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*“Love
your Neighbor
as Yourself.”*

Mark 12:31



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Youth Sunday Night Schedule

Our youth will continue their missions training on Sunday nights through March 17. We'll have indoor recreation in the youth center at 5:00 p.m., eat dinner at 6:00 p.m. and then gather in the youth center for worship and our mission study. All youth are invited to attend especially those going on one of our summer mission trips.

We will conclude March with a special 2 week "True Love Project" study designed to help students understand issues pertaining to sex and purity through the lens of the Bible. We will watch a teaching video by Clayton King and then divide up into age and gender specific groups with adult leaders for discussion. Parents are welcomed to preview these lessons presently scheduled for 3/24 and 3/31.

Youth Summer Mission Trip Dates/ MS deposits due

This summer, we plan on taking our Sr. High youth to a Mission Serve project in Fort Wayne, IN on June 21-29. The cost is \$275. A \$50 deposit is due. Our younger youth will be returning to MC2 in Lynchburg, VA on July 21-26.

Youth Sunday Morning Bible Study

Looking for meaning in life? Looking for a source of contentment? Our youth are invited to join us on Sunday mornings at 11:00 a.m. in the youth center as we find answers to these questions in the book of Ecclesiastes. Come join us for refreshments and fellowship.

Sr. High Mid-Week Small Group Meetings

Our high school students are invited to mid-week small group meetings led by Cap and Jessica on Thursday nights at 7:00 p.m. at Panera in Warrenton.

Youth Sunday Date and Practices

Youth Sunday will be on May 5. Youth will meet together on Sun., March 17 at 5:00 p.m. in the youth center to brainstorm and select the scriptures, songs and skits. Our seniors will meet before to help select our theme. We will begin our drama and music practices on April 7, 14 and 28 on Sunday nights. Sandy will lead drama practice at 5:00 p.m. in the sanctuary. Following dinner at 6:00 p.m., Jessica will lead music rehearsals at 6:30 p.m. in the sanctuary. We encourage all of youth to help us prepare for Youth Sunday.

We will also be recognizing each of our graduating seniors at the 11:00 a.m. service on Youth Sunday. We would like to include their names, high school graduating from and plans after graduation in the bulletin. Please send that information to the church office as soon as you know it. We will also be having a luncheon for the graduating seniors and their immediate family right after the 11:00 a.m. service in the fellowship hall.

BGAV Scholarship Applications

Our Baptist General Association of Virginia provides a number of scholarships available to students applying to college. They must meet eligibility requirements and return their completed applications to the VBMB by April 1. You can find more information at <https://vbmb.org/financial-resources/>

scholarships. Important: Please let us know by Sun., March 24 if you would like a church endorsement and/or a pastor's reference form completed and returned to the state office by April 1.

Museum of the Bible Church-wide Trip

Everyone is invited to join us for a ½ day trip into Washington, DC for a tour of the Museum of the Bible on Sat., April 6. We have chartered a bus and made a group reservation at the museum for 56 people. We'll leave the church at 7:45 a.m., tour from 9:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. and return back at 1:45 p.m.. The cost is \$30/person. Please reserve your spot by turning in your deposit to the church office by March 17. Families are welcome. Everyone is encouraged to bring a bag lunch to eat on the way home.

Fill the Grocery Basket!

We will be collecting non-perishable food items on Sun., March 10 through Thur., March 14 for our monthly 3rd Saturday food distribution on March 16 at the WUMC fellowship hall. We ask everybody to bring an item of non-perishable food and leave it in the grocery basket by the water fountain near the elevator.

Culpeper Baptist Retirement Community Luncheon

Our Sr. adults are invited go with us to the Culpeper Baptist Home on Thursday, March 7 to have lunch with our friends and family that live there. We'll leave at 11:00 a.m. and return at 2:30 p.m. We will ride in the church van and/or personal vehicles. The cost is \$9.50. Please sign up in the church office by March 3.

St. Patrick's Day Dinner

Our Sr. adults are invited to join us for dinner at The Bistro in Fauquier Health's dining hall at 4:30 p.m. on Thursday, March 14. The cost is \$5.47. Come join us for an evening meal and to celebrate the holiday together!

