

Greeter Today: Barbara Quesenberry
 Greeter Next Week: Preston Brown
Note: Greeters, if you will not be available a particular Sunday, please contact Barbara at the church office.
 Nursery Today: Melissa Eller and Audriana Jackson
 Nursery Next Week: Mary Anne Thomas and Patty Clark
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: John Blake (685-8421)
 Deacon of the Week Next Week: Larry Mullins (619-4527)

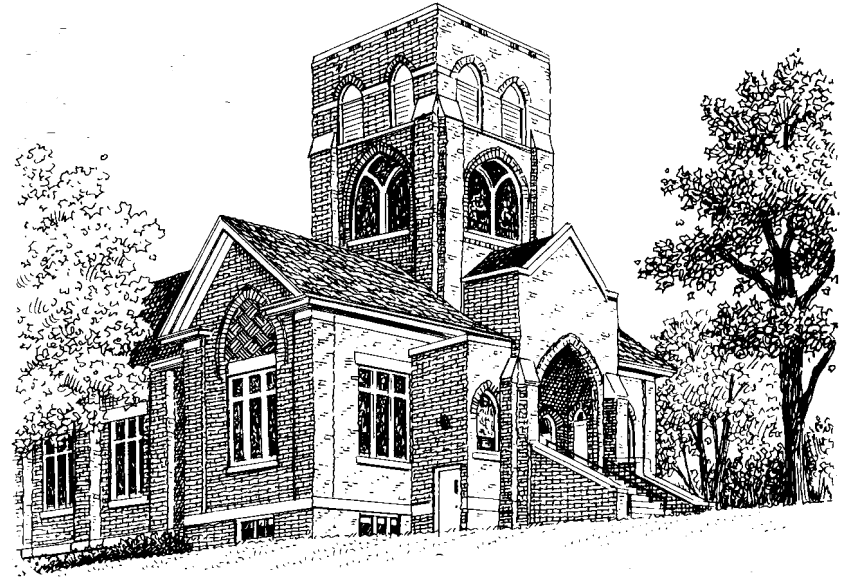
This Week's Events

Sun.	June 3	9:45am 11:00am	Sunday School Worship Service-Communion
Wed.	June 6	10:00am	Brunch at Perkins Restaurant
Coming Soon			
Sun.	June 10	9:45am 11:00am	Sunday School Worship Service
Tues.	June 12	7:00pm	Session Meeting
Wed.	June 13	10:00am	Bible Study/Prayer Group

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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Welcome



Green Spring Presbyterian Church

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

June 3, 2012

Reverend Jon Elliott Martin, Pastor

Order of Worship

Trinity Sunday

June 3, 2012

Prelude *He Touched Me* Gaither

Welcome and Announcements

Passing the Peace

One: The Lord be with you.

All: And also with you.

Choral Introit *Blessed Assurance* Knapp

*Call to Worship

One: Our Lord is a great God who says,

All: "I am the Alpha and Omega, the first and the last,

One: the beginning and the end."

All: God's power throughout the universe is displayed.

Let us worship God.

*Hymn #21 *How Great Thou Art*

*Prayer of Confession

God of Grace, we confess that we have failed to love you with all our heart, soul, and mind. We have failed to love our neighbor as ourselves. We ignore your commandments and follow other, lesser gods. Have mercy on us and forgive our sin, we pray. Raise us to new life, to your promises, and to a table that we might be filled with your goodness and follow Jesus Christ Our Lord, Amen.

*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 from the

dead; he ascended into heaven and sitteth at 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.

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

Time with Young Disciples***

Anthem *River in Judea* Feldman

Scripture Reading Isaiah 6:1-8

The Offering

Offertory *I Will Sing!* arr.Raney

*Doxology (#809)

*Prayer of Thanksgiving

Scripture Reading John 3:1-17

One: The Word of the Lord!

All: Thanks be to God!

Sermon *God's Closeness* Jon Martin

*Hymn #445 (verses 1, 3, 5) *Just As I Am, without One Plea*

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

Invitation

The Great Thanksgiving

Sharing the Bread and Cup

Prayer of Thanksgiving

*Hymn (see insert) *I'll Fly Away*

*Benediction

*Choral Response *Revive Us Again* Husband

*Postlude

*Congregation please stand.

