

Peakland Worship Leaders

John Vest – *Pastor* Jason Stanley – *Minister of Youth & Education*

Linwood Campbell – *Director of Music & Worship Arts*

Julie Young – *Organist*

Dean Young – *Song Leader (8:30)*

Attendance Report

Week of May 17, 2015

8:30 Worship:	54
Sunday School:	36
9:45 Worship:	90
11:00 Worship:	75
General Offering:	\$16,408.00
Lenten offering to date:	\$8,789.00
(Goal of \$10,000)	

ASSISTING THIS WEEK: May 24

8:30 a.m.

Liturgist: Ken Frederick

Ushers: Skip Servas, Charlie Joseph

Greeters: Cathie Joseph

Nursery: Martha Jones

9:45 a.m.

Reader: Vivian Driskill

Ushers: Julie Manning

Coffee: Duane and Charlotte Souers

Nursery: Martha Jones

11:00 a.m.

Acolyte:

Crucifer:

Liturgist: Diane Wilson

Ushers: Don Roy, Elaine Roy, Eric Peters

Greeter: Vernelle Lytton

Nursery: Martha Jones

Kid's Zone:

Taper: Neal Shabestar

Flower Guild: Bette Bibee

Tues. Tellers: Marty Smith, Irene Devine

Member Care: Sue Malcolm (384-8545)

Lawn Care: (May 23): B. Brooks, B. Nolley, J. Hall

Worship Schedule

Traditional Worship	8:30 a.m.
<i>Horizons</i> Praise Service	9:45 a.m.
Sunday School	9:45 & 11 a.m.
Traditional Worship	11:00 a.m.

ASSISTING NEXT WEEK: May 31

8:30 a.m.

Liturgist: Ellen Geisert

Ushers: Tom Norvelle, Will Norvelle

Greeters: Shirley & Bill Ashworth

Nursery: Martha Jones

9:45 a.m.

Reader: MJ Pearson

Ushers: Ushers needed

Coffee: Duane and Charlotte Souers

Nursery: Martha Jones

11:00 a.m.

Acolyte:

Crucifer:

Liturgist: Diane Wilson

Ushers: Don Roy, Elaine Roy, Eric Peters,

Richard Giles

Greeter: Marty & Jerry Smith

Nursery: Martha Jones

Kid's Zone: Jen Smith

Taper: Annemarie Kling

Flower Guild:

Tues. Tellers: Pat Holloran, Vernelle Lytton

Member Care: Sue Malcolm (384-8545)

Lawn Care: (May 30): T. Fitzgerald, K. Wrenn



When the day of Pentecost had come, they were all together in one place. And suddenly from heaven there came a sound like the rush of a violent wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting. Divided tongues, as of fire appeared among them. All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other languages, as the Spirit gave them ability. Acts 2:1-4

May 24, 2015

8:30 | 9:45 | 11:00

Prayer Concerns

If you have a prayer request for Prayer Concerns, please contact Shirlee Raines at jimshir@aol.com or 384-3500.

Peakland United Methodist Church

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THE

Peakland SPIRIT

mark your calendar

To see more PUMC calendar events, go to www.peaklandumc.org

Sunday, May 24:

- 8:30 AM: Traditional Worship (S)
- 9:45 AM: Horizons Praise Worship (FH)
- 9:45 AM: Sunday School I
- 10:15 AM: Choir Practice (MR)
- 11:00 AM: Sunday School II
- 11:00 AM: Traditional Worship (S)

Monday, May 25:

- Memorial Day
- Church Office Closed
- 7:00 PM: Boy Scouts (FH)

Tuesday, May 26:

- 8:00 AM: Book Study (L)
- 9:00 AM: Preschool Mini-Camp
- 7:00 PM: Building Systems Meeting (L)

Wednesday, May 27:

- 9:00 AM: Preschool Mini-Camp

- 2:00 PM: Hand-in-Hand (207)
- 6:00 PM: Praise Team (FH)
- 6:30 PM: Bridge for Bibles (DR)
- 6:55 PM: Spiritual Life at L'Arche
- 7:00 PM: Chancel Choir (MR)

Thursday, May 28:

- 9:00 AM: Preschool Mini-Camp

Friday, May 29:

- 9:00 AM: Preschool Teacher Workday

Sunday, May 31:

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- 9:45 AM: Horizons Praise Worship (FH)
- 9:45 AM: Sunday School I
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- 11:00 AM: Traditional Worship (S)

pray for your church

Write down joys & concerns and put them in the offering plate.