Sr. Adult Council

Our next Sr. adult council meeting is on Monday, March 4 at 10 a.m. in the church library. We need to finish making plans for our sr. adult events in the Spring.

Manassas Chorale

The Manassas Chorale will be performing on Saturday, March 23 at 7:30 p.m. at the Hylton Performing Arts Center in Manassas, VA. The Manassas Chorale and the Voices United Workshop Choir combine resources for a joyful evening of sacred music. Led by Artistic Director Becky Verner and guest Clinician Dr. Rollo Dilworth, over 150 singers will participate including our own Jackie Cafferty and Marie Egeland! We will leave in church van(s) from our church at 6:30pm and return at 10 p.m. The cost is \$20. Please call the church office and turn in your payment by March 3.

DIRECTOR OF MUSIC**NANCY REDDING**

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First of all I want to thank each of you for your prayers for the staff as we're going through this transition of losing three staff members within a couple of weeks. You have been so supportive and understanding and we really appreciate it! Delilah is progressing well but it will be some time before she's 'up and at 'em' on the organ and in the office again. Thankfully, Lynn McNeill was available and stepped in to help in the office until her return. It was a great reunion and I'm so glad to have her here once again! Otto Pebworth has graciously volunteered to fill in on the organ and piano until her return and that has been a wonderful aid to us in worship!

Children's choirs/missions have finally begun on Sunday evenings and if your child isn't part of these activities, they are missing a great time! I hope you'll consider working that into your Sunday schedule. It's important that your young ones learn to appreciate and lead in worship and to understand and become involved in missions. These are two excellent ways to accomplish that. *The Cherub Choir* [ages 3-Kindergarten] learns songs, does crafts and has some organized activity time. *His Instruments of Praise* [grades 1-5] is currently working on the musical "Go, Go, Jonah" and will present it on Sunday, May 19 at 6:00 p.m. We will have a reception following in the Fellowship Hall along with a presentation of the crafts/artwork they have done during this semester.

Please continue to pray for our Pastor Search Team as they continue their search for a Sr. Pastor. This takes much time and prayer and I know they will appreciate your prayer support.



It is a privilege to serve
alongside you,
Nancy

HomeReach



Our mentors took Valentine gift baskets to HomeReach members last month. We hope everyone appreciated this expression of Christ's Love.

Deepest sympathy to the family of Kelly Creel. The Lord called Kelly home on February 9. His graveside service will be on March 9 at 1:00 p.m. at the Warrenton Town Cemetery. Special blessings for all who cared for him.

Our next regularly scheduled meeting will be on Tuesday, April 9 at 2:00 p.m. in the church library. We'll be making Easter baskets for delivery.

Our HomeReach Ministry is sponsoring a trip to The Culpeper on March 7 at 11am and return at 2:30 p.m. We will ride in the church van and/or personal vehicles. The cost of the lunch is \$9.50. Please contact the church office at 347-3509 if you would like to go with us. Additional dates include June 6, Sept. 5 and Dec. 5. These quarterly trips are all on the first Thursdays of the month.

We appreciate the cards, calls and visits from our mentors, SS classes, deacons and church family to our HomeReach members. Please contact Terri Hitt if you would like to volunteer in our HomeReach Ministry

Tiny Tots News



It is almost Spring and we are ready for the beautiful gifts God gives us in a spirit of renewal! The little ones at Tiny Tots have had their share of the sniffles this year and we look forward to this crazy weather coming to an end and playing outdoors again.

In the office, we are busily enrolling for our summer and fall programs already! The teachers will be voting on the theme next week. The literature, crafts, and activities are always fun to plan for our fun summer themes. We look forward to the return of our high school volunteers who grew up in our programs and give freely of their time during-summer vacation to work with our children! It is an inspiration to watch them grow and come full circle!

We have limited positions available in our school age summer camp program. This year we are offering different packages; 3 weeks to 9 weeks. Each week will have a different theme and several field trips from which to choose. You can find this information on our website under Parent Place.

