

Please join us after the service for a **pot luck dinner** in the fellowship hall. The **Youth Group** will meet after dinner.

Presbyterian Women will meet on Thursday, May 9, at 10:00 AM. Ann Howze will host.

A reminder that Erwin Presbyterian has a **lunch group** that meets somewhere in Unicoi County each month for lunch. We do it on the first Wednesday of each month. Next month we voted to go over to Pizza Plus (1602 Jackson Love Highway, Erwin) at 11:30 on June 5th. Let Dean Masters know if you plan to attend so he can make arrangements. dwmasters15@gmail.com or 743-6388.

All are invited to the weekly **Prayer Group** each Wednesday at 10:00 AM in the Fellowship Hall.

Choir rehearsal is each Wednesday at 6:00 PM.

The **scripture readings** for May 12 (4th Sunday of Easter), are Acts 9:36–43; Psalm 23; Revelation 7:9–17; and Luke 24:49-53.

Elder – Byron Beard
Nursery – Carson & Claire Moore

Session: Stan Webster, Moderator; Hitomi Lewis, Clerk
Byron Beard, Susan Chaffin, Joe Chambers, Frank Gentry, Valerya Hyrne, Dean Masters, Angie Moore, Ellen Sewell, David Shults, Doug Shults, Caralyn Snyder, Betty Stevens, Keith Whitson

WELCOME VISITORS

If you are visiting, we are pleased to have you share in our worship and invite you to consider membership. Please sign a GREEN visitor's card and then place it in the offering plate. Following the service, the pastor will be happy to speak with you about any concerns. Prayer requests are welcomed by all.



Erwin Presbyterian Church
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May 5, 2019
3rd Sunday of Easter
Sacrament of Holy Communion

Leader: The Lord be with you.

Stan Webster, Minister

People: And also with you.

Welcome & Concerns of the Congregation

Prelude

Cheryl Wissmann, Organist

Introit

*Responsive Call to Worship

Psalm 30:4-5

Sing praises to the Lord, O you his faithful ones,

and give thanks to his holy name.

For his anger is but for a moment;

his favor is for a lifetime.

Weeping may linger for the night,

but joy comes with the morning.

*Hymn "The Day of Resurrection!"

Red Hymnbook, #208

*Apostles' Creed

Red Hymnbook, page 12

Anthem "Worthy is the Lamb"

Congregational Reading

Psalm 30: 1-3, 6-12

I will extol you, O Lord, for you have drawn me up;

you did not let my foes rejoice over me.

O Lord my God, I cried to you for help,

and you have healed me.

O Lord, you brought up my soul from the grave;

you restored me to life

from among those gone down to the Pit.

As for me, I said in my prosperity,

"I shall never be moved."

By your favor, O Lord,

you had established me as a strong mountain.

You hid your face;

I was dismayed.

To you, O Lord, I cried,

and to the Lord I made supplication:

"What profit is there in my death,

if I go down to the Pit?

Will the dust praise you?

Will it tell of your faithfulness?

Hear, O Lord, and be gracious to me!

O Lord, be my helper!"

You have turned my mourning into dancing;

you have taken off my sackcloth

and clothed me with joy,

so that my soul may praise you and not be silent.

O Lord my God, I will give thanks to you forever.

Minute for Missions

Dean Masters

Young Disciples' Message

Prayer for Illumination

The Written Word (*Pew Bible page 86*)

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

Luke 24:36-48

People: **Thanks be to God!**

The Spoken Word

"God's Purposes Fulfilled"

Prayer of Supplication & Intercession

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come. thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil: for thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Stewardship Invitation

Offertory

*The Doxology

Red Hymnbook, #544

*Prayer of Dedication & Thanksgiving

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

Words of Institution

The Great Prayer of Thanksgiving

The Bread

The Cup

Communion Prayer

*Hymn "Thine Is the Glory"

Red Hymnbook, #209

*Benediction

*Congregational Response

(By All)

**Glory to God, whose goodness shines on me;
And to the Son whose grace has pardoned me;
And to the Spirit whose love has set me free.**

**As it was in the beginning, is now,
And ever shall be. Amen**

*Postlude

**Please stand, as you are able.*