

PRELUDE**TRINITY CHIMES****GREETING AND ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Rev. Kathryn G. N. Campbell

Please take a moment to sign the friendship pad located at the end of the pew, and pass it to the person next to you.

MINUTE FOR MISSION

Mission Committee

OPENING SENTENCES***HYMN 463**

"How Firm a Foundation"
words projected

***PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

Pat Hall

Loving God, we know that love is patient and kind, and we are in a bit of a hurry. Love does not insist on its own way, but really, God, our way is clearly best. Love is not envious or resentful, and yet we hoard it as if there might not be enough. Love is all these verbs—rejoices, bears, believes, hopes, endures—but we are so tempted to confine it where we can understand and control, domesticating love into romance or intellect. When we have not lived in your love, when we have insisted and hurt and believed ourselves to know fully even as we know only in part, forgive us, O God. When we have thought, spoken, and acted in childish ways even as you call us to grow in your grace, forgive us, O God. Draw us again into your embrace, that we may abide in faith, hope, and love.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON**CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE - HYMN 543 (verse 1)**

"God, Be the Love to Search and Keep Me"
words projected

***PASSING THE PEACE**

Since God has forgiven us in Christ, let us forgive one another.

The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.

And also with you.

Please share the Peace of the Lord with those around you.

CONVERSATION WITH CHILDREN

After the Children's Conversation, teachers lead children to Sunday School: age 3 - 4 in room 216; K - 2nd graders in Room 204. Childcare for Infants -2 years is in room 212.

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION**OLD TESTAMENT READING**

Jeremiah 1:4-10, page 656 pew Bible

Leader: This is the word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

NEW TESTAMENT READING 1 Corinthians 13:1-13, page 164 pew Bible

*Those who are able may stand.

SERMON

"Before and After" Rev. Kathryn G. N. Campbell

***HYMN 488**

"I Was There to Hear Your Boring Cry"
words projected

SACRAMENT OF HOLY BAPTISM

Eleanor Reese Chandler

Henry William Chandler

daughter and son of Andrew and Megan Chandler

PRESENTATION**QUESTIONS TO THE PARENTS****QUESTION TO THE CONGREGATION*****AFFIRMATION OF FAITH**

The Apostles' Creed

**I believe in God the Father Almighty,
Maker of heaven and earth,
and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord;
who was conceived by the Holy Ghost,
born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, dead, and buried;
He descended into hell;
the third day he rose again from the dead;
He ascended into heaven,
and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty;
from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church;
the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins;
the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.**

PRAYER OVER THE WATER**BAPTISM****HYMN 188**

"Jesus Loves Me!"

WELCOME

**With joy and thanksgiving we welcome you into Christ's church
to share with us in his ministry, for in Christ we are all God's
beloved children.**

CONCERNS AND CELEBRATIONS**PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND 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.

OFFERING OF OUR GIFTS AND TITHES**OFFERTORY ANTHEM** "Dwell in the Light Forevermore" Lloyd Larson***CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE - HYMN 606**

"Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"
words projected

PRAYER OF DEDICATION**HYMN 697**

"Take My Life"
words projected

CHARGE & BENEDICTION**BENEDICTION RESPONSE** "Amen" from *Benediction* Peter Lutkin***POSTLUDE**

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FLOWERS TODAY ARE GIVEN TO THE GLORY OF GOD by Andrew and Megan Chandler in honor of their children's baptisms.

Acolyte: Caleb Wilson

Reader: Connie Fowler

Worship Assistant: Pat Hall

Parking Lot Greeter: Josh Nelson

Church Opener: Parks Williams

Church Closer: Austin Campbell

Sound Booth: Josh Wilson

Video Booth: Richard Porter

Ushers: Gary Webb, Campbell Buchanan, David Buchanan,
Jim Lowe, Chris Wilson, Lee Goodson

HEARING ASSISTANCE DEVICES are available. Please ask an usher.

PROFESSIONAL CHILD CARE offered Sunday mornings, 9-11:30 a.m. in Room 212 for infants through age two.

COMMON GROUNDS COFFEE CAFE serves free, fair-trade coffee and tea in the Gathering Space adjacent to the Sanctuary from 8:45-11 a.m.

Please remember to wear your **name tags** at church events. If you would like a name tag and do not have one, please contact Brenda Triplett in the church office.