Laurie Fetherolf
Stephanie Troup

Dir. of Operations
Asst. Dir. of Operations

*Teach children how they should live, and they will remember it all their lives. **Proverbs 22:6***

Hello from your Ministry Council!

Our top priority remains facilitating the process to call our new Sr. Pastor. The Senior Pastor Search Committee (SPSC) is in motion identifying candidates. There is no real timeline for this that we can establish, but we are hopeful for the early summer timeframe to have our new Sr. Pastor onboard. In the meantime, we hired Dee Whitten and Bryan Jones from North Star Church Network to serve as part-time interim preachers through the end of June. The MC is working with Pastor Doug and the entire staff to continue routine operations of the church. Doug is leading and managing the church staff in routine church operations and ministry until the new Sr. Pastor is onboard.

A concurrent priority remains constructing The Gathering Place at Alwington Farm. Things are moving forward, and we still expect to complete construction sometime this fall. We are working with the Town of Warrenton to finalize plans and obtain the necessary permits to begin construction very soon. Note that you may still honor Pastor Jay and Claudia with a Love Offering to The Gathering Place. Simply note in the memo block of your check that your offering is so designated for The Gathering Place in honor of Pastor Jay and Claudia.

Stop by the church office during the week and you will see some new smiling faces! Ms. Amy Simpson is now onboard as our new Financial Secretary backfilling Rebecca Jones. Many thanks to Rebecca for getting our financial processes in place to support a smoother transition and for spending extra time during the week to train Amy. Thank you, Rebecca! We also hired Ms. Lynn McNeill (who you may remember working for us previously) as a temporary backfill for Delilah Sinclair who is recovering at home following her fall. Thank you, Lynn, for helping us out until Delilah returns. Please keep Delilah in your prayers. We hope to have her back in a couple of months or so. Lastly, Mr. Otto Pebworth, our organ technician is filling in for Delilah at the organ during worship. Thank you, Otto! Other folks have stepped in to help in various ways to meet daily office needs. Whew, that's a lot of folks stepping up to help. Thank you, Lord, for your provision of faithful servants during this time.

We are going more "digital" per our Strategic Plan. (1) As many ministries have gone paperless, WBC is now moving in that direction for several good reasons

(See the Did You Know article in this Newsletter). We reduced our 2019 budget for postage by \$1000 to go paperless as much as possible. We reduced mailings to bare minimum and post this Newsletter, and other documents, on-line at the WBC website. We have exceptions in place to get the Newsletter to those without on-line access. (2) We also took major steps to upgrade our IT Network at church.

As a reminder, your Ministry Council members and officer positions this year are: Marco Capayachi, Cheryl Carter (Corporate Clerk), Kaity Grimley, Karen Harris (Corporate Secretary), Rebecca Hayes, Karri Mize, Laurie Schauss (Corporate Treasurer), Bill McGilvery, Phil Peyton, and Chuck Wilkers (MC Chair). We desire to keep you informed of our activities and offer you the opportunity to raise questions, concerns, and any other items you want us to address. Please contact any MC member you wish with your request, and we will review it and provide feedback. Remember that you are invited to any MC session to speak if you so desire to raise a topic for discussion.

In Christ,

Chuck Wilkers, MC Chairperson



give
thanks



MARCH BIRTHDAYS

1	Charles Boone	9	Mary Weddle	23	Beverly Boone
	Jaxton Carter	12	June Eaton	24	Charles Brown
	John May	13	Donna Payne	26	Caroline Flaherty
	Zoe Wheelock	14	Derek Arft		Karri Mize
3	Patricia Putnam		Alayna Moore	27	Gerain Cogliano
4	Joyce Brown	16	Richard Hayes		Charles Wilkers
	David Smith		Alexandra Otto	28	Sarah Estes
5	Barbara Criere		Lenora Van Ness		Peyton Griffith
	Ellie Osburn	18	Steve Stevenson	29	Erin McCullar
6	Caroline Owens	19	Bradley Heilenman	30	Scott Crocker
7	Shiner Bono		Aubrey McCall		Carole Wilson
	Walter Putnam	20	Jonathan Grymes	31	Darlene Kaley
	Shari Skinner	21	Jonathan Griffith		Jim Synder
8	Jeff Bishop		Mary Gail Martin		
	Gary Breeden	22	Hazel Bringenberg		
	Winston Caperton		Blair Goodwin		
8	Mark Heidler	22	Edward Hitt		
9	Kameron Mize		Eliane Zalewski		

Oops! Did we miss your birthday? Please call the church office and let us know! 347-3509.

