

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- ❖ **Choir Practice TIME CHANGE** begins on November 21st! **The choir will meet from 4:00-5:00 PM for practice each week.**
- ❖ **Ladies Aid Christmas Basket Project**—The ladies aid are making Christmas baskets for our sick and shut ins. You can help by signing up to purchase items for the baskets in the vestibule, helping assemble the baskets on **December 13th at 7:00 PM**, or by helping deliver the baskets.
- ❖ **2021 Christmas Poinsettias!** Bring a poinsettia in memory or in honor of someone to help decorate the church. Sign up sheets are in the vestibule. Please bring poinsettias to church on **December 12th**
- ❖ Our next **Contemporary Worship Service** will be Sunday, **January 16th**. Please join us

Special Announcement

It's that time of year again. The Elders are accepting nominations to serve on the board for 2022. We need these as quickly as possible in order for the potential candidates to be contacted and prepared for the election early in the new year.

SERVING SCHEDULES

Sunday School – Nursery 11/28 Sherry S. & Laura P. 12/05 Laura P. & Wendy Stancill	Worship - Nursery 11/28 Sherry S. & Laura P. 12/05 Laura P. & Wendy Stancill	
Communion Table Nov: Greg Spain & Dan Black Dec: Johnny Pinner & Bill Staton	Preparing Communion Nov: Ruth Ann Stokes Dec: Becky Ormond	
Home Communion Nov: Johnny Pinner (714-4695) Dec: Dan Black (258-0897)	Unlock & Secure the Building Nov: Greg Spain Dec: Jorge Bocanegra	
Opening 12/05 Dan Black 12/12 A.J. Stancill	Prayer Request 12/05 Johnny Pinner 12/05 Jorge Bocanegra	Communion Med 12/05 Tom LaBarbera 12/05 Eugene Hyde

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UPCOMING AT MPCC

SUNDAY

9:30 AM Sunday School
10:30 AM Worship Service
4:00 PM Choir Practice (11/21)
5:00 PM Youth Play Practice
6:30 PM Evening Worship

MONDAY

7:00 PM Ladies Aid Meeting
(2nd Monday of each month)

TUESDAY

10:00 AM Bible Study
5:15 PM Youth Play Practice
7:00 PM Young Ladies Bible Study

WEDNESDAY

7:00 PM Bible Study
6:00 PM Worship Leader Practice

Christmas Cantata
December 12th
10:30 AM

Youth Christmas Play
December 19th
10:30 AM

ORDER OF SERVICE

Call to Worship "Jesus, Your Name" Choir

WELCOME Jamie Swart

PRAISE & WORSHIP

"God Is Good All The Time" (2x) Screen
"Give Thanks" Screen
"Reckless Love" Screen

Communion Meditation Johnny Pinner

Communion Music "How Deep The Father's Love" Screen

Communion

(if you wish to partake of the Lord's Supper, please hold emblems & take in unison)

Please place your offering in plates as you exit after the service

Prayer Requests Dan Black

Musical Offering "Grateful" Worship Leaders

Morning Message John Ormond

The Lengths He Would Go **Philippians 2:6-8**

***Hymn of Decision**

"Wherever He Leads, I'll Go" Screen

***Closing Prayer**

***Closing Hymn**

"Lead Me To Some Soul Today" Screen

Depart to Serve * Please Stand

SERMON OUTLINE

Sermon: The Lengths He Would Go

Text: Philippians 2:6 - 8

Thesis: Jesus Stooped Low, So We Could Rise Up.

I. Jesus Took No Reputation.

- A. He came to earth as a man.
- B. He came as a servant.

II. Jesus Became Obedient To Death.

- A. Death is a real eye opener.
- B. It's not easy to be obedient.

III. Jesus Died On A Cross.

- A. This was no ordinary death.
- B. This was brutal and torturous.

Conclusion: What happened on this occasion was the redemption of man. When God, reached out and said to Satan, "Oh, not you don't." What happens other times, is you get pie on your face and a reminder of how weak and lowly we truly are. I need a lesson of humility and sacrifice from time to time. Maybe you do too. When was the last time you humbled yourself and made something right, which needed to be? When was the last time, as a saint, that you made a sacrifice for the Lord and His church? May our attitudes be like that which we see here in this passage.

Philippians 2: 6-8
6 Who, being in very nature God, did not consider equality with God something to be used to his own advantage; 7 rather, he made himself nothing by taking the very nature of a servant, being made in human likeness. 8 And being found in appearance as a man, he humbled himself by becoming obedient to death – even death on a cross!

Sermon Notes +

Date:
Speaker:
Message Title:
Passage:

Notes:

Main Points:

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.
- 5.

