



# July 2019

*CLIFTON FORGE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH*  
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## *MISSION STATEMENT*

*We are a Family in Christ,  
Prayerfully seeking through  
the spirit, to serve God, grow  
in faith and share the good news.*

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*From the **PASTOR***

## **MISSION**

**Matthew 25:40**

**“The King will reply, I tell you whatever you do for the least of these brothers of mine, you did for me”.**

**A common misconception in the church today is that to be reformed theologically does not promote a robust missiology. Scripture, history and contemporary trends show us otherwise, though.**

**First, let’s look at the connection between scripture and missions, which feathers a foundation in Abraham himself. Recall that Abraham was called to leave his community and go to a land that God would show him and ever since there has been a migration of nations and people from one culture melding with those from other cultures. Dr. Michael McKelvey in his exposition of Genesis 12:1-3, tells of the missional is not isolated to the Old Testament, obviously. Consider the Apostles and their far-flung missionary journeys, faithfully recorded in the Gospels and the Book of Acts. The reformers picked up their mantle, preaching the gospel to the ends of the earth.**

**Today, though the missional call has taken on an exciting new dimension. While there is still a need for missionaries to go to cross-cultural fields, it has become increasingly apparent that we don’t just have to “go” to mission. With technology, travel advances and other God-given innovations, we no longer live in a world where we live isolated, homogenous communities. Today, in every country, very city and even in our small towns, we have an extraordinarily growing cultural diversity.**

We live in a multicultural world, and its effects are inescapable. However, this reality is nothing to be feared, but instead should be embraced. In particular, multicultural diversity gives us a glimpse of what eternity will look like, people from every tribe, tongue and nation glorifying and worshipping the one true God.

So as with Abraham, in the Great Commission and in Acts, we are called to take the gospel to every nation. Reformed Christians should, above any, lead in the fanning the flames of missionary passion for the lost in every nation.

Yours in Christ,  
Pastor Paul

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**Pastor Paul's Sermons**

**July 7, 2019**  
Single Mindedness  
Deuteronomy 6:1-9  
Matthew 14:22-33

**July 21, 2019**  
Live a Life Worthy  
Psalms 52  
Colossians 1:1-14

**July 14, 2019**  
Guest Speaker

**July 28, 2019**  
Total Surrender  
Daniel 3:1-28  
Luke 9:23-26



***CFPC PRAYER CHAIN***

- Cindy Brokaw.....960-1476
- Rene Clark.....862-3395
- Virginia Harlow.....862-2492
- Barbara James.....784-3516
- Sandra Porter.....862-5346
- Loretha Stinespring.....862-4838

**If you have need for prayer, please contact one of the members listed**

**Evan Raynes, Bill Hardbarger, Margaret Brown, Richard & Carla Davis, Kevin & Loretha Stinespring, Patricia Savage, Sally Putnam, Peggy Brinkley, Barbara Nelson, Cathy Bordens, Eddie Smith, Family of Kirk Carter, Bob & Paula Genova, Family of Jenny Miller, Megan Bray, Richard Brinkley's Granddaughter in John Hopkins, Doug Broughman, Howard & Smith family, Susie Brinkley.**



**Bible Study**  
Every Monday  
in the Nettie Paul Room  
we will be studying in  
the book Believe @ 6:30  
Come Join Us!

Every Tuesday  
Boy Scouts @ 7:00



Every Sunday Morning  
9:30 – Sunday school  
10:30- Coffee Fellowship  
11:00 – Nursery Opens  
11:00 – Worship

**IT'S  
SUNDAY  
MORNING**



Last day for August 2019 Tidings is  
July 19, 2019 if you want to put  
something in the Newsletter.



(LUNCH TIME) 11:30 – 12:00 JESUS SAID "FEED MY SHEEP."

*Thank You - Ed & Carol Jones, Sandra Porter, Jenny Harlow, Debbie Darcus  
for delivering meals-on-wheels the week of June 10 - 14. Please volunteer,  
one day a week, one week a month. No Holidays deliveries.*

## *WOMEN OF THE CHURCH*

The Officers of The Women of the Church: Moderator – Virginia Harlow, Vice Moderator - Irene Booze, Secretary - Carol Jones, Treasurer – Virginia Irvine.