Would you like to receive our weekly announcements at home? Contact the church office if you have use of a computer, and we will add you to our **Friday E-nouncements** list!



Please contact the office with any name, address, telephone number, or email changes.



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Member News



On Tuesday, Feb. 18, 2019, Martha Kovalenko went to be with our Lord. Martha was the wife of Jerry Kovalenko, long time member of WBC and the mother of Teri Sinclair, Robert Kovalenko and Jean Prater. The WBC Family sends our heartfelt sympathies to the entire Kovalenko family.

Graveside services for Kelly Creel will be held on Saturday, March 9, 2019, 1:00 p.m. at the Warrenton Cemetery at the corner of Keith and Lee Streets. Kelly passed on Feb. 9, 2019. WBC offers its condolences to Kelly's extended family during this difficult time.



Many thanks to Tina and Steve Culver...yes, THAT Tina of Tina's Bear Loft and Teresa's Florist...for their generous and lovely donation of the table arrangements of flowers at Jay and Claudia's Farewell Luncheon. They were gorgeous!

Almighty Father, thank You for Your faithfulness to always take care of me. Help me to trust You and to rest in Your perfect love today.

Don't worry about tomorrow—God is already there.

Inclement Weather: Church activities will be cancelled whenever schools are closed.

HEARTSONGS FROM HAITI

CLAIR PEYTON

Our two Haiti teams reported on their trips at all three worship services on February 17th.

Testimonies of what the experience meant to them were shared along with updates on the various ministries of the Jerusalem Baptist Church in partnership with Friends of Fort Liberté. As the hour ended, team leader Kaity Grimley concluded with the following which we reprint here as a reminder of invitation to YOU to be active in the WBC Haiti ministry.

Kaity said:

So now what? You've heard stories, seen pictures, and perhaps now you're wondering how you can be a part of what the Lord is doing in Fort Liberté, Haiti.

- The most important thing you can do is to pray. You've likely heard about the civil unrest and government corruption that is sadly considered a 'norm' for our friends in Haiti. Right now, the people of Haiti are unsettled over mishandled money and skyrocketing prices and limited supply of necessary goods. Riots and protest cover the streets of Port au Prince and other major cities. Markets and schools are closed. Vendors, students, and their families are going without. Non-Haitian citizens have been asked to not travel to or leave the country as soon as they are safely able to do so. Please join us in praying for the leaders of Haiti. Pray that they would value caring for their people over their personal monetary and political gains. Pray that the aid sent to the country would reach those who need it most and that all people would be able to provide for their families and neighbors. Pray that Haitians would feel safe in the place they call home.

Next, you can join Angela and Tamee and be a clean water warrior! You can donate funds specifically for the purpose of funding wells so that residents of the North East would have access to clean water. We'd love to have you join us for the fundraiser on March 9th and make sure you invite all of your

friends for a night of fun, fellowship, and fundraising. Please visit www.haitiwellwater.com.

Like Ashby's family, and many others in our church, you can sponsor a child. By visiting the Friends of Fort Liberté website, www.haitifriends.com you can read short bios of children with the most need in the Jerusalem Baptist Church community. One of the most exciting elements of the FFL sponsorship is that we get to visit and spoil our children each year. While I don't sponsor them all, each year I get to check in on over 30 children each year as our WBC families send down a small gift, lots of prayers, and hugs for their sponsor children. A \$35 per month sponsorship provides school fees that contribute to the school's ability to hire and keep qualified teachers. It would also provide a much needed lunch to all students, pre-K through philosophy through the school wide Feed My Lambs program. Finally, the families of the sponsored children also receive a portion of donations to better provide other needs. Pray about how you, your family, your Sunday school class, those you share a commute or office with, your morning coffee group, your department at work, or book club might sponsor a child.

