

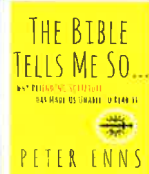


March 11th BIRTHDAY WISHES to Martha Norman
 The WMU ladies are asking HBC family to send birthday cards.
 Add: The Devonshire (Room 153), 2220 Executive Dr., Hampton, 23666

Sunday, March 11-
 Worship 10:00 a.m.
 Lent IV
 "Trust but Verify"
 John 3:14-21
 &
 Baptism of Peter Brown
 (A Reception will follow the service in the Glass Foyer)



CBF honors Virginia pastors with leadership awards at ChurchWorks
 Rachel Sciretti, associate pastor for children and youth discipleship at Hampton Baptist Church in Hampton, was honored with the 2018 Jack Naish Distinguished Educator Award. This award recognizes Christian Educators for outstanding leadership and achievement.



Adult Bible Study on Wed. @ 7:00 PM
 in the Fellowship Hall
Leaders: Carol Seymour & Susanna McKendree
 We will be showing a video series and leading a discussion based on the book: "The Bible Tells Me So" by Pete Enns



"Spring" forward your clocks 1 hour on Sat., Mar. 10 so you can be on time Sunday!

Meetings: Next Week

- Missions Committee Meeting - March 13 @ 6:30 PM - Conference Room
- Annual Credit Union Ed. Banquet - March 15 @ 5 - 9 PM - Fellowship Hall

Deacon of the Week
 March 4 - Don Garber
 March 11 - Frank Ranson
Nursery for March 11
 8:30 a.m. Alystra Barefoot
 10:00 a.m. Bev O'Bryan

HBC SWINGING SENIORS WILL BE GOING TO THE Virginia AQUARIUM IN VIRGINIA BEACH ON THURSDAY MARCH 15... WE WILL LEAVE HBC PROMPTLY AT 10:00 a.m. When we arrive, I will purchase tickets. For seniors it is \$22.95 each or if we have 15 or more, it will be \$18.00 each. PLEASE HAVE CORRECT AMOUNT !! We will have lunch in their café, THE OSPREY or THE BEACH BULLY (If they are renovating THE OSPREY)... PLEASE RSVP BY SUNDAY MARCH 11 by calling me at 757-722-4892 or email me at sharon.melson2@aol.com .. Thanks Sharon Melson

Wed. Menu for March 14
 Parmesan chicken & rice with broccoli, salad & rolls
 Greeter: Vivian Deal
 Servers: Emmaus Class

On behalf of the Missions Committee, thank you to all that supported, attended, donated auction items and volunteered for the 1st Annual Chili Cookoff & Silent Auction. We raised \$1600 for Missions.

Wanda Matthews was our 1st place winner and she's pictured with the Golden Spoon Award; 2nd place, Debbie Puckett; & 3rd place, Peter Brown.



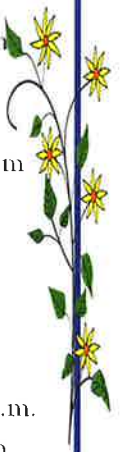
Thank you to Jackie Coleman for chairing this event and devoting her hard work and talents to make it successful. We did learn that next year we will ask the donor to give us a retail value on their donated item and a suggested minimum bid; also if it is a handcrafted item, to let us know that so we can display their name with the work. Again, thanks to all for a fun and successful event. We look forward to next year; so start thinking about items you'd like to donate! Peace, Charlotte Dillow, Missions Chair

The Golden Spoon Recipient: Wanda Matthews has agreed to give her recipe for the winning "Texas Chili" for a donation of \$2 to the Building Fund. One Condition to the purchase of the recipe...."you may not use it next year!"



