

WEEKLY OPPORTUNITIES

SUNDAY

Worship Services | 8:30am & 11:00am

Sunday School | 9:45am

Faith & Doctrine | *Covenant Theology* | The Chapel
 Emmaus | *Galatians* | Room 201
 The Bible Class | *The Gospel of John* | Room 205
 Barnabas | *Haggai, Zechariah, and Malachi* | Room 203-204
 Renewal Class | *How People Change* | Room 202
 Sojourners | *Gospel of Luke* | Room 206
 Homebuilders | *Spiritual Disciplines* | John Knox Room
 Explorers | Library
 Young Professionals | *Why Your Work Matters* | Fellowship Hall Room A
 College Hour | *Church* | Fellowship Hall
 Middle & High School | Youth House
 Club 56 | 5th-6th grade | Room 207
 Children's Sunday School | K-4th grade | Third Floor
 Nursery | 4 & under | 8:30am, 9:45am, & 11:00am | Nursery Area

Prayer Meeting | 5:00pm | Chapel

MONDAY

No Walls Bible Study | 7:00am | Room 201

Preschool | 9:00am

Prayer Group | 10:00am | Country Gardens

Caregivers' Support Group | 11:00am | Family Room

***IRFR** | Chess Club | 5:30pm | Club 56 Room

Trail Life | 6:30pm | Fellowship Hall

TUESDAY

Youth 626 | 6:26am | Chick-fil-A

Men's Bible Study (Dawn Patrol) | 6:30am | Fellowship Hall

Preschool | 9:00am

Story Time | 11:00am | Mission Thrift

***IRFR** | Rivermont Meals on Wheels | Contact John Lewis 434.515.3472

WEDNESDAY

Preschool | 9:00am

Rivermont Chimes & Praise Ringers | 4:30pm

Carillon | 5:15pm

Cherub, Chapel & New Song Choirs | 5:15pm

Rivermont Fellowship Night Meal | 5:55pm

Bible Classes | 6:30pm

Women's Study | Body & Soul | John Knox Room
 Men's Study | Ephesians | Room 201
 I AM Statements | Room 206
 Financial Freedom God's Way | Room 203-204
 Embrace Grace | Country Gardens
 Leadership | Room 205
 Missionary Prayer Meeting | Pastors' Lounge
 Together in Grace | Library
 Youth | 7th-12th grade | Quinlan
 Club 56 | Room 207
 1st-4th grade | Boys Room 301 | Girls Room 302

Sanctuary Choir | 6:30pm

THURSDAY

Women's Bible Study | 9:30am | Fellowship Hall

BRITE Class | 6:00pm | Room 205

SATURDAY

***IRFR** | Beginner Pickleball | 10:00am | Riverside Park

*In Rivermont For Rivermont

WELCOME TO RIVERMONT

Whether you are new to Lynchburg or new to Rivermont, we are so grateful the Lord has brought you to us this morning. We would love to invite you to fill out a Digital Connect Card by scanning the QR code into your mobile device. You can also fill out a Connect Card from the pew rack and place it in the offering plate.



NEXT STEPS

We invite you to take some additional steps to get more connected to Rivermont.

- Attend a Sunday School class at 9:45am between worship services.
- Join us for dinner on Wednesday nights (called Rivermont Fellowship Night).
- Join a Life Group, which meet throughout the week in member homes.
- Sign up for our next Getting To Know Rivermont class at www.rivermont.org/gtkr.

PASTORAL STAFF

David Weber Senior Pastor
 Shane Whelan Pastor of Discipleship & Administration
 Brett Eubank Pastor of Outreach & Connection

CHURCH STAFF

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CURRENT ELDERS

Clay Atkins	Kevin Hicks	Matt Schubert
Ken Bradford	Russ Matney	Andrew Shields
Randy Davy	Ben Moomaw	Chris Smith
Paul Denham	Ben Reeves	Earl Weaver

CURRENT DEACONS

Andrea Adams	Evan Harris	Ryan Pickard
Grant Barkley	Eric Harrison	Neil Selz
Beth Doan	Eddie Ivins	TJ Smiley
Claire Dodd	Ron Meng	Chris Steed
Baxter Gordon	Steve Mullen	Branson Terrell
Reid Goss	Drew Neiderer	Brad Weaver
Scott Hall	Wistar Nelligan III	Brandon White

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ORDER OF WORSHIP

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As the Prelude begins, prepare your heart for worship and please silence your mobile devices.

† Those who are able, please stand Lyrics and music reproduced under CCLI#64526

A Telecoil hearing assistance system is available for use with compatible hearing aids or cochlear implants. Step-by-step instructions are located in the Narthex.

THE SILENT PRAYER OF PREPARATION

Lord, as we prepare to worship You this morning, we would meditate and dwell on Your wonderful faithfulness. Great indeed is Your faithfulness. There is no shadow of turning with You. We pray that You would open our eyes this morning so that we might see You more clearly, and our ears that we may hear Your voice more clearly. Open also our hearts that we may eagerly respond to do what You call us to do. We ask these things in the name of Jesus, our Lord and Savior. Amen.

PRELUDE

God Walks With Me

Chapel Choir
Lori Flowers - Director; Hadley Jacobs - Accompanist
Benjamin Kornelis

God was there with me on the day I was born, God walks with me;
Just a little baby cradled safe and warm, God walks with me.
God walks with me, every day for the rest of my life.
God will be with me when the sun shines bright, God walks with me;
God will be with me in the darkest night, God walks with me.
God will be with me when I'm old and gray, God walks with me;
I'm gonna praise God every day! God walks with me!

