

WAPC ACTIVITIES FOR THE WEEK AHEAD

We encourage you to share in the vital and meaningful program life of this congregation

Sunday, July 8th	9:45 a.m.	Sunday School
	11:00 a.m.	Worship
Tuesday, July 10th	8:00 a.m.	Men's Prayer Breakfast at Happy Hill Restaurant
Wednesday July 12th	5:30 pm	Pneumatrix Morganton
Sunday July 15th	9; 45 a.m.	Sunday School
	11:00 a.m.	Worship
	6:00 p.m	Concert
Sunday July 22 nd	9:45 a.m.	Sunday School
	11:00 a.m.	Worship
Sunday July 29 th	9:45 p.m.	Sunday School
	11:00 a.m.	Worship

Non-WAPC Groups

Al-Anon - Sunday – 5:30 pm, Thursday –7:00 pm
 Nar-Anon – Sunday – 1:30 pm, Tuesday – 7:00 pm
 Kindermusik - Monday 8:30 am – 6:30 pm, Tuesday 9:15 am – 4:15 p.m., Wednesday 5:15 – 6:15
 Thursday 10:00 am -5:45 pm
 Mountain Recovery Group of CA – Tuesday 6:00 p.m.
 Women of Courage – Saturday 9:30 a.m.

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Connie Roberts	Preschool/PMO Director	670-9725 (home)
Karen Hawkins	Hand Bell Choir Director	683-9048 (home)

THE SESSION		
Class of 2018	Class of 2019	Class of 2020
Elizabeth Hawkins	Norma Spencer	Jason Lewis
Karen Hawkins		Andi Spencer
Lynn Logan		
Cheryl Miller		
Norma Price		

Women's Prayer Group
 Elizabeth Hawkins 253-2910 Barbara Clark 676-0618

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 TheCommunityOnHaywood.org 828-258-0903
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West Asheville Presbyterian Church

Honoring God as a family by caring, loving, and reaching out to others.

WELCOME: *You may come as a stranger to us, yet you are known to our Lord Jesus Christ, and in Christ's name we bid you welcome, praying that you find peace, inspiration and our friendship in this, God's house.*

THE SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

July 15, 2018

11:00 am

8th Sunday after Pentecost

PRELUDE

RINGING OF THE HOUR

*** INTROIT**

*** CALL TO WORSHIP**

Lift up your heads, O gates! and be lifted up, O ancient doors! that the King of glory may come in.

Who is the King of glory? The LORD, strong and mighty, the LORD, mighty in battle.

Lift up your heads, O gates! and be lifted up, O ancient doors! that the King of glory may come in.

Who is this King of glory? The LORD of hosts, he is the King of glory.

*** HYMN**

God of The Ages

Grey Hymnal No. 568

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

FRIENDSHIP REGISTER

CALL TO CONFESSION

Lynn Logan

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Holy God, as we come into the presence of your divine holiness, we confess our many shortcomings.

Our hands are not clean; our actions do not glorify you;

Our hearts are not pure; our motivations do not glorify you;

Our words are not true; our deceitfulness does not glorify you;

Our allegiance is fickle; our idolatry does not glorify you.

By your mercy, O God, give us hands that are clean, hearts that are

pure, tongues that are true, and souls that worship you alone, that our whole lives may glorify you. Amen.

• **ASSURANCE OF PARDON** Lynn Logan

All you who seek God, and who have set your hope on Jesus Christ, hear the good news: We have received forgiveness of sins, according to the riches of God's grace. As forgiven and beloved children of God, let us set our hope on Christ, and live for the praise of his glory.

* **GLORIA PATRI** Glory to God, Whose Goodness Shines on Me Insert

* **CONFESSION OF FAITH** From the PCUSA Declaration of Faith
The Lord's care sustained theof Israel. God gave them a land where they could celebrate his goodness. The Lord established their kingdom and promised a ruler from the line of David to reign in justice and peace. When God's people worshiped the gods of the land, when they put their trust in military alliances, when they failed to do justice and oppressed the poor, God sent the prophets to condemn their sins and to call the people back to obedience. There were times of repentance and reform, but in the end their kingdoms fell. We declare God's goodness and justice. God has blessed us beyond our deserving. When we forget the Lord and worship our possessions, when we fail to deal justly with the poor, when we seek security no matter what it costs others, we can expect God's and judgment upon us.

