

**Our Service Through Worship  
April 2, 2017 - The Lord's Supper**

Pastor, Dr. J. Michael Wilkins  
Interim Music Director, Lucy Wilkins  
Organist, Mrs. Alysyan Raymond  
Pianist, Mrs. Jerri Keen

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

**Prelude** *Blessed Redeemer*

**Call to Worship Responsive Reading # 308** The Glory of God

**Hymn # 308** *Glorious is Thy Name*

**Hymn # 542** *Lord, Be Glorified*

**Life of the Church**

**Morning Prayer**

**The 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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us, and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, for thine is the kingdom, the power and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

**Offertory Hymn # 245** *At Calvary*

**Offertory Prayer** Clyde Keen

**Offertory** *Have You Been to Calvary*

**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** *In Christ Alone* by Keith Getty & Stuart Townsend      Choir  
Jennifer Fuller-Spears, soloist

**Scripture** **Mark 8:31-38**

**Message** "Are You Wasting Your Life?"

**Invitation Hymn # 437** *Wherever He Leads I'll Go*

**Confession of Faith**

We believe in Jesus Christ, God's Messiah and one true King, who said: "Whoever wants to be my disciple must deny themselves and take up their cross and follow me. For whoever wants to save their life will lose it, but whoever loses their life for me and for the gospel will save it. What good is it for someone to gain the whole world, yet forfeit their soul?" Mark 8:34-36

**The Lord's Supper**

**Hymn of Fellowship** *Blest Be The Tie*

Blest be the tie that binds Our hearts in Christian love;  
The fellowship of kindred minds Is like to that above.

**Benediction**

**Postlude** *I Saw The Cross of Jesus*

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

**Benevolence Offering**

The ushers will be stationed at the exits this morning to take up the offering for those in need in our community.

**Bible Readings**

The Bible Readings for the week of April 3<sup>rd</sup> - 7<sup>th</sup>: Monday: Matthew 26:14-30, Tuesday: Matthew 26:31-35, Wednesday: Matthew 26:36-46, Thursday: Matthew 26:47-56, Friday: Matthew 26:57-68.

**Church Fellowship Dinner**

Our church fellowship dinner this week will be fried chicken, red skin potatoes, peas & cake prepared by Effie Wallace. The cost is \$7 per meal. Please remember to contact the office by Monday at noon to sign up.

**Backpack Program**

Packing backpacks this week will be Priscilla Jamison, Beverly Shotwell, Gary and Carole Judy. Gary Judy will deliver them.

**Youth Car Wash Mission Trip Fundraiser**

The youth will hold a donation car wash this Saturday, April 8<sup>th</sup>, from 9:00 am till noon in the Advance Auto parking lot. Please bring your car by to be washed & help support the youth as they raise money for the mission trip.

**MMBC Endowment Fund**

Manly's Endowment Fund was recently highlighted in the Virginia Baptist Foundation's website, new brochure and video as a "success story." While it is pleasing to receive such recognition, it is more satisfying to know our experience in establishing the endowment fund may inspire others to consider a similar approach to help spread the Good News of Christ's love for us in their communities. You can view the VBF video online at <https://vimeo.com/203857013>.

**Mother's Day Roses**

The Youth are selling Mother's Day roses as a Relay for Life fundraiser. You may give a rose in honor or memory of a loved one. Roses will be distributed at the end of the service on Sunday, May 14<sup>th</sup>. Please place your order form and payment of \$5 in the offering plate by Sunday, April 30<sup>th</sup>. Your support is appreciated!!

**Youth Group**

Teens (6<sup>th</sup> - 12<sup>th</sup> grade) are invited to join us this Wednesday, April 5<sup>th</sup> at 5:45 pm. We will go to Maury River Middle School for an FCA event to hear Bobby Petrocelli speak. Families and those working with youth are invited to join us there at 6:45 pm.

**Community Lenten Services**

Once again we are hosting the Community Lenten services. Each service is on Thursday, 12:10 pm, lasts 20 minutes and is followed by a soup and sandwich lunch for \$5. The speaker for this week's service will be Rev. Joe D'Aurora of St. Patrick's Catholic Church.

**Cake & Casserole Ministry**

We will meet this Saturday, April 8<sup>th</sup> at 9:00 am. Please join us!

**WMU Meetings**

Mission Action will meet on Monday, April 10<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 pm.  
Prayer Support will meet on Tuesday, April 11<sup>th</sup> at 11:00 am.

**Summer Mission Trip To Nickelsville, VA**

The Missions Committee continues to plan for our trip to Nickelsville, VA the week of July 9<sup>th</sup> thru 15<sup>th</sup>. We will serve at the local food pantry, clothes closet and nursing home as well as hands on work with home repairs and construction. The need in that area is so great and a worthwhile use of our time for missions. We have also begun collecting gently used clothing of all sizes and seasons to take with us. Bags can be dropped off M-F between 8:30 - 1:30 pm or Sundays. Adults interested in going on the trip should contact Patsy Paxton (463-4618) and any youth interested in going should contact Molly Kay (463-4181 or 461-6074) for more info. **Our next meeting will be Monday, April 17<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 pm in the backpack room.**

## PRAYER CONCERNS

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

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

**April 2:** Barbara Vaughan, Keith & Cheryl Zamora, Mama Y  
(Gloria Yelverton), Lois Coffey

**March 26:** Clyde & Jerri Keen's siblings, Herman Fitzgerald,  
Bob Mears, Hugh Henderson, Allison Williams

**March 19:** Jean Sager Family, Donald Sharp (Wanda Childers'  
father), Peyton Rochelle, Dot & Jim Fuller, Roberta Grist,  
Jessie Clark (Bucky & Joan Joyce's daughter)

**March 12:** Betty Shaner & Family (death of Pete Shaner),  
Addysun Canfield (Bobbie Canfield's granddaughter),  
Sherry Shaw (Loretta Ballard's niece) Phyllis Brown,  
Edward L. Matheny Family, Marian Minnix Family,  
Kitty Cash Family

### Remember Our Shut-Ins...

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

**Havenwood:** Kenton Nicely

**Kendal:** Roberta Grist, Elinor Denney, Virginia Harlow,  
A.P. Logan, Jr. "Cedric"

**Shenandoah Health Center:** Peggy Lewis (Room 212),  
Joan Huff (Room 104)

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

### Opportunities For The Week April 2, 2017

<b>Sunday</b>	Morning Bible Study	9:45 am
	Morning Worship	11:00 am
<b>Wednesday</b>	Community Bible Study	10:00 am
	Fellowship Dinner	5:45 pm
	Youth Group	5:45 pm
	Adult Choir	6:30 pm
<b>Thursday</b>	Community Lenten Services	12:10 pm
<b>Saturday</b>	Youth Car Wash (Advance Auto)	9:00 am
	Casserole & Cake Ministry	9:00 am

### Sunday, April 2, 2017

**Sunday School Floater** - Barbara Heckman

**Hall Watch** - Bucky Joyce

**Offertory Prayer** - Clyde Keen

**Sunday School Nursery Workers** - Barbara Cash & Debbie Fox

**Worship Nursery Workers** - Robyn Sherman & Cathy Wranek

### Sunday, April 9, 2017

**Sunday School Floater** - Barbara Heckman

**Hall Watch** - Patsy Paxton

**Offertory Prayer** - Brenda Grose

**Sunday School Nursery Workers** - Bobbie Canfield & Cathy Wranek

**Worship Nursery Workers** - Joan Joyce & Danielle Pruett

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