WMU Groups Meetings:

- Dorothy Lee Jones Group:**
 (1st) Tues., Mar. 6, 11:30 a.m.
 @ The Chamberlin
- Garber - Chandler Group:**
 (2nd) Tues., Mar. 13, 1:00 p.m.
 @ The Devonshire
- Martha Ailor Group:**
 (2nd) Tues., Mar. 13,
 @ Homes (TBD)
- Lucille Rollins Group:**
 (4th) Tues., Mar. 27, 11:00 a.m.
 @ HBC in the Activity Room



Calendar

Mar. 11	8:45 AM	Sunday School for all ages (Nursery: Alystra Barefoot)
		Youth Service Sunday: leave for Happy Class at Liberty Baptist Church
	10:00 AM	Worship: Lent IV (Nursery: Bev O'Bryan)
	2:00 - 4:00 PM	Children's Committee Meeting in the Conference Room
	4:00 PM	Adult Handbell Rehearsal
	5:00 PM	Conference Room Reserved - Private
	5:00 - 5:45 PM	Youth Choir Rehearsal
	5:00 - 8:00 PM	Youth: Prep Lunch for SAME
Mar. 12	8:30 - 1:30 PM	SAME Lunch in the Fellowship Hall
	3:00 - 7:00 PM	Mobile Food Pantry: sponsored by Wythe Exchange Club
Mar. 13	6:30 PM	Missions Council Meeting in the Conference Room
Mar. 14	Noon	B.Y.O.L. & Bible Study in the Conference Room
	5:00 - 6:00 PM	Bible Study in the Conference Room
	5:45 - 8:30 PM	Wednesday Night Activities
	Menu	<i>Dinner: Parmesan chicken and rice with broccoli, salad and rolls</i> <i>Greeter: Vivian Deal</i> <i>Servers: Emmaus Class</i>
	5:45 PM	Dinner for Children, Youth, & Leaders
	6:00 PM	Dinner (for all others) Nursery Open
	6:15 PM	Melody Choir, Concord Choir, and Youth Group
	7:00 PM	Adult Bible Study in the Fellowship Hall Missions Friends, Royal Ambassadors & Girls in Action, Youth Handbell Choir, Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal (7:00 - 8:30 PM)
Mar. 15	3:00 PM	Women's Bible Study in the Conference Room
	5:00 - 9:00 PM	Credit Union Ed. Banquet in the Fellowship Hall
Mar. 16 - 18		Youth Leaving Fri. for Mission Madness and Returning Sun.
Mar. 18	8:45 AM	Sunday School for all ages (Nursery: Sarah Puckett)
	10:00 AM	Worship: Lent V (Nursery: Liz Abeyounis)
	3:00 - 4:30 PM	Conference Room Reserved: Private
	5:00 PM	Steeple Singers Rehearsal

Steeple Singers will not rehearse on Sunday, March 11 and will rehearse on March 18 @ 5PM.

For more information about upcoming events, email the church office

(church@hamptonbaptist.org) to join our weekly eNews list or pick up a copy in the Jones Hall.



Hampton Baptist Church - 40 Kings Way, Hampton, VA 23669 - 723-0707 - church@hamptonbaptist.org - www.hamptonbaptist.org



The Care for God's House....

Several housekeeping areas need to improve for the protection and care for God's House-HBC & His people.

1. Wine St. Entrance - A Master Key for the back door is missing out of the box. (Please return!)
2. The Nursery Side Door was left unlocked on Sunday. (As a reminder this door should be locked at 10:15 AM on Sunday morning by the nursery worker.) The door should remain locked to protect our nursery, children and others throughout the building.
3. Sound system is being left turned on after use during the week. If you turn on the system, you must turn it off after use. (When left on we run the possibility to destroy the sound quality in the speakers. Please leave the lavalier microphone setting in the same place. This will also protect the speaker system.
4. Lights are being left on upstairs. Please remember to turn off what you have turned on.

Thank you for your support!

The Plan Going Forward for Dance Lessons

We are pushing the start of dance lessons back to the first Sunday after Easter (i.e., the 8th of April). The lessons will run for four weeks ending on the 29th.

The follow-up session will run through May.

Hopefully, Aaron will be ready to go by then. Will plan on the usual location (the "Fellowship Hall") and time (4:00 to 5:00 P.M.). Will keep you posted.

