

**Our Service Through Worship**  
**April 29, 2018**

Pastor, Dr. J. Michael Wilkins  
Worship Leader, Mrs. Lucy Wilkins  
Organist, Mrs. Alysyan Raymond Pianist, Mrs. Jerri Keen

*At the prelude, let us prepare our hearts and minds to worship the Lord.*

**Welcome**

**Life of the Church**

**Prelude** *I Worship You, Almighty God*

**Call to Worship** *Shout To The Lord*

**Hymn # 45** *Morning Has Broken*

**Hymn # 579** *He Has Made Me Glad*

**Children's Choir** *I Will Call Upon The Lord*  
*Jesus Love Medley*  
*He Is Lord*

**Children's Church** Beverly Saunders  
(Children K- 5th grades will meet in the front of the sanctuary)

**Morning Prayer**

**Offertory Hymn # 156 (verses 1-3)** *Jesus! What A Friend For Sinners*

**Offertory Prayer** Sherry Miller

**Offertory** *As The Deer*

**Doxology # 668** *Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow*  
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.

**Anthem** *The Love of God* Manly's Gospel Five  
Fredrick Lehman/MeirBen I. Nehorai

**Scripture** **John 15:4, 9-11**

**Message** "What Makes You Smile?"

**Invitation Hymn # 13** *Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee*

**Benediction**

**Postlude** *I Love To Tell The Story*

*As a courtesy to other worshippers please remember to silence your cell phones.*

*Today, the lovely flowers in the sanctuary are given by  
Peyton & Ursula Rochelle in memory of Loved Ones.*

**Mother's Day Roses**

**Today is the last day to place your order** for a rose in honor or memory of a loved one. Roses will be distributed at the end of the service on Sunday, May 13<sup>th</sup>. **This is a Relay for Life youth fundraiser.**

**Youth Group**

**Today from 5-7 pm** youth (6<sup>th</sup> - 12<sup>th</sup> grade) are invited to join us for Youth Group. We will enjoy dinner before walking to Lisa's House to work on a playground service project. Please see Molly Kay for more information.

**Saturday, May 5<sup>th</sup>**, youth (6<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grade) are invited to join us for a hike and dinner. We will leave the church at **1 pm** to travel to Roaring Run Falls and Furnace Trail. Then we will enjoy dinner at Cucci's in Covington (youth will need \$ for their meal). **Please RSVP with Molly Kay by Wednesday, May 2<sup>nd</sup> for transportation.**

**Church Fellowship Dinner**

Our church fellowship dinner this week will be fried chicken, mashed potatoes with gravy and fruit salad prepared by Effie Wallace with bread & dessert prepared by volunteers. The cost is \$7.00 per meal. Please remember to contact the office (463-4181) by Monday at noon to sign up.

**Bible Readings**

The Bible Readings for the week of April 30<sup>th</sup> - May 4<sup>th</sup>: Monday: Luke 14:28-35, Tuesday: Luke 15:1-7, Wednesday: Luke 15:8-10, Thursday: Luke 15:11-32, Friday: Luke 16:1-12.

**Backpack Program**

Packing backpacks this **Wednesday at 11:45 am** will be Priscilla Jamison, Gary & Carole Judy and Beverly Shotwell. Gary Judy will deliver them.

**Founders' Day**

On **Sunday, May 6<sup>th</sup>** we will celebrate Founders' Day. Founders' Day is the day when we remember the founding of our church in 1841, celebrate God's faithfulness through the years, and anticipate how God will lead us in the years to come. Following the morning worship, we will enjoy a covered dish meal in the fellowship hall. **The Stewardship Committee has set an offering goal of \$3,000 that will go towards renovating the choir room with fresh paint and new carpet. We hope that you will prayerfully consider giving to this project.** Any money received above the cost of that project will be applied to the Maintenance Reserve Fund.

**Cake & Casserole Ministry**

We will meet **Saturday, May 12<sup>th</sup> at 9:00 am**. Please join us!

**Relay For Life**

Your Relay team, Lighthouse Youth Ministries of Manly Memorial, volunteer with Relay for Life because we know it makes a difference! This year the ACS Relay for Life of Rockbridge will take place at **Maury River Middle School** (INSIDE, so it will take place rain or shine!) **on Saturday, May 12<sup>th</sup> beginning at 3:00 pm**. Come by and see what each team has to offer in the way of food and entertainment! If you would like to donate a luminary in memory of or in honor of someone, the forms are located on the shelf next to the church office and in the fellowship hall through **Sunday, May 6<sup>th</sup>**. You can also contact Curtis or Deborah Caylor ([cwcaylor@comcast.net](mailto:cwcaylor@comcast.net) or 460-4060). **The cost is \$10 (tax-deductible) and checks should be made out to the American Cancer Society.**

**Youth Sunday**

Join us on **Sunday, May 13<sup>th</sup>** for Youth Sunday when our youth will lead the worship service.

