Installation Service of The Reverend Pamela Hrncir Williamsburg Presbyterian Church Saturday, March 15, 2025 • 11:00 a.m.

PRELUDE Carillon Murrill
The Gift of Love arr. Diemer
I Love to Tell the Story arr. Wood
Listen, God Is Calling arr. Organ

GREETINGS FROM THE PRESBYTERY

Rev. Dr. Chris Carrasco

Call to Worship • Psalm 100

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Leader: Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth.

All: Worship the Lord with gladness: come into God's presence with singing.

Leader: Know that the Lord is God.

All: It is God who made us, and we are God's people, the sheep of God's pasture.

Leader: Enter God's gates with thanksgiving and God's courts with praise.

All: Give thanks to the Lord and bless God's name.

Leader: For the Lord is good; God's steadfast love endures forever,

All: and God's faithfulness to all generations.

***Нуми 611** "Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee" Нуми то Joy

CALL TO CONFESSION (1 John 1:8-9)

Rev. Gini Campbell

Leader: If we say that we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. But if we confess our sins, God - who is faithful and just - will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (responsive)

Leader: Gracious and loving God, you have called us to be your people and claimed us for the service of Jesus Christ.

All: We confess that we've not lived up to our calling to proclaim the Good News in word and deed.

Leader: We are quick to speak when we ought to listen and remain silent when we ought to speak.

All: We fail to trust in the strength of your Spirit and put too much faith in our own actions.

Leader: Set us free from a past we cannot change, and open to us a future in which we can be changed. Strengthen us anew to follow Christ's way in the world.

All: Give us grace to be faithful disciples to fulfill our common calling, through Jesus Christ, light of the world.

*A Time for Silent Prayer



Assurance of Forgiveness

Leader: By grace you have been saved through faith, and this is not your own doing; it is God's gift.

All: In the name of Jesus Christ, we are forgiven! Thanks be to God!

Prayer of Illumination (unison)

Ruling Elder Leslie Brooks

Prepare our hearts, O God, to accept your Word. Silence in us any voice but your own, that hearing, we may also obey your will; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

FIRST LESSON: Ezekiel 34:11-16 Ruling Elder Charity Houghton This is the Word of the Lord!

Thanks be to God!

Second Lesson: Ephesians 4:1-13

This is the Word of the Lord!

Thanks be to God!

SERMON "Not a Taco" Rev. Dr. Melissa Summer Long

***Нуми 432** "How Clear Is Our Vocation, Lord" Rертон

Offertory Rev. Dr. John E. Morgan

The offering today is for the Presbytery of Eastern Virginia (PEVA) Scholarship-Ministry Candidates fund. This fund provides scholarships for candidates under the care of the PEVA Commission on Preparation for Ministry.



ANTHEM The Meditations of My Heart Elaine Hagenberg

May the words of my mouth and the meditations of my heart be acceptable in thy sight,

O Lord, my Rock,

O Lord, my Strength,

O Lord, my God and Redeemer.

—Psalm 19:14





God a-bove, ye heaven-ly host; praise Fa-ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost. A - men.

*Prayer of Dedication

Rev. Dr. Chris Carrasco

Installation of Rev. Pamela Hrncir (see insert)

CHARGE TO THE PASTOR

Ruling Elder Faith Shartzer
Ruling Elder Jaynelle Oehler

CHARGE TO THE CONGREGATION Rev. Dr. John E. Morgan

*Hymn 634 "To God Be the Glory" To God Be The Glory

Benediction by Newly Installed Minister of the Word & Sacrament

Rev. Pamela Hrncir

POSTLUDE Now Thank We All Our God Bach/Fox