

Hampton Baptist Church e-News for September 11, 2020

Our Prayer for a Time of Transition

“O God, You are glorious indeed. Hallowed be Your name! You have led us, taught us and nurtured us for more than 225 years.

Guide us through this season of transition and give us the strength, patience and courage to see Your will done at Hampton Baptist Church. Amen.”

Family Care Matters

Members

Drew Sandford fell in Yorktown and broke his elbow several days ago.

He is having surgery on Thursday, September 10.

(Add.: 108 August Drive, Seaford, 23692)

Joe Griffin's Services Information: *Knowing Joe would not want COVID-19 compromising anyone's health because of him, the family has decided not to have a celebration of his life. Viewing, however, will be available at Parklawn-Wood Funeral Home, 2551 N. Armistead Ave., Hampton, VA 23666 on September 10, 2020, from 1:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. with the family present from 7:00 to 8:00 p.m. The family will meet at Parklawn Memorial Park for a graveside service on September 11, 2020, at 12:00 p.m. Rev. Dr. Jay Russ will officiate, and Mr. Dick Everett will play Joe's favorite hymn on the trumpet.*

(Add.: 115 Wilderness Rd., Hampton, 23669)

Melanee Scott has been struggling with lower back issues for many weeks.

Due to all that is going on with Covid 19, it has been difficult for her to receive the best diagnosis and treatment plan. Please continue to lift her up as she moves thru this difficult medical journey.

(Add.: 102 Parkview Place, Hampton, 23664)

Thanksgiving

Thankful for...

Thank you, my church family for your prayers, cards, flowers, texts, and phone calls during the unexpected loss of my dad. It's hard enough to lose someone you love but coupled with the COVID restrictions at the hospital making it impossible for any of my family to be with him for the last week of his life was truly unbearable.

Therefore, you helped more than you could imagine. Bruce Owens

(Add.: Bruce's address is 103 Cobia drive Yorktown VA 23693)

Steve Sandford is home and recuperating. Thank you for all the prayers!

Ongoing Members

Frankie Lane (Grandson's Home Recuperating) (Add.: 305 LaSalle Avenue, Hampton, 23661)

(To reach her by phone, please call her daughter-in-law, Emily, at 310-8467)

Linda Riddle (Address is for her daughter, Becky: 3100 Magnolia Woods Court, Quinton, Va. 23141)

Dee Dee Horne (Home & in Treatment) (Add.: 329 Center St., Hampton, 23669)

Family Members & Friends

Update on Tommy Austin (son of Roy Austin): *Tommy Austin had a liver transplant at MCV Wednesday overnight.*

Please pray for an uneventful recovery and no rejection issues.

All reports so far are positive. Praise God! Thanks, Jane & Roy (Add.: 3105 Kenmore Dr., Hampton, 23661)



PATHWAYS TO SHARING

The **SAME Clothing Closet** is accepting donations of clothes again! We are **in great need** of **adult men and women's clothes—all types and sizes**. **Adult shoes** are also in demand. Please leave donations in the closet area to the left, as you enter the church from Wine Street. **Volunteers ARE needed for the SAME Clothing Closet program on Mondays from 10:30 till about 1.**

SAME Bag Lunch Mondays: Hot Lunches begin on 14th. MFP will be on September 23.

SAME returns to its regular (as regular as anything can be right now) hot lunch program this Monday, September 14th from 11:30 to 12:30. We will continue to operate with a reduced group of volunteers (if you are interested, please contact Amy 757.508.1772), but will again be dishing out hot, nutritionally dense, and healthy foods to our friends and neighbors. All guests will be served to-go lunches outside in the back parking lot. Our clothing closet is again fully operational and if you are in downtown on a Monday morning you will see them out front under the oak tree (this is one resourceful group).

We are also again joining with the Foodbank to host a monthly Mobile Food Pantry on the 4th Wednesday of the month from 1pm until 4pm (this is why the back-parking lot is closed off on these days). This is somewhat of a different animal than our previous MFP: we are not getting the quantity of food, but we also do not have to pay for it! We are hand delivering most of the groceries to people's homes and have been working in partnership with the good folks at St. Mark's United Methodist Church. We are delivering to the folks that we used to drive home in the church vans...they do not have their own transportation. We have also partnered with Langley Village to bring groceries to their residents who qualify and do not have their own transportation. (the Foodbank used to have a MFP there but it has not returned).

Contact Amy at 757 508-1172 or at soallmayeat@gmail.com; or, Patty at 757 788-9856 or at gchariot@cox.net if you can help out some Mondays.

As always, we are in need of your prayers!

Amy

SPECIAL MUSIC FOR WORSHIP DURING SEPTEMBER:

Thank you to the people listed below who assisted with music for our services in September. I encourage members of our Music Ministry and congregation to communicate with me if there is an interest in providing music for our modified worship services. You may sing and play as much as you desire!

SEPTEMBER

Sept. 13th: Adult Handbells

FLOWERS FOR WORSHIP SERVICES FOR "REGATHERING"

Sept. 6: The flowers are dedicated to all the teachers returning to the classroom, both virtually and in person. May God be with you as you navigate new waters and provide you with patience and grace that you can extend to all those you teach! From Jon, Brooke, Elliott, and Heidi Ewing.

Sept. 13.: The flowers are given in loving memory of Thomas C. "Tommy" Kanoy & Kevin Kanoy by Virginia Kanoy and family.

Thank you for your beautiful gifts for Worship!