

## **INTERIM ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT**

We are happy to announce that Kim McManamey will be serving as our Interim Administrative Assistant for the summer. Please let Kim know how appreciative we are that she will be covering office duties and taking care of important church details while the Personnel Committee continues searching for the person that God is preparing for us.

We are adjusting office hours during July and August. If you need to have access to the church after hours, please let us know, as far in advance as possible, so that we can accommodate your needs.

### **NEW SUMMER OFFICE HOURS**

**8:30 AM – 2:30 PM**

**MONDAY THRU THURSDAY**

**CLOSED FRIDAY**

**IN CASE OF AN EMERGENCY, MEMBERS SHOULD  
CALL THEIR DEACON/DEACONESS.**

*(If you are not sure who your deacon/deaconess is, call or email the church office as soon as possible and we will get that info to you.)*

**FOR NON-EMERGENCIES, CALL (434) 237-6418 AND LEAVE  
A MESSAGE. WE WILL BE CHECKING THAT NUMBER DAILY.**

### **1. Stand Up, Stand Up For Jesus #730**

1 Stand up, stand up for Jesus  
ye soldiers of the cross;  
lift high his royal banner,  
it must not suffer loss.  
From vict'ry unto vict'ry  
his army he shall lead  
till ev'ry foe is vanquished  
and Christ is Lord indeed.

3 Stand up, stand up for Jesus,  
stand in his strength alone;  
the arm of flesh will fail you,  
ye dare not trust your own.  
Put on the gospel armor,  
each piece put on with prayer;  
where duty calls or danger,  
be never wanting there.

4 Stand up, stand up for Jesus,  
the strife will not be long;  
this day the noise of battle,  
the next, the victor's song.  
To him that overcometh  
a crown of life shall be;  
he with the King of glory  
shall reign eternally.

### **2. Spirit of God Descend On My Heart #390**

1 Spirit of God, who dwells within my heart,  
wean it from earth, through all its pulses move.  
Stoop to my weakness, mighty as Thou art,  
and make me love you as I ought to love.

2 Hast Thou not bid us love Thee, God and King?  
All, all Thine own-soul, heart, and strength, and mind!  
I see Thy cross-there teach my heart to cling;  
O let me seek Thee, and O let me find!

4 Teach me to love Thee as Thine angels love,  
one holy passion filling all my frame:  
the baptism of the heaven-descended Dove;  
my heart an altar, and Thy love the flame.

### **3. A Mighty Fortress Is Our God #151**

1 A mighty fortress is our God,  
a bulwark never failing;  
our helper he, amid the flood  
of mortal ills prevailing.  
For still our ancient foe  
doth seek to work us woe;  
his craft and power are great,  
and armed with cruel hate,  
on earth is not his equal.

2 Did we in our own strength confide,  
our striving would be losing,  
were not the right Man on our side,  
the Man of God's own choosing.  
Dost ask who that may be?  
Christ Jesus, it is he;  
Lord Sabaoth his name,  
from age to age the same;  
and he must win the battle.

3 And though this world, with devils filled,  
should threaten to undo us,  
we will not fear, for God has willed  
his truth to triumph through us.  
The prince of darkness grim,  
we tremble not for him;  
his rage we can endure,  
for lo! his doom is sure;  
one little word shall fell him.

4 That Word above all earthly powers  
no thanks to them abideth;  
the Spirit and the gifts are ours  
through him who with us sideth.  
Let goods and kindred go,  
this mortal life also;  
the body they may kill:  
God's truth abideth still;  
his kingdom is forever!

#### **4. Soldiers Of Christ, Arise #723**

1 Soldiers of Christ, arise,  
and put your armor on,  
strong in the strength which God supplies  
through His eternal Son;  
strong in the Lord of hosts  
and in His mighty pow'r,  
who in the strength of Jesus trusts  
is more than conqueror.

2 Stand then in His great might,  
with all His strength endued,  
and take, to arm you for the fight,  
the panoply of God.  
From strength to strength go on,

wrestle and fight and pray;  
tread all the pow'rs of darkness down  
and win the well-fought day.