- You can also be a part of the current housing project Jericho Village. We had the pleasure of visiting Jericho Village and meeting the future residents you learned about during the promotional video for the project. Very much like the children we met throughout the week, their smiles were sweet and contagious, their stories touching, and their tenacious spirit inspiring.

And finally, you can GO! You might notice in the FFL motto on the back of our shirts, it says build, shelter, educate, feed, heal, and GO! When we'd ask Pastor Andre "Wouldn't you rather have the funds? We could send so much money to your church if we didn't purchase plane tickets and pay for other travel expenses." His response was always the same, "No, just come. When you come, you provide hope.

You remind the people here that God has not forgotten them and that He loves them deeply. And then you go home and you talk about us, so you come back and you bring your friends which brings more hope. So please, come and keep coming!" No special skills, talents, or knowledge are required just a willingness to say, "Yes Lord, send me!" God uses students, pastors, nurses, grandparents, teachers, police officers, social workers, engineers, accountants, moms and dads, and realtors. He uses those who are prayer warriors, and those who can resourcefully repair just about anything. Those who can speak another language, sing, dance, or play soccer with school children, or rock a baby. Those who can sew buttons, prune overgrown crops, and count pills. Those who find joy in organizing and cleaning, those who will hold hands with a stranger in sweet silence walking home at the end of a long day. Whatever you have to give, the Lord will use in mighty ways in Haiti. We'd love to have you as a friend of Fort Liberté.

To receive the FFL Newsletter online, go to www.haitifriends.com; and for more information on WBC's Haiti ministry, contact Trish Putnam, trish.t.putnam@gmail.com; Laurie Schauss, lschauss3@yahoo.com; Kim Raines, kraines60@comcast.net; or Kaity Grimley Kaity.grimley@gmail.com

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This month, the Warrenton Baptist Church Garden Ministry is being showcased by Mike and Janice Haase, several of the co-leaders of the ministry. Please consider connecting with this group, if it fits your schedule and passions.

The idea for a church garden to provide food for local residents in need originated with Adam Heggenstaller. His enthusiasm for this ministry resulted in several church members meeting at the Alwington property (behind Brumfield Elementary School) to start the first garden in early 2014 to lay out the first garden plot (what is now known as the upper garden). Early garden enthusiasts included Adam, Chris and Cape Caperton, Phil Peyton, Chuck Wilkers, Norm Estes, Jay and Claudia Lawson, Stephanie Usrey and Angie Ashley. Many, many more have joined in since then and have continued to make this ministry prosper and grow.

That first garden resulted in about 2,000 pounds of fresh produce being donated to the Fauquier Food Bank. Four years later, in 2018, that total was over 3,200 pounds and included such items as tomatoes, peppers, corn, okra, onions, green beans, summer squash, zucchini, cucumbers, turnips, collards and melons. The garden area has grown as well. There are now two garden areas with fencing surrounding them to keep out the wildlife. There is also a shed that was built to store tools and supplies.

The summer of 2019 will be the sixth year of our garden ministry. We will again raise a variety of vegetables to donate to the Fauquier Food bank. We will need lots of help. The average volunteer hours for each year has been close to 800 hours over the course of the spring, summer, and fall. We will need every bit of that time this year as well as we prepare the garden for planting, plant the crops, weed and water, harvest and deliver the vegetables and then clean up the area at the end of the season.

In March we begin the first ground preparation work. Late April to May is when the majority of the planting takes place. We generally work at the garden on Tuesday afternoon/evening from about 5:30 pm to 7:00 pm with occasional sessions throughout the week as needed. The first session will probably be a three hour Saturday morning in late March/early April.

If interested, contact Mike and Janice Haase at 540 359 6353.

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We invite all ideas that you have for new ministries that our body should pursue for the glory of God. Be in touch!

