

**Our Service Through Worship  
March 4, 2018 - The Lord's Supper**

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** *Holy Is The Lord*

**Responsive Reading # 113**

Youth

**Hymn # 130** *Here I Am To Worship*

**Hymn # 109 (Chorus only)** *There Is None Like You*

**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 # 626** *I Love To Tell The Story*

**Offertory Prayer**

Carole Berger

**Offertory** *Communion Meditation*

**Doxology # 539** *With All My Heart*

With all my heart I want to love You, Lord, And live my life each day to know You more. All that is in me is Yours completely; I'll serve You only, with all my heart.

**Anthem** *Lord Of The Broken* by Arthur James

Choir

**Scripture** **Luke 8:4-15**

**Message** **"Once Upon A Time: The Sower"**

**Invitation Hymn # 104** *Amazing Grace*

**Confession of Faith** We believe that God the Father is so rich in mercy, and that he loved us so much, that even though we were dead in our sins, God saved us by his grace when we believed in his son Jesus Christ. And we can't take credit for this; it is a gift from God. Salvation is not a reward for the good things we have done, so none of us can boast about it. For we are God's masterpiece. He has created us anew in Christ Jesus, so we can do the good things he planned for us long ago. (Ephesians 2: 4-5; 8-10)

**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** *Lift High The Cross*

*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.

**Youth Group**

Youth (6th - 12th grades) are invited to join us today from 5:00 - 7:00 pm for basketball, dinner and bible study. Hope to see you there!

**Church Fellowship Meal**

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

**Bible Readings**

The Bible Readings for the week of March 5<sup>th</sup> - March 9<sup>th</sup>: Monday: Luke 8:40-56, Tuesday: Luke 9:1-17, Wednesday: Luke 9:18-27, Thursday: Luke 9:28-36, Friday: Luke 9:37-45.

**Backpack Program**

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

**Community Lenten Services**

Manly Memorial will once again host the Community Lenten Services at **12:10 pm** in the sanctuary on **Thursdays through March 22<sup>nd</sup>**. The services will last about 20 minutes and a light lunch will follow in the Fellowship Hall for \$5.00. The guest speaker for this week is Rev. Lyndon Sayers, pastor of Good Shepherd Evangelical Lutheran Church.

**Cake & Casserole Ministry**

We will meet **Saturday, March 10<sup>th</sup> at 9:00 am**. Please join us!

**Daylight Savings Time**

Sunday morning, **March 11<sup>th</sup>**, daylight savings time will start! Please remember to set your clocks forward 1 hour before bed on Saturday night, March 10<sup>th</sup>. We look forward to seeing you!

**Deacon's Meeting**

The Deacon's will meet **Sunday, March 11<sup>th</sup>** immediately after the morning worship service.

**WMU Meeting**

Our next quarterly meeting will be **Monday, March 12<sup>th</sup> at 5:15 pm**. We will discuss plans for Women's Day at this meeting as well as upcoming projects. Looking forward to seeing you all at our meeting!

**Mission Committee Meeting**

We have 12 people interested in returning to Nickelsville, VA the week of **July 8<sup>th</sup> thru 14<sup>th</sup>**. Nickelsville provides such a good venue for the youth to experience service at the food pantry, clothing closet and nursing home as well as hands on work with home repairs and construction along side the adults. The need in that area is great and we agreed it was a worthwhile use of our time for missions. Any youth interested in going on the trip should contact Molly Kay Moore (youth@manlybaptist.com or 461-6074) for more information. Adults interested should contact Patsy Paxton, Patsy Williamson or Loretta Ballard. Our next meeting will be **Tuesday, March 20<sup>th</sup> at 5:00 pm in the backpack room**.

**JOY Group**

Join us **Saturday, March 24<sup>th</sup>, 2:30 pm** for Attic Productions "First Baptist of Ivy Group" in Fincastle, VA. Dinner will follow at Foot of the Mountain Restaurant. Tickets are \$12.00 (for groups of 10 or more). Please contact Patsy Williamson (910)214-1106 for more information.

**Community Palm Sunday Parade**

The Annual Community Palm Sunday Parade will be held on **March 25<sup>th</sup>, 9:30 am at Hopkins Green**. The members of all the downtown churches are invited to gather for a prayer and Bible reading, and then walk through the streets of Lexington. We stop at the various churches and ask God's blessing on them as they serve Jesus Christ. Those who participate will be back at Manly shortly after 10:00 am.

**Maundy Thursday Service**

Our Maundy Thursday service will be **March 29<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 pm**. The choir will sing, Bible readings related to Maundy Thursday and Good Friday will be shared, and the Lord's Supper will be served.

**RARA Food Pantry**

Item-of-the-month for March is canned veggies. Donations can be placed outside of the choir room. Thank You!

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

## 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.

**March 4:** Charlie Fairchilds, Judy Davis, Sylvia Loudermilk

**February 25:** Family of Billy Graham, victims & school shooting families

**February 18:** Jay Chernushka Family (Lee Higgins cousin-in-law), Kathy Young Family, Gay Sorrells Family, Kristen Coleman (Jill Straub's daughter), Peyton Rochelle

**February 11:** Jeff Slone (future son-in-law of the Raymond's), Dot & Jim Fuller, Jessica Clark (Bucky & Joan Joyce's daughter Patti Roscoe, Adsuy Canfield (Bobbie Canfield's granddaughter)

### Remember Our Shut-Ins...

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

**Havenwood:** Kenton Nicely

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

**Shenandoah Health Center:** Peggy Lewis

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

## Opportunities For The Week March 4, 2018

<b>Sunday</b>	Bible Study	9:45 am
	Worship	11:00 am
	Youth Group	5:00 pm
	Children's Choir	5:15 pm
<b>Monday</b>	Staff Meeting	5:00 pm
	Daisy/Brownie Girl Scouts Meeting	5:00 pm
<b>Wednesday</b>	Community Bible Study	10:00 am
	Handbell Choir	4:45 pm
	Fellowship Dinner	5:30 pm
	Adult Choir	6:30 pm
<b>Thursday</b>	Lenten Services	12:10 pm
<b>Friday</b>	Journey Youth Weekend (Eagle Eyrie)	
	Higgins Wedding Rehearsal	5:00 pm
<b>Saturday</b>	Cake & Casserole Ministry	9:00 am
	Higgins Wedding	2:00 pm

### Sunday, March 4, 2018

**Bible Study Floater** - Carole Berger

**Hall Watch** - David Campbell

**Offertory Prayer** - Carole Berger

**Bible Study Nursery Worker** - Robyn Sherman

**Worship Nursery Workers** - Cathy Wranek & Deborah Caylor

### Sunday, March 11, 2018

**Bible Study Floater** - Loretta Ballard

**Hall Watch** - David Moore

**Offertory Prayer** - Brian Kave

**Bible Study Nursery Worker** - Cathy Wranek

**Worship Nursery Workers** - Patsy Williamson & Carole Judy

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