

August 19, 2018

Guest Minister Dr. Tom Tewell
Worship Leader Tom Williams
Flowers Joannie Newton
Greeters Dee Dee and Peter McKay
Minister's Hospitality Anne and Epes Robinson
Refreshments Kim and Johnny Belk
Usher Terry and Jane Smith
Music Cissy Shull
Bagpipes John Crom

*Following the service, join us on the lawn
to enjoy refreshments and fellowship.*

WEE KIRK PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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Sunday Service 9:30 AM Thursday Bible Study (at the Manse) 10:00 AM

For a CD of the sermon call Albert Myers, III at 733-5003
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Wee Kirk Presbyterian Church



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GUEST MINISTER

THE REVEREND DR. THOMAS K. TEWELL

With pleasure today we welcome The Rev. Dr. Thomas K. Tewell. Dr. Tewell has been an ordained Presbyterian Minister for 40 years serving churches in Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Texas and New York City. In 2008, Tom Tewell and Tom Cousins started a renewal ministry for pastors called Macedonian Ministry. From one group of 15 Presbyterian Church (USA) pastors in Atlanta, Macedonian Ministry has now reached 506 pastors from 19 different denominations in 36 groups across America and Scotland! After serving as Executive Director for ten years, Tom recently handed over the day to day operations to Rev. Mark Ramsey, so that he and his wife Suzanne could move to Claremont, California and live near their younger son, daughter-in-law and 3 grandchildren. The Tewell's older son is now a Captain in the U.S. Navy and is the Commander of the US Naval Base on the Island of Crete, where he lives with his wife and four children. Tom continues his ministry as Founder, Faculty member and a Mentor in Macedonian Ministry, and he teaches preaching with Steve Eason, to promising young pastors through the Zick Scholarship program. Tom is pleased to be invited to preach regularly in congregations across America.

Next week our guest minister will be Dr. George B. Wirth, Retired Senior Minister, First Presbyterian Church, Atlanta, GA. On Thursday, August 23, starting at 10AM at the Manse, Dr. Wirth will lead the Bible Study based on Psalms 77 and 139, John 14, and Matthew 28:16-20, "Practicing The Presence of God". Please come and bring a friend! Barbara and Jim Whitton will be hosting Dr. Wirth.

Wee Kirk Outreach — More than 90% of our gifts and offerings go to our Outreach Program, the focus of which is to serve the neediest children and families in Avery County. Through your generosity, we provide swimming lessons for Pre-K and 2nd graders, essential needs, medical care and enrichment programs, along with scholarship stipends for some Mayland Community College students. Thank you for your support.



ORDER OF SERVICE

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

LET US PREPARE OUR HEARTS (PLEASE REMAIN SEATED)

Surely the presence of the Lord is in this place. I can feel His mighty power and His grace. I can hear the brush of angels' wings. I see glory on each face. Surely the presence of the Lord is in this place.

CALL TO WORSHIP (PROVERBS 3: 5-6)

Leader: Trust in the Lord with all your Heart

Congregation: And do not rely on your own insight

Leader: In all your ways, acknowledge God

Congregation: And He will make straight your paths

* HYMN NO. 111

"O God, our Help in Ages Past"

PRAYER OF CONFESSION AND ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Gracious and Loving God, we confess to you this morning that we have not taken your call to discipleship seriously. We say that we want to follow Jesus Christ with our lips, but our hearts are far from you. Our good intentions get swallowed up in our busy lives. Forgive us, O God. Create in us clean hearts, O God, and renew a right spirit within us. Re-order our minds and our priorities so that we can be the people who you created us to be. We pray these things in the strong name of our Savior, Jesus Christ. A-men

OLD TESTAMENT READING

Micah 6: 6-8

NEW TESTAMENT READING

Luke 4: 16-21

SERMON

"Decaffeinated Christianity"

* THE APOSTLES' CREED

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OFFERING AND * DOXOLOGY

PASTORAL PRAYER AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

* HYMN NO. 339

"Guide Me O Thou Great Jehovah"

* BENEDICTION