JOYS

- * Preschool Graduation

CONCERNS

- * Mary Frances Lemon and all our Homebound friends

Rivermont Area Emergency Food Pantry

In May Peakland UMC has a food drive for the Rivermont Area Emergency Food Pantry. Our church is one of nine congregations that work together at this pantry and are passionate about helping to feed those in need.

The Pantry is located at Holy Trinity Lutheran Church and is 100% volunteer based.

Routinely we get together and pack bags of food for those in need.

This week 8 PUMC members will be packing those bags, Monday through Friday.

The Little Red Wagon located in the office entrance is ready for your food donations!

As a guideline here is the list of food we place in each starter bag: **Rice, cereal, beans, pasta**

sauce, granola bars, canned vegetables, spaghetti noodles, tuna, Tang, Jell-o, mac & cheese, canned meat, canned soup, canned fruit and peanut butter.

This bag is to feed 1-2 people for a few days and costs around \$17.00.

Last year the Pantry provided food and personal hygiene bags to over **1900 families**, impacting over 3,000 adults and 2100 children in the Lynchburg area!

Thank you for your help!

MJ Pearson, RAEFP Coordinator for PUMC. [434-841-9688](tel:434-841-9688)

P.S. Monetary donations are also appreciated and you can make checks out to Peakland UMC, memo RAEFP.

Jewelry Sale

The Jewelry Sale is seeking jewelry. If you have any jewelry you would like to donate, you can drop it off in the church office during the day.



FLOWER GUILD
ebibee@comcast.net or 384-9104 if interested.

The Flower Guild is currently seeking a willing volunteer to arrange the flowers in the sanctuary May 31. Email or call Bette Bibee at



Drivers Start Your Engines!

It's time to drive for Meals on Wheels. Our week to drive is June 1-5. It only takes a vehicle and about 2 hours of your time to serve in this important community ministry. Our upcoming weeks start September 7 and December 28. For more information or to sign up, please contact Debbie Rosenberger at 384-5604 or djordanr@comcast.net

FOR CHILDREN & YOUTH



Summer Sunday School starts Sunday, May 31. This will be a one-room Sunday school for

children age 4-through grade 5 at 9:45 am in room 205. We are developing a curriculum using the new series "VeggieTales in the House" on Netflix. Each Sunday, the children will watch an episode and do age-appropriate activities to connect the cartoon to the Bible. Two volunteers are needed each Sunday. A sign-up sheet is on the bulletin board in the hallway just outside the Narthex. Questions about signing up, contact Rev. Jason. Questions about curriculum and set-up, contact Kara Byrne at byrne_kara@yahoo.com



Vacation Bible School is July 13-17 from 9 am to noon. You can register your child at peaklandvbs.com. Volunteers are needed to guide children through the different stations. If you would be interested in being a Guide, contact Kristin Porterfield or Rev. Jason.



Youth Mission Week

The youth will be engaging in a week of mission work right here in Lynchburg the week of June 22. More details to come. Adults are welcome to join us.

If you would like to get Youth Group news, email Rev. Jason at jasonstanley@gmail.com to be added to the list.

SUNDAY MORNINGS

Please join us for fellowship and coffee in the Fellowship Hall between services.

All are welcome!

INFANT AND TODDLER NURSERY IS PROVIDED DURING ALL 3 SERVICES.

SUNDAY SCHOOL I - 9:45: Pre-K & K – Room 107; Grades 1-2 – Room 106; Grades 3-5 – Room 210
Grades 6-7 – Room 211; Bible Alive! (Adults) Room 202

SUNDAY SCHOOL II – 11:00: Preschool Kid's Zone—Room 109; Kid's Zone—Room 108

Bible Alive – 9:45 a.m. in Room 202

5/24 "Gift of Languages"

(Acts 2:1-21; 1 Corinthians 14:1-25)

Teacher: Mike Ohl

5/31 "The Greatest Gift Is Love"

(1 Corinthians 13)

Teacher: John Buckley



PLEASE REMEMBER TO REFRAIN FROM BRINGING COFFEE AND/OR OTHER FOOD ITEMS INTO THE SANCTUARY

DURING 8:30 AND 11:00 WORSHIP. YOU ARE INVITED TO ENJOY COFFEE AND FELLOWSHIP IN THE FELLOWSHIP HALL AFTER THE 8:30 SERVICE, BEFORE AND AFTER HORIZONS AND BEFORE THE 11:00 WORSHIP SERVICE.



