

A Litany of Remembrance for 9/11

O God, our mighty tower, and creator of Heaven and Earth,
Have mercy upon us.

O God, our Redeemer, who died and rose again,
Have mercy upon us.

O God, our comforter, who fell as a dove at the Baptism of Jesus, and
strengthens all the faithful,
Have mercy upon us.

Holy Trinity, undivided, One God,
Have mercy upon us.

By the ministry of Christ, the preaching of the Good News, the healing of
the sick, the casting out of evil, and the raising of the dead,
Have mercy upon us.

By the agony of the cross, and the victory of the Resurrection,
Have mercy upon us.

From the forces of evil, and from deadly acts of terrorism,
Good Lord, deliver us.

From the fear that grips us as individuals and as a people,
Good Lord, deliver us.

From the senseless hatred that hardens hearts and minds,
Good Lord, deliver us.

From war and violent conflict of all stripes,
Good Lord, deliver us.

We do beseech you to hear us, good Lord, that on this fifteenth
anniversary of the terrorist attacks on America, that you would rule and
govern our hearts, and the powers of this world,
We beseech you to hear us, good Lord.

That it would please you to protect this nation, and the peoples of the
whole world,
We beseech you to hear us, good Lord.

That it would please you to uphold the military of this nation, and all
nations, who strive to bring peace and freedom to all your children,
We beseech you to hear us, good Lord.

That it would please you to root out the causes of terror and war in all
places and among all people,
We beseech you to hear us, good Lord.

That it would please you to look upon those who would seek to do us
harm, and turn their hearts from the ways of hatred and violence,
We beseech you to hear us, good Lord.

Cards for Robert Holbrook

If anyone would like to send a card to Robert Holbrook, our pianist who
was recently diagnosed with Follicular Lymphoma, his address is: 11430
Woodrow Strange Rd., Pound, VA 24279. Please help show him he is in our
thoughts and prayers.

That it would please you to rain down grace and mercy upon us all, that
your peace, which passes all understanding, would overtake us all,
We beseech you to hear us, good Lord.

That it would please you on this day to uphold all those who lost people
dear to their hearts during the attacks, and in the conflicts which have
followed in their wake,
We beseech you to hear us, good Lord.

That it would please you to surround widows and children, parents and
loved ones, the injured and maimed with a hope in your trust, your
abiding Presence, and life everlasting,
We beseech you to hear us, good Lord.

That it would please you to uphold all those who maintain peace and
safety in our local communities and abroad,
We beseech you to hear us, good Lord.

That it would please you to shine your light into the darkness, that all
would see and know you, and your ways.
We beseech you to hear us, good Lord.

Son of God, we beseech you to hear us.
Son of God, we beseech you to hear us.

Lamb of God, who takes away the sins of the world,
Have mercy upon us.

Lamb of God, who takes away the sins of the world,
Have mercy upon us.

Lamb of God, who takes away the sins of the world,
Grant us your peace.

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Let us pray.

O God, the author of peace and lover of concord, whose heart is glad
when all your children live together in unity; we lift to you the grief of our
hearts, hoping that you will not only comfort those hearts, but change
them; that we may be the people you have created, and called us to be;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

*Adapted from a prayer by Rick Morley written for the tenth anniversary of
9/11. Found at www.rickmorley.com*

The Trinity Companion Sunday September 11, 2016



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Worship begins at 11:00 am

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Let me tell you how glad we are to have you at our worship service today. We hope that you will encounter the presence of the risen Christ. We'd really like to get some contact information. Would you please text your email and name to 80123 and we'll get back in touch with you.

Greeters: Ben Allen and Ruben Allman

Announcements, Welcome, and Introduction : Martha Spurlock

***Prelude:**

***Call to Worship:** "This is the Day"

***Opening Hymn:** "We'll Understand It Better By and By" No. 525

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Sharing Our Joys and Concerns

(You will be given an opportunity to share joys and prayer concerns. Please raise your hand and wait until an usher comes to you with a microphone.)

The Lord's Prayer (as found at No. 895)

***Gloria Patri** No. 70

Children's Message: Kim Parsons

The Presentation of God's Tithe and Our Offerings

Ushers: Christy Smith, Jackie Mainous, Donna Mahan, Patty Robbins

***Offertory:** "Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring" from CANTATA 147 by Johann Sebastian Bach, AD 1685-1750

*** The Doxology** No. 95

***Anthem:** "Sing, Sing, Sing"

The Presentation of God's Word

Scripture: 1 Timothy 2:1-7 Chris Higgins

Lector: The Word of the Lord for the People of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

Sermon: "The Real Thing"

***Closing Hymn:** "Grace Greater Than Our Sin" No. 365

***Pastoral Benediction :** "Let Us Now Depart in Thy Peace"

Postlude: "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name"hymn tune DIADEM

***Please stand as you are able**

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September Events and Activities