PASSING OF THE PEACE

CHILDREN'S TIME

* **HYMN** Softly and Tenderly Grey Hymnal No. 326

OFFERTORY

* **DOXOLOGY** OLD HUNDREDTH Grey Hymnal No. 625

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

SPECIAL MUSIC

SHARING OUR JOYS AND CONCERNS

MORNING PRAYER and the LORD'S PRAYER (debt/debtors)

PRAYER RESPONSE On Eagles' Wings
And he will raise you up on eagles' wings,
bear you on the breath of dawn
make you to shine like the sun,
and hold you in the palm of his hand.

ANTHEM

CALL TO SCRIPTURE

Thy Word is a lamp unto my feet and a light unto my path

SCRIPTURE READING: 2 Samuel 6:1-5, 12b-19 (Pew Bible p. 298)
The Word of the Lord
Thanks be to God.

SCRIPTURE READING: Ephesians 1:3-14 (Pew Bible p.1133)
The Word of the Lord
Thanks be to God.

SCRIPTURE READING : Mark 6: 14-29 (Pew Bible p. 974)
The Word of the Lord
Thanks be to God

SERMON God's Dancers Rev. Rebecca Harrison

* **HYMN** Bless Be the Tie Grey Hymnal No. 286

* **CHARGE**
Dance and shout with all of your might before the Lord!
Hope in Christ! Live for the praise of God's glory!

* **BENEDICTION**
Children of God, celebrate the life you have been given.
Live your life with all your might, as a dance to God's glory.
We will live to the praise of God's glory!
Alleluia! Amen.

POSTLUDE

CHORAL BENEDICTION

*The Congregation may stand

Greeter/Reader: Lynn Logan
Ushers: Libby Hawkins, Judy Goode
Nursery: Martha Clontz
We welcome all who worship with us. Please return soon and often.
Large print bulletins are available from the ushers.
For our younger worshipers: Activity bags are available on the front pew of the church. After the children sermon, an extended session is available for children of preschool age through second grade. A nursery is also available for children younger than preschool age.
Two Hymnals are used during worship – "Pres No." use the blue *Presbyterian Hymnal*, "No." use the gray *Hymnal for Worship & Celebration*.
Prayer requests: Fill out a prayer request card (located in Pew rack) and place in the offering plate.
Hearing reinforcement receivers are now available at the Parlor entrance to the sanctuary (they work anywhere in the sanctuary.)
A wheelchair is available for use on the premises. It is kept in the back of the choir room.
Invite a friend to church.

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Glory to God, Whose Goodness Shines on Me

Gloria Patri
Adapted by Paul M. Vasile

Paul M. Vasile



1. Glo - ry to God, whose good-ness shines on me,
2. World with-out end, 7 with - out end. A - men.



and to the Son, whose grace has par - doned me,
World with - out end, 7 with - out end. A - men.



and to the Spir - it, whose love has set me free.
World with-out end, 7 with-out end. A - men.



As it was in the be-gin-ning, is now and ev-er shall be. A-men.

ANNOUNCEMENTS/REMINDERS

An Evening of Music – Sunday July 15, 2018 at 6:00 PM
Blake Anthony Ellege, World Renown Tenor

Men's Prayer Group is now meeting at the Happy Hill Restaurant, 1400 Patton Ave. each Tuesday morning at 8:00 a.m.

Church Picnic, July 29rd at Weaver Park, 4:00 p.m. Bring your favorite entree, side or dessert (ice tea and soda will be provided.). If you have any yard games please bring them and also lawn chairs. We have the pavilion for the day, arrive early and enjoy the great outdoors. Contact Judy Albertson, 845-430-4034 if you have a question.

Communicating with the Church Office while we are between secretaries:

For financial or business administration Cheryl Miller cdm44wapc@gmail.com or put in red bin on the office desk

For Bulletin, Newsletter or Prayer list:

Call church office, Barbara Clark and Norma Price will be handling these items.

Bulletin items need to be in by Monday of each week

Newsletter items are to be in by the third Sunday of each month

Prayer List items can be turned in any time (day or night) but the list is published on Thursday

We welcome Rev. Rebecca Harrison to our pulpit today, A graduate of McCormick Theological Seminary (1984), she has served churches in Iowa, Minnesota, California, Louisiana, and Nevada.. She and husband Nigel moved to Asheville in 2013 to welcome their grandchild Declan, who is now 5 year old, and a great delight,