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## Calendar

### Wednesday Schedules:

7:00 - 8:00

Prayer/Bible Study



## From the Pastor

I appreciate the commitment that Laurel Hill has for my continuing education and development. It is my belief, that if a person is not growing, they are most likely diminishing. So as a pastor, it is important that I continually find ways to grow and improve. The church has made a budget commitment to allow me the opportunity to

**Thursday Schedule:**

6:30 Choir Practice  
7:30-8:30 Praise Team

**Sunday Schedule:**

9:00 am Worship Team  
Practice  
9:30 am Sunday School  
10:30 am Worship



**Greeters**

**Sue Huffman & Cindy  
Roadcap**

**Media**

**Lisa Cleveland**

**Sound**

**Kevin Matheny**

**Ushers**

**Steve Riley  
Charlie Smith  
Tony Simpson**

**Nursery- Sunday School**

**Molly Waldrop**

**Nursery- Worship**

**Peggy Riley**

**Children's Church**

**Mary/Kellan**

purchase books, attend conferences, or perhaps take a class from time to time.

Next week I plan to attend the 3 day "Basics Conference for Pastors" at Parkside Church near Cleveland, OH. Alistair Beggs is the pastor of that church and he is one of the conference leaders. He also leads "Truth for Life" ministries. If I return with a "Scottish" accent, that is why! The conference theme this year is "Jars of Clay". If you wish, you can also listen in by live streaming to some of the sessions on

website: <https://www.basicsconference.org/>

While gone, I will still be assessable by cell phone, text, and email. Please don't hesitate to call and leave a message. I will get back to you when I can. But, we will cancel the Bible Study and Prayer meeting on Wednesday, May 9, as I will be returning late that evening.

***"Blessed is the man who does not walk in the counsel of the wicked or stand in the way of the sinners or sit in the seat of mockers. But his delight is in the law of***



*the Lord, and on his law he meditates day and night. He is like a tree planted by streams of water, which yields its fruit in season and whose leaf does not wither. Whatever he does prospers.” (Psalms 1: 1-3, NIV)*

Your friend and pastor,

Bill

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Wednesday 7:00pm

Bible Study

**Cancelled Next Week, May 9**



May Fellowship

Dinner

May 2, 2018

6 p.m.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Adults \$7.50 \_\_\_\_\_

Children \$7.50 \_\_\_\_\_

Menu: Cheesy Chicken, scalloped potatoes, salad and dessert

The church pays for the number of meals ordered. If you sign up but find you are unable to attend please consider paying for the meal or sending a friend in your place. RSVP by April 29, 2018 to Kay Flavin at 248-5093 or 448-2161 e-mail [50billy@comcast.net](mailto:50billy@comcast.net)

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## From the Building & Grounds Committee:

If you have items stored in the kitchen refrigerator, please label them with your name/group. Otherwise they will be discarded. Our space is limited and necessary for Wednesday night dinners and compassion meals, so please store only those items you will use in the immediate future. Thanks for your cooperation.

**FOR SALE:** Social Hall tables. **\$20 each.** See any member of the Building &

Grounds Committee if interested.

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## Library Corner

Does anyone know if our church has a flannelboard and background scenes for the lovely flannelboard figures that we found in the library?

We also have the 4 book Bailey Flanigan series by Karen Kingsbury...: Leaving, Learning, Longing, Loving...

Leaving home to fulfill dreams, love, loneliness, loss and even bigger decisions. True life issues faced by young people in a realistic story... significant life lessons learned in a God-inspired environment.

Thanks,  
Toni and the library committee

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## GRADUATION 2018

If you or you have a family member you would like to be recognized on Sunday morning, May 20th, please send a write up with a couple pictures to Bobbie Howell as soon as possible. This is high school or college.

Please join us at 12:30 pm, on May 20th in the fellowship hall for a cake reception, to honor our graduates.

Anyone interested in walking in a processional also notify Bobbie.

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## **Comfort Care Stride For Life May 5**

The Comfortcare Women's Health Stride for Life will take place on Saturday, May 5, 2018. This event is not a protest or a rally. It is a non-confrontational statement to our community that life matters. Won't you join in this by walking or running? Can't participate on that day? No problem. Walk or run whenever you wish. Can't walk or run? Then please sponsor one of Laurel Hill's participants.

The Stride for Life is an important, tangible way to participate in the pro-life movement. ComfortCare Women's Health is a medical clinic, enabling abortion-vulnerable women to see an ultrasound of their unborn child and receive valuable medical services.

Please see Peggy Riley if you are interested in being a walker or runner on Saturday, May 6, at 9:00. You will see men, women and children of all ages from numerous local churches walking together to make a statement that life matters. If you are unable to participate in this way, please

sponsor Carol McAllister or Peggy Riley with a donation for this worthy local mission.