- ◆ **Sunday September 11, 2016**
 - ◆ 3:30 pm—Confirmation Class #1
 - ◆ 5:00 pm—UMYF
 - ◆ 7:00 pm—Administrative Board Meeting—CANCELED
- ◆ **Monday September 12, 2016**
 - ◆ 6:30 pm—United Methodist Men Meeting
- ◆ **Wednesday September 14, 2016**
 - ◆ 6:00 pm—Prayer Team
 - ◆ 7:00 pm—Choir Practice
- ◆ **Sunday September 18, 2016**
 - ◆ 5:00 pm—UMYF
 - ◆ 5:00 pm—Asbury Circle
- ◆ **Wednesday September 21, 2016**
 - ◆ 6:00 pm—Prayer Team
 - ◆ 7:00 pm—Choir Practice
- ◆ **Sunday September 25, 2016**
 - ◆ 12:30 pm—Confirmation Class #2 & #3
 - ◆ 3:00 pm—Big Stone Gap District Conference
 - ◆ 5:00 pm—UMYF
- ◆ **Monday September 26, 2016**
 - ◆ 6:00 pm—Garden Club
 - ◆ 6:30 pm—Finance Committee Meeting
- ◆ **Wednesday September 28, 2016**
 - ◆ 6:00 pm—Prayer Team
 - ◆ 7:00 pm—Choir Practice

October Events and Activities

- ◆ **Sunday October 2, 2016**
 - ◆ 3:30 pm—Confirmation Class #4
 - ◆ 5:00 pm—UMYF
- ◆ **Monday October 3, 2016—Fall Yard Sale Begins**
 - ◆ 6:30 pm—NOW Team Meeting
- ◆ **Wednesday October 5, 2016**
 - ◆ 6:00 pm—Prayer Team
 - ◆ 7:00 pm—Choir Practice
- ◆ **Thursday October 6, 2016**
 - ◆ 10:00 am—Susanna Wesley Circle
 - ◆ 12:00 pm—Wesleyan Circle
- ◆ **Saturday October 8, 2016**
 - ◆ 7:00 am—UMM Pancake Breakfast
- ◆ **Sunday October 9, 2016**
 - ◆ 3:30 pm—Confirmation Class #5
 - ◆ 5:00 pm—UMYF

Jesus or Jeezus		
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September

Van Drivers and Riders

- 4—Doug & Lucy Robinson
- 11—Kenny & Martha Spurlock
- 18—Pat Bowden, Diane Botts
- 25—Kenny & Martha Spurlock

Children's Church

- 4—Cathy Galyean
- 11—Ashley Turner
- 18—Christy Smith
- 25—Patty Robbins

Money Counters

- 4—Martha & Kenny Spurlock
- 11—Bill Cole, Ashley Turner
- 18—Chris Higgins, Paul Clark
- 25—Diane Botts, Christy Smith

Children's Message

- 4—Mary Beth Allen
- 11—Kim Parsons
- 18—Christy Smith
- 25—Bill Cole

Greeters

- Ben Allen
- Ruben Allman

Announcements

Martha Spurlock

Ushers

Christy Smith, Jackie Mainous, Donna Mahan, Patty Robbins



"I HAVE NOT STOPPED GIVING THANKS FOR YOU, REMEMBERING YOU IN MY PRAYERS."
EPHESIANS 1:16, NIV

For Those with Cancer:

Robin (Rita Nash's Daughter); Debbie Cooper; Phyllis Gilley; Melody (Mellie) Gilley; Doris Berta; Denise Qualls; Kathy Hirsch (Larry & Teddy Bland's daughter); David Burke (Bubba Burke's Dad); Karrie Compton (Randy & Phyllis Compton's daughter); Zack Carter; Carey Mills; Steve Clark

Facing/Recovering from Surgery/Hospital Stay

Becky Clark; Helen Cochran; Mary Warner; T. R Davidson; Melanie Sturgill; Mark Nickels; Ann Nickels; Jim Cooper; Barbara Hargrove; Ronnie Phillips (Patty Robbins' brother); Benny Clifton (Lillie Clifton's father); Siyere Williams; Elizabeth White; Nancy Toney; Terry Goodman; Jean Hendrick; Haylee White; Don Whittaker; Karen West; Dennis Ashley

Non-Specific Prayers for:

The Polly family; Geneva Allen; Jim Gates; Jennie Shupe; Hope Meade; Matt Carroll; Melvin Carter; Bill & Jean Hendrick; Peggy Bates; Marion Kocher; Bob Horne; Nancy Toney; Beth & John Hagan; Nancy Kilgore & family; Debbie Goodman; Sarah Shores; Elmer Lowe; June Pendergrass; John Wheeley; Louise Wright

- Pray for our Pastor and the Leaders of our church.
- Pray for the Leaders of the United Methodist Church.
- Pray for those in the Church in need.

If you know that someone on the prayer list has passed away, please contact the church office.