



Order of Worship

First Sunday in Lent

8:30 & 10:45 AM – February 18, 2018



*Welcome to worship on this first Sunday in Lent.
May our faith be strengthened by our prayers, songs and devotion.*

As we enter our Service, please be in an *attitude* of Worship.

Chapel Service - "Bless His Holy Name"
Sanctuary Service - "10,000 Reasons" (screen)

* TIME OF GREETING
ANNOUNCEMENTS
INVOCATION

THE PRELUDE – "Take Up Your Cross"
-By Freeman Lewis

* CALL TO WORSHIP – II John Verse 6
"And this is Love, that we walk after his commandments.
This is the commandment, that, as ye have heard from
the beginning, ye should walk in it."

*OPENING HYMN – 158
"Come, Christians, Join to Sing"

MISSIONS MOMENT – Jeff Barton – Impact Services

THE ADULT CHOIR – The Anthem

CONGREGATIONAL PRAISE AND CONCERNS
THE QUIET TIME – PRAYER – OUR LORD'S PRAYER

THE OFFERTORY – arranged by Paul Manz
"Dearest Jesus, at Your Word"

*THE DOXOLOGY - 95

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

* THE SCRIPTURE READINGS: (screen)
OLD TESTAMENT– Exodus 15:22-27
GOSPEL LESSON – John 11:22-39
This is the Word from the Lord
THANKS BE TO GOD.

* THE GLORIA PATRI - 70

Children may be dismissed for 2nd hour.

HYMN OF PREPARATION – 177 – "He is Lord"

MESSAGE - "But He Needs a Bath"
Pastor P. Douglas George

INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP

* CLOSING HYMN – 159 – "Lift High the Cross"

* BENEDICTION

* POSTLUDE- "Postlude on O Love How Deep"
- arranged by Edward Broughton

The Worship Committee thanks everyone
who participated in the survey last week.

As a result of your input, the Easter Sunday
(April 1st) schedule is:

- 6:30 a.m. – Sunrise Service in Youth Room
- 7:15 a.m. – Continental Breakfast in Youth Room
- 8:30 a.m. – Devotional Gathering in Chapel
- 9:15 a.m. – Coffee Hour in Sanctuary
- 9:30 a.m. – Sunday School for all
- 10:30 a.m. – Music Prelude in Sanctuary
- 10:45 a.m. – All Church Service in Sanctuary

There will be coffee and treats following the
10:45 a.m. service available in the Sanctuary.
Please stay and mix and mingle and get to know
the folks from other services and also our guests.

SERVING TODAY

COFFEE HOUR - 9:15am (Faithful Hearts)
GREETERS: Lora Herbert & Christine Toporcer
ACOLYTES: Isabella Stewart & Kendall McClish
2nd HOUR HELPERS: Christine Toporcer & Lora Herbert
NURSERY: Lisa Toy & Ginny Huffman
READERS FOR FEBRUARY: Chapel – Karen Zeigler
Sanctuary – Erin Coe
USHERS - Chapel: Bill Sedlacek & Louis Huffman
Sanctuary: Ron Shively, Jim Forney, Larry Oesch,
Jerry Tausch, Brian Schell, Mike Popa, Bob Floor
USHERS FOR FEBRUARY 25th – Team #4, Guiler
DRIVERS FOR JANUARY – Jim Mueller & Mike Waterbeck
ALTAR CHAIR FOR FEBRUARY -

Welcome!

*If you are a guest with us today, we would be honored
to have you sign our guest book at the Welcome Center.*

Prayer Concerns: Written concerns can be submitted to
the office by calling 330-337-9531 or office@firstumcsalem.org
**Gary & Kay Davidson, Norm & Jean Oyster, Terri Sims,
Terri Spack**

*The flowers on the altar today are given by Eva Rae
Cody in honor of June Botu's 90th birthday.*



**The Easter Egg Hunt is set for Saturday,
March 31st at 10 a.m. in South Parking Lot.**
(It will be indoors if the weather is inclement.)
We need candy! The C.E. Committee has placed a
candy receptacle in the Sanctuary.
Your donations would be greatly appreciated.
Please see Barb Irwin for more details.



