



ANNOUNCEMENTS

➤ **Committee Lists** have been posted in the educational wing and the narthex. These lists are posted to inform every one of the church committees and chairs as well as to give each of you the opportunity to become more involved in these aspects of our ministry. Please take the time to review the lists and sign up for any committee in which you would like to become a member. If you have any questions, feel free to talk with the chairs of the committees.

➤ Our next **Bible Journaling Session** will be Tuesday, 3/05/24, at 7:00 pm

➤ **Sunday, 3/10/24, Daylight Savings Time Begins....remember to spring forward** Saturday night before you go to sleep so you can be on time for church 😊

➤ **Sunday, 3/24/24, is Palm Sunday** 

➤ **Sunday, 3/31/24 is Easter Sunday** 

➤ See insert for **Youth Announcements**

SERVING SCHEDULES

Sunday School & Worship Services- Nursery
3/03 **SS/Church:** Wendy Stancill & Abby Gaskins
3/10 **SS/Church:** Allison Swart & Sherry Stancill

Communion Table **Preparing Communion**
Mar: Johnny Pinner & Bill Staton **Mar:** Renee Spain
Apr: AJ Stancill & Tom LaBarbera **Apr:** Mackenzie Elks

Unlock & Secure the Building
Mar: Greg Spain **Apr:** Dewayne Woolard

Opening **Prayer Request** **Communion Med**
3/10 Jamie Swart 3/10 Brandon Jenkins 3/10 Robert Pinner
3/17 Worship Leaders 3/17 Tom LaBarbera 3/17 Eugene Hyde

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Organist: Mary Coburn

Sound System: Dewayne Woolard, Mark Scott, David Tucker,
Eric Briley & Ian Garriss

Cancer Care Ministry: mtplesantcancercare@gmail.com

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For announcement videos, please call/text Stephanie Mayo at
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UPCOMING AT MPCC

SUNDAY

9:30 AM Sunday School
10:30 AM Worship Service
4:00 PM Choir Practice
5:00 PM Children's Services
5:30 PM Evening Service

MONDAY

7:00 PM Ladies Aid Meeting

(2nd Monday of each month)

TUESDAY

10:00 AM Bible Study
7:00 PM Board Meeting
(2nd Tuesday of each month)

WEDNESDAY

4:30 PM Youth Group
6:00 PM Kid's Group
6:00 PM Worship Leader Practice
7:00 PM Bible Study

Next Bible Journaling
3/05/24 @ 7:00 pm

Next Ladies Aid Meeting
3/11/24 @ 7:00 pm

Next Board Meeting
3/12/24 @ 7:00 pm

Youth Sunday 4/07/24

ORDER OF SERVICE

SERMON

Trials Of Many Colors

James 1:2

WELCOME TO OUR CONTEMPORARY SUNDAY

CALL TO WORSHIP

"Mansions" Worship Leaders

SCRIPTURE & PRAYER

PRAISE & WORSHIP

"10,000 Reasons" Screen

"Always" Screen

Communion Meditation Brandon Jenkins

Communion Music

"Nothing But The Blood" 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 Robert Pinner

Musical Offering "Goodness Of God" Worship Leaders

Morning Message James 1:2 John Ormond

"Trials Of Many Colors"

Hymn of Decision

"The Jesus Way" Screen

*Closing Prayer

*Closing Hymn "Yes He Can" (ch) Screen

Depart to Serve * Please Stand

Thesis: Our Trials Are Not All The Same.

I. Some People's Response To Trials Is Purple.

- A. These people allow trials to beat them up.
B. They see no way out.

II. Some People's response To Trials Is Blue.

- A. These people allow trials to move them into a state of depression.
B. God desires more for his people.

III. Some People's Response To Trials Is Green.

- A. These people envy the lives of others.
B. We are not to be people who are envious of others.

Conclusion: What color are your "trials of many kinds?" My color may not be the same as yours. You may handle your trials entirely differently than I handle mine. No one gets the same type as everyone else. We can't choose what we get, but we can choose how we color our response. Let's them beat you up and bruise you is not the proper response. Allowing them to depress you, is also not a good option. And finally, being green with envy at how others deal with theirs is not a proper option either. James' advice is to go in with faith that God is with you and will be there as you deal with your version of trials. You can persevere and come out stronger on the other side.

