

Prayers and Praises

Charlottesville: We pray for the Spirit of the Resurrection in our city: For all the citizens in the city, for our schools, schoolboards, administrators, teachers and children. For an end to racism and racial prejudice.

VMMissions: Ask for God's wisdom and grace on Jason Wagner as he serves as a chaplain and meets with needy inmates at the Rockingham-Harrisonburg Regional Jail, and also meets with those who have been recently released.

Mennonite Mission Network: Elena Buckwalter serves with the Mennonite Church in Peru. Pray for her as she helps with children's and youth ministries in four locations in and around Iquitos.

Pray for the local services for people in need: Love Inc., Shelter for Help in Emergency, Food Bank, Salvation Army, IMPACT – a justice ministry and PACEM- the initiative for the homeless.



Sixth Sunday after Epiphany February 17, 2019

Gathering in God's presence

Preservice Music

Call to worship

One: The LORD is my light and my salvation; whom shall I fear?

**All: the LORD is the strength of my life;
of whom shall I be afraid?**

One: It is good when we gather in worship as the Body of Christ

All: It is good when we gather in the presence of God

One: It is good when we delight in the Word of the Lord

All: It is good when we ponder God's word in our hearts.

One: It is good when we pray and lift each other up.

All: It is good when we sing and praise God together.

One: Like trees planted by streams of water ...

**All: ...let us delight in God's Word
as we worship the Lord, our God!**

Opening prayer

Hymns Joyful, joyful we adore Thee HWB 71

Lord Jesus, You shall be my song STJ 14

Noticing God's presence

Children's story

Confession

Hymn There's a wideness in God's mercy HWB 145

Scripture Luke 6:17-26; 1 Corinthians 15:12-20

Sermon

Hymn How bless'd are they (Vs 2,3,5) HWB 525



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Responding to God's presence

Sharing of joys and concerns / visitor introductions

Pastoral Prayer

Offering Praise God HWB 119

Hymn The Lord's my shepherd HWB 578

Benediction

Everyone is welcome to stay for the fellowship meal immediately following the worship service.

Today

Sermon: Roy Hange

Worship: Maren Hange

Music: Joanne Billups

Next Sunday

Pearl Hartman

Mel Janzen

Dottie Scott

This Week

Tuesday	Men's Breakfast at Bodo's on Preston	7 am
	BOE	7:15 pm
Wednesday	Lectio Divina Group	10 am
Wednesday	Ad Council	7 pm

Upcoming Events

Feb. 24	Sermon: Pearl Hartman
March 3	Communion
March 10	Lent begins
March 17	Sermon: Rev. Dr. Paula Owens Parker
March 31	Hymnsing
April 7	Sermon: Joan Kulp; MCC Learning Tour to Honduras and Migration
April 21	Easter breakfast
May 17-19	Annual church retreat

Announcements

Please email all bulletin announcements by Thursday evening to Linda. Please include the word "Bulletin" in the subject line of the heading.

CMC has a **Brotherhood Fund** to help with financial needs of those in our congregation who have a financial need due to a job loss, illness or other circumstances. Please consider a donation to this fund in this new year.

Linda is looking for some help in moving a disabled friend from a group home in Earlysville to one off of Fontaine Ave. here in town on Friday morning March 1st. It's just bedroom furniture and lots of boxes. Please see Linda if you might be available.

The walking tours last fall hosted by UVA's Center for Christian Study and detailing Charlottesville's racial history were compiled for a documentary series called **Race and Place in Charlottesville**. During the month of February, each weekday an episode of the documentary will be released. Check out the project's website for more Information <https://www.studycenter.net/race-place-cville>

Combined adult SS for March: Out of last spring's discussion group grew the idea to have conversations about the use/interpretation of scripture. So, after some further conversations with the elders and church council, we are working on a 4 week combined adult Sunday school session for March 3-24. I apologize if this comes as a surprise, I have not communicated this very well as it took longer to figure out how to shape this series and what resources to use. It is coming together and I am excited. Maren

The Board of Elders is inviting the congregation to **memorize together one verse a month:**

*The LORD is my light and my salvation; whom shall I fear?
the LORD is the strength of my life; of whom shall I be afraid?
Psalm 27:1*