

Greeters Today: John & Linda Dickens
 Greeters Next Week: G.T. & Ginger Harris
Note: Greeters, if you will not be available a particular Sunday, please contact Barbara at the church office.
 Nursery Today: Mary Jane Crosby and Cassie Pochyla
 Nursery Next Week: Melissa Eller and Audriana Jackson
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: John Blake (685-8421)

This Week's Events

Sun.	Feb. 12	9:45am 11:00am	Sunday School Worship Service-Boy Scout Sunday
Mon.	Feb. 13	7:00pm	Evening Circle at the home of Connie Counts
Tues.	Feb. 14	7:00pm	Session Meeting
Wed.	Feb. 15	10:00am 7:00pm	Bible Study/Prayer Group Choir Practice

Coming Soon

Sun.	Feb. 19	9:45am 11:00am After worship	Sunday School Worship Service Pot luck lunch
Wed.	Feb. 22	10:00am 7:00pm After service	Bible Study/Prayer Group Ash Wednesday Service Choir Practice
Thurs.	Feb. 23	7:00pm	Deacons Meeting

Welcome



Green Spring Presbyterian Church

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

February 12, 2012

Reverend Jon Elliott Martin, Pastor

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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Order of Worship

6th Sunday in Ordinary Time

February 12, 2012

Prelude *His Love Endures Forever* arr. Karst

Welcome and Announcements

Passing the Peace

One: The Lord be with you.

All: And also with you.

Choral Introit *Praise Him, Praise Him* Crosby

*Call to Worship

One: O give thanks, for the Lord is good.

All: God's love endures forever.

One: Rejoice and leap for joy,

All: For surely your reward is great in heaven. Let us worship God.

*Hymn #45 *Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing*

*Prayer of Confession

Almighty God, you lift us up when we have fallen into despair. You turn our tears of sorrow into laughter. You stand in the way of danger. You remain faithful. It is not so with us. We move away from you. We want holiness by distance. We seek earthly affirmation. By your Spirit, turn us around, we pray, to see your face and receive your mercy offered in Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

*Affirmation of Faith (*The Westminster Confession, 6.140, 6.141*)

The universal church, which is invisible, consists of the whole number of the elect, that have been, are, or shall be gathered into one, under Christ the head thereof; and of his spouse, the body the fullness of Him that filleth all in all. The visible

church, which is also universal under the gospel consists of all those throughout the world that profess the true religion, together with their children; and is the Kingdom of the Lord Jesus Christ; the house and family of God, through which people are ordinarily saved and union with which is essential to their best growth and service.

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

Time with Young Disciples***

*Hymn #311 *God Has Spoken by His Prophets*

Scripture Reading Micah 6:6-8

The Offering
Offertory *Make Us One* Cymbala

*Doxology (#809)

*Prayer of Thanksgiving

Anthem *Gracious Spirit, Dwell with Me* Scott

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

Choral Amen

Scripture Reading Matthew 9:9-13

One: The Word of the Lord!

All: Thanks be to God!

Sermon *Which Disciple Are You Like? Part 6* Jon Martin

*Hymn #101 *My Jesus, I Love Thee*

*Benediction

*Choral Response *May the Mind of Christ My Savior* Gould

*Postlude

*Congregation please stand.

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

† **OUR CHURCH AT WORK** †

February 12, 2012

*The congregation of
Green Spring Presbyterian Church
is invited to a service of worship:*

The Presbytery of the Peaks will ordain

Bradley David Long

As Minister of Word and Sacrament in the

The Presbyterian Church USA

Feb.26, 2012

First Presbyterian Church

Pulaski, Virginia

3:30 pm

Bradley is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Barry Long and the grandson of the late Rev. and Mrs. Tinsley Bradley.
A reception will follow the service.

◆ *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.*



◆ *Mack Bailey placed the flowers in the sanctuary this morning in honor of his wife Lisa, whose birthday is today.*

◆ We are proud and happy to have **Boy Scout Troop #70** with us today. GSPC has sponsored this troop since 1945. They will be taking part in the worship service today. Welcome to all the scouts, leaders and parents.



◆ This Sunday let us pray for the following: **Richard Briscoe, Sally Brown, Tom White, Preston Brown, Bob Wright, Helen Garland, Elizabeth Ponder, Barbara Adams, Toby Jordan, Michelle Sisson, Jane Hale, Doris Poe, David King, John Briscoe, Lois Gillespie, Bob Lowe, Lynn McConnell, Nancy Thompson, Jim Groseclose, Sara Lawson, Ann Lowry, Carolyn Deaton, William Harris, Virginia Thompson, Connie & Tom Counts, Edna McConnell, Bill & Marge Margerum, Sandra Wimmer, Eric Wimmer, Monica Hayden, Lena McVey, Dottie McGrady, Janet McCauley, Erma Combs, Rhonda Moore, Carter Garrett, Jr., Marshall Jones, Barbara Blevins, Edith Ratliff, Brenda Sprinkle, Karen Combs, Dr. Jim Gardner, Eva Bailey, Bo Miller, Phyllis Garner, Nancy Greary, Rickey White, Terry White, Jacob Andis, Margaret Altizer, Roberta Richey, Jackie Cantrell, Helen Carter and the family of David Prior.**

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



◆ **February-Family Night Supper at Noon!**

There will be a "Pot Luck Lunch" on Sunday, February 19th after worship. Bring a covered dish and/or dessert and plan on staying for the good food and fellowship with the church family. Everyone is welcome!

- ◆ A total of 140 jars of peanut butter has been collected towards our "1,000 jars" goal for 2012. Remember to bring your peanut butter for February!



- ◆ The **Evening Circle** will meet on February 13th at 7:00pm at the home of Connie Counts.

- ◆ The **Session** will meet on Tuesday, February 14th at 7:00pm in the fellowship hall.



- ◆ Please join us in the sanctuary at 7:00pm Wednesday, February 22nd for a special **Ash Wednesday Service** of scripture, prayer and reflection. Everyone is welcome.

- ◆ The **Deacons** will meet on February 23rd at 7:00pm in the fellowship hall.



- ◆ The Choir will practice on Sunday, February 26th at 1:30pm instead of Wednesday, February 29th.

◆ *Doug and I want to express our gratitude to you, our church family, for all the love and kindness shown to my mother, Ruby Colley, during her long illness. She had many friends in our church and our community and she loved each and every one. We thank you for all the good food, the many visits, phone calls, cards, and thoughts & prayers while she was living with us and even after she was at Grace Healthcare. Your kindness is very much appreciated! May God bless each of you!*

Doug & Elizabeth Phillippi and family

- ◆ 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.

- ◆ **Looking toward March:** A time of Lenten Study with a simple supper. Come and be fed body and spirit. Beginning Sunday, March 4 at 5:30pm our Lenten program will begin. There will be sign-ups next Sunday to help provide and serve the meal each week.



- ◆ There are still several dates available to place flowers in the sanctuary for Sunday morning worship. See the flower calendar in the church office to pick your Sunday.

- ◆ Last Sunday there were 126 in worship. The offering total was \$3,376.59, all to the General Fund.

- ◆ Next week's readings are: 2 Kings 2:1-12; Psalm 50:1-6; 2 Corinthians 4:3-6; Mark 9:2-9.

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

