

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
Youth SNL | 6:00pm | Youth House

MONDAY

No Walls Bible Study | 7:00am | Room 201
Preschool | 9:00am
Prayer Group | 10:00am | Country Gardens
Caregivers' Support | 11:00am | Family Room
 *IRFR | Story Time | 11:00am | Riverside Park
 *IRFR | Chess Club | 5:30pm | Club 56 Room
Trail Life | 6:30pm | Fellowship Hall

TUESDAY

Men's Bible Study (Dawn Patrol) | 6:30am | Fellowship Hall
Preschool | 9:00am
 *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
Sanctuary Choir | 6:30pm

FRIDAY

New River Presbytery Meeting | First Evangelical Presbyterian Church, Roanoke, VA

SATURDAY

New River Presbytery Meeting | First Evangelical Presbyterian Church, Roanoke, VA
 *IRFR | Red Truck Ministry | 9:00am | Rivermont Baptist Church
Youth Strings Rehearsal | 9:30am | Choir Room
 *IRFR | Beginner Pickleball | 10:00am | Riverside Park

*In Rivermont For Rivermont

General Fund as of March 31, 2026

Budget to date:	\$1,651,424
Ahead of Budget:	\$297,632
Year-to-date contributions:	\$1,949,056
Year-to-date expenses:	\$1,586,781
Contributions Ahead of Expenses:	\$362,275

Session minutes from our monthly and called meetings are available for review by confirmed members in the church office. Please contact Janet Freshour 434.846.3441 if you would like to schedule a time for review.

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
 Cam Colquitt Regional Director of Campus Outreach
 Katherine Colquitt Director of Women's Ministry
 Jennifer Eaton Director of Neighborhood Outreach
 George Everson Office Assistant
 Janet Freshour Pastoral Administrative Assistant
 Davis Hester Director of Student Ministry
 Cecil Jackson Security
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 Skylar Montrose Director of Communications and Technology
 Kelly Nelson Business Administrator
 Treasa Plude Director of Preschool
 Adrienne Scruggs Care Ministry Coordinator
 Liza Shields Director of Children's Ministry
 Donna Sligh Building Superintendent
 Nicole Strubhar Nursery Supervisor

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

April 26, 2026

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

Gracious Lord, we humbly ask Your blessing upon this worship service, that by Your power we may worship You in spirit and in truth, and truly honor You. May Your glory be magnified, may Your name be exalted, and may we find our greatest joy in You. Pour out Your Holy Spirit upon us afresh: to strengthen the fainthearted, encourage the weak, comfort the suffering, and call us all into renewed faith and committed discipleship; to the glory of Your name. Amen.

PRELUDE

8:30 | *Voluntary in G*

Henry Heron

11:00 | *Only My Best for God*

Chapel Choir
Lori Flowers - Director
Noah Caldwell - Accompanist
Carlos Richter

Just like the widow at the temple who gave all she possessed. With only two coins, she was determined to give her very best. Jesus gathered His disciples and taught them this one thing: When God is truly Master, you will give Him ev'rything. Only my best for God, only my best for God; Even when discouraged, I will do my part. For He alone is worthy and to Him belongs my heart. Because only my best is good enough for God. What can I bring to God, my Father, giver of all things? He is Creator, my Provider, and He is my King. What can I give to Him, my Lord, even when I fall? With gratitude and humbleness I will give Him my all. Take my life and let it be consecrated, Lord, to Thee. Take my heart, it is Thine own; it shall be Thy royal throne.

THE WELCOME

Cam Colquitt

† THE CALL TO WORSHIP | Psalm 132:7-9 (responsively)

*Let us go to His dwelling place.
Let us worship at His footstool!
Arise, O LORD, and go to Your resting place, You and the ark of Your might.
Let Your priests be clothed with righteousness, and let Your saints shout for joy.*

† THE HYMN OF PRAISE | #100

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Holy, Holy, Holy!