Sermon Notes +

Date:
Speaker:
Message Title:
Passage:

Notes:

Main Points:

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Verses Used:

PRAYER CONCERNS 3/03/24

- 1 Family of Paul Evans
- 2 Tina Scott – ovarian cancer in fall – now clear scans
- 3 Nancy Kirkwood – health issues
- 4 Hilda McLawhorn – hospital
- 5 Gene Hyde – dental work
- 6 Michael Yeager – back surgery 2/29 & 3/01
- 7 Amy Moore – eye issues and shingles
- 8 Ashley Neilson – breast cancer
- 9 Linda Teel – recovering from knee replacement surgery
- 10 Buddy Teel – drops to help/possible eye surgery 5/01
- 11 Billy Dunn Sr – throat procedure
- 12 Anna House – breast cancer
- 13 Sophia Harrison – Covid
- 14 Darline Cole – major neurocognitive disorder – pray for wisdom about a path to take for treatment
- 15 Vickie Stalls – kidney & diabetic issues
- 16 Shirley Gladson – hospice
- 17 Edna Wade – surgery 3/07
- 18 Doug Weber – brain tumor removed was cancer – going to Mexico for treatments (Hope4Cancer)
- 19 Betty Lou Williams – health issues
- 20 Martha & Ray Scott – due to Alzheimer’s he’s been put in a facility
- 21 Lucille Forbes – recovering from kidney procedure
- 22 Greg Biggs – vision a little better, beginning treatments
- 23 Ann Carraway – biopsy & gamma knife done; now 15 radiation treatments
- 24 Sheryl Galin – vertigo issues
- 25 Katie Carr – going home; adjusting to a new normal
- 26 Dennis Shackelford – in hospital
- 27 Leslie Jordan – back for another scan in October
- 28 Asa Wishall – going to UNC for another opinion
- 29 Jeremiah Gerrard – unable to walk; chemo started

PRAYER CONCERNS continued

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- 33 Janice Williamson – surgery went well but may need another procedure
- 34 Mark James – completed treatment – rebuilding his health at home
- 35 Aubrey Wayland – tumor removed / chemo
- 36 Bob Barbour – prayers for healing
- 37 Susan Kellogg – back in the hospital
- 38 Mary Coburn – to Duke for consultation
- 39 Eli Cook – February follow up

LOVE & SUPPORT

Jayne Mayhew	Carrie Elmore	Myrna Rogerson
Guy Smith	Andy McKinney	Dawn Johnson
Sarah Glasgow	Glynn Bright	Savanna Grace Bailey
Tina Nobles	Neal Carson	Jean Gurkin
Owen Robinson	Caleb Kittrell	Mildred Jenkins
Peggy Hoyst	Mike Hoyst	Terry Peaden
Riley Koontz	Dr. Charles Pace	

On-Going Prayers For

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

If there are any updates for the existing prayer concerns, please let us know so we can make sure we have the most accurate updates on each person listed.

You can email or text Debra Staton (statondp@embarqmail.com or [252-717-3297](tel:252-717-3297)) with any updates or additions to our prayer concerns.

Thank you

✈️ We will have a youth parent meeting directly following the service at the front of the Sanctuary regarding our upcoming BBQ fundraiser.

31 Mark your calendar for some yummy BBQ! The youth will have a BBQ dinner fundraiser on Saturday, April 13th. Plates can be picked up between 4PM and 8PM. Tickets are \$10 each, and they will be available for purchase in the foyer on Sunday, March 17th. Be sure to ask your friends and family if they would like tickets too. All proceeds from the fundraiser will go towards the 2025 winter trip.

🎵 Our next Youth Sunday is on April 7th! Parents: Please complete the following form to sign up and to help us know what your youth would like to do that Sunday!



❄️ The 1st deposit for the Winter trip to Massanutten in 2025 is **DUE TOMORROW!** Please see Stephanie Mayo or Dewayne Woolard for information and questions regarding the trip if you missed the meeting and would like to know more!



🥚 Easter Eggs are **DUE NEXT SUNDAY!** If you'd like to help contribute eggs for this year's egg hunt, please bring in pre-filled Easter eggs (toys or candy inside) and place them in the donation basket in the foyer by next Sunday- the 10th! If you'd like to donate for us to purchase the eggs, just see Dewayne or Stephanie. Thank you!!

We will have **Easter Activities** for the youth on **Sunday, March 24th!** Lessons and crafts will begin at 10:30 AM, followed by lunch and our egg hunt for youth for 3rd Grade and under and Eggscape Room for youth in 4th grade and up. **Please sign up by next Sunday, March 10th** in the foyer or use the following QR code if you plan to attend and eat lunch so we can get a headcount for food.



31 Other Youth Save the Dates (More to Come!)

- March 15th: ECU Baseball Game
- April 7th: Youth Sunday
- April 13th: Youth Fundraiser DINNER (Mark the date and plan to get a plate)
- April 14th: Brookdale Service Projects
- April 28th: Kickball & Lunch at Home Farms
- May 4th: Busch Gardens Trip
- May 19th: SNAC Attack