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Calendar

Wednesday Schedules:

7:00 - 8:00

Prayer/Bible Study



From the Pastor

Tonight we have a special opportunity to have Chris Beck with us from Love Inc. (Love in the name of Christ). He will make a presentation about Love Inc. in our area, and should start about 7:00 pm following the fellowship meal. One of the basic principles of this ministry, is the idea of “Redemptive Compassion.” If I give someone a hamburger

Thursday Schedule:

6:30 Choir Practice

7:30-8:30 Praise Team

Sunday Schedule:

9:00 am Worship Team/
Choir Practice

9:30 am Sunday School

10:30 am Worship



Greeters

John Hulvey & Jeff Cleveland

Media

Kim Davis

Sound

Ernie Clay

Ushers

**Tim Contrada
Logan Lockridge
Ron Fahrney
Cliff Hoover**

Nursery- Sunday School

Cindy Roadcap

Nursery- Worship

Peggy Riley

when they are hungry, I have met their hunger need. This is called “Charity Compassion.” But if I help them make changes in their life, where they could purchase the food to make their own hamburgers, and then begin to help other people cook hamburgers—that would be called “redemptive compassion.” In other words. Redemptive compassion helps a person in need make real changes in their life where they would not need to receive charity, and they can actually begin to help others. This takes a lot of time and help for a person to make these kind of changes in their life. I hope you will come and learn from Chris tonight, how this ministry is changing the lives of many people in our area.

Here are some quotes from the book, Redemptive Compassion, by Lois Tupy (of Love Inc.)

“Restoring hope and helping people dream and reach their goals are important in redeeming people from lives of chronic need.”

Children's Church
Mary/Kylee



“Much of the poverty and need experienced today has been brought on, or is complicated by, the mentality that because I want it, I need it.”

“A lot of what is currently asked for and given charitably in America addresses wants, not needs, and almost never pertains to a real life or death situation.”

“But are we giving people what they want at the expense of what they need, because we’re unwilling to make the sacrifice required to meet their real need?”

I hope you can come tonight, and learn more about Love In the Name of Christ.

Your friend and pastor,

Bill



Wednesday 7:00pm

Wednesday Night

Prayer Meeting and Bible Study

7:00 pm

Deacon Meeting

Tuesday March 13



March Fellowship Dinner

March 7, 2018 at 6:00 pm

Adults \$7.50_____Children \$7.50_____

Menu: BBQ, green beans and macaroni and cheese and dessert.

The church pays for the number of meals ordered. If you sign up and find you are unable to attend please consider paying for the meal or sending a friend in your place. RSVP by Sunday March 4, 2018 to Kay Flavin at 248-5093 or 448-2161 or e-mail 50billy@comcast.net

Love Inc.

Special Presentation

March 7, 7:00pm

(After the fellowship dinner)

Chris Beck from Love inc. (Love in the Name of Christ) will be our speaker Wednesday evening after the fellowship dinner. He will be telling us about how this ministry has helped many people throughout our area get back on their feet again after difficult times of need. Their motto is “a hand up, rather than a hand out”. The goal is to help people make real changes in their life to enable them to get out of the cycle of generational poverty, and then to begin helping others. Love Inc. shares a powerful message of love and salvation from our savior to everyone they help.

**The Augusta Baptist
Association Presents
Keeping Churches Safe
Memorial Baptist Church
Staunton, VA**

Thursday March 8th

6:30 to 8:30 pm

This training is designed with deacons, ushers, and building and grounds committee members in mind, however all are welcome. Come and learn more about creating a safer church environment.

Special presentations given on the following subjects:

Sexual Assault

Domestic Violence

Mental Health

Building Safety

You do not need to register to attend, but registration will help make sure there is enough room and enough hand-outs for each session.

For More Information or to Register Today

Visit abasecurityconference.weebly.com

Or call (540) 886-1138

This event is free of charge. Your support of cooperative missions makes events like this possible.



