

NRPC NEWS AND EVENTS

Anniversaries: John & Vidalia Patterson, 7/7

Birthdays: Michael Grovenstein, 7/8; Patty Sharer, 7/8; Julia Stowe, 7/9; Charmane Dail, 7/10; Keith Boyd, 7/13; Sue Karnatz, 7/13

Today we Commission our ASP missionaries:

Dave Albert	Hugh Fitzpatrick	Jeff Stowe
Margaret Albert	Gage Gordon	Julia Stowe
Scott Allen	Andrew Grimes	Brian Taylor
Janie Chamberlin	Joey Johnson	Elaine Taylor
Jenny Dove	Virginia Johnson	Melissa Taylor
Kent Dove	Bob Lippard	Maddie Worth
Glenna Durbin	John Murphy	Ashley Wright

Tuesday Morning Bible Study Please meet Tuesday, July 10th in the library. We will begin chapter 2 in the book of Ruth.

Reschedule Sanctuary Spruce Up Day In order to verify there are not any issues completing clean up in advance of the funeral on July 14th, the Worship committee is looking for a new date for the clean up day. Please stay tuned.

Cookies and Conversation July 15 Please plan to attend following the worship service.

ASP Outreach Offering through July 15 If you would like to participate in a gift to the Appalachia Service Project, please write a check to NRPC in whatever amount you can and write ASP gift on the memo line. You can simply put it in the collection plate. Any amount is greatly appreciated and will be put to enormous use by the ASP staff in Chavies, Kentucky.

Please see the Bulletin Board in the Faith Ministries Building See where the NRPC family is travelling this summer! Let us also remember each other in prayer this busy summer vacation season.

NRPC Church Homecoming October 7, 2018. Mark your calendars for our first ever Homecoming. If you are interested in being a part of planning this celebration, please email Janet Livengood at janetblivengood77@gmail.com.

THIS WEEK AT NRPC

Sunday 7/8	9:15 AM – 10:15 AM	Summer Sunday School (M) (T1); (F)
	10:30 AM	Worship (S)
Monday 7/9	11:00 AM	Staff Meeting (A)
Tuesday 7/10	10:30 AM – 11:30 AM	Tuesday Morning Bible Study (L)
Wednesday 7/11		
Thursday 7/12	7:00 PM – 8:00 PM	Nominating Committee (L)
Friday 7/13	7:15 AM – 8:00 AM	Men's Bible Study (L)
Saturday 7/14	2:00 PM	WTR Jane Pitcher (S)
Sunday 7/15	9:15 AM-10:15 AM	Summer Sunday School (M) (T1);(F)
	10:30 AM	Worship (S)

Locations Legend:

F=Faith Ministries Building	S=Sanctuary; N=Narthex
L=Library	T1, T2=East Trailer
A=Admin Office	T3, T4=Southwest Trailer
P=Pastor Office	T5, T6=Northwest Trailer
E=Educator Office	M=Multiple locations

The Chancel Flowers are presented to the glory of God and in memory of Samira Ishaq's late husband, George Ashoo.

We welcome our Guest Organist, Melissa Daubenspeck, back to the bench to lead worship today.

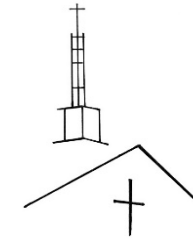
Leading and supporting worship today:

Preacher: Lisa Hebacker	Acolyte: Henry Bennett
Liturgist: Judy Dove	Usher Captain: Pam Homolya
Director of Music: Terri Nicotera	Elder in Charge: Lee Mabry
Guest Organist: Melissa Daubenspeck	Sound Technician: Chuck Nicotera
Chancel Guild: Jamie Gordon	Prayer Deacon: Debbi Freer

Ministers: All the Congregation

Pastor: Lisa Hebacker	LisaHebacker@nrleighpc.org
Director of CE: Brandon Melton	BrandonMelton@nrleighpc.org
Director of Music: Terri Nicotera	TerriNicotera@msn.com
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**North Raleigh
Presbyterian Church**
Seventh Sunday after Pentecost
July 8, 2018



We extend a warm welcome to our guests!

We are glad that you are worshipping with us. Please visit our table in the Narthex that we may extend to you a personal welcome from the people of North Raleigh Presbyterian Church.

Childcare is available in the nursery located in the Faith Ministries Building.

Children's bulletins and Bibles are located at the back of the sanctuary, as are hearing assistance devices and large print bulletins.