Monday Tellers are needed to count the offering for the second Sunday of each month. If you are interested in volunteering, please contact the church office at 384-2791 or email Barbara Lyne at peaklandbusiness@gmail.com.



Kid's Zone is currently seeking

teachers for the following dates.

June 7

June 14

June 28

July 12

July 26

If you would like to teach one of these classes during the 11:00 worship service, contact Rev. Jason at jasonstanley@gmail.com

Preschool Teaching Opportunity



Peakland Preschool is seeking a vibrant, energetic teacher and teacher assistant for the 2015-2016 school year.

Please submit a resume with three references by June 15 to peaklandpreschool@gmail.com.

The teaching position requires a 4-year college degree and both positions require experience working with young children.



Hand-in-Hand will meet Wednesday,

May 27 in room 207. If you are a caregiver for an aging spouse, parent, relative or friend and are looking for a safe place to seek support, we invite you to join us. We laugh, we cry, share ideas and support one another. All this is done confidentially. If you have questions, please contact Pat Thompson at 434-237-2698 or ptpt2@verizon.net

Shut-In/Prime-Time Visitation Team

The Shut-In/Prime-Time Visitation Team quarterly meeting will be held Monday, June 1 at 10:00 am in the Eleanor Ragan Memorial Library. If there's anyone who would like to join the Team, please come to the meeting or give Barbara Roberts a call at 384-5947.

Stephen Ministry

We have many opportunities to respond to Jesus' love by showing that love to others. Stephen Ministry is one way our congregation shows that love to people who have deep needs for care.

If you would like to receive more information about how to receive the care of a Stephen Minister, or how to obtain care for someone, contact our Stephen Leaders:

Linda Milam	434-384-6914
Paul Thompson	434-237-2698
Debbie Engel	540-875-8839
Pastor John Vest	434-384-2791
Rev. Jason Stanley	434-384-2791

CONFERENCE-WIDE DAY OF PRAYER



Bishop Cho has invited all churches in the Virginia Conference to use May 24 to pray for a renewal and revival of the churches in the Virginia Conference and in the entire United Methodist Church. As such in all three worship services we use the following prayer from the United Methodist Book of Worship:

O gracious God, we pray for your holy Church universal, that you would be pleased to fill it with all truth, in all peace. Where it is corrupt, purify it; where it is in error, direct it; where in any thing it is amiss, reform it; where it is right, establish it; where it is in want, provide for it; where it is divided, reunite it; for the sake of him who died and rose again, and ever lives to make intercession for us, Jesus Christ, your Son, our Lord. Amen.

Memorial Day Prayer

Observed the last Monday in May or the previous Sunday, this day honors the war dead of the United States. It was first celebrated in 1886 in Waterloo, New York. Many observe the day by decorating graves, especially of persons who died in the war.

Almighty God, before whom stand the living and the dead, we your children, whose mortal life is but a hand's breadth, give things to you: For all those through whom you have blessed our pilgrimage, whose lives that have empowered us, whose influence is a healing grace,

We lift up thankful hearts.

For the dear friends and family members whose faces we see no more, but whose love is with us for ever,

We lift up thankful hearts.

For the teachers and companions of our childhood and youth, and for the members of our household of faith who worship you now in heaven,

We lift up thankful hearts.

For those who sacrificed themselves, our brothers and sisters who have given their lives for the sake of others,

We lift up thankful hearts.

That we may hold them all in continual remembrance, and ever think of them as with you in that city whose gates are not shut by day and where there is no night,

We lift up thankful hearts.

That we may be dedicated to working for a world where labor is rewarded, fear dispelled, and the nations made one, **O Lord, save your people and bless your heritage. Day by day we magnify you and worship your name, for ever and ever. Amen**

(John Hunter, Scotland, 20th Cent. Alt.)

Pentecost

“Everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved.” Acts. 2:21

May 24, 2015

Pentecost
Aldersgate Day

8:30 & 11 a.m.

