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Calendar

Wednesday Schedules:

7:00 - 8:00

Prayer/Bible Study

(Cancelled May 9)



From the Pastor

As I write this, I am attending the Basics Conference for Pastors at Parkside Church near Cleveland. The theme for the conference is "Jars of Clay". How God uses frail human beings to accomplish amazing things according to His will. One of the conference speakers is Christopher Ash, who is the writer in residence at the University of

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

**John Hulvey & Jeff
Cleveland**

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Kim Davis

Sound

Harold McAllister

Ushers

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

Nursery- Sunday School

Cindy Roadcap

Nursery- Worship

Lisa Cleveland

Children's Church

Marlene/Cheyenne

Cambridge. He spoke about Jeremiah, one of the most famous prophets in the Old Testament. The description of how God called Jeremiah is written in the first chapter of Jeremiah. In verse 5, The Lord tells Jeremiah that before he was formed in his mother's womb, that God appointed him to be a prophet. And Jeremiah's answer is:

"Ah, Sovereign Lord," I said, "I do not know how to speak; I am only a child."

(Jeremiah 1: 5, NIV)

When God called Jeremiah, one of the greatest prophets in the Bible, Jeremiah did not feel like he was adequate to do what God asked Him to do. He was young, an introvert, not a good speaker, and the list could probably go on and on. But God was not asking Jeremiah to be a prophet on his own strength, but that he would only speak what the Lord commanded. God would give him every word.

No one is actually worthy or adequate to do what the Lord calls us to do. God doesn't call



us because of our strengths. He calls us according to His will. He will give us the words when they are needed. He will give us the strength when needed. He will tell us what to do when needed. It doesn't matter how weak or unequipped we are. God's presence with us is what makes it work. In fact, I think the Lord actually prefers weak and frail people for some of his most amazing tasks. Do not ever underestimate what God can do through you. If He calls, we only need to follow. And it is perfectly normal to feel inadequate.

If you want to see the sessions at the conference, you can watch them free at website: <https://www.basicsconference.org/>

Your friend and pastor,

Bill



Wednesday 7:00pm
Bible Study

Cancelled THIS Week, May 9



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.

Library Committee

Do you wonder about the rapture and the end times?? The church library has just received the complete 12 book biblically based series of Left Behind...in one cataclysmic moment millions around the globe disappear(the rapture).. and the story continues thru the great tribulation and Christ's second coming.

Thanks,
Library Committee



Comfort Care Stride For Life

Collected to date, \$1015, more pledges to
come! Great work!

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 or 540-851-0243

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.

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!

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 get 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.

**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.



**Mark your
Calendar:
Dates to
Remember**

Wednesday 7:00pm Bible Study

Thurs: Choir Practice 6:30

Praise Team 7:30-8:30

20 May: Graduation Recognition

27 May: Memorial Day Cookout

June 3-8: SW Virginia Partnership Mission Trip

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