**Special Called Business Meeting**

A special called business meeting is scheduled for **Wednesday, May 16<sup>th</sup> at 6:15 pm**, to receive and vote upon the semiannual report of the Nominating Committee.

**JOY Group Cookout**

On **Thursday, May 17<sup>th</sup> at 5:30 pm** the JOY Group is invited to Patsy & Roger Williamson's home (822 Glasgow Hwy, Buena Vista) for a cookout and fellowship. Hope to see you there!

**Youth Car Wash Mission Trip Fundraiser**

The youth will hold a donation car wash on **Saturday, May 19<sup>th</sup>, from 9 am till noon** in the Advance Auto Auto parking lot. Please bring your car by to be washed. These teens are working so hard to raise money for the mission trip and share the love of Jesus with others!

**Scholarships For High School Graduates**

Jean Hamric Memorial and Ellen Fix Howard scholarship applications are available for high school graduates in the church office. **The deadline to submit applications is Sunday, May 20<sup>th</sup>.**

**Help Us Celebrate**

Margaret Vest will celebrate her 95<sup>th</sup> birthday on **Saturday, May 26<sup>th</sup>**. We encourage you to take time to send her a birthday card. Her address is 405 Arpia Street, Lexington, VA. 24450.

**RARA Food Pantry**

Item-of-the-month for April is household and cleaning supplies. Donations can be placed outside of the choir room. Thank You!

## PRAYER CONCERNS

*Requests stay on the list a month, unless the church office is asked to keep them on longer.*

**Pray** for the Grand Bacolet Baptist Church.  
**Pray** for the safety of all our troops.

**April 29:** Lannie Ballard, Peyton & Ursula Rochelle, Judy Davis,  
Amy Woody (Nena Woody's daughter-in-law), Carole Berger

**April 22:** Carol Kirby, Laura Jones, Dot & Jim Fuller

**April 15:** Joe Wilkins, Joyner Family, Jeff Slone (future son-in-law of the Raymond's), Barbara Vaughan, Sylvia Loudermilk, Ann Saunders (Sherry Miller's mother), Judy Davis, Kristen Coleman (Jill Straub's daughter)

**April 8:** Harry Carter, Kristen Swisher (Patsy Paxton's niece), Aileen Fleming (Garner Fleming's grandmother), Cheryl Fairchild, Ruth McGuffin Family, Johnny VanNess Family, Jenny Heckman

### Remember Our Shut-Ins...

**At Home:** Jim Fuller, Julia Martin

**Havenwood:** Kenton Nicely

**Kendal:** Roberta Grist, A.P. Logan, Jr. "Cedric"

**Shenandoah Health Center:** Peggy Lewis

**The Palmettos:** Joan Huff (Apt. 132, 9415 Highway 17 Bypass Murrells Inlet, SC 29576)

Check our website to see all the opportunities where you can be involved in the life of the church.

### Opportunities For The Week April 29, 2018

<b>Sunday</b>	Bible Study	9:45 am
	Worship	11:00 am
	Youth Group	5:00 - 7:00 pm
<b>Wednesday</b>	Community Bible Study	10:00 am
	Handbell Choir	5:00 pm
	Fellowship Meal	5:30 pm
	Adult Choir	6:30 pm
<b>Saturday</b>	Youth Hike (Roaring Run Falls) & Dinner	1:00 pm

### Sunday, April 29, 2018

**Bible Study Floater** - Barbara Heckman

**Hall Watch** - Gary Judy

**Offertory Prayer** - Sherry Miller

**Bible Study Nursery Worker** - Sandy O'Connell & Bobbie Canfield

**Worship Nursery Workers** - Linda Carter & Molly Kay Moore

### Sunday, May 6, 2018

**Bible Study Floater** - Carole Berger

**Hall Watch** - David Campbell

**Offertory Prayer** - Mike Bozeman

**Bible Study Nursery Worker** - Robyn Sherman & Sherry Baucom

**Worship Nursery Workers** - Cathy Wranek & Patsy Williamson

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