Riverlawn Presbyterian Church Expressing Our Love to God in Worship March 30, 2025 — 10:30 am Service 4th Sunday in Lent

Joining in Worship

Singing Praise

Praise Band

*Confessing Our Sins

*Receiving Forgiveness

God's Gift of Song Oh, What a Man Was He! Althouse

Learning With Our Children

Elementary age children are dismissed to **Junior Church (grades 1–5)** Nurseries are also provided for infants and children ages 2 to 5.

Hearing God's WordPsalm 46:1-4, 10-11; Mark 6:30-32The Spiritual Disciplines #4Solitude: When It's Good to Be Alone

Giving Back to God Offertory *Doxology	It is Well with My Soul	arr. Tornquist
Expressing Our Heart The Lord's I	-	
*Singing Praise	Just As I Am	#488

*Receiving God's Blessing

Postlude Lead Me to Calvary arr. Wagner

(We ask that you **please remain in your pews** until our acolytes have extinguished the candles and the Postlude has ended. Thank you.)

*Congregation please stand if able.

Chris Kilbert, Pastor Pam Johnson, Choir Director/Organist Pat Croghan, Liturgist

We ask that you please turn off your cell phones/mobile devices for the duration of the worship service. This will greatly reduce the likelihood of losing the broadcast for those worshiping with us virtually. Thank you for your part in helping us provide every opportunity for our church family and beyond to worship the Lord together.

<u>GUESTS</u>

We are glad that you could worship with us today! We hope you will join us again! Your children are important to us. Childcare (infants through kindergarten) is provided during the service.

FELLOWSHIP

*Please join us in the gym for refreshments and fellowship after the worship service.

***Sunday School** for children (ages Pre-K—5th grade), youth (6th grade—12th grade) and adults' begins at 9:30 a.m.

*The Session zoom meeting has been rescheduled for April 6 at 2:00 pm.

***Bible Study "How to Hear God"** led by Brenda Petry, today at 4:00pm in the Cottage. This will be our last meeting.

***Join us this Wednesday for Family Night** beginning with dinner at 5:30. After dinner at 6:15, there will be activities for children and youth.

***Small Group Bible Study** on Romans this week on Wednesday at 6:15 p.m. in the cottage.

*Choir Rehearsal—Thursday at 7:00 p.m.

*Copies of the current church directory can be found in the Narthex and on the tables in the back of the sanctuary. Email copies are also available on request.

***We will be ordering spring flowers for Easter.** The deadline for ordering will be April 11. Please see insert for ordering information.

Riverlawn Presbyterian Church strives to:

Purge ourselves of pride by focusing on glorifying God Teach the truth through fellowship & discipleship Demonstrate a life of love through service to others Share the gospel of Jesus Christ with those in need

Purge Pride, Teach Truth, Live Love

Nurturing Faith

March 30: Fourth Sunday in Lent Read Luke 15:11b-32 Lost and found. A story of two sons and their father. A story about God who celebrates with joy when the lost are found and seeks out those who've never left to join in the celebration. Who are you most like in the story? Give thanks to God for welcoming all because I suspect we're like both sons at different times.

JUNIOR CHURCH

Susan Bryan <u>TODDLER NURSERY/PRE-SCHOOL</u> Sharon Herndon <u>BUILDING SECURITY</u> Week of March 30—Brenda Petry & Rosie Rhodes Week of April 6 — Butch & Sharon Herndon AFTER-CHURCH LOCK-UP

April – Meme Albert and Marry Reppert

VISITATION TEAMS

Week of March 30–Robin Burnam (304-722-5665)/Joe Lothes (304-767-8313) Week of April 6 – Dennis Emmett (304-610-7535)

PRAYER CONCERNS

Jason Haught (Gayle Michael); Beth Ann Taylor (Kathy Barnes); Wanda Smith; Sherry Ellis; Cathy Lothes (Jane Lothes); Abby Michaels/Kay Craigo/Tony Craigo/Niki Michels (Susan Bryan); Phyllis Kellam/Betty Steen (Doris Kellam); Joanna Keller; Jill Snyder; Joe Lothes; Missy Sneed; Carroll Miller; Jason Haught (Sharon Farley); Christine Bearia; Dale Dodrill (Randy Dodrill); Darrell Williams (Mary Kathren Watson); Robin Burnam; Eddie Mcfall (Linda Ross' son); Mike VonDuben (Gayle Michael); Greg Cook; Collin Recknagel (Adam & Sandra Recknagel); Lois Jackson (Todd Barrie); Emma Rose Cavender; Kathy Barnes; Caroline Dodrill; Arlis Miller (Joe Lothes); Gretna Michels (Susan Bryan); Angel Grover (Brenda Petry); Travis Keller (Ray Keller); Pam Mullins; Lori Goodwin (Brenda Petry); Elizabeth Thompson (Bill Bryan); Jenna Meadows; JB Recknagel; Janet Young; Mick Hughes (Caroline Dodrill); and for the Global Church that we may embody the gospel to all.

*We extend our prayers and sympathy to Joyce Ryan and her family at the passing of her husband and our brother, Dave Ryan.

*We also offer sincere condolences to the family of Todd Barrie at the passing of his father, George Barrie.

Prayer list for churches of WV Presbytery and our Nyeri partnership church of the week of **March 30**: Church: Wamagana; Parish: Giakanja; First Presbyterian Church, Ripley; Waverly-Bethel Presbyterian Church, Waverly

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