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 By appointment

Sun 9 32nd 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. Sanctuary
 10:45 a.m. Liturgy of the Word
 5:45 p.m. New members dinner. Fellowship Hall
Tue 11
 7:30 p.m. Choir practice
Thur 13
 3:00 p.m. Connections @ Blue Moon
 7:00 p.m. Adult Education & Formation. Classroom No. 3
Fri 14
 6:30 p.m. TGIF supper group. Fellowship Hall
Sat 15
 7:30 a.m. Men's Breakfast. Fellowship Hall (see below)
 9:00 a.m. Youth Parish Clean Up day.
 9:30 a.m. Diaconate meeting #1. Fellowship Hall
 8:00 p.m. Concert with Kipyn Martin. Sanctuary (see below)
Sun 16 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time
Judges 4:1-7; Ps. 123; 1 Thess. 5:1-11; Matt. 25:14-30
 8:15 a.m. Liturgy of the Word
 9:25 a.m. Sunday seminar. Fellowship Hall
 9:30 a.m. Middlers in the Morning. Sanctuary
 10:45 a.m. Liturgy of the Word
 12:15 p.m. More Light Group. Classroom No. 1
 5:00 p.m. Finance committee. Classroom No. 1
 5:00 p.m. Practicing Silence. Sanctuary

DONATE one or more hymnals. \$20/ per hymnal. Envelopes in pew pockets or office. New hymnals will be dedicated First Sunday of Advent, Nov. 30.
MENS BREAKFAST topic of discussion *What were your parents' vocations? What is or was yours? If you could change or revise your vocation, what might you select?*
FREE YARD & HOUSE WORK: Provided by the SPC youth. One day only. **Saturday, Nov. 15.** Send your request for assistance by Nov. 12 to: office@shepherdstownpresbyterian.org. Donations to youth program are welcomed, but not required.
KIPYN MARTIN in concert with Eric Janus. **Saturday, Nov. 15, 8:00 p.m.** Fund-raiser for Jefferson County Homeless Coalition. Concert is free, but a donation of \$10-\$20 will gladly be accepted.
RENEW PASTOR'S CALL. Congregational business meeting to renew Pastor Tremba's "call" for another year and approve the terms of compensation.
Sunday, Nov. 23, 9:30 a.m.
COMMUNITY Thanksgiving Service **Sunday, Nov. 23, 4:00 p.m.** Hosted by Shepherdstown Society of Friends (Quakers) at St. Peter's Lutheran Church. Music by St. Johns choir and the Elementary School chorus.
HYMN SING led by Terry Tucker, **Sunday, Nov. 30, 4:30-5:30 p.m.** Sanctuary. Hymns chosen for their beautiful melodies and inspiring words. All are welcome;
PLAN AHEAD. Sunday, Nov. 23, 9:30 a.m. Congregation business meeting to act on Pastor's compensation for 2015 • **Sunday, Dec. 14.** Joy Gift Dinner at Fire Hall. **Sundays, Dec. 28 and Jan. 4** One service only (10:45) • **Sunday, Jan. 4.** Children's Christmas Epiphany pageant • **Jan. 17-18.** A visit from Pastor Steve Garnaas-Holmes, including a Saturday retreat, Sunday morning seminar and sermon at both services.

Ordinary Time	Season of Gratitude	November 9, 2014
Thirty-second Sunday		10:45 A.M.

I am
 all Understanding,
 not the understood,
 the fiery life of divine wisdom.

I ignite the beauty of the plains,
 I sparkle the waters,
 I burn in the sun,
 and the moon,
 and the stars.

I am
 the divine power
 through which God decided
 and sanctioned the creation of all things.

I am
 the yearning for good.

Hildegard of Bingen
 (12th c., Germany)

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Then the people answered, "Far be it from us that we should forsake the LORD to serve other gods; for it is the LORD our God who brought us and our ancestors up from the land of Egypt, out of the house of slavery. Therefore we also will serve the LORD, for the LORD is our God." **Joshua 24:16-18**

Wisdom is radiant and unfading, and she is easily discerned by those who love her, and is found by those who seek her. She hastens to make herself known to those who desire her. One who rises early to seek her will have no difficulty, for she will be found sitting at the gate.

Wisdom of Solomon 6:12-14

As the bridegroom was delayed, all of them became drowsy and slept. But at midnight there was a shout, 'Look! Here is the bridegroom! Come out to meet him.' Then all those bridesmaids got up and trimmed their lamps. The foolish said to the wise, 'Give us some of your oil, for our lamps are going out!'

Matthew 25:5-8

Organ/Piano

Dianne Holliman

Assistants

Kaitlin Rolfe
Naomi Artlip
Bill Ashforth

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)

*In the light of the morning the love of God fills our hearts
In the light of the morning the love of God fills our hearts
And we shall sing for joy and we shall sing for joy
And we shall sing for joy and we shall sing for joy*

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 469**

"Morning Has Broken""

GRACE A B O U N D S

Prayer of Confession

You call us, O God, to rest in your holy presence. Yet we do not take time for you. You call us to share sorrows and joys with others. Yet we refuse to stop and listen. You call us to live generously. Yet we tolerate greed and indifference and barely notice the hurting multitudes. Awaken us from lethargy. Awaken us to love.

Silence

Kyrie Eleison (2x)

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

Doxology (Hymnal No. 591)

*Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Christ, all people here below;
Praise Holy Spirit evermore;
Praise Triune God, whom we adore. Amen.*

Blessing the World

Cape Verde, the Gambia, Guinea, Guinea-Bissau, Senegal

Song

This little light of mine I'm going let it shine...

First Pew

Parish Life

Special offerings of gratitude

*Gloria, gloria, in excelsis deo.
Gloria, gloria, alleluia, alleluia.*

HEARING THE WORD

Reading

Interlude

Lessons

Joshua 24:1-25 • Matthew 25:1-13

Sermon

"The Way of Wisdom"

Sing the Faith 2121

"O Holy Spirit, Root of Life"

SERVING THE WORLD

Prayer for Others

Presenting Offerings

Offertory

"Blessed"

Bern H. Herbolzheimer

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.

***Sung response (2x)**

*Walk with me and I will walk with you
And build the land that God has planned
Where love shines through.*

Charge and Benediction

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Postlude

"Canzonetta"

Dietrich Buxtehude

*stand if you are able

Democracy must be something more than two wolves and a sheep voting on what to have for dinner. **James Bovard**

Think about the kind of world you want to live and work in. What do you need to know to build that world? Demand that your teachers teach you that. **Prince Peter Kropotkin**

Let the good in me connect with the good in others, until all the world is transformed through the compelling power of love.

Rebbe Nachman

The Gentle Weapon

Knowledge deepened by love is wisdom, and wisdom is the heart of the Christian life.

Ilia Delio, OSF

Where is the wisdom we have lost in knowledge? Where is the knowledge we have lost in information? **T. S. Eliot**

Even in a world that's being shipwrecked, remain brave and strong. **Hildegard von Bingen**

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In the Light of the Morning by Bro. Stefan Waligur.