

WELCOME! Whether you are a longtime member or a guest, we’re glad you’re here today! Through the grace, hope and joy of the gospel we worship together and serve our community and world to the glory of God. Welcome!

PLEASE KEEP IN PRAYER . . .

CHURCH FAMILY:
Dora Barnes; Eunice Jones; Connie Fletcher; Dorothy Wright; Julia Butler; Barbara Gillespie; Doris Branam. *Heritage Hall:* Betty Kelly. *Commonwealth Senior Living:* Madeline Hurt; *Homebound:* Renia Hale Peery; Louise Smith.

OTHERS:
Naomi Lamie (7 month old), and her mother Jordan Lamie; all affected by the flooding in Buchanan County; the family of Sam Adkins; the family of Harriet Beavers; Robert Adkins; Jerry Vencill; Scott Jordan (father of Andrew Jordan); Olivia Young; Kumiko Gilbert; Kim McGraw’s mother; Bob Altizer; Anita Tinsley; Dr. Brenda Lawson; Jason Hacker; Kathy Melton Jackson; Wanda Deskins; *Active Military Service:* Jon Wright
ABINGDON PRESBYTERY: The Commissioned Lay Pastors of our Presbytery.

TO PASS ALONG A PRAYER REQUEST:
Contact Eunice Jones at (276.988.4412) jnseun@aol.com); or the church office at (276.988.4724; sectazpresb12@yahoo.com). Names will remain on the Prayer List for 4 weeks, unless otherwise requested.

THIS WEEK

Today: August 7 Communion		
Worship Service	9 A.M.	Black’s Chapel
Bible Study	10:10 A.M.	Fellowship Hall/ Zoom
Worship Service	11 A.M.	Sanctuary
Monday, August 8		
Boy Scouts	6 P.M.	Fellowship Hall
Thursday, August 11		
Presbytery Meeting	9:30 A.M.	Sugar Hollow Park, Bristol
Sunday, August 14		
Worship Service	9 A.M.	Black’s Chapel
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Worship Service	11 A.M.	Sanctuary

Financial and Attendance Snapshot
July 31 Contributions: \$1,255.00
July 31 Attendance: Black’s Chapel: 12 TPC: 21 Livestream: 10 Total: 43

Bulletin Art:
“Jonah,” 1983, print, Swanson, John August. From **Art in the Christian Tradition**, a project of the Vanderbilt Divinity Library.

**Tazewell Presbyterian Church
& Black’s Chapel**
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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Food Pantry Emphasis for August: “canned meat & school supplies”
Donations may be placed in the basket in the church narthex. Thank you!

Looking Ahead: Mark Your Calendar
Sunday Night Live: September 11 and 18– Topic: Global Warming
Table Talk: resumes September 13 – “Holy Envy,” ch. 10, “Divine Diversity”
Adventure Time: resumes on September 7

Worship and Church Picnic at Crab Orchard
Our annual church picnic and worship service at Crab Orchard Museum and Park will be on **Sunday, August 21, starting at 11 a.m.** It will be “bring-your-own-food-and table-settings.” Liquid refreshments will be provided.

Masks Encouraged in Worship
Tazewell County has been rated a high-transmission area for the new COVID variant. The CDC recommends mask-wearing within buildings in high transmission areas. You are therefore encouraged to wear a mask during worship. Masks are available for pick-up in the entryway of the church.

Communion at Home
If you are celebrating communion at home you may request prepared communion cups from the church for your use while watching the service by internet. Please contact the church office if you want to come by the church to pick the cups up or to ask that they be delivered. Joan Flynn, Lanie Francisco and Rev. Gilbert are happy to make communion visits to “at home” congregants. If you would like such a visit, please call the church office.

<div>Jonah</div> <div>Prophet & Lost Statements</div>		
June 26	Running Away from God	Jonah 1:1-3a
July 3 Communion	But God Sent a Huge Storm	Jonah 1:3b-4
July 10	Lightening the Ship	Jonah 1:5-6
July 17	Drawing the Short Straw	Jonah 1:7-10
July 24	“Throw Me Overboard, into the Sea”	Jonah 1:11-17
July 31	Praying from the Belly of the Fish	Jonah 1:17-2:10
Aug 7 Communion	Dressed in Sackcloth: Who Knows?	Jonah 3:1-10
Aug 14	Angry Enough to Die	Jonah 4:1-
Aug 21 Picnic @ Crab Orchard	And All the Innocent Animals?	Jonah 4:4-11



Tazewell Presbyterian Church
Black’s Presbyterian Chapel

SERVICE OF WORSHIP
AUGUST 7, 2022 – 9:00 & 11:00 AM



GOD’S PEOPLE GATHER

CHIMING OF THE HOUR AND PRELUDE
On Eagle’s Wings
Joncas

WELCOME

CALL TO WORSHIP (*Psalms 107:1-3*)
Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good;
for his steadfast love endures forever.
Let the redeemed of the Lord say so,
those he redeemed from trouble
and gathered in from the lands,
from the east and from the west,
from the north and from the south.
Come; let us worship the Lord together. Praise the Lord!
The Lord’s name be praised!

***HYMN 35**
Praise Ye the Lord, the Almighty

PRAYER OF CONFESSION
Most Merciful God,
we confess to You before the whole company of heaven,
that we have sinned in thought, word and deed:
in what we have done
and in what we have failed to do.
Forgive us our sins,
heal us by Your Holy Spirit,
and raise us to new life in Jesus Christ. Amen.
Silent Reflection and Confession

KYRIE
Lord, have mercy; Christ, have mercy; Lord, have mercy upon us.
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ASSURANCE OF GOD'S GRACE

*PASSING OF THE PEACE
The Peace of Christ be with you.
And also with you.

*RESPONSE (HYMN 582) *Glory to God, Whose Goodness Shines on Me*
**Glory to God, whose goodness shines on me,
and to the Son, whose grace has pardoned me,
and to the Spirit, whose love has set me free.
As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be. Amen.**

**World without end, . . . without end. Amen.
World without end, . . . without end. Amen.
World without end,. . . without end. Amen.
As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be. Amen.**

PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE AND PRAYER

SCRIPTURE READING *Jonah 3:1-10 (page 753)*
The Word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

SERMON Dave Gilbert
Dressed in Sackcloth: Who Knows?

“Jonah cried out, ‘Forty days more, and Nineveh shall be overthrown!’ And the people of Nineveh believed God; they proclaimed a fast, and everyone, great and small, put on sackcloth.”
-Jonah 3:4b-6 [NRSV]

RESPONSE TO THE WORD

*HYMN 525 *Let Us Break Bread Together*

*INVITATION TO OFFERING

OFFERTORY *Glory to His Name*
Stockton

*DOXOLOGY
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. Amen.

JOYS AND CONCERNS

SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

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

GREAT PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

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,
and 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.

INSTITUTION

HOLY COMMUNION

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION
Loving God,
we thank you that you have fed us in this sacrament,
united us with Christ,
and given us a foretaste of the heavenly banquet.
Send us out in the power of your Spirit
to live and work to your praise and glory
this day and every day
for the sake of Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

GOD’S PEOPLE SENT

*HYMN 541 *God Be with You Till We Meet Again*

*BENEDICTION

*CHIMING OF THE TRINITY AND POSTLUDE