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Sun 26 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:15 a.m. Liturgy of the Word
9:25 a.m. Sunday seminar. Fellowship Hall
9:30 a.m. Middlers in the Morning. Classroom No. 3
10:45 a.m. Liturgy of the Word

Tue 28
7:30 p.m. Choir practice

Wed 29
10:45 a.m. Song & prayer service at Canterbury

Thur 30
3:00 p.m. Connections @ Blue Moon

Sat 1
7:00 p.m. Peacefest. Sanctuary
CLOCKS Move BACK one hour

Sun 2 31st Sunday in Ordinary Time/All Saints Sunday
Josh. 3:3–17; Ps. 107:1–7, 33–37; 1 Thess. 2:9–13; Matt. 23:1–12

8:15 a.m. Liturgy of the Word & Table
9:15 a.m. Bloodpressure clinic. Narthex
9:25 a.m. Sunday seminar. Fellowship Hall
9:30 a.m. New hymnal intro. Choir Room.
9:30 a.m. Middlers in the Morning. Classroom No. 3
10:45 a.m. Liturgy of the Word & Table
12:15 p.m. New hymnal intro. Choir Room.
4:30 p.m. Youth group (8-12 graders). Fellowship Hall

DONATE one or more hymnals. \$20/ per hymnal. Check: SPC. Memo: hymnal. Envelopes in pew pockets or office. New hymnals will be dedicated on First Sunday of Advent, November 30.

GOD LOVES UGANDA, a startling documentary film about LGTBQ refugees. **Sunday, October 26, 5:30 p.m.** at The Club, 5268 Williamsport Pike, Martinsburg. Sponsored by Eastern Panhandle LGBTQ Alliance. Free admission. Donations will go to refugees and ORAM (Organization for Refuge, Asylum & Migration).

PEACEFEST. Saturday, Nov. 1 at 7:00 p.m. I M A G I N E. No poverty in West Virginia. Music, lament & three stories of hope. PLUS: "West Virginia My Home" by Than and Mary Anne Hitt, "Room at the Table" by Kipyn Martin, "Garden" by Steve Warner, "I Hear them All" by Jeff Hornbeck, Jade Pope, Greg Lloyd, Michael and Morgan Wisniewski. AND the world premier of the one-act skit: "Boot Straps."

NEW HYMNAL INTRODUCTION. Sunday, November 2, 9:30 & 12:15.

Choir Room. Come and sample this new worship resource from our denomination. Learn about its format, indices, worship aides, theological vision, and diverse hymns.

BOOK SIGNING with Pat Donohoe and Ed Zahniser. **Saturday, November 8, 10 a.m.–12 noon.** Fellowship Hall. Each will speak briefly at 10:30.

MAKE ART DAY @ SPC Saturday, November 8, 10 a.m.–12 noon. Upstairs classrooms. All ages. With help from the Sunday studio teachers, we will make art for ourselves and also for the children's art show in the Fellowship Hall. Sponsored by the Art Committee & Sunday Studio.

PLAN AHEAD. Sunday, November 23, 9:30 a.m. Congregation business meeting to act on Pastor's compensation for 2015. **Sunday, December 14.** Joy Gift Dinner at Fire Hall. **Sunday, January 4.** Children's Christmas Epiphany pageant. **January 17-18.** A visit from Pastor Steve Garnaas-Holmes, including a Saturday retreat, Sunday morning seminar and sermon at both services.

Ordinary Time
Thirtieth Sunday

October 26, 2014
10:45 A.M.

Psalm 90

Eternal and Immortal One,
You have been our refuge in all generations.
Before the mountains were brought forth,
before You had formed the earth and the world,
from everlasting to everlasting,
You are the Alpha and the Omega.

When our days on Earth are ended,
You welcome us home to your Heart, to the City of Light,
where time is eternal and days are not numbered.

You gather those who love You as friends
returning from a long journey,
giving rest to their souls.
You anoint them with the balm of understanding,
healing wounds of the past.

For our days on Earth are a mystery, a searching for You,
a yearning for the great Mystery to make itself known.
The years pass and soon the Harvest is at hand,
a time to reap the fruit of one's life.

Teach us, O Beloved,
to honor each day that we may have a heart of wisdom.

