

For PRAYER . . .

CHURCH FAMILY:

Family of Kathy Melton Jackson; Family of Scott Jordan (Andrew Jordan's father); Joan Brown; Dolores Pruitt; Connie Fletcher; Dorothy Wright; Julia Butler; Doris Branam.

Heritage Hall: Betty Kelly.

OTHERS:

Kendrick Carter; Gary Casey; Pam Taylor; Mitchell and Meghan Cooper; Kim McGraw's mother.

Active Military Service: Jon Wright.

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: February 5, 2023

Worship Service-Black's Chapel 9:30 A.M.

Worship Service-Sanctuary 11:00 A.M.

Monday, February 6

Boy Scouts-Fellowship Hall 6:00 P.M.

Wednesday, February 8

Outreach Luncheon & Program 11:30 A.M.

Adventure Time 3:30 P.M.

Thursday, February 9

Circle-Church Parlor 10:00 P.M.

Sunday, February 12

Worship Service-Black's Chapel 9:30 A.M.

Worship Service-Sanctuary 11:00 A.M.

Attendance:

January 29 TPC 27 Livestream 14 BC 12 **Total 53**

Health Precaution: The chapel is available if you want to sit in a ventilated area. Masks and hand-sanitizers are available at the exits.

Note: All church doors will be locked during weekdays. If you need in and the staff is here, and you don't have a key, just call the church number (276-988-4724).

*** Stand if you are able.**

**Tazewell Presbyterian Church
& Black's Chapel**

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Welcome

We welcome all who join our Sunday worship service. If you are not able to be present in our sanctuary you can join the service via [Tazewell YouTube](#). Through our worship, we proclaim the Gospel of Jesus Christ and celebrate our community of faith. We are happy that you are here!

We welcome Dr. Scott Sikes who lives in Meadowview, Virginia in Washington County where he is the pastor at Rock Spring Presbyterian Church and where he is also a professor at Emory & Henry College and Director of the Appalachian Center for Civic Life. His wife, Felicia, was born and grew up in Tazewell and is a public school teacher. They have a daughter, Madeline, who is a college student in New York.

Food Pantry Needs for February

The Food Pantry's special emphasis for February is "Canned Beans" (green or other). Donations may be placed in the basket in the church narthex (front entry).

Congratulations to Jarrod & Whitney Thomas on the birth of their daughter, Isla Grace Thomas, born on January 31, 2023 @ 7:39 p.m., weighing 7 lbs., 12 oz. The rose bud today in the sanctuary is in honor of Isla's birth.

Pulpit Schedule for February 2023

February 5	Dr. Scott Sikes
February 12	Dr. Thomas Conley
February 19	Reverend Ann Elyse Hicks
February 26	Reverend Grace Kim

Dr. Dave & Lynn Gilbert's New Address

304 Old Oak Drive, Cortland, OH 44410

330-314-3936 (Dave's cell)

330-719-1122 (Lynn's cell)

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SUNDAY WORSHIP

February 5, 2023

Fifth Sunday after Epiphany



TAZEWELL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Black's Presbyterian Chapel

The Gathering

Chiming of the Hour & Choral Prelude *Come, Live in the Light*

Welcome and Announcements

***Call to Worship**

One: We are called to live the good news of the Kingdom of God.

All: We are the salt of the earth.

One: We are called to live a new hope in God, to seek renewed life.

All: We are the light of the world.

One: We are called to follow the commandments and the law.

All: The greatest of these is to love God with our heart and soul and mind.

One: The second is like unto it: to love our neighbors as we love ourselves.

All: May we let our light shine before others for the glory of the Lord.

All: Come, let us worship!

***Hymn 69**

I, The Lord of Sea and Sky (Here I Am, Lord)

Prayer of Confession

One: Beloved, God promises us restoration and redemption. As pilgrims on the way, let us confess together that we often fall short of God's call to holiness.

All: Holy and loving Lord, we know that we often ignore your purpose for us. We forget the hope you have in us. We head toward paths of greed and envy, turning away from our neighbors in need so that we might satisfy ourselves. Forgive us when we fail to recognize your sacrifice of love, when we fail to hear your call, when we fail to live for others instead of only for ourselves. Lead us to repentance and to the grace of your kingdom. Amen.

Kyrie

**Lord, have mercy; Christ, have mercy;
Lord, have mercy upon us.**

**Lord, have mercy; Christ, have mercy;
Lord, have mercy upon us.**

Assurance of God's Grace

One: The light of God's love makes us a forgiven people. Repent and know that the grace of God is given freely to us.

All: The light of His love shines into the dark places of our world, healing its brokenness, and bringing hope to places of despair. By the grace of God, we are a forgiven people. Thanks be to God! Amen.

*Passing of the Peace

The peace of Christ be with you.
And also with you.

*Response of Praise

Love the Lord, Your God, pg. 62

Love the Lord your God with all your heart.
Love the Lord your God with all your soul.
Love the Lord your God with all your mind.
Love the Lord your God with all that you are.

The Word of God

Children's Message (11:00)

Barbara Kincer

Scriptures: Isaiah 58:1-9 (Pew Bible, pg. 600)
Matthew 5:13-20 (Pew Bible, pg. 786)

The Word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

Sermon

Dr. Scott Sikes

Y'all Are Salt and Light

Response to the Word

*Affirmation of Faith

I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic Church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting.

Amen.

***Hymn 757, verses 1,3,4** *Today We All Are Called to Be Disciples*

Invitation to Offering

Offertory

*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

Celebrations and Concerns

Prayers of the People and 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.

Sending and Service

***Hymn 79**

Light Dawns on a Weary World

***Benediction**

***Chiming of the Trinity and Postlude**