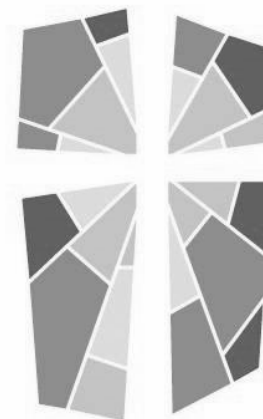
3 Leave no unguarded place,  
no weakness of the soul;  
take ev'ry virtue, ev'ry grace,  
and fortify the whole.  
That, having all things done  
and all your conflicts past,  
ye may o'ercome through Christ alone  
and stand complete at last.

# Church Activities

## SUNDAY, June 25

9:45 a.m. .... Sunday School  
11:00 a.m. .... Morning Worship  
11:00 a.m. .... International Fellowship

**Sunday, June 25 – Friday, June 30: Vacation Bible School  
at Sandusky Baptist Church, 6 p.m. each night.**



Chestnut Hill  
BAPTIST CHURCH

### **CHBC Ministry Team - Every Member a Minister**

Rev. Ian McManamey.....Lead Pastor  
Rev. Mark Simpson ..... Youth Pastor  
Gracelyn Hedrick ..... Interim Worship Leader  
David Johnson ..... Director, Christian Education & Sunday School  
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# Morning Worship

Fourth Sunday of June

June 25, 2023

11:00 a.m.

*The night is nearly over; the day is almost here. So let us put aside the deeds of darkness and put on the armor of light.  
Romans 13:12 NIV*

Prelude .....Anne Wilkinson

Song of Praise, #730  
**Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus** ..... Congregation

Welcome and Announcements ..... Rev. Ian McManamey

Song of Worship, #390  
**Spirit of God Descend on My Heart**..... Congregation

Offertory Prayer.....Vye Esposito

Song of Worship, #151  
**A Mighty Fortress Is Our God**..... Congregation

Message..... Rev. Ian McManamey

**“The Armor God Gives Us”**  
Ephesians 6:13 - 18 (page 1824 in the pew Bible)

Song of Response, #723  
**Soldiers of Christ, Arise** ..... Congregation

Closing Prayer..... Rev. Mark Simpson

Postlude .....Anne Wilkinson

# Evening Bible Study

Fourth Sunday of June

June 25, 2023

5:30 p.m.

*We are holding Vacation Bible School beginning tonight through Friday night at Sandusky Baptist Church. There are no other activities tonight. VBS begins at 6 p.m.*

### Please be praying this week for:

God to show us how He wants us to grow our church. God’s guidance on the Personnel Committee, Worship Leader Search Committee, and Nominating Committee nominations.

### Announcements:

**Deacon Nomination Letters** have been set out in the main vestibule. While we have four vacancies, if you can only think of one or two recommendations, please go ahead and put those on a form. Thank you for your help!

**Nominations are due today.**

Please be in **prayer** this week for our **Vacation Bible School**, that the Lord would bring in children who need to know Him and help them to make a lasting decision for Christ.

Our secretary, Roberta, will be out of the office next week and will return on July 3. Kim McManamey will fill in as secretary next week.

### Offertory Prayer

July 2 – Ben Wilkinson

July 9 – Nora Saunders

## CHESTNUT HILL BAPTIST CHURCH PRAYER CONCERNS

June 22, 2023

### IN THE HOSPITAL

Michael Bomar, moved to UVA Hospital

### AT HOME

Carol Deans  
Jean Brown  
Patrick Parnell  
Malcolm Gowell  
Kelly Parnell  
Tim Saxon  
Ray Simms  
Ida Wright  
May Shieh  
Mary St. John  
Connie Gowell