* Congregation Stands UMH – *United Methodist Hymnal* TFWS – *The Faith We Sing*

Gathering of the People

Registration of Attendance

Please sign the Attendance Pad, pass it down the pew and back, noting the names of the persons seated near you. The person in the pew closest to the aisle should hand the sheet from the pad to the usher during the morning offering. The Attendance Pad can introduce you to those you do not know and provide a means of ministry for the staff and congregation.

Announcements - Call to Centering

Prelude *Spirit of the Living God*

* Call to Worship

We gather to remember, to praise God, and to find strength in faith.

Teach us, God of every nation.

Where there is pride, subdue it. Where there is need, supply it.

Where there is error, rectify it. Where there is fear, remove it.

Teach us, God of every nation.

And may your Holy Spirit ignite a holy passion within us.

* Hymn

Let There Be Peace on Earth

UMH, p. 431

A Prayer for Memorial Day

Insert

Prayer and Praise

Scripture Reading

Acts 2: 1-21

Pew Bible, p. 119 (NT)

Children’s Message

Joys and Concerns of the Community

Confession

Merciful God, we confess that we have not loved you with our whole heart. We have failed to be an obedient church. We have not done your will, we have done harm when we should have done good. We have not stayed in love with you. We have not loved our neighbors and we have not heard the cry of the needy. Forgive us. Renew us. Free us to be the church you have called us to be. Through the power of your Holy Spirit, transform us and shape us so that we may make disciples for the transformation of the world. Amen.

Silent Prayer and Meditation

Prayer

Insert

The Lord’s Prayer

Our Gifts, Tithes, and Offerings

Offertory

(8:30) *I Look to the Hills*

Beatrice Miller

(11:00) *Holy Spirit, Come*

Schram

(Chancel Choir)

* Doxology

Proclamation and Response

* Hymn of Preparation

Spirit of the Living God

UMH, p. 393

Sermon

Everyone’s A Preacher

Pastor John

* Hymn of Discipleship

Take My Life, and Let It Be

UMH, p. 399

* Benediction

God says, “I will pour out my Spirit upon all people.”

Come, Holy Spirit, come!

Sons and daughters will prophesy, young men will see visions, and old men will dream dreams.

Come, Holy Spirit, come!

And everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved.

Come, Holy Spirit, come! So let it be, amen!

* Postlude

Postlude on “York”

Douglas Wagner

The flowers in the Sanctuary are given to the Glory of God by Elaine and Don Roy in honor of their 50th Wedding Anniversary.

Horizons

of

Peakland United Methodist Church

Sunday, May 24, 2015

Declare Your Name Praise Team

Welcome Linwood

Blessed Praise Team

Visitors, Announcements Rev. Jason

Day Of Prayer Rev. Jason

Children's Time Rev. Jason

Joys/Concerns Rev. Jason, Linwood

Morning Prayer Ruth Talian

Be Thou My Vision Praise Team

Acts 2: 1-21 Vivian Driskill

Everyone's A Preacher Pastor John

Offering Pastor John

Draw Me Close Praise Team

Dismissal Pastor John

Teach us to Pray

A 4-week study looking at prayer through scripture, our traditions, and real-life stories. The group will study what prayer is, different forms of prayer, and spend time in prayer. Each participant will receive a prayer journal.

Tuesdays, starting June 2
7:00-8:15PM in Room 205 and the Prayer Room
Leader: Rev. Jason Stanley
For youth and adults



Week 1 (June 2): Teach Us to Pray

Jesus used the Lord's Prayer to teach the disciples how to pray. The group will explore the Lord's Prayer as a guide to prayer.

Week 2 (June 8): Praying & Walking

St. Francis and other early church fathers put an emphasis on praying while working. The group will explore what this might look like in all aspects of our lives.

Week 3 (June 16): Praying & Doodling

All forms of art have been used through the centuries as forms of prayer. This session will explore praying with icons to prayerfully reflecting on film.

Week 4 (June 23): Just Do It

John Wesley is quoted saying, "Prayer is where the action is." This session will explore the importance of praying for revival in our lives and in the Church and that all of us can "just do it."

Sign up online at peaklandumc.org or fill out the sign up form below.

Name _____

Email _____