PRAYER CONCERNS

Transition Team and Staff

Cathy Coons (travel)



THIS WEEK AT STARMOUNT

<p>SUNDAY, January 31 9 a.m. Sunday School VIPs & Childcare 10 a.m. Worship 10:15 a.m. Children's Sunday School 11:10-11:30 a.m. Children's Choir Rehearsal 11:10-11:55 a.m. Youth Ringers Rehearsal 11:15 a.m. Mission Committee, room 319 5:18-7 p.m. SPY! Youth Group</p> <p>MONDAY, February 1 6:30-7:30 p.m. Personnel Committee, room 414</p> <p>TUESDAY, February 2 10-11:50 a.m. Staff Meetings, room 414 7-8:30 p.m. UKirk Worship</p> <p>WEDNESDAY, February 3 11:30 a.m. - 1 p.m. UKirk Lunch for All 6-7 p.m. Communications Committee, room 414 8 p.m. Guinness & The Good News</p>	<p>THURSDAY, February 4 7-8:30 a.m. Men's Bible Study, Gathering Space 6-6:45 p.m. Thursday Ringers Rehearsal 7-8:30 p.m. Chancel Choir Rehearsal</p> <p>FRIDAY, February 5 6:30-8:30 p.m. Session / Staff Social at the home of Slade & Tammy Lewis</p> <p>SATURDAY, February 6 10-noon SPY! Youth Group - Service Blitz at Greensboro Urban Ministries</p> <p>LOOKING AHEAD SUNDAY, February 7 8:30-9 a.m. PW Board Meeting 9 a.m. Sunday School VIPs & Childcare 10 a.m. Worship 10:15 a.m. Children's Sunday School 11:10-11:30 a.m. Children's Choir Rehearsal 11:10-11:55 a.m. Youth Ringers Rehearsal</p>
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PRESBYTERIAN WOMENS RETREAT: Sign up now for the upcoming retreat in Montreat **February 19-21**. Forms and details are available at the Welcome Desk in the lobby. Online payment is not available for this event.

PRAYER CHAIN EMAIL: If you are currently not receiving the weekly prayer concerns emailed on Thursdays or Fridays, you may send a request to be added to the *Prayer Chain* to brenda@starmountpres.org.

January 31, 2016 · 10:00 a.m.

Rev. Kathryn G.N. Campbell, associate pastor
 Rev. Dr. Ken Meeks, Jr., parish visitor
 Leslie Webb, parish visitor
 Robert Overman, director of music ministries
 Michael Parker, organist

Welcome!

We are Christ's people, and this is Christ's house with its doors wide open.

If you are passing through, Godspeed. If you are looking for a worship home, stay with us.

We invite you to join us, but most of all, to return often.

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STARMOUNT PRESBYTERIAN YOUTH (SPY!): SPY! will meet tonight from 5:18-7pm for a Super Bowl theme night! Since we will NOT be meeting on Super Bowl Sunday, we will celebrate the Super Bowl tonight with great football themed games and activities. Whether you are a big football fan or not....you won't want to miss the fun tonight! See you at 5:18!

GUINNESS & THE GOOD NEWS: Young adults of all ages are invited to The PorterHouse Bar & Grill (4608 W. Market Street, between Montrose and N. Westgate Dr.) at 8 p.m. **Wednesday, February 3** for food and fellowship. If you have questions, please ask Pastor Kathryn.

SPY!: Mark your calendars for **Saturday, February 6th!** SPY! will be participating in the Souper Bowl of Caring Service Blitz, which is a nationwide initiative to encourage service on the Saturday before the Super Bowl. We will be going to Greensboro Urban Ministry to sort/organize new items in the hygiene closet. Our service shift is from 10-12noon. We will leave the church at 9:40 a.m. See you then for this great service opportunity!

2016 OFFERING ENVELOPES are available in the gathering space/coffee bar area. If you do not see your name on a box and would like to receive envelopes, please contact Libby Wilson, libby@starmountpres.org.

ANNUAL CONGREGATIONAL MEETING & SOUPER BOWL OF CARING LUNCH Sunday, **February 7**. Join us immediately following worship for a free lunch including soup, bread & dessert in the Fellowship Hall. A free-will offering for the Souper Bowl of Caring Offering will go to Greensboro Urban Ministry. Starmount's Annual Congregational meeting will be held during lunch. Highlights of the meeting include a review of Starmount's 2015 ministry and mission, a presentation of the 2016 budget, and a vote on changes in terms of call for our pastoral staff. Childcare for children under 3 will be provided in room 212. Please sign up online or via the insert.

ASH WEDNESDAY WORSHIP: Mark your calendars for this special service on **February 10** at 6:30 p.m. in the Sanctuary. Dinner will be at 5:45 p.m. Watch for more details to follow.

BLOOD DRIVE AT STARMOUNT February 13, 8:30 a.m. - 1 p.m., Fellowship Hall. Please mark your calendars. You can sign up on the board in the lobby at the Welcome Center desk.

PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN HONORARY LIFE MEMBERSHIP: Nominate a Starmount member (man or woman) for Honorary Life Membership, an award that recognizes members of Starmount who have a commitment to Christ and the mission of the church. With your nomination, list your reasons for nominating the individual, and submit in a sealed envelope to the Presbyterian Women's mailbox in the church workroom by March 1st. Remember, this must be kept SECRET. For questions, contact Karen Smith or Ann Parks.

CONSIGNMENT SALE TAGGING: If you are a preschool parent or church member who wants to consign at the Preschool Spring/Summer Consignment Sale but don't have time to tag, the Preschool can do it for you! You would still be able take home 50% of your sales. If you are interested in dropping off your goods the week of February 8, please contact Sarah Bain, Consignment Sale Coordinator, at preschoolconsignment@starmountpres.org. You must register with Sarah prior to drop-off.