

THE SESSION

Class of 2019
Betsey Adams
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Class of 2020
Mary Kate Beard
Lonnie Feller
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Class of 2021
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Karen Selvage, Secretary

Sherry Feller, Treasurer

HOW WE ARE DOING

*General Contributions (7/7/2019):	\$ <u>6,855.00</u>	
Month to Date Giving:	\$ <u>6,855.00</u>	Monthly Budget: \$ <u>11,792.00</u>
Year to Date Giving:	\$ <u>66,453.00</u>	Yearly Budget: \$ <u>141,500.00</u>

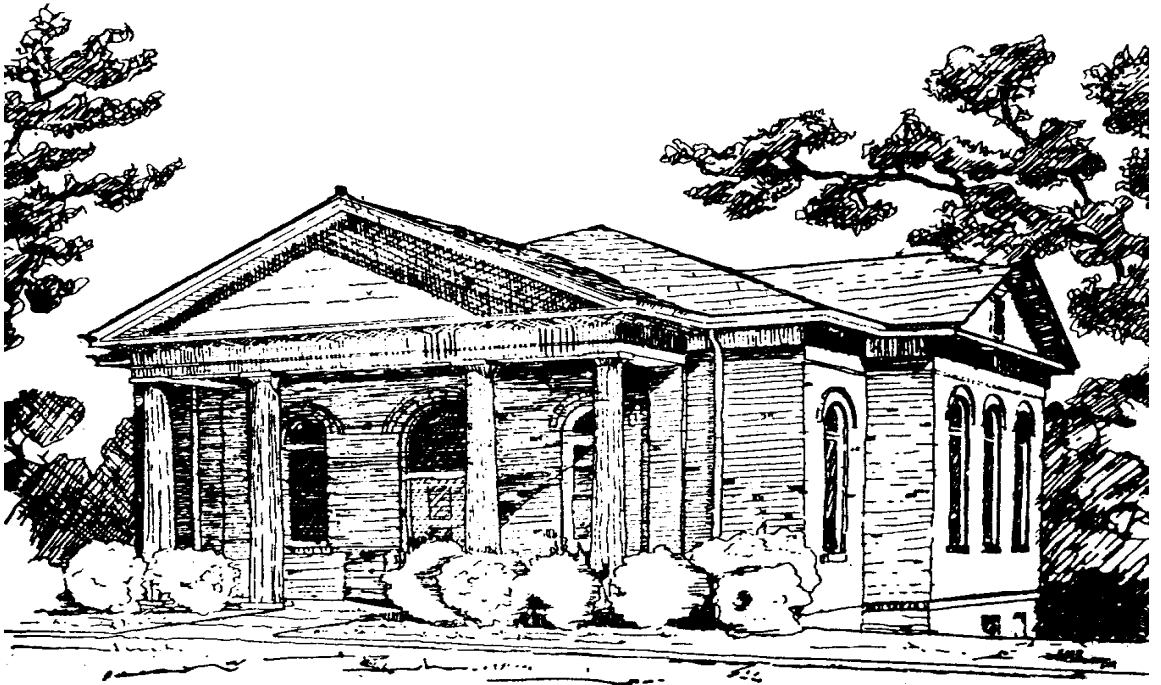
*Includes \$4,000 Anonymous donation

Church Attendance: 30

PRAYER CONCERNS:

Trey Adams, W. S. Adams, Sam Chandler Jr., Judy Metzler, Cassie Rollings.

Also, please keep your Pastor Nominating Committee (PNC) in your prayers. They need prayers for guidance, wisdom, and patience while searching for your new pastor.



*"Our Mission is to Glorify God, Make Disciples of Jesus Christ,
and Meet Human Need"*



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ORDER OF WORSHIP

SUNDAY, JULY 14, 2019

10:30 A.M.

PLEASE TURN OFF ALL CELL PHONES

GATHERING

PRELUDE "Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus" Sam Chandler, Jr., Organist

SPECIAL MUSIC "Majesty" Choir
Accompanist, Bonita Hubble

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS (Please sign friendship pad and pass it to your neighbor.)

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Those who know your name put their trust in you, O Lord.

People: **For you, O Lord, have not forsaken those who seek you.**

Leader: Sing praises to the Lord!

People: **We will declare your wonderful deeds among all the people.**

Leader: Let us worship God!

PRAYER OF ADORATION

***OPENING HYMN** "Immortal, Invisible (vss. 1, 3, 4)" No. 25

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

God of love and power, we listen to the stories of miracles and doubt that these things can happen today. We look at the waves of misfortune, distress, misery, distrust, and anger and wonder how we can still those waves. We feel the pressures of power and fear flooding into our lives, threatening to drown us and wonder where you are. Forgive us for the littleness of our faith. Forgive us for our doubts. Help us to place out trust in you, Lord Jesus. Help us to fix our eyes on you and on the ministries to which you have called us. For we ask these things in Jesus' Name. AMEN.

(Let all continue in silent prayer, followed by singing)

Lord, have mercy upon us; Christ, have mercy upon us; Lord, have mercy upon us

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

"Thou hast forgiven the iniquity of thy people, thou hast covered all their sin." (Psalm 85:2)

Friends, believe the good news of the gospel

In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven!

***GLORIA PATRI** No. 623

***HYMN** "More About Jesus (vss. 1, 2, 4)" No. 389

*PASSING OF THE PEACE

***CHORUS** "The Family of God" No. 282

THE WORD

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

OLD TESTAMENT READING: 1 Samuel 17:24-58 Pg. 446

SERMON "BUT THERE ARE GIANTS IN THE LAND" *Chase Epps*

RESPONSE

*HYMN "The Battle Is the Lord's" (vss. 1, 2, 4) No. 472

*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

OFFERTORY MUSIC "Faith is the Victory" Sam Chandler, Jr., Organist
Bonita Hubble, Pianist

*DOXOLOGY

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below; Praise Him above, ye heavenly host: Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER (debts/debtors)

*CLOSING HYMN "Pass It On" No. 309

*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

**You go nowhere by accident. Wherever you go, God is sending you.
Wherever you are, God has put you there. He has a purpose in your being there.
Christ who dwells within you has something He wants to do through you where you are.
Believe this and go in His love to "glorify God, make disciples of Jesus Christ, and meet human need".**

*POSTLUDE "A Mighty Fortress is Our God" Sam Chandler, Jr., Organist
Bonita Hubble, Pianist

*Those who are able may stand