY FATHER'S DAY



Deuteronomy 5:16

This Week's Events			
Sun.	June 17	9:45am 11:00am	Father's Day Sunday School Worship Service
Tues.	June 19	6:00pm	Pot Luck Supper for both circles at the home of Patty Clark
Sat.	June 23	2:00pm	Wedding of Rebekah Todd and Shane McBride at Abingdon Bible Church
Coming Soon			
Sun.	June 24	9:45am 11:00am	Sunday School Worship Service
Thurs	June 28	7:00pm	Deacons Meeting
Sat.	June 30	1:30pm-3:00pm	Walk-in "Money Tree" Shower for Ashley Vaughn & Jacob Singleton in the fellowship hall

Jon Elliott Martin, Pastor
 Barbara King, Secretary/Office Manager
 Kevin Flannagan, Choir Director
 Patti Quarles, Accompanist

A member congregation of the Presbyterian Church (USA), Abingdon Presbytery
Green Spring Presbyterian Church
 serves Jesus Christ at
 22007 Green Spring Church Road, Abingdon, VA 24211
 Adult & Children Sunday School Classes at 9:45am
 Worship Service & Young Disciples' Worship at 11:00am
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Green Spring Presbyterian Church

A place to worship, to serve, to belong ... Since 1781

June 17, 2012

Reverend Jon Elliott Martin, Pastor

Order of Worship

11th Sunday in Ordinary Time

June 17, 2012

Prelude *God of Our Fathers* Warren

Welcome and Announcements

Passing the Peace

One: The Lord be with you.

All: And also with you.

Choral Introit *Brethren We Have Met to Worship* Moore

*Call to Worship

One: The Lord is my strength and my shield.

All: In God, my heart trusts,

One: So I am helped and my heart exults,

All: And with my song I give thanks to him. Let us worship God!

*Hymn #689 *The Church's One Foundation*

*Prayer of Confession

Almighty God, you pour out your Spirit onto the church, and by that Spirit we are gifted for great work. Stir us to look after our neighbor: the stranger, the enemy, the wealthy and the poor, those who are filled and those who are hungry. Forgive us, we pray, when we fall short of this great end: the shelter, nurture, and spiritual fellowship of the children of God through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

*Affirmation of Faith (*Second Helvetic Confession, 5.125-5.126*)

The Church is an assembly of the faithful called or gathered out of the world; a communion of all saints, namely, of those who truly know and rightly worship and serve the true God in Christ the Savior, by the Word and Holy Spirit, and who by faith are partakers of all benefits which are freely offered through Christ.

And since there is always but one God, and there is one mediator between God and humankind, Jesus the Messiah, and one Shepherd of the whole flock, one Head of this body, and to

conclude, one Spirit, one salvation, one faith, one Testament or covenant, it necessarily follows that there is only one Church. We therefore call this church catholic because it is universal, scattered through all parts of the world, and extended unto all times, and is not limited to any time or place.

*Response of Praise (*Gloria Patri*, #805)

Time with Young Disciples***

*Hymn #84 *Children of the Heavenly Father*

Scripture Reading Isaiah 41:17-20

The Offering

Offertory *Make Me a Servant* Traditional

*Doxology (#809)

*Prayer of Thanksgiving

Anthem *Just A Closer Walk with Thee* Traditional

Green Spring Harmony

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

Choral Amen

Scripture Reading Acts 6:1-7

One: The Word of the Lord!

All: Thanks be to God!

Sermon *The Great Ends of the Church:* Jon Martin

2. The Shelter, Nurture, and Spiritual

Fellowship of the Children of God

*Hymn #426 (tune: #45) *Lord, Whose Love in Humble Service*

*Benediction

*Choral Response *Blest Be the Tie that Binds* Fawcett

*Postlude

*Congregation please stand.

*** K through 5th grade depart for Young Disciples' Worship following the Time with Young Disciples.

2012 Gospel Singing Schedule and Hosts
WATAUGA CHAPEL
July/August
Evening Services
6:30pm to 7:30pm

† OUR CHURCH AT WORK †

June 17, 2012

◆ *Welcome to all! We are delighted that God led you to worship with us this morning. If you are a visitor and interested in learning more about our church fellowship, please call the pastor at church, 628-7739 or his cell phone, 206-6370. Also, please take a moment to fill out the 'Visitors Card' and place it in the offering plate, giving us the opportunity to welcome you and to know more about you. Note that a 'pew reservation sign' has been placed at the end of the last center pew to reserve this seating for those with special needs. Please turn off cellular phones upon entering the Sanctuary, frequencies interfere with microphones.*



◆ *G.T. & Ginger Harris placed the flowers in the sanctuary this morning in memory of Shirley "Shea" Hammond, sister of Ginger Harris and Sarita Mullins.*

◆ This Sunday let us pray for the following:

Janet Martin, Karen Combs, John Blake, Sally Brown, Ann Lowry, Meredith Haga, Donna Abel, Lois Gillespie, Carter & Emerson Hale, Kitty Pelfrey, Leroy Jones, Helen Garland, Elizabeth Ponder, Barbara Adams, Doris Poe, David King, Bob Lowe, Lynn McConnell, Nancy Thompson, Barbara Knight, Jim Groseclose, Sara Lawson, Carolyn Deaton, Virginia Thompson, Tom & Connie Counts, Edna McConnell, Bill & Marge Margerum, Sandra Wimmer, Lena McVey, Janet McCauley, Erma Combs, Rhonda Moore, Barbara Blevins, Edith Ratliff, Eva Bailey, Bo Miller, Phyllis Garner, Nancy Greary, Rickey White, Terry White, Roberta Richey, Jackie Cantrell and Helen Carter.