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

† OUR CHURCH AT WORK †

June 3, 2012

Sunday School Offerings at Green Spring Church June 2012		
Pre-School	Nursery	<i>We Learn of Jesus' Power</i> Teacher: Jeanie Evans
Primary	Room under the steps off of the fellowship hall	<i>We Learn God's Ways</i> Teacher: Patty Clark
Middle School	New Sunday school room off of the fellowship hall	<i>All About the Bible</i> Teachers: Jane Prater and Erin Evans
Adults	Warner room	<i>A Study of Heaven</i> Teacher: Tim Briscoe
	Classroom off the narthex	<i>Justice Defined</i> Teachers: Tom Deaton and Jasper Reynolds
Sunday Mornings, 9:45am–10:30am Join Us!		

◆Next week's readings are: 1 Samuel 8:4-11 (12-15), 16-20 (11:14-15); Psalm 138; Mark 3:20-35; 2 Corinthians 4:13-5:1.



◆**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.**



◆**George & Barbara King placed the flowers in the sanctuary this morning in honor of their granddaughter, Emma Faith, who turned "one year old" yesterday.**

◆The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be observed during the morning worship service by distribution.



◆This Sunday let us pray for the following:
Janet Martin, John Blake, Richard Briscoe, Barbara Knight, Jack Briscoe, Ann Lowry, Tia Hensley, Bubs Nichols, Meredith Haga, Cynthia Mitchell, Todd Murray, Donna Abel, Lois Gillespie, Sally Brown, Carter & Emerson Hale, Kitty Pelfrey, Leroy Jones, Helen Garland, Elizabeth Ponder, Barbara Adams, Doris Poe, David King, Bob Lowe, Lynn McConnell, Nancy Thompson, 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, Karen Combs, 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.



◆ A total of **608** jars of peanut butter has been collected towards our “1,000 jars” goal for 2012.

◆ **Nursery Helpers for June:**

June 3- *Melissa Eller and Audriana Jackson*

June 10- *Mary Anne Thomas and Patty Clark*

June 17- *Karen McClanahan and Mike Catron*

June 24- *Maria Briscoe and Norma Smith*



◆ The “*Watauga Chapel Sunday Evening Gospel Singing Services*” will begin this evening. **Jackson Memorial Trio** will be singing from 6:30pm to 7:30pm. Refreshments will be served afterwards by

Nancy Abel, **Sandi Puckett**, **Linda Childers** and **Yvonne Brown**. Next Sunday, June 10th, **Pleasant Harmony** will be singing. The hosts will be **Barbara Mann**, **Ann Sprinkle** and **JoAnn Kilbourne**.

◆ **Brunch on Wednesday?** Anyone interested in having a late breakfast on **Wednesday morning, June 6th** is welcome to meet at the church at 9:30am and carpool to Perkins Restaurant. You can also meet us at Perkins if you wish. Everyone is invited!

◆ *Elena Hutton and family wish to express their thanks to all who sent cards, called, visited, brought food, and especially prayed for us during this difficult time. It was such a comfort to us.*

*With love,
Elena, Charlie & Mark*

◆ 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.



◆ Both the Morning Circle and Circle # 1 (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.

◆ **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.



◆ Gifts were received in memory of *Loretta McCauley*, *Ruby Colley* and *John Briscoe, Sr.* from **Mary Jane Crosby**. Gifts were received in memory of *Charles Hutton* from **Mary Jane Crosby, Beeson & Beeson Architects, J.D. & Martha Morefield** and **John & Doris Gray**. A gift was received in memory of *James M. McChesney* from **John & Doris Gray**.

◆ The **Session** will meet on Tuesday, June 12th at 7:00pm in the fellowship hall.



◆ On Sunday, June 10th, we will be very fortunate to have The Top of Virginia Youth Chorale joining us in worship. Under the direction of Patty Austin, this choir is one of two choirs affiliated with the Shenandoah Arts Academy of Shenandoah University in Winchester, Virginia. Comprised of youth in grades 7-12, the choir has performed in a number of venues including The White House, Bruton Parish Church in Williamsburg and will have performed at the Biltmore House in Asheville, North Carolina prior to their visit to Green Spring Church. Make plans to attend worship on June 10th and hear this great group of young singers!

◆ Last Sunday there were **119** in worship. The offering total was **\$3,459.00**, broken down as follows: General Fund **\$3,073.00**, Memorial Fund **\$100.00**, Two cents per meal **\$286.00**.

I'll Fly Away

Some glad morning when this life is o'er, I'll fly away;
To a home on God's celestial shore, I'll fly away.

Refrain: I'll fly away, O glory, I'll fly way. When I die,
hallelujah, by and by, I'll fly away.

When the shadows of this life have gone, I'll fly away;
Like a bird from prison bars have flown,
I'll fly away.

Repeat Refrain

Just a few more weary days and then, I'll fly away;
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