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**Revive! Christ and His Church**  
**May 5, 8:30 to 3:00pm**  
**Location: Lynn Haven Baptist**  
**Church, Vinton**  
**Cost: \$10 (includes lunch)**

A Special presentation by Richard Blackaby and Mark Clifton sponsored by BMI and NAMB and Roanoke Valley Association. God has a purpose for every church. This conference will help you find transform your heart and determine how the Lord is speaking to our church today.

Register at [www.rva.org](http://www.rva.org) or call 540-366-7631

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Young At Heart Seniors



Young At Heart Seniors will meet Friday May 18, 2018 at noon in the social hall for a light lunch followed by a matinee movie showing of

"God Is Not Dead 2". Need two volunteers to provide homemade cookies. Lunch, drinks, and popcorn will be provided. It would be helpful if I could get a count of those planning to attend.

Thanks, Charlotte

[ken\\_char43@yahoo.com](mailto:ken_char43@yahoo.com) or 540-851-0243

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## *WOM LARGE MONTHLY*

### *MISSION PROJECTS:*

For May we are collecting donations for the Mission Group to take to Nickelsville. Items requested are good Men, Women's and Children's clothing....special need for Men and Children. Also Diapers and Gift cards to Home Depot, Lowes or Walmart. Please place gift cards in an envelope with your name in Ruth Smith's mailbox. There will be a box in mailbox area for Diapers. If you would neatly pack clothing and label in boxes and place under long table where mailboxes are.

**WOM Meeting May 8, 6:30 pm**



WOM WILL BE MEETING TUESDAY, MAY 8  
AT 6:30 IN WOM ROOM AT  
CHURCH.....GOING TO BE A “LOLLIPOP  
MOMENT”!!!!

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## Memorial Day Cookout



May 27

## Immediately Following Worship

Memorial Day Weekend is a popular time for families to travel, but if you happen to be in town for worship on Sunday, we hope that you will make plans to stay after church for a cookout on the church lawn. This is also a wonderful time to invite friends and neighbors to join in. There will be plenty of food and fun for everyone. If you would like to help with the set up or provide a side dish please contact Bill Davis, but this is not necessary for

you to come. Your presence is what is most desired!

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## **LHBC Block Party**

Save the Date

August 25

The children and youth mission team are planning a church wide block party.

When Saturday, August 25th. 9:00 am to 4:00 pm

Where Lawn of LHBC

What Music, Food, Children's events, games, cake walk etc.

More details to come.

Prayerfully consider supporting this community outreach opportunity and volunteer help with the planning and implementation of this event. See Gloria Miller and Bobbie Howell to sign up.

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## **National Day of Prayer**

**Dr. Bill Wilson will speak on  
“How Not to Pray”**

**Thursday, May 3, 11:30 am**

**First Baptist Waynesboro**

**Last Day for Reservations: Friday April 27**

This is the 5<sup>th</sup> annual observance of the National Day of Prayer, sponsored by the Senior Adult Ministry of the Augusta Baptist Association and the Senior Saints of First Baptist Waynesboro.

Dr. Bill Wilson will be bringing the message. He is the Director for the Center for Healthy Churches and has experience pastoring in Virginia, and also has relationships with many churches here.

Cost: \$15 per person (Includes catered lunch)

Reservation Deadline: April 27

To reserve your spot, send a check to Charlie

Downs at  
109 Gloucester Court/ Waynesboro,  
VA 22980;  
Email to [gloucester@ntelos.net](mailto:gloucester@ntelos.net); or call at 540-  
949-6752.

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**Training for Youth Workers  
Augusta Baptist Association  
Linden Heights Baptist Church  
May 5, 8:30 am to 12:00 noon**

Speaker: Danny Quirin, BGAV Youth Minister  
in Resident

Special training to help volunteer hone their  
skills.

The following important topics will be covered:

- Curriculum and resources that are available
- How to “Feed” yourself as adults while teaching
- How to grow and keep youth involved.

There is no cost to attend.



**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.

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

**May 1 is the Last Day to sign up  
for the mission trip to SW Virginia!**

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.

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## **Mark your Calendar: Dates to Remember**

**Wednesday** 7:00pm Bible Study

**Thurs:** Choir Practice 6:30

Praise Team 7:30-8:30

- 3 May: National Day of Prayer
- 5 Comfort Care Stride For Life
- 5 May: Youth Training for Volunteers
- 5 May: Revive! Conference, Vinton, VA
- 8 May: WOM Meeting
- 20 May: Graduation Recognition
- 27 May: Memorial Day Cookout
- June 3-8: SW Virginia Partnership Mission Trip

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