



Morning Worship Service



Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Rev. Dr. Rose Wayland

*Praise Music

Bob and Jessica Ruqus and the Praise Team

*Opening Prayer

Elder Patty Runkles

Call to Confession

Unison Prayer for Forgiveness

God of every people and nation, we confess that we have not lived as global citizens in your new realm of justice and peace. We build up dividing walls in the world. We contribute to division in the church. We ignore the suffering in distant nations and live in fear of our closest neighbors. Forgive us, God of grace. Pour out your Spirit of peace upon us, break down the dividing walls among us, and raise us up to be a holy temple—your temple of peace in the world—built on the cornerstone of Jesus Christ, in whose holy name we pray. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

*Response #447 “We Are Forgiven”

Children’s Message

John Brown

Prayer for Understanding

Elder Runkles

First Reading Revelation 7:9-17

The Word of the Lord
Thanks be to God

Second Reading Mark 8:1-10

The Word of the Lord
Thanks be to God

Sermon

Rev. Dr. Rose Wayland

*Hymn #321 “The Church’s One Foundation”

Affirmation of Faith

Excerpt from the Confession of Belhar

We believe that God has entrusted the church with the message of reconciliation in and through Jesus Christ. We believe that the church is called to be the salt of the earth and the light of the world. We believe that the church is called blessed because it is a peacemaker. We believe that the church is witness both by word and by deed to the new heaven and the new earth in which righteousness dwells.

Sharing of Joys and Concerns

Invitation to the Offering

Four Cents A Meal

Offertory “Here, O My Lord, I see Thee Face to Face”

Arr. Lucy Warriner

*Doxology #606

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him all creatures here below;
Praise him above ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost.*

*Prayer of Dedication

*Communion Hymn #533 “In The Singing”

Sacrament of Holy Communion

The Invitation

Great Thanksgiving

The Lord be with you.
And also with you.
Lift up your hearts to the Lord.
We lift them to the Lord.
Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
It is right to give our thanks and praise.

The Lord’s Prayer

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. Forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, for thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen

The Words of Institution

Communion of the People

Prayer After Communion

God of all nations, we give you thanks for the feast of your goodness and grace. As you have nourished us in Christ Jesus, send us forth to feed and serve others—sharing your grace with the whole community and showing your faithful love in the world; through Jesus Christ, bread of life for all. Amen.

*Hymn #340

“This is My Song”

*Charge and Benediction

*Congregational Response #331 “God of the Ages, Whose Almighty Hand”

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Postlude “And Can It Be”

Arr. Carolyn Hamlin

*please stand

Participants in today’s service:

Greeters: John MacDonald, Pete and Sue Mekkelson

Nursery:

Children’s Church: Ruth Berg

Liturgists: Patty Runkles

Announcements

Welcome to Falling Waters Presbyterian Church. We pray that God will be very real to you as you worship in spirit and in truth. **Please join us for a coffee hour in Fellowship Dinner following worship.**



Please be sure to fill out a **visitor’s card** and wear the **visitor’s tag** so people will know you are new to the church. **Visitor Bags** are in the vestibule. If you are a first-time visitor, please take one. Children’s Church is provided during the sermon for children Kindergarten through the 3rd grade. A **Nursery** is provided downstairs for children, infants through four years old. There are **hearing aides** on the table in the vestibule for the use of those who have difficulty hearing the service. They are easy to operate.

Please keep the following folks in your hearts and prayers: Mary Hodges, Mary Catherine Payne, Waneda Bowers, Joan Chambers, Ethel Bovey, Sherry Manor, Jimmy Dunham, Jimmy Cloud, Ted Largent, Virginia Snyder, Bill Zombro, Carolyn Weidman, Patsy Smith, Paula Tobin, Jack Fleagle, Deborah Chambers, Steve Bucklew, Mtn. Chapel, our Session, our President, the nation at large and our armed forces, our sister churches in Ethiopia and Shenandoah Presbytery and our missionary, Nadia Ayoub in the Ukraine.



The **Peacemaking Offering** will be collected on October 11.

All women of the church are invited to a **tea** at “The Tea Cart” in Berryville, VA, on October 21 at noon. Cost is \$30.00 and includes tax and gratuity. Car pooling is available. Space is limited so if you would like to attend please see Patty Runkles as soon as possible. 304-260-8845.

Today we will collect our **Four Cents A Meal Offering**. This hunger offering is collected on the first Sunday of each month. 25% of the offering benefits Hedgesville Loaves and Fishes and the other 75% is sent to the PCUSA for world-wide hunger programs. It is called Four Cents A Meal because it is suggested that each family contribute four cents for each meal each family member eats in one month, i.e. a family of four would contribute 16 cents per meal per day. 16 cents x 3 meals a day = 48 cents. 48 cents x 30 days = \$14.40 per month.

The **October newsletter** is available in the vestibule for those who do not receive it via e-mail. Also available in the vestibule are hard copies of a **letter written by Dr. James Leyburn** in 1944 following a visit to the Congo to visit his missionary cousins, Armisted and Jean McMurray.

The Maintenance Committee has donated the **handicap equipment** (2 wheelchairs, 2 walkers, a port-a-potty, crutches) stored in our pavilion garage to the Martinsburg Seventh Day Adventist Church. The equipment is available to anyone in the community.

The meeting date of the **20/50 group** has been changed to November 14.

Directory Update - Susie Cushwa’s address has changed. It is 5783 Aspen Lane, Enola, PA 17025.



Falling Waters Presbyterian Church was established in 1745 just south of the ford of the Potomac River at Falling Waters, Virginia. In 1796 the place of worship was moved from the bend of the Potomac to Spring Mills. The present brick structure was built in 1834 after a fire had destroyed the original wooden edifice.

☛ **The Session** ☛

Ruth Berg, Clerk of the Session

Class of 2015

Paul Peach
Kelsey Shipper
Kate Lewis Brown

Class of 2016

Kathy Goodell
Ron Hansen
Jessica Ruqus

Class of 2017

Steve Aulabaugh
Archie Locke
Renee Campbell

☛ **The Trustees** ☛

Class of 2015

Ron Hansen
Diana McKinley

Class of 2016

John Fleagle
Becky Hawthorne

Class of 2017

Tink Manor
Sam Tobin

☛ **Church Staff** ☛

Fawn Fleagle, Secretary
Amanda Lewis, Supply Organist
Bill and Barbara Cole, Custodians

☛ **Church Activities** ☛

Worship Service	Every Sunday at 10:00 a.m.
Sunday School	Every Sunday at 9:00 a.m.
Women’s Bible Study	Second Wednesday of each month at 10:00 a.m.
Fellowship Dinner	Last Sunday of every month following Worship
Session Meeting	Fourth Tuesday of each month at 7:00 p.m.
Church Office Hours	Tuesday and Friday 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.
Pastor’s Study Hours	Monday and Friday 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

☛ **Falling Waters Presbyterian Church Vision Statement** ☛

Because God first loved us, we are called to love, serve and witness.

Mission Statement

We, as members of the body of Christ and Falling Waters Presbyterian Church, strive to be an extended family--- reaching out to one another, our community and the world.

In offering ourselves to this sacred mission, we will show the way of Christ so that the community and the world in which we live may learn “to do justice, love mercy, and to walk humbly with God.”

- - Micah 6:8

FALLING WATERS PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

“The chief end of man is to glorify God and enjoy Him forever.” -Westminster Catechism



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October 4, 2015
10:00 a.m.

“World Communion Sunday”

The Rev. Dr. Rose Wayland, Interim Pastor