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

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ATTITUDE: A WINDOW INTO A CHILD'S HEART

by [Scott Turansky](#)

Getting the job done is important, but what about the rolling eyes or huffing and mumbling? Is a bad attitude inevitable? Sometimes parents excuse the attitude by saying, "At least he did what I asked." Others use excuses like, "She's tired," or "He's only eight" and ignore the attitudes they see.

Unfortunately attitudes don't typically get better, they get worse. If the heart is in the wrong place, a crisis is just around the corner. Some parents mistakenly ignore attitudes because their children comply. Kids need to learn how to respond well to the challenges of life even when they're unhappy. We all need to do things we don't want to do and respond positively even though we don't feel like it.

3 ASPECTS OF AN ATTITUDE

An attitude is more than just the behavior you see. Attitudes are heart issues that have developed from several factors including emotions and thinking errors. Emotions, like frustration, disappointment, and anger, are complicated. Jealousy, pride, and discouragement are likely to reveal themselves inappropriately as well. Often the bad attitude you see in a child is just the tip of the iceberg with complicated and intense emotions swirling around just under the surface.

Thinking errors contribute to bad attitudes as well. Children may believe that just because they're unhappy they have the right to display that misery to those around them. Furthermore, a child may believe that the workload he has is unreasonable. Your daughter may believe that homework is a waste of time. Another child may think that if his brother is being annoying, he has the right to punch him. Children typically have misperceptions about life leading to thinking errors that result in bad attitudes.

Part of our job as parents is to help children respond appropriately to emotions and to change what they believe about life. One of the ways you'll do that is by challenging bad attitudes, since bad attitudes are the flag, indicating a heart problem.

Some parents make the mistake of using their own emotions to overpower their

kids, believing that, because this child is wrong, then the anger is warranted. In that case, often the parent's own attitude is revealed, requiring some adjustments in emotional management and a change in thinking.

The reality is that emotional intensity hinders closeness and, just because you're right in addressing a bad attitude, that doesn't mean that your anger is a good strategy for dealing with it.

FIRMNESS IS ONE PART OF THE SOLUTION

So can we put aside our own anger, and still be firm? The answer is yes. Let's remind ourselves that firmness doesn't mean harshness. You might calmly say, "Wait a minute. Stop right there. Don't take the trash out. You need to sit down and think about your attitude. I know you have other things to do in life, and you're disappointed that I asked you to help out here, but you need to be willing to contribute to the family. So sit down and think about it and come back to talk to me when you're ready." In this way you challenge a child's thinking and you check the emotional reaction to raise awareness of a poor response. Having the child take a break gives opportunity to settle down and change the heart.

Of course, changing attitudes takes much time and work, so don't give up. It's usually best to sit down with a child at a non-discipline time to talk about attitudes and how they affect the relational atmosphere in a home. When you begin to open dialogue with a child about attitudes, you might point out that attitudes make a statement even though they don't usually have words. Attitudes are revealed in tone of voice, posture, grunts, sighs, and unkind looks.

An attitude often gives a message that says, "I'm angry with you." Or "It isn't fair that I have to do so much work." Or "How dare you interrupt me before I get to the next level on my video game."

After a child has settled down from a bad attitude, it's often helpful to discuss the message the child was communicating. "Son, you were obviously unhappy when I was trying to help you with your homework. What was going on there?"

Even if a child can't form feelings into words at the moment, your brainstorming

session often raises the awareness of non-verbal communication. You're then helping your child to think about how to better communicate next time.

If you regularly talk to your child about attitudes and reflect on poor emotional responses by debriefing, then your child will likely begin to choose different responses. You might even discuss scriptures together about people who had good attitudes compared to those who had bad attitudes.

BAD ATTITUDES ARE A HEART ISSUE

The same thing is true when children allow their anger to fester. A bad attitude sets a child up to make a poor choice, hurt others, or think selfishly about a situation. When a child responds poorly to a limit you set, an instruction you give, or to correction, then sin is waiting to pounce.

The battle within is an important one for children to understand. Some kids have no idea that they're wrestling with desires inside. They just freely express their disappointment and many times do it in hurtful ways. The reality is that mature and healthy people put limits on their reactions and choose to do what's right instead.