† THE PRAYER OF ADORATION AND CONFESSION

† THE ASSURANCE OF PARDON

† THE ACCLAMATION OF PRAISE

HYFRYDOL

*Jesus! What a Friend for Sinners! (v.5)
Jesus! I do now receive Him, more than all in Him I find;
He hath granted me forgiveness, I am His, and He is mine.
Hallelujah! What a Savior! Hallelujah! What a Friend!
Saving, helping, keeping, loving, He is with me to the end.*

† 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

ANTHEM FOR PREPARATION FOR THE WORD

Praise Him Medley

Cherub Choir
Amy Hall - Director
Patty Jennings - Accompanist
Chester G. Allen

Praise Him! praise Him! Jesus, our blessed Redeemer!
Sing, O earth, His wonderful love proclaim!
Hail Him! hail Him! highest archangels in glory;
Strength and honor give to His holy name!
Like a shepherd, Jesus will guard His children,
In His arms He carries them all day long:
Praise Him! praise Him! tell of His excellent greatness;
Praise Him! praise Him! ever in joyful song.
Praise Him! praise Him! all ye little children,
God is love, God is love.
Thank Him, thank Him, all ye little children,
God is love, God is love.
Praise Him! praise Him! Jesus, our blessed Redeemer!
For our sins He suffered and bled and died;
He our Rock, our hope of eternal salvation,
Hail Him! hail Him! Jesus the Crucified.
Sound His praises! Jesus who bore our sorrows,
Love unbounded, wonderful, deep, and strong.
Praise Him! praise Him! tell of His excellent greatness!
Praise Him! praise Him! ever in joyful song!
Praise Him! thank Him! ever in joyful song!

THE READING OF HOLY SCRIPTURE | Acts 24:1-27 (p. 933)

THE PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

THE SERMON

Dr. David Weber

Indecision

THE PRAYER FOR A RIGHT RESPONSE TO GOD'S WORD

† THE AFFIRMATION OF FAITH | THE NICENE CREED (in unison)

We believe in one God, the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth and of all things visible and invisible; And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of His Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God, begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father; by Whom all things were made; Who, for us and our salvation, came down from heaven, and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary, and was made man; and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate; He suffered and was buried; and the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures, and ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father; and He shall come again, with glory, to judge both the living and the dead; Whose kingdom shall have no end. And we believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and Giver of life, Who proceeds from the Father and the Son; Who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified; Who spoke by the prophets; and we believe in one holy catholic and apostolic church; we acknowledge one baptism for the remission of sins; and we look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

† THE GLORIA

GREATOREX

Gloria Patri

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, World without end! A—men, A—men!

MOMENT FOR MISSION | Red Truck Ministry

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 | *Only My Best for God*

Chapel Choir
Lori Flowers - Director
Noah Caldwell - Accompanist
Carlos Richter

11:00 | *Do You Love My Lord?*

Is there anybody here who loves my Jesus?
Anybody here who loves my Lord?
I want to know, yes, I want to know, do you love my Lord?
My soul feels happy when I love my Jesus,
My soul feels happy when I love the Lord.
Makes me feel like shoutin' when I love my Jesus.
Makes me feel like singin' when I love my Lord.
Tell it on the mountain that you love my Jesus.
Tell it in the valley that you love my Lord.

Chapel Choir
Lori Flowers - Director
Noah Caldwell - Accompanist
Carlos Richter

Sanctuary Choir
Roy L. Belfield, Jr.

† 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. In His name, we offer our hearts to You, eagerly and entirely; 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; to the glory of Your name. Amen.

† THE HYMN OF RESPONSE | (see insert)

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By Faith

† THE BENEDICTION

† THE CONGREGATIONAL AND CHORAL AMEN

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

† POSTLUDE

Charles W. Ore

Lift High the Cross

The flowers under the cross today are given by David & Megan Dinsmore to the glory of God and in loving memory of Sue Ann Dinsmore on her birthday, April 13.