

CULPEPER PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH MORNING WORSHIP

November 19th – Festival of First Fruits

A nursery for children birth through age 4 is located on the first floor of the Fellowship Hall across Locust Street, the Elders will gladly show you the way.
Bathrooms are located across the street in the Fellowship Hall.

Rev. Joseph W. Taber IV, Minister

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHIMING OF THE HOUR

*GREETING ONE ANOTHER

INTROIT *I Have Been Blessed* Chancel Choir
By Michael Compton

*CALL TO WORSHIP- From Psalm 65 Leah Taber, Liturgist

Leader: God of Zion, to you even silence is praise.

People: You listen to prayer, and all living things come to you.

Leader: How happy is the one you choose to bring close,

People: We are filled full by the goodness of your house

Leader: In righteousness you answer us, God of our salvation.

People: You make the gateways of morning and evening sing for joy.

All: Let us worship God!

*HYMN- #790 We Gather Together

PRAYER OF CONFESSION- Luke 17

Jesus, Master, show us mercy! Our bodies carry the scars of the sins of our spirit. We internalize our darkness until we lash out and wound one another. Cleanse us and restore loving relationships among us, so that we can be one body in Christ. Fill our hearts with praise and our minds with thankfulness!

Pause for silent prayer

Amen

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Leader: Friends, believe the good news of the Gospel.

People: In Jesus Christ we are forgiven.

*GLORIA- #813 Glory Be to the Father (Greatorex)

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION Leah Taber, Liturgist

OLD TESTAMENT READING- Deuteronomy 8:7-18 Leah Taber, Liturgist

ANTHEM *Thanks Be to God* Chancel Choir
Based upon the traditional Irish melody "Londonderry Air"
Arranged with new words by Sheldon Curry
Tammy Buckalew- Flute

CHILDREN'S SERMON

EPISTLE READING- II Corinthians 9:6-15

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THE FESTIVAL OF FIRST FRUITS

*HYMN- #794 Let All Things Now Living

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH- The Apostles' Creed

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.

OFFERING Leah Taber, Liturgist

OFFERTORY *Thank You Lord*
By Don Moen
Barbara Fleming, Cheryl Jarvis, and Waverley Lee

*DOXOLOGY

PRAYER OF DEDICATION Leah Taber, Liturgist

SPECIAL MUSIC *Great Is Thy Faithfulness* Adult Handbells
By William Marion Runyan, Arranged by Mitchell Eithun

Continued...

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

Leader: In joy and in sorrow

People: We will never walk alone

Leader:... we ask all this in the name of Christ Jesus who taught us to pray saying...

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. 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, the power, and the glory forever, amen.

*HYMN- #788 Now Thank We All Our God

*INVITATION AND BENEDICTION IN WORDS AND MUSIC

Jehovah Jireh

Philippians 4:19

By Merla Watson

Chancel Choir

*POSTLUDE

*All who are able, please stand

Bold print indicates unison reading