Be careful that you don't just correct for a bad attitude but also look for ways to encourage a positive one. Offer praise for a good attitude under pressure by describing internal strength, not simply right actions.

It's not hard to show joy or excitement when things are going well. But it's a real sign of maturity for a child to demonstrate contentment or cooperation in the face of a challenging situation. As you work with your child in the attitude department, you'll be training and equipping your child for life.

What thoughts does this article prompt in you? Share your comments below.

For more about how to address attitudes, look at pages 114-141 in the book, [Good and Angry: Exchanging Frustration for Character in You and Your Kids](#).

Women's Book Club

Our women's book club meets on the last Tuesday of each month. Feel free to join us any time! Just read the books you like and join the group for fellowship, food, and lively discussion! All meetings are in Warrenton unless otherwise noted, and will meet from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m.

Date	Location	Book Title	Facilitator
March 26	182 Winchester Mews	Craig and Fred: A Marine, A Stray Dog, and How They Rescued Each Other ~ Craig Grossi	Trish Putnam
April 30	9124 Green Road	Still Alice ~ Lisa Genova	Sandra Simpson

SAT Prep for Spring—The series will be an introduction to the SAT test format, test scoring, and general strategies for increasing scores. Preparation will be finished in time for the May 4, 2019 SAT. Cost=\$100 for five sessions (check to Friends of Fort Liberte) + \$22 for purchase of prep book (order in time for first session). Sundays, 1:00-3:30 pm, March 17, 24, 31, April 7, 28. WBC Youth Center. Reserve a spot and receive prep book ordering information with Kim Raines at kraines0903@gmail.com.

Clean-Water Well Fundraising Event will be held on March 9, 6-9pm, to raise money for the installation of new clean water wells in and around Ft. Liberte, Haiti. All are welcome so please join us and invite your friends and family. For all event details and to purchase event tickets or to make a tax deductible donation visit www.haitiwellwater.com. We hope to see you there! And please feel free to contact Angela Smoot 571-330-5554 or

THE DEACON CORNER

We are very excited to open a new avenue of communication with your Deacon body. The email address deacons@warrentonbaptistchurch.org can now be used for any items you would like to bring to the attention of the deacons. As examples, prayers you would like to request, joys you may have, or to help provide the deacons with information. As a body, we are servants of the church and we are dedicated to identifying needs as a body and working with our Pastors and staff to understand needs and address them through prayer and service. We are dedicated to building and maintaining fellowship within the church. Please make use of our church email to communicate things you wish to share with the deacons. As this year's chair, I will be monitoring the email box and will share with the applicable deacon or the deacon body. Should you not have access to email feel free to send a letter to the church office to the attention of the Deacon Body.

As a deacon body we are praying for our church as a body but also our members and visitors. We are praying for you in group, but also your deacons are individually praying for you. We acknowledge that we cannot accomplish our goals without relying on God's

grace and strength so we cherish and rely on your prayers.

We look forward to hearing from you.

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Did You Know?...

WBC GOING PAPERLESS. The concept of a “paperless” society originated in 1978 by Frederick Wilfrid Lancaster – a British-American information scientist who immigrated to the United States in 1959 and worked as information specialist for the National Library of Medicine in Bethesda, Maryland. A paperless society is a society where paper communication (e.g., written documents, mail letters, newsletter, newspaper, magazines, and books) is replaced by electronic communication and storage.

The reality is we still use a lot of paper, despite excessive use of computers, smartphones, and other digital devices. The world today produces around 300 million tons of paper every year, which requires almost 4 billion trees to be cut down. As many ministries have gone paperless, WBC is now moving in that direction. There are benefits of going paperless – reducing consumption of paper, savings in postage, and reducing cost of printer consumables.

We reduced our 2019 budget for postage by \$1000 with a plan to go paperless as much as possible. We are reducing mailings to the bare minimum and will post the Newsletter, and other documents, on-line at the WBC website. We will have exceptions in place to get the Newsletter to those without on-line access.