THE WELCOME

Pastor Brett Eubank

† THE CALL TO WORSHIP | Psalm 111:1-3; 9-10 (responsively)

Praise the LORD!
I will give thanks to the LORD with my whole heart, in the company of the upright, in the congregation.
Great are the works of the LORD, studied by all who delight in them.
Full of splendor and majesty is His work, and His righteousness endures forever.
He sent redemption to His people;
He has commanded His covenant forever. Holy and awesome is His name!
The fear of the LORD is the beginning of wisdom; all those who practice it have a good understanding.
His praise endures forever!

† THE HYMN OF PRAISE | #101

TRINITY

Come, Thou Almighty King

† THE PRAYER OF ADORATION AND CONFESSION

† THE ASSURANCE OF PARDON

† THE ACCLAMATION OF PRAISE

SOLID ROCK

My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less (verse 1)
My hope is built on nothing less
Than Jesus' blood and righteousness;
I dare not trust the sweetest frame,
But wholly lean on Jesus' name.
On Christ, the solid Rock, I stand;
All other ground is sinking sand,
All other ground is sinking sand.

THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

11:00 | Cameron and Téa Harris present their son, Leon Wolfgang Harris, for baptism.

† THE FELLOWSHIP OF THE PEACE OF CHRIST

Welcome one another as Christ has welcomed you, for the glory of God | Romans 15:7 | Pre-K-1st grade may be dismissed for Children's Church to Room 115

THE READING OF HOLY SCRIPTURE | Acts 18:1-17 (p. 927)

THE PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

THE SERMON

Dr. David Weber

Courage Amid Discouragement

THE PRAYER FOR A RIGHT RESPONSE TO GOD'S WORD

† THE AFFIRMATION OF FAITH | The Apostles' Creed (in unison)

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.

† THE GLORIA

Glorify Your Name

Donna Adkins

Father, we love You, we praise You, we adore You:
Glorify Your name in all the earth!
Glorify Your name, glorify Your name,
Glorify Your name in all the earth!
(Repeat, using: Jesus and Spirit)

MOMENT FOR MISSION David Harker, Gideons International
(Make checks payable to Gideons International)

THE PASTORAL PRAYER, concluding with THE LORD'S PRAYER (in unison)

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.

THE RECEPTION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

THE OFFERTORY ANTHEM

8:30 | *Let Us Ever Walk With Jesus*

Sanctuary Choir
Miriam Amos - organ
arr. Dan Forrest

Let us ever walk with Jesus, follow His example pure,
Through a world that would deceive us,
Where to sin our hearts are lured.
Ever in His footsteps treading, living here, yet home above,
Full of faith and hope and love, let us do our Father's bidding.
Faithful Lord, abide with me. Savior, lead, I follow Thee.
Let us also die with Jesus, by His cross He conquer'd death,
Freed us from our souls' destruction,
Quickened us with life's new breath.
Let us mortify, while living, self and pride, and die to sin.
And the grave that shuts us in shall prove the gate to heaven.
Jesus, here I die to Thee, there to dwell eternally.
Let us gladly live with Jesus, He is risen from the dead.
Death is swallowed up in vict'ry, Jesus, Thou art now our Head.
Living members of Thy Body, where Thou livest, we shall be.
Thou wilt keep us constantly. Even so, dear Lord, come quickly,
Jesus, here I live to Thee. There to dwell eternally.
Let us ever walk with Jesus.

11:00 | *This Is Amazing Grace*

Who breaks the power of sin and darkness?
Whose love is mighty and so much stronger?
The King of glory, the King above all kings.
Who shakes the whole earth with holy thunder?
And leaves us breathless in awe and wonder?
The King of glory, the King above all kings.
This is amazing grace, this is unfailing love;
That You would take my place, that You would bear my cross.
You laid down Your life that I would be set free;
Oh, Jesus, I sing for all that You've done for me.
Who brings our chaos back into order?
Who makes the orphans a son and daughter?
The King of glory, the King of glory.
Who rules the nations with truth and justice?
Shines like the sun in all of its brilliance?
The King of glory, the King above all kings.
Worthy is the Lamb Who was slain,
Worthy is the King Who conquered the grave.

Praise Ringers
Hadley Jacobs - Director
arr. P. Bettcher

† THE DOXOLOGY

Praise God from Whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

† OFFERTORY PRAYER (in unison)

Almighty and most merciful Father, we give You praise and thanks for all Your mercies: for Your goodness that created us; for Your bounty that sustains us; for Your discipline that corrects us; for Your patience that bears with us; and for Your love that has redeemed us. Grant us also, we pray, a heart to love You; and, by Your Spirit's power, enable us to show our thankfulness in lives of joyful service. Bless this offering for the sake of Your kingdom, for we offer these gifts in the name of Him Who loved us and gave Himself for us: Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord. Amen.

† THE HYMN OF RESPONSE | (see insert)

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† THE BENEDICTION

† THE CONGREGATIONAL AND CHORAL AMEN

A-men, A-men, A-men!

† POSTLUDE

Carillon Francais

Craig A. Penfield

The flowers under the cross today are given to the glory of God and in celebration of Peyton Elizabeth Ferguson and Lapsley Glass Denham who were united in marriage yesterday in the REPC Sanctuary.

REPC Members, Thank you for such tremendous support of our new family shelter! We are so grateful to have been the recipients of the Christmas fund this year! Your support will go a long way in ensuring that families with children have a safe, welcoming place to go when a crisis hits. - Sarah Quarantotto, Miriam's House