The mission of North Raleigh Presbyterian Church is to be a welcoming community serving Jesus Christ through engaged discipleship.

GATHERING

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

*Please find the Friendship Pad near the aisle
and pass it down the pew so all may sign.*

PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP

Book of Common Worship

*Great and glorious God,
in your wisdom you created us,
in Jesus Christ you came to redeem us,
and through your Holy Spirit you guide and sanctify us.
Give us breath to sing of your majesty,
and with all creation,
praise you as the true life of all. Amen.*

PRELUDE

Gavotte

Arcangelo Corelli

*Anna Rose Patterson, violin; Michael Patterson, piano
As the acolyte processes with the light,
we welcome the presence of Jesus Christ, light of the world,
into our worship.*

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 150

One: Hallelujah! Praise God in the holy temple;
give praise in the firmament of heaven

**All: Praise God who is mighty indeed;
give praise for God's excellent greatness.**

One: Praise God with the blast of the ram's-horn;
give praise with lyre and harp.

**All: Praise God with timbrel and dance;
give praise with strings and pipe.**

One: Praise God with resounding cymbals;
give praise with loud-clanging cymbals.

**All: Let everything that has breath praise the Lord.
Hallelujah!**

*HYMN 65

Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah

*PRAYER OF CONFESSION

*Following the Call to Confession
please observe a moment of silent confession.*

**Holy, triune God, we confess that we have not lived for your glory.
You sent prophets to teach us, but we have not listened to them.
You sent your Son to save us, but we ignore your living Word.
Forgive us, God of grace. By your power at work within us remove
our faithlessness and restore our faith; through Jesus Christ our
Lord. Amen.**

*DECLARATION OF GOOD NEWS

One: Friends, in the name of Jesus Christ,
we are loved, accepted, forgiven and freed.

All: Thanks be to God.

*THE PEACE

One: The peace of Christ be with you.

All: And also with you!

One: Please share the peace of Christ with your neighbors.

*RESPONSE OF PRAISE 630 (v.1) Fairest Lord Jesus

**Fairest Lord Jesus, Ruler of all nature,
O thou of God to earth come down,
thee will I cherish, thee will I honor,
thou, my soul's glory, joy, and crown.**

PROCLAIMING

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON

Ezekiel 2:1-5

ANTHEM

He's Got the Whole World in His Hands

M. Bonds

Vidalia Patterson, soprano; Venessa Kelley, piano

GOSPEL LESSON

Mark 6:1-13

SHARING THE FAITH WITH THE YOUNGER CHURCH

SERMON

Rendered Powerless

*HYMN 726

Will You Come and Follow Me

RESPONDING

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

Study Catechism

One: What do we mean when we pray, "Your kingdom come"?

**All: We ask God to come and rule among us through faith, love
and justice. We pray for both the church and the world, that
God will rule in our hearts through faith, in our personal
relationships through love, and in our institutional affairs
through justice.**

One: What do we mean when we pray, "Your will be done, on
earth as in heaven"?

**All: Of course, God's will is always done, and will surely come to
pass, whether we desire it or not. But the phrase "on earth as
in heaven" means that we ask for the grace to do God's will
on earth in the way that it is done in heaven — gladly and
from the heart. We yield ourselves, in life and in death, to
God's will.**

**All who are able, please stand.*

Please silence all electronic devices.

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.**

INVITATION TO DISCIPLESHIP

One: Sisters and Brothers, I present to you these persons whom we
have commissioned to participate in the Appalachia Service
Project. They are representatives of Christ and the church. I
commend them to you for your love, your care, your prayers,
and your support for the work that they will perform.

**All: We rejoice to recognize you as representatives of our
church, and thank God for your dedication and your gift of
service. We send you on with our prayers and our support,
and with you, we renew our commitment to God and service
in the name of our Lord, Jesus Christ. We pray God's
blessings for you and the Appalachia Service Project. Amen.**

PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Offertory

Sonata in E-flat

Mozart

Vidalia Patterson & Venessa Kelley, violins

*DOXOLOGY 2 (v.4) *Come, Thou Almighty King*

**To thee, great one in Three,
eternal praises be, hence evermore!
Thy sovereign majesty may we in glory see,
and to eternity love and adore.**

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

SENDING

*HYMN 746

Send Me, Jesus

*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

Rondo-Fanfare

Jean-Joseph Mouret

*As the acolyte recesses with the light,
we affirm that Jesus Christ, the light of the world,
leads us out for discipleship.*

CHIMING OF THE TRINITY

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