March 2019

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1	2 11:00 a.m. - Barbara Caperton Mem. Service
3 ALL TOGETHER SERVICE, 9:30 a.m. Sunday School, 11:00 a.m. Hispanic SS & worship 10:00 & 11:00 a.m.	4 10:00 a.m. - Senior Adult Council	5 5:30 p.m. Girl Scouts-FH	6 6:00 p.m. Choir Rehearsal 7:00 p.m. Handbells 7:00 p.m. NA, WW	7 7:30 p.m. AA, YC 7:30 p.m. NA, WW Visitation to The Culpeper - 11:00 a.m.	8	9 1:00 p.m. - Kelly Creel Graveside Service, Warrenton Cemetery 6:00-9:00 p.m. Clean Water Well Haiti Fundraiser
10 Traditional worship 8:00 & 11:00 a.m., Contemporary worship 9:30 a.m.; Sunday School 9:30 & 11:00 a.m.; Hispanic SS & worship 10:00 & 11:00 a.m.; Food Collection Mar 10-14	11 7:00 p.m. - Deacon's Meeting, Conf. Rm.	12 2:00 p.m. -Home Reach	13 6:00 p.m. Choir Rehearsal 7:00 p.m. Handbells 7:00 p.m. NA, WW	14 7:30 p.m. AA, YC 7:30 p.m. NA, WW St. Patrick's Day dinner at the Bistro, 4:30 p.m.; Ministry Council Mtg - 7pm	15	16 8:00 a.m.-Noon - Sewing Ministry , FH
17 Traditional worship 8:00 & 11:00 a.m., Contemporary worship 9:30 a.m.; Sunday School 9:30 & 11:00 a.m.; Hispanic SS & worship 10:00 & 11:00 a.m.; SAT Prep, YC -1:00-3:00 p.m.	18	19 5:30 p.m. Girl Scouts-FH	20 6:00 p.m. Choir Rehearsal 7:00 p.m. Handbells 7:00 p.m. NA, WW	21 6:00 p.m. AA, YC 7:30 p.m. NA, WW	22	23 6:30 p.m.- Sr. Adults, Manassas Chorale
24 Traditional worship 8:00 & 11:00 a.m., Contemporary worship 9:30 a.m., Sunday School 9:30 & 11:00 a.m.; Hispanic SS & worship 10:00 & 11:00 a.m.; SAT Prep, YC -1:00-3:00 p.m.	25 7:00 p.m.- Youth Mtg.	26	27 6:00 p.m. Choir Rehearsal 7:00 p.m. Handbells 7:00 p.m. NA, WW NL Deadline for April	28 7:30 p.m. AA, YC 7:30 p.m. NA, WW Blood Drive 2:00-7:00 p.m.	29 7:00-9:00 p.m. Hispanic Bible Study, Conf. Rm.	30 6:00-9:00 p.m. -Wild Game Feast
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Stewardship

At this time, we would ask for patience and understanding until next month for the usual Stewardship information to be given, as our new Financial Secretary, Amy Simpson, is working as hard as she can to get up to speed with the responsibilities of her new position. All prayers are gratefully accepted!



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Sunday school: 9:30 and 11:00 a.m.
Spanish Bible Study 10:00 a.m. and Worship 11:00 a.m., in Chapel

CALENDAR HIGHLIGHTS

Mar 4 - Senior Adult Council Meeting, 10am
Mar 9 - Clean Water Well Fundraising Event
Mar 10-14 - Food Collection
Mar 11 - Deacon Meeting, 7pm
Mar 14 - St. Patrick's Day Dinner, The Bistro, 4:30 pm; Ministry Council Meeting, 7pm
Mar 16 - Sewing Ministry, 8am-Noon
Mar 17 - SAT Prep, 1-3:30pm, Youth Center
Mar 23 - Senior Adult Outing, Manassas Chorale, 6:30 pm
Mar 24 - SAT Prep, 1-3:30pm, Youth Center
Mar 25 - Youth Meeting, 7pm

Mar 27 - Deadline for NL articles
Mar 28 - Blood Drive, 2-7pm
Mar 30 - Wild Game Feast, 6-9pm