Verses Used:

PRAYER CONCERNS

- 1 Kim Wallace – back to Duke for foot surgery
- 2 Billy Staton – recovering from laser back surgery
- 3 David Giles – chronic lymphocytic leukemia – starting immunotherapy
- 4 Lucille Mayo – hospice
- 5 Earl Barber – nursing facility in Washington
- 6 Mary LaBarbera – hole in macular layer of eye
- 7 Conner Tyson – broken leg
- 8 Mason Bennett – recovering after valve surgery
- 9 Dean Everett – cancer
- 10 Grace Bronson – bone marrow transplant
- 11 E.J. Lyles – long way to go – Facebook – E.J. Strong
- 12 Michael Wood – recovering from heart surgery
- 13 John Wood – recovering from broken femur
- 14 Becky Piner – chemo for throat cancer
- 15 Mary Lou McLawhorn – nursing home in Rocky Mount
- 16 Sherry Maurice – hospital – recovering from surgery
- 17 Ty Woolard – tests in 6 months
- 18 Mary Coburn – acid reflux – causing other issues
- 19 Sylvia Gentile – in Cancer Center
- 20 Toni Mayfield – surgery – delivered baby at 28 wks
- 21 Dan Breeding – injuries from car accident
- 22 Mike Hoyst – home under hospice care
- 23 Peggy Hoyst - Parkinsons
- 24 Maria Garcia – needs lung & possible kidney transplant – covid complications - @ University of Maryland
- 25 Judy Johnson – back issues better; cyst on eye
- 26 Nelda Moore – starting radiation 10/18
- 27 Ellis Powell – mass in intestines – treating w/chemo so they can operate -battling stage 4 ovarian cancer
- 28 Ann Carraway – beginning immunotherapy; awaiting body scan
- 29 Graham Tunstall – lung cancer
- 30 Joseph Fowler – home recovering from heart attack
- 31 Doris Kastanek – breast cancer
- 32 Anita Buck – follow up with doctor this week; hoping to begin light weight bearing

PRAYER CONCERNS cont'd

- 33 Dennis Kleen – internal bleeding
- 34 Becky Ormond – recovering from surgery
- 35 Jean Allen – hospice care
- 36 Brandy Edward Duke – scan not good, new meds
- 37 Rena Sexton – Alzheimers, valve in brain causing pain
- 38 Tim Miles – liver cancer
- 39 Elaine O’Neal – Parkinson’s Disease
- 40 David Matthews - pancreatic cancer; surgery then will plan therapy
- 41 Sheila Monroe – Duke for a month
- 42 Sahana Chapman – shoulder recovery problematic; may have to re-do surgery
- 43 Tom Dainty – continues infusions & chemo; tolerance is good; very tired
- 44 Baby Eli – home doing well
- 45 Lanie Jordan – home recovering from heart transplant
- 46 Mary Peaks – continuing chemo treatments
- 47 Student of Trudy Garris - bone demineralization
- 48 Tony Redemdi – pancreatic cancer surgery
- 49 Doug Griffin- bone cancer; another round of chemo
- 50 Robbie Stallings – upcoming surgery at Duke
- 51 Kourtney Stallings
- 52 Lisa Manning – bone cancer


LOVE & SUPPORT


Jayne Mayhew	Carrie Elmore	Myrna Rogerson
Guy Smith	Andy McKinney	Dawn Johnson
Connie Herring	Sarah Glasgow	Glynn Bright
Savanna Grace Bailey	Tina Nobles	LB Garris
Louise Cowell	Charles Cowell	Jean Gurkin
Unspoken Request		


On-Going Prayers For


Our Church Leaders	Our Church Family	Our Youth Ministry
Our Music Ministry	Our Country	Our Military Forces


UPCOMING YOUTH EVENTS

 **Christmas play practice** tonight from 5:15-6:30 PM in the youth hall for all ages.

 **Christmas Play Date!!— December 19th at 10:30 AM** during the morning worship service.

 Mark your calendars for the **Christmas Play Dress Rehearsal**. It will be on Saturday, December 18th at 10:00 AM.

 Save the date for our **Youth Christmas Activity Fun Night** on Friday, December 10th! Children ages 1st grade and above should arrive at 3:30 PM. Children ages Kindergarten and below should arrive at 5:00 PM! We will have play practice, do Christmas games and crafts, eat dinner, watch a Christmas movie, and do a gift exchange. **Each child needs to bring a wrapped gift valued at \$10.** The event will end at 10:00 PM.

 **Youth Christmas Service Project Day!** On Monday, December 20th at 2:00 PM, our youth will sing for the residents at Brookdale Arlington. Youth should be dropped off at the church by 1:15 PM to ride the bus. After singing, the youth will return to the church for a snack and then go out Christmas caroling until 6:30 PM. Please sign your child up to participate in the foyer.

START THE DAY WITH A GRATEFUL HEART