February 11, 2018

Attendance:

8:30 – 38

10:45 – 100

11:00 – 27

Giving:

Unified Budget: \$5,217.00

Specified: \$ 487.52

Total Offering: \$5,704.52

It takes \$6,526 towards the Unified Budget each week to meet our budgetary needs.



Rev. P. Douglas George,
Senior Pastor

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Jeff Barton, Youth Director

Office Hours: 2-4 p.m. on Tuesday

jlbarton@student.vsu.edu

John Fitch – “Hearts on Fire” Pastor

David Sigman – Pastor of Visitation

Cristina Huffman – Office Manager

Yvonne Bennett – Church Treasurer

Linda Peterson – Organist

Chris Brown – Director of Music

Rick Menough – Maintenance

Charles Ruble – House Keeper

This Weeks Calendar

Sunday, February 18

8:30 a.m. Chapel – 9:30 a.m. Sunday School

8:45 a.m. – Faithful Hearts

10:45 a.m. Worship-Sanctuary

11:00 a.m. “Hearts on Fire” Worship – Fellowship Hall

Monday, February 19

6:30 p.m. – Cub Scouts

7 p.m. – Boy Scouts

Tuesday, February 20

8 a.m. – Prayer in Chapel

4:30 p.m. – Young Adult Bible Study (Café)

6 p.m. – Peace Ringers

7 p.m. – Dulci More

Wednesday, February 21

6 a.m. - Men’s Bible (Meeting Room)

9 a.m. – Women’s Bible (Parlor)

1 p.m. – Hearth & Home

5:15 p.m. – Kids’ Club (Please use South Entrance)

5:45 p.m. – Youth Group (Youth Room)

6:30 p.m. – Lenten Bible Study (Café)

7 p.m. – Kid’s Bells

7 p.m. – H.O.F. Praise Team

Thursday, February 22

10 a.m. to 12 p.m. – Clothes Pantry (Balcony Level)

1 p.m. – Bertie Hanson Circle

7 p.m. – Sanctuary Praise Team

8 p.m. – Adult Choir

Saturday, February 24

8 a.m. – Men’s Breakfast (Café)

Sunday, February 25

8:30 a.m. Chapel – 9:30 a.m. Sunday School

10:45 a.m. Worship-Sanctuary

11:00 a.m. “Hearts on Fire” Worship – Fellowship Hall

ANNOUNCEMENT

The deadline for the April 2018 Mirror is March 15th.

It’s not too late to join Pastor’s Lenten Bible Study. This small group meets on Wednesday evenings at 6:30 p.m. in the Café. Please see Pastor George for details.

Fred Bennett is working to help organize a Men’s Mission Trip to Hattiesburg, MS March 14th -18th. Men aged 18 and older are eligible. The deadline to register is March 1st. Please see Fred for details or go to firstumcsalem.org for more information.

The next Concert of Prayer will be held on Saturday, March 3rd at 9 a.m. in the Chapel. This Concert of Prayer will be in advance on the Pentecost Retreat to be held April 20th and 21st. Please see Pastor George for details.

A.L.I.C.E. Training is planned for Saturday, March 10th at 9 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall. All Ushers, Sunday School Teachers, Nursery Workers, and those that work with Children and Youth Ministries are encouraged to attend. Please see Pastor George or Mary Jo Kidd for details.

It would be great to see some new faces at the Welcome Center. If you can stay after the 10:45 a.m. Sanctuary Service for a few minutes to greet members and visitors, it would be greatly appreciated. Please see Pat Mosley for details.

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Worship Services 8:30 & 10:45 am
Sunday School 9:30
Youth: Wednesday’s from 5:45 to 7 p.m.



To make disciples of
Jesus Christ for the
transformation of the
world.

Welcome to the Fortress of Faith