

**WORSHIP LEADERS for TODAY ~ August 17**

**9 AM: Greeter:** Sean Pepper

**Hostess:** Sally Harris

**Worship Leader:** Gary Indihar

**PP:** Kirk Finley

**11 AM: Usher:** David Lilly

**Worship Leader:** Neva Beasley

**Readers:** Todd Worthington, Kathy Barnhart

**For this coming week ~ August 17-23**

**Care Center Pick Up:** Kay Hanks

**WAVE Team:** Hartwell & Pat Lutz

**Worship leader schedules are available at**

**www.bigcovechurch.org.**

**PRAYER REQUESTS**

**Members:** Becky Marshall and the Marshall/Harvey Families (in the loss of a father and the loss of a brother); Brenda Copeland, Wayne Deaton, Sandy Young, Mary Burnette

**Friends & Relatives:** Jerry Price (Kay Hanks' brother-in-law); Don Burnette (Kay Gentle's brother)

**The Church:** Rev. Dr. Tammy Brown, Executive Presbyter  
**Military & International:** All those serving in the armed forces, including Houston Harris, Jeff Harris' nephew, serving in Afghanistan

**For our Nation:** President Obama and our representatives.

**For Big Cove Missions & Ministries:** New Hope Children's Clinic; The CARE Center; Kairos Prison Ministry; The Presbyterian Home for Children; The Vine Pastoral Counseling Center

**Happy Anniversary/ Birthday this week:**

David & Renay Nunn on the 17<sup>th</sup> (today!)

Dana Indihar on the 18<sup>th</sup>

Kathy Abalos on the 20<sup>th</sup>

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Important Youth Meeting today** between services in the Fellowship Hall of the white church. Parents and kids grades 6 and up invited!

**Special Guest next Sun, Aug 24:** Come hear our friend, Heidi Meadows, from First Presbyterian, Huntsville, share a Minute for Mission about NAP mission work in Kigali, Rwanda, East Africa! We will also be showcasing our local mission opportunities.

**"Pack Day" to assemble the** Presbyterian Disaster Assistance hygiene kits for the children stuck at our borders will take place in the large classroom upstairs between services next Sun, Aug 24.

**"Praise and Prayer" service** on Aug 31 at the 11 am worship service. Peruse our hymnal and find your favorite hymn that offers praise, thanksgiving, gratitude, and lifts up our Lord! Give your suggestion to Carla by Aug 24!

**The Presbyterian Women's Fall Gathering** is Sept 9 at Camp Maranatha. The Rev. Tammy Gregory Brown, our new Executive Presbyter, will lead the group in our Bible study review. Contact Gail Birdsong to make reservations. Lunch is \$10.00.

**If you are interested in participating in the Immersion study on Luke**, please contact the pastor so that we can order enough books for everyone.

**Please consider signing up** for "Curb Appeal duty" for one week this fall to be sure that the church grounds stay presentable. The sign-up sheet is on the table in the stairwell vestibule.

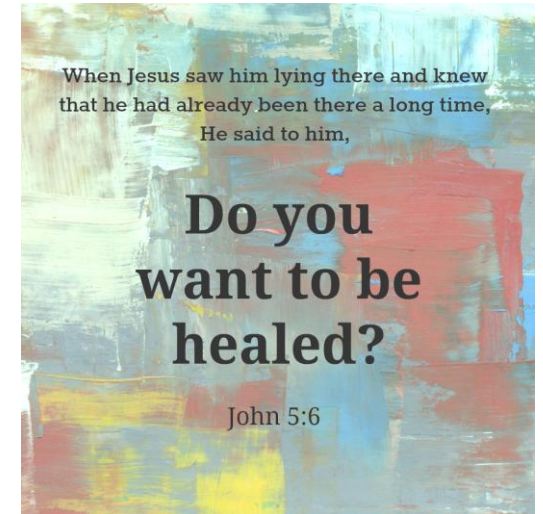
**Transformation Yoga**, led by Lori Smith, continues to meet at the church each Wed morning, 9:30-11:00. Cost is \$10 per class, and the first session is free.

