GREETERS

Oct 27 Jerry and Vicki Germroth

Nov 3 Ed and Pat Craft

Nov 10 George and Debbie Swecker

WORSHIP LEADER

Oct 27 Irene Mertens Nov 3 Becky Fadely Nov 10 Emma Saeler

FELLOWSHIP HOUR

Oct 27 Cookie Share

Nov 3 George and Debbie Swecker
Nov 10 Keith and Susan Coffman

NURSERY

Oct 27 Jessica Jones/Jennifer Saeler Nov 3 Jessica Jones/Amanda Wiseley Nov 10 Jessica Jones/Sharon Baroncelli

COUNTERS Ernie Grisdale, Terry Johnston,

Eric Cook, Barry Fadely

SEXTON Gary Yew

BULLETIN FOLDERS *Friday mornings at 11:00.

Oct 25 Jane Helms

Nov 1 Joan and Tony Wilson

Nov 8 Irene Merten's

SANCTUARY ASSISTANTS (during the week of)

Oct 27 Dickie Hinchee
Nov 3 Linda Burnside
Nov 10 Sylvia Pearson

WOODSTOCK CLOTHES CLOSET

Nov 1 (2:30-4:30) Irene Mertens, Bea Shores Nov 8 (12:15-2:30) Lois Coffman, Carole Lovelace

BROWN BAG BLESSING (Tuesday)

Oct 29 Chuck & Sally Walters, Dan Voss
Nov 5 A. Nelson, L. Burnside, D. Cook,
Nov 12 M. Johnston, S. Simons, B. Simons

HEAD USHER

Oct 27 Eric Cook (Team 1)
Nov 3 Morgan Saeler (Team 2)
Nov 10 Margaret Nelson (Team 3)

Prayer Concerns & Joys

Remember in Prayer Lucy Clark, Kristi Huber (within Margaret Nelson's family), Eileen Haigh, Jerry Germroth, Jennifer O'Ferrell, Kenneth Towler (Liz Sollenberger's nephew), Doug Parker (Jennifer O'Ferrell's brother)

<u>Those in Nursing/Health Care Facilities</u> Louise Grinstead, Shirley Lynn (Greenfield Woodstock); Mary Gwen Long, Margy Boyer (Pine Meadow); Bettie Hepner (Greenfield Reflections); Janet Einstein (Sunnyside)

WPC World Mission Focus Corrymeela Peace Community (Northern Ireland)

<u>WPC Local Focus</u> Woodstock Ministerial Association, Shenandoah Alliance for Shelter, Response, Bread of Life Food Pantry, Woodstock Clothes Closet, Brown Bag Blessing

<u>Birthdays This Week</u> October 27: Travis Painter; October 28: Dennis Williams; October 31: Eric Wiseley

WPC Staff Directory

Heather Ashley - Clerk of Session

Pastor– Kate Rascoe Lori Staley - Secretary

Elizabeth Sollenberger - Organist/Pianist

Lori Staley - Choral Director

Jessica Jones - Nursery Care Provider

Cindy Isner - Custodian Vicky Germroth - Librarian

Jennifer Saeler -Treasurer

Cindy Wilkins - Assistant Treasurer

Loretta Lantz - Presb. Women Moderator

Gary Yew- Men's Pres.

The Presbyterian Preschool (459-8510)

4-Star Preschool Experience for 3 and 4 year olds

Stephanie Dysart - Director Emily Moore - Assistant

Sarah Keefauver - Special Education Aide

Cathy Gilbert - ESL Director Sarah Kalkbrenner - GED Director

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The Weekly Wellspring

Happenings in and around WPC

October 27, 2019

Weekly Scripture Readings

Sunday, October 27

Morning: Pss. 108; 150

Evening: Pss. 66; 23 Hag. 1:1–2:9 or Jer. 44:15–30 Acts 18:24–19:7

Monday, October 28

Morning: Pss. 62; 145

Evening: Pss. 73; 9 Zech. 1:7–17 or Jer. 45:1–5 Rev. 1:4–20 Matt. 12:43–50

Tuesday, October 29

Morning: Pss. 12; 146

Evening: Pss. 36; 7 Ezra 5:1–17 or Lam. 1:1–5 (6–9) 10–12 Rev. 4:1–11

Wednesday, October 30

Morning: Pss. 96; 147:1–11

Evening: Pss. 132; 134 Ezra 6:1–22 or Lam. 2:8–15 Rev. 5:1–10 Matt. 13:10–17

Thursday, October 31

Morning: Pss. 116; 147:12–20

Evening: Pss. 26; 130 Neh. 1:1-11 or

Lam. 2:16–22 Rev. 5:11–6:11

Friday, November 1 All Saints' Day

Morning: Pss. 84; 148

Evening: Pss. 25; 40 Isa. 26:1–4, 8–9, 12 –13, 19–21 Rev. 21:9–11, 22–27

Saturday, November 2

Morning: Pss. 63; 149

Evening: Pss. 125; 90 Neh. 4:1–23 or

Lam. 5:1–22 Rev. 7:(4–8) 9–17

Thy word is a lamp unto my feet and a light unto my path.

Psalm 119

An Invitation to Families to Experience Communion Together

We believe that children learn of worship, and so of the love of God and community, by being *in* worship.