**P/W Mission Project – Handbags for Hope:** Ladies, do you have new or gently-used handbags not being used in your closets? Place a plastic bag with toiletries and other items (soap, shampoo, lotion, deodorant, toothbrush, toothpaste, comb, tissues, scarf, notecards, pens, pencils, etc. in the handbags & bring them to the church by Sunday, September 15, 2019. They will be taken to our P/W Annual Gathering on September 28, 2019 at Raleigh Court Presbyterian Church. RoanokeVA. to be distributed to Domestic Violence centers within our Presbytery of the Peaks.

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### **Collecting Pictures**

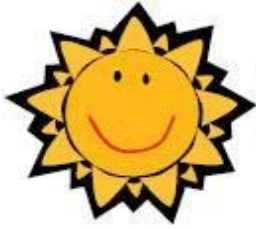
**P/W:** We are collecting pictures of activities in which our women have been involved over the years. They will be used in a slide show at our Annual Gathering in September. Give them to Jenny Harlow or Irene Booze by Sunday, August 18, 2019.



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## *CLIFTON FORGE FOOD PANTRY*

Whether you said a prayer, gave food, clothing or household items, or monetary gifts, we at the Clifton Forge Food Pantry would like to say thank you. For the month of **May 2019**, we served **(316)** individuals representing **(892)** family members. Without your help this wouldn't have been possible. We are still collecting food items here at the Church. We especially need boxed mac & cheese, boxed spaghetti dinners or any other boxed meals. Any help you can give will be appreciated. Thank you!



# WELCOME SUMMER

C X A G N B H R C I Y J D L M K R A P E M E H T  
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AUGUST  
BEACH  
BIKES  
CAMPING  
CARNIVAL  
COOKOUTS  
FIREFLIES  
FIREWORKS  
FISHING  
FLIPFLOPS

FUN  
HULA HOOPS  
ICE CREAM  
JULY  
JUMPROPE  
JUNE  
MOVIES  
PARADES  
PARTIES  
PICNICS  
POOL

POPSICLES  
ROLLERCOASTER  
SANDALS  
SPLASH  
SPRINKLER  
SNOWCONES  
SUNGLASSES  
SUNSCREEN  
SWIMMING  
THEME PARK  
VACATION

**DAILY DEVOTION**  
All of you that have smart  
Phones, I Phones etc.  
Download Abide. It is a  
short daily devotion and  
very inspiring.



**WOMEN'S  
CIRCLE**

Will meet Monthly on the  
2nd Tuesday @ 2:00 in the  
Nettie Paul Room.



**MISSION/WITNESS  
NEWS**

Mark & Miriam Adams  
our  
*Missionaries is*  
posted on the  
bulletin board  
across from the  
Church Office,  
for your info.



*Session Committee's*

Damon Reynolds - Building & Grounds. Cindy Maccantelli - Treasurer.  
Brenda Siple Music & Worship. Jenny Irvine - Clerk of Session/Fellowship.  
Sam Clark - Stewardship/Personnel. Brenda Bartocci Christian Ed/Youth.  
Mission/Witness Jenny Oeltjen.

**SNOOPER SEZ,**

Here comes the 4<sup>th</sup> of July picnic down by the river.  
Lots of food and swimming!



“The Church Mouse”



*Life Membership Nominations - Please place your nominations for the Life Membership Pin in an envelope and place it in the P/W box in the Grace Reid Room or give to Virginia Harlow or Irene Booze by **Sunday July 28, 2019.***

**VA.VETERNS  
CENTER**

**Charles  
Hall**



**BRIAN CENTER  
Peggy Knick**

**GOLDENLIVING CENTER  
Charlotte Dillon**



**MEMBERS  
HOME  
Margret Brown  
Barbara Rice  
Genny McDowell  
Robert Brown**

# Heritage Day Pew Quilt Display

**Lisa Boothe, Brenda Bartocci, Carol Almarez, are the quilters and had quilts being displayed. Pastor Paul has been generous in allowing Alleghany Highlands quilt groups to use our beautiful church sanctuary for this display for the last few years. Debbie Mays took the photo.**



## LOOKING FOR GREETERS



**All that is needed to be a greeter is a warm smile so that church members and visitors feel welcomed as they enter Clifton Forge Presbyterian Church each Sunday morning.**