**The choir** meets each Wed night at 7:00. Consider joining this important ministry that offers fun, fellowship, and learning while it contributes to Sunday morning worship services!

**Thursday Prayer Group** meets each Thurs at 10:00.

**Interested in church membership?** Please see Pastor Rosemary.

**WELCOME TO BIG COVE  
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH (USA)**



**August 17, 2014**

**"First Light" Worship – Sundays at 9 AM**

**Guitarist:** John Isom

**Percussionist:** Jimmy Jones

**Traditional Worship – Sundays at 11 AM**

**Music Director:** Carla Feehan

**Pianist:** Jennifer Salter

Rev. Rosemary McMahan & Rev. Houston Hodges

*Nursery Available*

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**9 AM ~ FIRST LIGHT CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP**

**Called by God, We Gather**

Call to Worship ~ Ringing of the Bell

**Song of Worship:** Awesome God

**Greeting:** Welcoming Christ Among Us

**Song to Prepare for Message:** Abba Father

**Spoken to by God, We Listen**

John 5:1-15

**The Message** "Do You Want to be Healed?"  
Rev. Rosemary McMahan

**Believing in God, We Respond**

Prayers for Healing  
Announcements

**Celebrating Our Blessings**

**Offertory:** Draw Me Close

**Blessed by God, We Give Thanks:**

**Communion Song:** Sanctuary  
Celebration of the Lord's Supper

*(Silent Reflection)*

**Sent by God, We Go Out**

**Sending Song:** Lord Reign in Me

**Blessing and Sending**

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**11 AM ~ TRADITIONAL CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP**

**Preparing for Worship**

*The prelude marks the beginning of worship and is observed in silence.*

**Prelude :** "There's Power In the Blood" Arr. Charity Book  
Putnam

**Called by God, We Gather**

One: Let us wait patiently upon the Lord.

**All: God leans towards us and hears our prayers.**

One: God draws us up from the pit of isolation and despair.

**All: The Lord sets our feet securely on the right path.**

One: God puts a new song in our hearts.

**All: Blessed are we because we put our hope and trust in God.**

One: God's great works are too numerous to count.

**All: We lift up our voices in thanks and praise to the Lord who is our God!**  
*--Based on Psalm 40*

**Song of Worship:** Because He Lives 447

**Confession and Pardon**

One: In the silence of our hearts, let us ask God to heal what is broken: our relationship with him, our relationship with another; our relationship with ourselves.

*A moment of silence.*

**All: Loving God, you are the Great Healer, the one who calls us to wholeness. Please forgive those things we have broken and help make us whole again.**

One: When we are truly sincere, we are truly forgiven.

**All: We believe! Amen!**

**Greeting:** Welcoming Christ Among Us

**Spoken to by God, We Listen**

Anthem "Glad To Be Me"  
Stanton and Josephine Yarboro

Old Testament Genesis 44: 1-7; 14-15 34

Response Psalm 133 443

**Hymn of Reflection** There Is a Balm in Gilead 631

Gospel John 5:1-15 753-754

**Sermon:** "Do You Want to be Healed?"  
Rev. Rosemary McMahan

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**Celebrating Our Blessings**

**Offertory :** "Simple Gifts" Arr. Hal Hopson

**Doxology** 34  
Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise him all creatures here below; praise him above ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

**The Lord's Prayer** (in unison)  
***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, the power and the glory forever. Amen.***

**Sent by God, We Go Out**

**Song of Sending:** We Cannot Measure How You Heal 628

**Blessing and Sending**

Postlude: "I Walked With God This Day" Tom Birchwood

*The flowers are offered to the glory of God and in memory of Jackie Cotton by Diane and Tennent Lee.*