



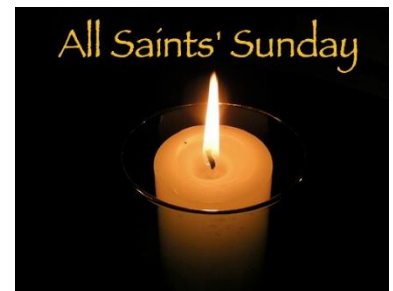
May Memorial Baptist Church

Newsletter 10-12-20

Reaching...Teaching...Touching...in the Heart of Powhatan
3922 Old Buckingham Road
In the Heart of the Courthouse Village (804) 598-3098

All Saint's Sunday - November 1

On Sunday, November 1, during the 11am worship service the church family of May Memorial will rejoice and honor our family members and friends who have passed away over the last year. This will be a time to remember and rejoice for the lives and faith of those who have led by word and example in our community's journey of faith. You may email a picture here or bring it by the church office where we can scan it. We will add onto the photo slideshow from last year, if your picture was included last year, we still have it.

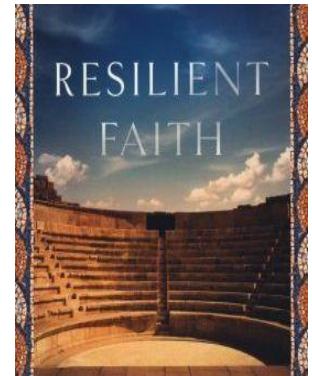


Extended Session starts October 18th!

We will take every precaution and meet outside...weather permitting. Parents can drop K-5th graders off with me in the parking lot near the Youth House. Let them dress more casually if you'd like! We will play, craft, and study about Jesus! It will last the full worship hour. Please have kids bring masks.

Join Us For Sunday School on Zoom

Mr. Bob Kruschwitz will be leading us through our final discussion of the book *Resilient Faith: How the Early Christian "Third Way" Changed the World* by Gerald L. Sittser this Sunday at 9:15 am via Zoom. Beginning Sunday, October 25th, we will begin our discussion of the Gospel according to Mark. Mark is by far the shortest Gospel, and likely the first one Christians knew. What should we make of it? It begins and ends rather abruptly; it repeats (similar) stories and jams other stories together; its language is ordinary and rough, not elevated; its herky-jerky story-telling style can be off-putting; it is full of mystery. We'll study this amazing book a few chapters at a time, the way early Christians probably read it. The discussion will lead us through the end of Pentecost. Come join us every Sunday at 9:15 am on Zoom as we fellowship and grow as Christians.



To join by phone: Call (312) 626-6799 Enter: 871 7487 0259

Connecting to Each Other...Fellowship



Fall Picnic and Lighthouse Parade - October 25

Join us Sunday October 25th at 4pm, for our Fall Picnic in the May Memorial parking lot. There will be contests for best "trunk decoration" as well as a youth and adult costume contest. Additionally, there will be a pumpkin decoration/carving competition (bring your supplies, pumpkins will be provided). Prizes will be given out for the most creative trunks, costumes, and pumpkins. This event will lead right into the Lighthouse Parade where the kids, and kids-at-heart, will parade through the Courthouse area in their costumes.

Due to pandemic, this will be a "bring your own" picnic event. So, bring your dinner or your grill, your lawn chairs and your creativity as we fellowship and celebrate God's gift of the fall season.

Kingdom Kids Zoom Meeting

Every Wednesday at 4:30 p.m. we meet online for our Kingdom Kids program and fun

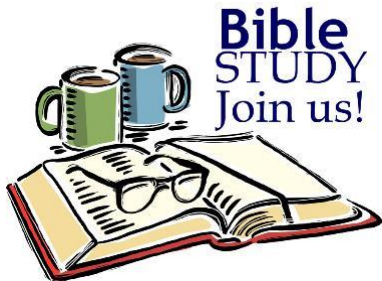
To join with any phone: Call (312) 626-6799

Enter the meeting code: 277 032 1474





Drive In Movie Night
Please put October 17th on your calendar!! We will have our own "drive in" movie night!! Harry Potter "marathon". More info to come!



Bible Study on Zoom - Wednesdays at 6:30 p.m.
To join with any phone: Call (312) 626-6799 Enter this code: 286 978 612

Connecting to the World...Missions



Small Mission Project for this Week
Powhatan Animal Shelter

When you come to church on October 18 please bring with you an old towel for the Powhatan Animal Shelter.

Complete Meal - The Powhatan Coalition of Churches will be hosting the Complete Meal through the Food Pantry. Contact the church office for the flyer.