As always, we will need at least five couples for each session. Please let me know if you are still interested in this change in plans. Neal Lewis 764-7068/66

Special Music on Palm Sunday

The Combined Choirs of Hampton Baptist Church and St. John's Episcopal Church will perform John Rutter's REQUIEM Palm Sunday, March 25, 2018

4:00 p.m. at St. John's Episcopal Church

Deborah Carr, Director

Roy Belfield, Jr., Organist

(*Childcare will be provided)



Additional Gatherings: March

BIBLE STUDIES:

Gospel on Tap

(1st, 3rd, & 5th Mondays)

6:00 - 8:00 PM @ Marker 20 on Queen's Way

Women's Bible Study: *Women of the Bible*

Thursdays @ 3:00 PM - Conference Room

B.Y.O.L. & B with Betty: *The Creeds*

Mondays @ Noon - Conference Room

Wed. Adult Bible Study:

How Do You Spell God

5:00 PM Conference Room

MISSIONS:

S.A.M.E.

Mondays 8:30 - 1:30 PM

Mobile Food Pantry

Mar 12 @ 3 - 7:00 PM

Fellowship Hall, Kitchen & Activity Room

MEETINGS:

Conference Room Reserved - Private

Mar. 11 @ 5:00 PM - Mar. 18 @ 3 - 4:30 PM

Missions Council

Mar. 13 @ 6:30 PM Conference Room

Deacons Meeting

Mar. 20 @ 7:00 PM in the Activity Room

Exchange Club Meetings

Mar. 8 & 22 @ 5 - 8:00 PM Fellowship Hall

Annual Credit Union Ed. Banquet

Mar. 15 @ 5 - 9:00 PM Fellowship Hall

MUSIC REHEARSALS:

Steeple Singers Rehearsal

March 18 @ 5:00 PM

Adult Handbell Choir Rehearsal

March 11 @ 4:00 PM

Youth Bell Rehearsal

March 7, 14, 21, 28 @ 7:00 PM

Youth Choir Rehearsal

TBD

Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal

Weds. @ 7:00 - 8:30 PM (Child Care Provided)

Nursery	Workers	For Sunday School & Worship
Mar. 4	8:45 AM 10:00 AM	Corinna Payne Betty Berge
Mar. 11	8:45 AM 10:00 AM	Alystra Barefoot Bev O'Bryan
Mar. 18	8:45 AM 10:00 AM	Sarah Puckett Liz Abeyounis
Mar. 25	8:45 AM 10:00 AM	Brooke Ewing Susan Lewis

Wednesday Family Night Supper Menus



March 14

Parmesan chicken and rice with broccoli, salad and rolls

Greeter: Vivian Deal

Servers: Emmaus Class

March 21

Baked pork chop with country gravy, mashed potatoes, salad and rolls

Greeter: Charlotte Dillow

Servers: L.L.L. & Men's Class

March 28

(TBD)

Greeter: Betty Berge

Servers: (TBD)

March 29 -

Maunday Thursday Meal

Greeter: Darlene Scheepers

Servers: (TBD)

*To sign-up for Wednesday Night Supper:
Please call the office 723-0707 or send email to
church@hamptonbaptist.org*

Wed. Night Adult Faith Formation 7:00 - 8:00 PM

- Currently, Carol Seymour and Susanna McKendree are leading a video & discussion series.
- In April, Rev. Kimberly Ferguson will lead a series of topical studies.

Tell us what you need...

If you have an idea for a study, presentation, panel, or hands-on activity, especially one that nourishes your spirit, please see a member of the Ed. Adv. Com.

Educational Advisory Committee:

Rachel Sciretti (staff), Jon Ewing,
Becky Glass, Brenda Cole,
Raynelle Ewing, Faye Everett,
Dawn Gerbing, Beverly O'Bryan,
Betty Miller, Carol Seymour, Sandy Taylor



Hampton Baptist Cookbooks Vol. III for Sale!

Cost: 1 for \$10
Or 2 for \$15



All proceeds donated to the Building Fund.
Please contact the office (723-0707)
or Brenda Cole (879-7221)

REMINDERS: Coming Around the Corner

*Sign up for our Special Meal: (Reg. Cost)
Maunday Thursday Dinner, March 29th

*Collecting Pre-filled Easter eggs!