**Don't forget
Daylight Saving time Begins
Sunday March 11**

Young At Heart Seniors



Friday, March 16th

11:30 a.m.

Meet in the church social hall. **Dress in green** and join us for an "Irish Lunch" at noon. See

you there!

Charlotte Cleveland, Senior Director

Youth Cooking Challenge

Sunday March 18th

4 pm - 6 pm



Calling all LHBC Youth - Ages 12 through 17!

We are cooking cheesesteaks and Cupcakes.

Need T-Shirts for youth participating.

See Bobbie Howell, 540-294-4994 this week

if you haven't already signed up

WOM will be at 6:30 March 20th.

The April WOM project will not only be for WOM ladies but the entire church. Everyone is to bring one canned item or grocery item the entire month of April each Sunday. A box will be in back of sanctuary. At the end of month the canned food and March collections will be given out to those who may be having hard times. Please contact Ruth Smith if you have any questions.

Sanctuary Doors: Get a New Lock



You might notice a new lock on the sanctuary doors as you enter the church. This lock was installed to provide a panic “push” mechanism that could be used to exit the sanctuary quickly if the doors are locked. The lock uses the same key as the old lock, but it does not work the same as the old lock. The thumb lever that you used to use to open the door no longer does anything. When the door is unlocked all you need to do is pull on the handle to enter the church.

To unlock the door, you must hold in the dead bolt lock with your finger, insert your key and turn the key all the way to the right (clock-

wise) while holding in the bolt. This will keep the bolt in the recessed position and keep it from locking. To lock the door, turn your key all the way to the left (counter-clockwise) and the bolt will pop back out and stay locked when you close the door. Tracy Crookshanks installed the new lock.

Waynesboro Choral Society

Presents:

How Great Thou Art

His Last Days

March 25, 30, 31 7:30 pm.

Ticket Holders seated by 7:15

Tickets available at the

Waynesboro Garden Center

Come and hear some remarkable singers from our area. Howard McNeal has been singing with the Waynesboro Choral Society for many years, and this performance will be

a great addition to your Easter Season.

Community Worship Service

Good Friday, March 30

7:00 pm

Location:

Mt. Horeb Presbyterian

4517 Rockfish Road

Grottoes, VA 24441

Speaker: Pastor Shin Woo

Hong, from New Hope UMC.

Youth Adopt a Girl

Through Compassion

International



During the Rockin' Worship Roadshow concert, the Youth Group at Laurel Hill decided to adopt a young girl in Tanzania through Compassion International. Her name is Halima, and she will be 6 years old this month. The youth will donate \$38/ month to help provide education, medical care, vocational training through the love of a local church in her area.

**SW Virginia Partnership
Mission Trip
With the Augusta Baptist
Association
June 3 - 8**

The Augusta Baptist Association is sponsoring a mission trip again this summer

with the SW Virginia Partnership in Nickelsville, VA. The estimated cost is about \$175 per person. Contact Bill Davis or David Anderson (434-770-4632) if you would like to reserve a spot or have additional questions.



**Bus Trip to Sight and Sound
Performance: “Jesus”
September 15**

Trip to Sight and Sound on September 15, 2018 to see the new production, Jesus. Taking deposits now. \$119.41 total cost for adults and \$80.16 for children. \$65 deposit due to secure your spot. See Lisa Cleveland.



Mark your Calendar: Dates to Remember

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Thurs: Choir Practice 6:30

Praise Team 7:30-8:30

7 March: Fellowship Dinner

7 March: Love Inc. Presentation

8 March: Church Safety Seminar

11 March: Daylight Saving Time

13 March: Deacon Meeting

14 March: Quarterly Business Meeting

25 March: Communion during worship

30 March: Community Good Friday Service

14 April: Operation Inasmuch

3 - 8 June: SW VA Mission Trip (Nickelsville)

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