Powhatan Food Pantry

The Food Pantry will be collecting these items during September and October: [\(contact the church office for the list\)](#)

Prayer List 10/12/20

CHURCH FAMILY:

Barbara Barden
Susie Brock
Joann Cole
Bob Cosby
Bob Cox
Snead DeNoon
Lee Duncan
Paula Duncan
Nick Elam
Ester Fitch and Family
Bea Gallier
Rick Gallier
Bill Ketron
Bernice Koelzer
Paul Lindsey
Fran O'Donnell
Jim Pinkley
David&Susan
Terry
Frances Tilman
Karen Utt
Harry Wheeler
Nancy Wilkinson
Janice Worsham

MILITARY:

Danny Myers, Brent Templeton, Quint
Sutton, David Brizendine, Jeremiah
Clift, Nelson Sutton, Justin Donnavon,
Austin, Breeden, Caleb Hammer,
Kris Curtis,
Adam and Hunter Mitchell

FAMILY AND FRIENDS:

Stephen Breeden, Son of Martha Oberg
Estelle Davis, Debbie Elam's mother
Lacie Baggett
Libby Gregg, daughter-in-law of Carol Gregg
Stuart Yeorge
Ben Spoon, Juli Spoon's son-in-law
Matthew Berger, friend of Joy & Juston Sanudo
Clyde Martin, brother of Esther Fitch
Jeff Crews, Susie Brock's brother-in-law
Sheri Sadie, Nancy Flower's Daughter
Sharon Baltimore, friend of the Bradbury's
Bill Casper, Bill Karnolt's brother-in-law
Justin Yancey, Grandson of Irma Alvis
Stephanie Hay, Karen and Ray's daughter-in-law
Janie Dean
Phyllis Lester, Ed Utt's sister
Shawn Neugent, friend of the Sheltons
Lennox Family
Helen Fitzgerald, friend of Diana and B.J. Smith
Chloe, granddaughter of Amy&Bill Karnolt
Nurses, Erin and Melissa, relatives of the Karnolt's
Logan Cook, grandson of Wilford and Linda Poore.
Pam Polk Mottley, Ed Mottley's sister
Randy Kope, grandson of Les and Dianne Miller
Brian Sullivan, nephew of Mike and Bernice Koelzer
Mary, Annie Sparrow's Aunt
Matt Bennett
Mary Ann David, Debbie Elam's sister-in-law
Teresa Fields
Lisa Davis, Gladys Rabon's daughter
Brenden McMullan, the Cox's grandson
Patricia Vermillion, Jon Flower's sister
Emily, Gene & Sandy Parker's daughter
Chuck Karnolt
Kathy Kuhn, friend of Vicki and Bob Kruschwitz
Edna Daley, Diana Schmitz' Mom

HOMEBOUND PRAYER AND CONTACT LIST:

Janice Worsham, Westport Rehab. Center., 7300 Forest Ave, Room 213, Richmond 23226
Frances Tilman, 3904 Old Buckingham Rd
Audrey Johnston, 3901 S. Fairway Drive, Powhatan, VA 23139
Audrey Mann, The Laurels of Willow Oaks, 11611 Robious Road, Midlothian, 23113
Jim Pinkley, Currently with Billy and Marlis Kruschwitz
Jean Hall, 1748 Old Powhatan Estates

Announcements



Let Your “Dimmable Thirty-Year” Light So Shine – Lester Oberg is leading a project to replace the light bulbs in the sanctuary with dimmable thirty-year bulbs. The cost to replace all of the bulbs in one fixture is \$100. Would you be willing to pay for one fixture to have “dimmable thirty-year light?” If you are willing to let “the light so shine,” write “thirty-year light” on the memo line of your check.

From Bob and Rebecca Cox

Please pray for our son, Brian, husband to Kathy, father to Brendan and Kendal, brother to Robin and Greg, uncle to Parker, Carson, Bryant, and Krista and friend to many. Several weeks ago he underwent an evaluation to determine if he could possibly be a liver donor for a friend in Chicago who has terminal liver cancer. Out of 24 tested he was a perfect match and after several trips to Chicago for testing and preparation for the surgery, it has been scheduled for October 28. He will be there for three weeks. Please also pray for his friend Davin Erickson, and his family and the surgical team at Northwestern Memorial Hospital. What a privilege and incredible opportunity God has given Brian to help save a life. In Christian Love,
~ Bob and Rebecca

From Backpacks of Love

May Memorial Backpacks of Love Team,
I received another update from the organization Director.
She said the Cares Act provides breakfast & lunch to all students till December 31st. This means that students at Powhatan & area schools do not have a need for food via Backpacks of Love through the end of this year. The plan for now is to start back up with packing in January 2021. I will let you know if I hear of any changes.
~ Jesse Bilthuis

From Middle District Baptist Asso.

Middle District Business Meeting

Please let the church office know if you can be a messenger/representative from May Memorial for the MDBA business meeting on
Oct. 25, 4 pm via zoom.

October Birthdays



6 - Jean Hall	19 - Bill Karnolt
10 - Monika Duty	20- Jessica Cave
12 - Janine Eike	23 - Janet Allen
13 - Fred Cole	24- Pat Cover
13 - Tim Smith	27- Bill Boelt
13 - Brynne Smith	27 - Becky Thomas
17 - Rebecca Cox	31- Amy Karnolt
19 - Clara Emerson	31 - Gary Cowles

Financial Information

Our Gifts to our Lord

Week of October 4, 2020

Regular Offering	\$ 2,266.50
Special Offering (Light Bulbs)	200.00
Total	\$2,466.50

Week of October 11, 2020

Regular Offering	\$6,655.64
Benevolence	20.00
Building Fund	300.00
Scholarships	50.00
Special Offering (Light Bulbs)	700.00
Total	\$7,725.64