

October 1, 2023

“UNFILTERED: A Mystery No More”

Notes from today’s message:

God’s “Open Secret” ...

- Christ _____ is the _____ of glory. Verse 1:27
- Christ is for _____. Verse 1.28a
- In Christ we can become truly _____. Verse 1:28b

In Christ we can _____ even in _____. Verses 1:24

PRAYER LIST

Prayer List Policy: We will leave each name on the list for 3 weeks.
* First week; ** 2nd week; *** Final week unless otherwise requested.

Rachel Burkett, Mark Deane, James Holt, Beth Smith, Vickie Smith, Francis Berger, Claude Berger, Susan Ratliff, Tayler Tennant, Parker Davis, Don Nodtvedt, Ann Jennings, Judy Bryant, Sylvia Whitten, Rachel Whitt, our Church, *Family of Jay Thomas, *George Carter, *Family of Sam Bowen, *Adrey Stevens, *Family of Helen Harris, **Mary Connor, **Family of Donald Ricketts, **Oleida Edge, ***Family of Hazel Tucker, ***Family of Steve Salmon, ***Family of Barbara Hall, ***Nancy South, ***Family of Peggy Ann Crumpler, all impacted by gun violence, all impacted by climate change and natural disasters, all affected by the war in Ukraine, our Fairview leadership, our government officials, and our teachers, administrators, parents, and students.

Remember those in Nursing Homes & Assisted Living Facilities:

Inova Loudoun Nursing & Rehab, Leesburg, VA: Donna Coleman

Stratford House: Nancy Weatherford

Roman Eagle: Becky Harris

Remember our servicemen and servicewomen:

Rev. Tammie Crews
Sherry Sharpe

Ryan Duffy
Andrew Nodtvedt

Jonathan Patterson
Aidan Hall

THIS WEEK AT FAIRVIEW

Sunday, October 1

- 8:30 am Contemporary Worship
- 9:45 am Sunday School for All Ages
- 9:45 am The Connection
- 11:00 am Traditional Worship
- 4:00 pm JUMP for K-5th Graders
- 5:15 pm Youth Group

Monday, October 2

- 5:45 pm Trustees Meeting
- 6:30 pm Nominations Committee

Tuesday, October 3

- 6:30 pm Cub Scouts
- 7:00 pm Boy Scouts

Wednesday, October 4

- 11:00 am Pastor’s AM Bible Study
- 6:00 pm Pastor’s PM Bible Study
- 6:30 pm Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, October 5

- 6:00 pm Education Committee

Friday, October 6

Sunday, October 8

- 9:45 am Sunday School for All Ages
- 11:00 am Traditional Worship
- 4:00 pm JUMP for K-5th Graders
- 5:15 pm Youth Group

Fairview Church Directory of Information

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Pianist: Dee Dee Dillard

Admin. Asst.: Debbie Deane

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Ministers: Fairview Church Congregation

Total Giving Compared to Expenses as of 09/24/2023

Total year-to-date budgeted giving: \$317,933.74

Total year-to-date budgeted expenses: \$286,356.73

Total Giving Less Budgeted Expenses: \$31,577.01

Missions Request

During October our monthly mission focus will be on The Homeless Shelter. During October we will be collecting items that we will donate to replenish the pantry shelves. The items we would like to collect are: **Liquid Laundry Detergent, Paper Plates, Paper Towels, Trash Bags and Toilet Paper.** Thanks so much for your donations in September. We sent 292 lbs. of canned goods to the Salvation Army for their food pantry. Your generosity is truly appreciated!

Save the Date!

Saturday, October 14, 2023 – 11am – 2pm

We are in the middle of planning our Fairview Fall Fun Day as a community event. We are hoping that we will be able to draw interest from all over the community with children's games, crafts and inflatables, hot dogs, and bingo and corn hole for the adults. Admission will be free for all! Everyone is welcome! Please mark your calendars!

Fun Day Request

In the children's area, we will be doing a fun little craft using cans. All of you who use canned vegetables, soups or fruits, please be sure to rinse them out and save them for Fall Fun Day. We do not need drink cans, only fruit, soup and vegetable cans. See Kate for more details.

Grace Seekers Brunswick Stew

The Grace Seekers class will also be selling their Brunswick Stew on October 14 during the Fall Fun Day. The cost is \$8 a quart. Please see a member of the Grace Seekers class to pre-order.

Trunk or Treat

Our Trunk or Treat this year will be held on October 28 at 6 pm. Trunk set-up will begin at 5 pm. We are in need of trunks to make this event extra fun. We are also in need of bags of candy to give out to the trick or treaters. Please see Kate for more information or to sign your trunk up for a space.

Holiday Bazaar

Our Holiday Bazaar will be held on Saturday, November 4 in the church social hall. We are still looking for vendors. If you know of a crafter or small business owner who would like to display and sell their merchandise, please give them LaVonne Walden's number – 434-770-1680.

Committee Chairs Reminder

Please note that budget worksheets for each committee are due to Bonny Shelton on Wednesday, October 4.

Pecans Sale

Pecans for your holiday baking have been ordered. Please look for an order form in the October newsletter and in the bulletin in coming weeks. They should arrive around the middle of November. Proceeds go to help Children and Youth Missions.



 **Fairview**
CHURCH

*Love God * Share Hope * Serve All*

October 1, 2023
18th Sunday after
Pentecost

World Communion Sunday

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Welcome and Announcements

Prelude Dee Dee Dillard

***Call to Worship** insert, on screen

***Hymn** **“He Is Exalted”** insert, on screen

***The Apostles’ Creed** #881

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He Is Exalted

He is exalted, the King is exalted on high;
I will praise him.

He is exalted, forever exalted and I will praise His name!

He is the Lord, forever his truth shall reign;
heaven and earth rejoice in his holy name.
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(Repeat)

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In His Time

In his time, in his time:

He makes all things beautiful in his time.

Lord, please show me every day as you're teaching me your
way,

that you do just what you say in your time.

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