**Two people are needed each Sunday morning. Please consider being a greeter to help provide this positive atmosphere for our church.**

**If you have questions or need more information, please contact Cecille McDowell 862-7276 or Brenda Siple 863-4406. We hope to have this in place by August 1.**

**Thanks so much!**





*July*

- 1 - Terry Haynes*
- 6 - Gregory Persinger  
Irene Booze  
Fiona-Mae Don Tomasek*
- 8 - Keaton Fisher*
- 13 - Broch Tomasek*
- 17 - Virginia Irvine  
Scott Brokaw*
- 22 - Robert E. Colvin\**
- 23 - Trease Boyd*
- 25 - Teresa Gibson*
- 30 - Caleb Harrison*

**WELCOME TO  
OUR CHURCH**

*July Greeters*

- 7/7 Carol Almarez & Mary Cantrell**
- 7/14 Joseph Edwards & Denise Ball**
- 7/21 Josephine Dellinger & Barbara James**
- 7/28 Bill & Christy Hardbarger**



*JULY*

- 1 - Paul & Cindy Brokaw*
- 15 - Richard & Susie Brinkley*
- 18 - Matthew & Stacie Booze*

**A Minute with GOD**

A minute of faith in God can turn stone into diamond and a bad day into good one. If you have some patience, you will find the answers for what happens to you. It's all about living life the way it should be lived. You have to face some events again and again only because of your choices and your pattern of living. Believe in God. He is the source of inner peace and calmness.

## *Children's Church Schedule July to December 2019*

*July 7 Michelle Nicely*

*July 14 Brenda Bartocci*

*July 21 Jenny Harlow*

*July 28 Cindy Maccentelli*

*August 4 Damon Reynolds*

*August 11 Lisa Boothe*

*August 18 Melissa Fisher*

*August 25 Cindy Maccentelli*

*September 1 Michelle Nicely*

*September 8 Lisa Boothe*

*September 15 Brenda Bartocci*

*September 22 Cindy Maccentelli*

*September 29 Damon Reynolds*

*October 6 Melissa Fisher*

*October 13 Brenda Bartocci*

*October 20 Jenny Harlow*

*October 27 Michelle Nicely*

*November 3 Cindy Maccentelli*

*November 10 Lisa Boothe*

*November 17 Damon Reynolds*

*November 24 Brenda Bartocci*

*December 1 Melissa Fisher*

*December 8 Michele Nicely*

*December 15 Cindy Maccentelli*

*December 22 Cantata? No Children's Church*

*December 29 Brenda Bartocci*



# July



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	<p>1 Bible Study 6:30 pm</p> 	<p>2 Cluster Lunch 12:30</p> <p>Boy Scouts 7:00</p>	<p>3 NO Choir Practice 7:00 pm Or Clothing Closet</p>	<p>4 </p>	5	<p>6 Prayer Breakfast 8:00 A.m.</p> 
<p>7 Communion</p> 	<p>8 Bible Study 6:30 pm</p> 	<p>9 Men of Mission 8:00 am</p> <p>No Women's Circle @ 2:00</p> <p>Boy Scouts 7:00</p>	<p>10 NO Choir Practice 7:00 pm</p>	<p>11 Session Meeting 5:30</p>	12	<p>13 Prayer Breakfast 8:00 A.m.</p> 
14	<p>15 NO Bible Study 6:30 pm</p> 	<p>16 Boy Scouts 7:00</p>	<p>17 NO Choir Practice 7:00 pm</p>	18	19	<p>20 Prayer Breakfast 8:00 A.m.</p> 
21	<p>22 Bible Study 6:30 pm</p> 	<p>23 Boy Scouts 7:00</p> <p>Vacation For Barbara</p>	<p>24 NO Choir Practice 7:00 pm</p> <p>Vacation For Barbara</p>	<p>25 Vacation For Barbara</p>	<p>26 Vacation For Barbara</p>	<p>27 Prayer Breakfast 8:00 A.m.</p> 
28	<p>29 Bible Study 6:30 pm</p> 	<p>30 Boy Scouts 7:00</p>	<p>31 NO Choir Practice 7:00 pm</p>			



*"Willard Camp was honored during Heritage Day for his service to our Country during World War II by Quilts of Valor"....*

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*TIDINGS TO*