Look for baskets around the church to
deposit your pre-filled eggs for our
Easter Egg Hunt on April 1st after Worship

*Palm Sunday: Special Events Breakfast



Link to Signup

<http://signup.com/go/zELzn>

email: soallmayeat@gmail.com

be the change

VOLUNTEER SPOTLIGHT

DEE MILLS

HOW LONG HAVE YOU BEEN VOLUNTEERING AT SAME?

Three to four years.

WHY DO YOU FEEL CALLED TO VOLUNTEER?

I prefer the term, "serve" but volunteer is good too. Most of my adult life has been serving whether it be 20 yrs. in the Air Force or volunteering at churches. I love volunteering with international agencies like the Cooperative Baptist Fellowship in Kiev, Ukraine or the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees in Greece and Turkey. SAME is great because we are helping our local community and asking local folks to (including our guests) to help us. It also gives our guests a touch of faith when they come to our church and get to meet our volunteers.

ANYTHING YOU WANT FOLKS TO KNOW ABOUT SAME?

We can provide more services to those in need provided we get more volunteers.



in the world



PVI – Things we

DO NOT NEED

- Toys * Games * Books *
- Stuffed Animals * Sports Gear
- Infants, Children or youth clothing
- Winter Coats or heavy Clothing

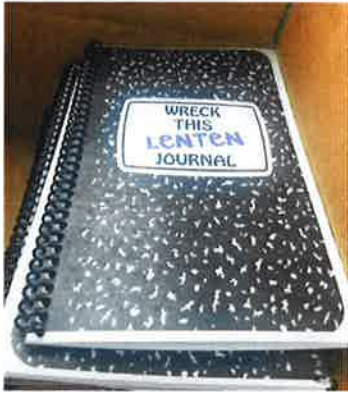
DO NEED

- Your help and prayers
- Men's pants
- Adult sized Shoes
- Plastic shopping bags

We especially need more help on Wednesdays @1pm to sort clothing and on Mondays from 12:30 to 1:30 to clean up.

You wish to see

Children's News



A Messy Lent...for Children

“Wreck this Lenten Journal!” Each child will receive a journal with 40 pages in it – one for each of the 40 days of Lent, not counting Sundays. On each page is a Lenten word, a Bible verse, and directions for a “down and dirty” experience in God’s truth. Talk about it with your family. Pick one up the next time you are at church. Take a picture of your child wrecking the journal and post it on our HBC Parent FB Page.

Here are some other messy opportunities -

- **Wednesday, March 7 & 14 – Messy Missions**
- **Wednesday, March 21 – Messy Art celebrating Spring!** Wear clothes and shoes you can get messy.
- **Wednesday, March 28 – Journal Wrecking Party** We will help you catch up on your journal.

Easter Egg Hunt!

Join us on the front lawn for an Egg Hunt and group photo **following worship on Easter Sunday.** There will be a separate yard from the elementary schoolers for the toddlers and preschoolers.

Please donate plastic eggs stuffed with wrapped nut-free candy, stickers, coins, or other trinkets. Please place them in the donation baskets around the church. The youth will hide the eggs Easter morning.



Children's Spring Retreat: “Belonging”

Friday evening, April 13th – Sunday, April 15th

For 3rd – 5th graders ~ \$65

at Eastover Retreat Center, Spring Grove, VA www.eastover.org

This will be the second year we will join together with CBF churches in Hampton Roads for making new friends, worshiping, spending time with God, playing and creating. Last year’s theme was “Love the Lord your God with all you heart, soul, and strength.” This year’s theme will be the second part of that verse...“And love your neighbor as yourself.” We will spend some time learning about peace-making and conflict resolution.

The other churches joining us are Centerville BC from Chesapeake, Churchland BC from Chesapeake, Freemason Street BC from Norfolk, and Williamsburg Baptist in W’burg.

*Chaperones needed.

Other Dates to Know...

Children’s Sunday...June 10

VBS...Week of July 15

PassportKids...June 20-23

Music Camp...August 13-19

Youth News



Wrecked Lent... So you are a mess. So am I. But we don't have to stay that way. Lent is a time to be honest about ourselves, but we shouldn't stop there. Together we can pick up the pieces, trash what's rubbish and keep what's precious. Bring your "Wreck this Lenten Journal" the next two Wednesdays and we will do some of the pages together.