◆ **Note:** Please use the **colored cards** in the pew racks for **prayer requests**. Place them in the offering plate, during the offering.

◆ In order that we may know who is attending worship, especially the visitors, would **everyone** please fill out the pad in the pew and pass it to the next person beside you. Thank you.

- July 1 **Chosen Harmony**
Hosts: *Gilda Keller, Pauline McClanahan and Betty Sparks*
- July 8 **Green Spring Harmony**
Hosts: *Jeanie & Erin Evans, Yvonne Brown, Sandra Tignor and Rita Reynolds*
- July 15 **The Virginians**
Hosts: *Grace Garrett, Patsy Buchanan, Claudia Sprinkle and Sylvia Keller*
- July 22 **Joyful Noise**
Hosts: *Sally Brown, Sandra Tignor, Connie Counts and Kitty Farley*
- July 29 **Eddie Shelton & Christi**
Hosts: *Linda Hall, Angie Cooper, Barbara Quesenberry and Mavis Brown*
- Aug. 5 **Duty Free**
Hosts: *Mary Lynn Ekstrom, Barbara King, Judy Mullins and Carolyn McConnell*
- Aug. 12 **Chestnut Grove**
Hosts: *Patty McCall, Pauline McConnell and Ruby Hilt*
- Aug. 19 **Combs Family**
Hosts: *The Combs Family*
- Aug. 26 **Green Spring Men**
Hosts: *Patty Clark, Mary Jane Crosby, Carolyn Deaton and Bonnie Keller*



◆The “*Watauga Chapel Sunday Evening Gospel Singing Services*” are from 6:30pm-7:30pm this evening with **Bill McCall** and **Major Pounders**

singing. Refreshments will be served afterwards by **Kitty Farley, Linda Childers, Carol White** and **Judy Briscoe**. Next Sunday, June 24th, **Sapling Grove** will be singing. The hosts will be **Jane Prater, Norma Smith, Jane Hilt** and **Ann Sprinkle**.

◆Both the Morning Circle and the Evening Circle will have their annual Pot Luck Picnic meeting at 6:00pm on Tuesday, June 19 at the home of Patty Clark. If you are thinking about joining a circle or would like to meet with us to see what it's all about, please feel free to come.



◆There will be a **VBS Meeting** on Wednesday, June 20 at 7:00pm in the fellowship hall. This meeting is for teachers, helpers and all that are involved in any way with the Bible school. We are still looking for “adult helpers”. If you can’t help every day then 1 or 2 days would be nice. If that is something you would be interested in, please attend this meeting or call Jeanie Evans at 623-1174.

◆A walk-in “Money Tree” shower for Ashley Vaughn and Jacob Singleton will be Saturday, June 30th from 1:30pm-3:00pm in the fellowship hall.



◆A total of **705** jars of peanut butter has been collected towards our “1,000 jars” goal for 2012.

◆The “**Two Cents Per Meal**” offering will be received **next** Sunday, June 24th. These monies are used in the Presbytery and around the world to help fight hunger.



◆The Deacons will meet in the fellowship hall on Thursday, June 28 at 7:00pm.

◆The Great Ends of the Church are (1) the proclamation of the gospel for the salvation of humankind; (2) the shelter, nurture, and spiritual fellowship of the children of God; (3) the maintenance of divine worship; (4) the preservation of the truth; (5) the promotion of social righteousness; and (6) the exhibition of the Kingdom of Heaven to the world.

◆*Our Christian love & sympathy is extended to Maria Briscoe and all the Briscoe family at the death of Richard Briscoe. Our sympathy is also extended to Clifton “Rabbit” Brown and family at the death of his mother, Verna Mae Brown. Please keep these families in your prayers.*



◆A gift was received in memory of **Charles Hutton** from **Preston & Yvonne Brown**. Gifts were received in memory of **John Briscoe, Sr.** from **Preston & Yvonne Brown** and **Linda Sweet**.

◆**VBS Coming Soon!** Vacation Bible School is July 9th-13th. The theme is *Amazing Wonders Aviation*. We would like to borrow Aviation items to use as part of the set up for Bible School. If you have any items or know of someone who does, please contact Jeanie Evans at 623-1174 or the church office at 628-6288.

◆*Marge Margerum celebrated her 89th birthday on June 13. Happy Birthday Marge!*

◆We still have dates available for “*Greeters*” for the Sunday worship services. A sign-up sheet is on the table in the vestibule. Please sign it as you leave today. Thank You!

◆Last Sunday there were 134 in worship. The offering total was \$4,447.54, broken down as follows: General Fund \$4,387.54, Memorial Fund \$60.00.

◆Next week’s readings are: 1 Samuel 17:(1a, 4-11, 19-23) 32-49 and Psalm 9:9-20; Psalm 133; 2 Corinthians 6:1-13; Mark 4:35-41.