Nan C. Merrill
Psalms for Praying

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The LORD said to Moses, "This is the land of which I swore to Abraham, to Isaac, and to Jacob, saying, 'I will give it to your descendants'; I have let you see it with your eyes, but you shall not cross over there."

Deuteronomy 34:4

So deeply do we care for you that we are determined to share with you not only the gospel of God but also our own selves, because you have become very dear to us. **1 Thessalonians 2:8**

"Teacher, which commandment in the law is the greatest?" Jesus said to him, "You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your mind.' This is the greatest and first commandment. And a second is like it: 'You shall love your neighbor as yourself.' On these two commandments hang all the law and the prophets."

Matthew 22:36-40

Organ/Piano

Dianne Holliman

Reflections

Patricia Dick

Greg Lloyd

Assistants

Roland Wright

Max Patchell

To Our Guests

Glad you're with us. Please sign the guest book in the Narthex and fill in a visitor's card from the pew pocket. After the service enjoy a cup of "fairly traded" coffee or tea with friends in the Fellowship Hall.

Childcare

Available in the nursery.

See ushers for assistance.

BEHOLD! IT IS GOOD

Introit (2x)

*The peace of the earth be with you, the peace of the heavens too
The peace of the rivers be with you, the peace of the oceans too
Deep peace falling over you; God's peace growing in you.*

Proclamation

In life and death we belong to God.
Through the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ,
The love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit,
we trust in the one triune God,
whom alone we worship and serve.

Call to Worship

Lift up your hearts
We lift them up to the Lord

Prayer

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***Hymn 288**

"I Sing the Mighty Power of God"

GRACE A B O U N D S

Prayer of Confession

O Beloved, in you we live and move and have our being. Without you we are nothing. With you we are at home for you have been our dwelling place in all generations. But we wander off and try to make it alone. We turn our back on you and others. We are lost, afraid and frantic. Help us listen for your voice in the silence. Guide our feet upon paths of love. And lead us home again.

Silence

Kyrie Eleison (3x)

Declaration of grace and gratitude

We will love God with all our heart, mind, soul and strength,
And love our neighbors as we love ourselves

***Response (3x)**

*Halle, halle, halle-lu-jah. Halle, halle, halle-lu-jah.
Halle, halle, halle-lu-jah. halle-lu-jah, halle-lu-jah*

Blessing the World

Burkina Faso, Chad, Mali, Mauritania, Niger

Sing the Faith 2184

"Sent Out in Jesus' Name"

First Pew

Parish Life

Interlude

HEARING THE WORD

Reflection

"Face to Face"

Hymn 339

"Be Thou My Vision"

Reflection

"My Dwelling Place"

Hymn 211 (1-cantor, 2-5 all)

"Lord, You Have Been Our Dwelling Place"

SERVING THE WORLD

Prayer for Others

Presenting Offerings

Offertory

"Hark, I Hear the Harps Eternal"
Traditional American/arranged by Mark Hayes

Affirmation

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***Acclamation**

With believers in every time and place,
we rejoice that nothing in life or in death
can separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord.

Blessing Song

*May the blessing of God go before you,
May Her grace and peace abound
May Her Spirit live within you
May Her love wrap you round.
May Her blessing remain with you always
May you walk on holy ground.*

Charge and Benediction

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Postlude

"Fugue in G Major"
J.S. Bach

*stand if you are able

Community means strength that joins with our strength to do work that needs to be done. Arms to hold us when we falter. A circle of healing. A circle of friends. Someplace where we can be free. **Starhawk**

Let everyone understand that real love of God does not consist in tear-shedding, nor in that sweetness and tenderness for which usually we long, just because they console us, but in serving God in justice, fortitude of the soul and humility.

Teresa of Avila, 1515-1582

View all problems as challenges. Look upon negativities that arise as opportunities to learn and to grow. Don't run from them, condemn yourself, or bury your burden in saintly silence. You have a problem? Great. More grist for the mill. Rejoice, dive in, and investigate.

Bhante Henepola Gunaratana,
Mindfulness in Plain English

Gratitude for the present moment and the fullness of life now is the true prosperity.

Eckhart Tolle *The Power of Now*

Cast no mud into the well from which you have drunk.

The Talmud

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