March 11 – Service Sunday

8:45 a.m. Sunday School: Happy Class

10:00 Happy Class at Liberty Baptist Church.
We will return by 11:15 a.m.

5:00 p.m. Prep & Cook for SAME. Come ready to chop and cook for Monday's lunch. Menu TBD.

8:00 Good Night!



Mission Madness – March 16-18

FBC Waynesboro, VA - \$100.

We have 16 YOUTH REGISTERED and 4 adults! WOW!
Forms and itinerary are in your inbox, youth SS rooms, and Jones Hall. **FORMS are due Wed., March 14!**

Coming This Spring:

March 25...Palm Sunday

March 29...Youth & Sanctuary Choir Lead Maundy Thursday Service

March 30...Walk with the Cross, Downtown Hampton

April 1...Easter! Help hide the Easter Eggs.

May 20...Youth Sunday (Pentecost)

Coming This Summer:

July 8-11...Love Local

July 15-18...Help with VBS

July (22?) 23-28...University Youth Camp, @ University of Tennessee @ Knoxville

HBC Church Family Care Matters - Week of March 4th, 2018

Deacon of the Week – Don Garber

(Names that have *** are UPDATED information)

Emeritus Member of the Week: Maude Hawkins, The Huntington - Room #203, 11143 Warwick Blvd., NN, 23601

Emeritus Members			
John Christian	Margaret Hatchett	Maggie Legrande	Ayleen Riley
Phil Curtis	Maude Hawkins	Latrelle Malone (Aunt to Becky Glass)	Wilma Winstead
Connie Galloway	Jean Haynes	Beth McKendree	Freddy Wornom
Ruth Gerringer	Irene Hoffman	Michael Menser	Carson Yates
		Martha Norman	

Members

*****Roy Powell** was not able to have the pacemaker put in at this time. He will remain at Sentara Careplex to build up his strength. Please keep to "No visitors at this time", but cards are welcomed. (Add: 34 Curle Road, Hampton, 23669)

*****Mikell Bond** will be having an outpatient exploratory knee surgery on Tuesday, March 13, at 1:45 pm. This is to relieve on going pain in his right knee after dislocation on a youth retreat, Oct 2016. (Add: 211 Greenbriar Ave., Hampton 23661)

*****Dot Little** has suffered a complete hearing loss in her right ear. She is undergoing tests and exploring options for treatment. (Add: 10 Westover Road, Poquoson, 23662)

Robert Hudson is at home. For better understanding of Robert's journey and more details of what has and will happen next, please go to: <https://www.caringbridge.org/visit/bigdaddysymphomatapout> (Add: 318 Cherokee Rd., Hampton 23661)

Bryan Lilley is getting over pneumonia but has recently been diagnosed with severe neuropathy in both legs. (Add: 22 Holiday Drive, Hampton, 23669)

Joe Griffin has been moved to Northampton Convalescent & Rehabilitation Center on 1028 Topping Lane, Hampton, 23666. He will continue with physical therapy (mainly in the morning hours) and visits are welcomed. (Add: 115 Wilderness Rd., Hampton, 23669)

On-going

David Cox Becky Mitton Frank Supplee Jean Haynes Lu Phelps (sister to Becky Glass) Patsy Pierce (Suki Pierce's sister-in-law)

Praise & Thanksgiving

*****Good news! Bob Buchan** will be graduating in a week from in-home therapy to outpatient physical therapy. Although he still has some ways to go, your prayers and expressions of concern are greatly appreciated and have been an enormous source of encouragement. Love, Elizabeth & Bob (Add: 408 Honeysuckle Lane, Yorktown, 23693)

Martha Norman has a birthday on March 11th, and our WMU ladies would like to encourage HBC families & friends to send birthday cards. (Add: The Devonshire, Room 153, 2220 Executive Drive, Hampton, 23666)

Aaron Whittington is back home to finish his recuperating and has gone back to work half-time.

Friends and Family

*****Teresa Powell (niece of Gary & Kay Powell)** is having several medical issues and the family has asked for prayers.

***Please remember to update the office of your family information on the Family Care Matters.