

WEEKLY OPPORTUNITIES

SUNDAY

Worship Services | 8:30am & 11:00am
Nursery | 8:30am, 9:45am, & 11:00am | Nursery Area
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
Prayer Meeting | 5:00pm | Chapel

MONDAY

No Walls Bible Study | 7:00am | Room 201
Preschool | 9:00am
Prayer Group | 10:00am | Country Gardens
Story Time | 11:00am | Riverside Park
 *IRFR | Chess Club | 5:30pm | Club 56 Room

TUESDAY

Youth 626 | 6:26am | Chick-fil-A
Men's Bible Study (Dawn Patrol) | 6:30am | Fellowship Hall
Preschool | 9:00am
60+ Luncheon | 11:30am | Charley's Restaurant
 *IRFR | Rivermont Meals on Wheels | Contact John Lewis 434.515.3472
Deacons' Meeting | 6:15pm | John Knox
Officers' Prayer Meeting | 7:00pm | John Knox
Session Meeting | 7:30pm | John Knox

WEDNESDAY

Preschool | 9:00am
Rivermont Chimes & Praise Ringers | 4:30pm
Carillon | 5:15pm
Cherub, Chapel & New Song Choirs | 5:15pm
Young Professionals' Potluck | 5:45pm | Rivermont Room A
Sanctuary Choir | 6:30pm

THURSDAY

BRITE Class | 6:00pm | Room 205
Men's Pig Pickin' | 6:30pm | Fellowship Hall

FRIDAY

Getting to Know Rivermont | 6:00pm | Country Gardens

SATURDAY

Getting to Know Rivermont | 8:30am | Country Gardens
 *IRFR | Rivermont United Soccer | 9:45am | Kingston Field
 *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

Peggy Bettcher Director of Music Ministry
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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

ALMIGHTY GOD, nothing is too difficult for You! Renew our minds by the power of Your Spirit with the truth of Your Word! Fill our hearts with love for You, zeal for Your kingdom, and a fervent desire to serve You. Grant us the grace now to worship You in spirit and in truth. Replace our apathy with passion, fear with faith, and despair with hope. And to Your great name be all the honor and glory, now and forever; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

PRELUDE

Hadley Jacobs - organ
arr. Rex Koury

8:30 | *It Is Well With My Soul*

When peace, like a river, attendeth my way,
When sorrows like sea billows roll;
Whatever my lot, Thou hast taught me to say,
"It is well, it is well with my soul."

O Lord, haste the day when the faith shall be sight,
The clouds be rolled back as a scroll,
The trump shall resound and the Lord shall descend,
"Even so" - it is well with my soul.

11:00 | *Behold Our God*

New Song
Else Frazier - Director
Sarah Vo - Accompanist
arr. Mary McDonald

Who has held the oceans in His hands?
Who has numbered every grain of sand?
Kings and nations tremble at His voice.
All creation rises to rejoice!
Behold our God, seated on His throne;
Come, let us adore Him!
Behold our King, nothing can compare;
Come, let us adore Him!
Who has given counsel to the Lord?
Who can question any of His words?
Who can teach the One Who knows all things?
Who can fathom all His wondrous deeds?
You will reign forever; let Your glory fill the earth.
Who has felt the nails upon His hands,
Bearing all the guilt of sinful man?
God eternal, humbled to the grave,
Jesus, Savior, risen now to reign.

THE WELCOME

Pastor Brett Eubank

† THE CALL TO WORSHIP | Matthew 11:28-30 (responsively)

*Come to Me, all who labor and are heavy laden,
And I will give you rest.
Take My yoke upon you, and learn from Me.
For I am gentle and lowly in heart,
And you will find rest for your souls.
For My yoke is easy, and My burden is light.*

† THE HYMN OF PRAISE | #30

ST. ANNE

Our God, Our Help in Ages Past

† THE PRAYER OF ADORATION AND CONFESSION

† THE ASSURANCE OF PARDON

† THE ACCLAMATION OF PRAISE | #252

HAMBURG

When I Survey the Wondrous Cross

† 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 22:22-23:22 (p. 932)

THE PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

THE SERMON

Dr. David Weber

Trusting God's Purposes

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

GREATOREX

Praise and Glory to the Father

Praise and glory to the Father, praise and glory to the Son,
Praise and glory to the Spirit: ever Three and ever One;
One in might and One in glory, while unending ages run!

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

New Song
Else Frazier - Director
Sarah Vo - Accompanist
arr. Mary McDonald

THE OFFERTORY ANTHEM

8:30 | *Behold Our God*

11:00 | *Seek Ye First*

Rivermont Chimes
Noah Caldwell - Director
arr. P. Bettcher

Seek ye first the Kingdom of God
And His righteousness.
And all these things shall be added unto you,
Allelu, Alleluia.

† 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 gracious Father, we give You thanks and praise for all Your goodness to us and over all creation; but above all we give thanks for the gift of Your only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ, in Whom alone we have life and peace and everlasting joy. Trusting in Him, our Savior, we offer our hearts to You, eagerly and entirely, with joy and gratitude; and we pray that You will bless and multiply these tokens of our lives, and use them for the sake of Your kingdom throughout the earth; for the glory of Your name. Amen.

† THE HYMN OF RESPONSE | #642

SLANE

Be Thou My Vision

† THE BENEDICTION

† THE CONGREGATIONAL AND CHORAL AMEN

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

† POSTLUDE

J. S. Bach

Fanfare Fugue