On Nov 3, the Moment with Children will occur later in the service. Children in the nursery ages 2 and above will be invited to sit with their families for the remainder of worship, including the Lord's Supper.

We fully anticipate the congregational experience to generate curiosity and questions.

Please feel free to reach out to Pastor Kate if needed: <u>katerascoe@yahoo.com</u>, 757-617-5374.



We are grateful to Pastor Joan for sharing her voice with us today. How blessed we are to have such a gentle spirit to lead us when needed!



Presbyterian Men of WPC Minutes of September 29, 2019 Meeting

Following a delicious breakfast president, Gary Yew opened the meeting and offered the opening prayer at 8:50 a.m. 16 people attended, 10 men and 6 women.

The minutes of the June 23, 2019 meeting with notes from the July 13, 2019 picnic were approved as distributed.

The treasurer's report shows a balance of \$9,204.16. The treasurer's report was approved as presented.

Old Business:

The spaghetti dinner last week was a great success. Gross receipts top \$1,000.00. A tenderloin dinner is planned for October 18th and another spaghetti dinner for November 15th.

Woodworking for the floors and trim for the ESL room is progressing nicely. The core group working on the project will determine when work days will be needed and notify everyone.

Gary suggests waiting to proceed with the sound system until the ESL room is complete.

New Business:

Pastor Kate and Ernie Grisdale acknowledge that there needs to be coordination between the church treasurer (the general fund) and the men's account to assure that bills are being paid from the appropriate accounts.

We will be working with the session on obtaining a generator.

Ernie Grisdale suggests a fishing outing at their Cedar Creek cabin to encourage younger families participation in church activities. We will target March or April for this event. Judy Powell has donated Ray's Presbyterian Men T-shirt. Anyone who can wear a size small is welcome to it. Hal says that anyone who would like to order one can do so for about \$9.75.

Cont.

Gary reported that our town police are willing to check our building for safety concerns and will speak to the congregation about how to respond in case of an armed intruder. This matter will be referred to the session which meets in two weeks.

Our next meeting will be October 27th. Jerry Germroth agreed to lead the meeting as Gary will be away. The meeting was closed with prayer by Jerry Germroth and adjourned at 9:25 a.m.

Respectfully Submitted, Tony R. Wilson/jmw

Book Study Group

Ann Grisdale and I are undertaking a study of the book, "Mere Christainity", by C. S. Lewis.

"Mere Christianity" is described in Wikipedia as, "a theological book, adapted from a series of BBC radio talks made between 1941 and 1944, while Lewis was at Oxford during the Second World War. Considered a classic of Christian apologetics, the transcripts of the broadcasts originally appeared in print. We will be using the *Mere Christianity Study Guide, by Steve Urban*, available from Amazon.

We began on Thursday, October 24th. We will meet for about an hour at the Wilson home, (590 Sherman Road, Woodstock,) at 2:00 p.m. Please join us if you are interested. Our plan is to discuss the introduction and Book 1: chapters 1 & 2 on the 24th, and to meet every two weeks until we complete the book. Blessings, Joan Wilson

T-Shirts with: WOODSTOCK PRESBYTERIAN

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on the front are now available for the Ladies of WPC, and they are \$8.75. They are particularly useful for our Spaghetti and Pork Tenderloin dinners, and enables our guests to identify members of WPC in order to ask questions. It also shows how important the women are in staffing the dinners. When I get a final list of those ordering shirts (men and women), I will collect a check from you made out to Cabin Hill T's.

Blessings, Hal Ladehoff

Veteran's Day

On Sunday November 11th, in remembrance of Veteran's Day, we will honor our living military personnel. A board with their pictures will be displayed in the narthex, and then in the fellowship hall after worship. If you have a picture that you would like to add to the post, please bring it to the office. We will list their names and service branch in the Wellspring that Sunday.

Free Movie!

Shenandoah Alliance for Shelter will be sponsoring a free movie titled "The Public" on November 3, 2019 at 2:30 p.m. Please come join us to help end or shorten the length of time households experience homelessness. National Hunger and Homelessness week is the week of their Empty Bowl supper on November 22, 2019. Hope to see you there!

WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS WEEK

Sun.	Sunday School	9:45am
oun.	Choir Practice	10:30am
	Elders Pray	10:40 am
	Worship	11 am
	Fellowship Hour	12pm
Mon	Preschool	9-1pm
	Exercise Class	9:30am
Tues.	Preschool	9-1pm
	ESL/GED	9:30-12pm
	Bible Study	10am
	BBB	4:30pm
Wed.	Preschool	9-1pm
	Tone Chimes	4pm
	Choir	6-7pm
Thurs.	Preschool	9 -1pm
	ESL/GED	9:30-12pm
	Batterers Intervention	4-7pm
Fri	Preschool	9 -1pm
	WPC @ Clothes Closet	2:30-4:30pm

The Santa Train is Coming!

All Aboard! We are asking for donations of NEW hats, mittens, gloves, scarves, socks and throws/blankets, for the Appalachian Santa Train. Since 1943 the train has distributed clothing, toys and food to the children, who live in mining areas. To participate simply bring in your donations and place them on/or under the mitten tree that will be in the Fellowship Hall starting next week. Collections will be received until November 10.