### IN RETIREMENT HOME OR NURSING HOME

Pete and Grace Monroe, Runk & Pratt @ Liberty Ridge, Apt. 313, 24502  
Shirley Tweedy, Bentley Commons, 1604 Graves Mill Road, #102, 24502  
Helen Howard, Summit Health & Rehab., James River Unit, 1300 Enterprise Dr., #216, 24502  
Beulah Woodson, the Summit Assisted Living, 1320 Enterprise Dr, #206, 24502  
Dale Shelton, Fairmont Crossings, 173 Brockman Park Drive, #131, 24521  
Velma Jackson, Valley View, Apt 112, 1213 Long Meadows, 24502  
Carolyn Smith, Valley View, Apt 400, 1213 Long Meadows Dr, 24502  
Joyce Myers, 102 David Ridge Rd., Galax, VA 24333  
Frank Harris, Runk & Pratt Pearls of Life, rm #11, 107 Monica Blvd., 24502  
Wilma Jean Wright, Bedford County Nursing Home, 1229 County Farm Rd, #204A, 24523  
Cindy Hammond, Lynchburg Health & Rehab, 5615 Seminole Ave., #47, 24502  
Sylvia Clements, Lynchburg Health & Rehab, 5615 Seminole Ave., #87B, 24502

### SPECIAL PRAYER CONCERNS

Wayne Figg, nephew of Delores Figg in Richmond, adrenal cancer  
Reggie Akers, heart/health issues  
Phil Davis, Jean Gilliam's brother, cancer  
Carolyn Smith, breast cancer and heart issues  
Ann Reynolds, Elizabeth Johnson's daughter, cancer  
John "Rocky" Ruffin, friend of Barnes family, lung cancer  
Jerry Zengler, George Barth's brother-in-law, complications after heart surgery  
Lucille Marten, friend of Bernard and Bettie Almond, cancer  
Mary St. John, kidney issues and dialysis  
Nancy Barnes, breast cancer treatment  
Janice Guthrie, Nancy Barnes' cousin, and husband Max, cancer  
Destiny Amos (friend of the McManamey family) recovering from brain surgery  
Michael Bomar, recent lung cancer diagnosis, receiving chemo  
Bobby Pugh, recovering from aneurism repair  
Ida Wright, health concerns  
Gwen Arthur, breast cancer, chemo treatments  
Ronnie Soult, recent cancer diagnosis, requested by Bobby Pugh  
Tony Henson, Faye Henson's brother-in-law, cancer diagnosis  
Delores Figg, abscessed tooth  
Kelly Parnell, health issues  
Shirley Tweedy, heart health issues, upcoming gum surgery  
Linda Thacker, recovering from knee replacement surgery  
May Shieh, recovering from partial hip replacement surgery  
Sylvia Clements, health issues, recent fall  
George Barth, recent Parkinson's diagnosis  
Junior Hackworth, Nancy Barnes' relative, lung cancer  
Chelaine Carlton, Ken and Melody's daughter-in-law, recent surgery  
Bobby and Peggy Pugh's new great grandson, Callan Burnett, in hospital care until he reaches 4 pounds  
Connie Gowell, recuperating from fractured pelvis

### Prayer for salvation request list:

Christy	Brian	L.
D. and L.	John	C.G.
		M. G.

To join our conference call prayer meeting at 6:15 on  
Wednesday evenings, call: (351) 999-4569

**Prayer Requests from our neighbors:**

Ms. Delphia – Her brother-in-law Renaldo Lynch has cancer. She also struggles with chronic pain in her legs.

Mildred Jones – Asked for prayer for her children Delina, Anthony, and Herman Jones. She also asked for prayer to stop smoking.

Chris Stamp – He was thankful to have gotten his driver's license back and he also asked for prayer to stop smoking.

Mr. O'Neal

Cedric and cousin O'Brian who is having health issues and is not doing well.

The Bowman Family – has specific request for son and daughter in law that have to make some decisions about education soon.

# Read the Bible Through in July 2023

July	1	Obadiah; Psalm 82-83
	2	2 Kings 1-4
	3	2 Kings 5-8
	4	2 Kings 9-11
	5	2 Kings 12-13; 2 Chronicles 24
	6	2 Kings 14; 2 Chronicles 25
	7	Jonah 1-4
	8	2 Kings 15; 2 Chronicles 26
	9	Isaiah 1-4
	10	Isaiah 5-8
	11	Amos 1-5
	12	Amos 6-9
	13	2 Chronicles 27; Isaiah 9-12
	14	Micah 1-7
	15	2 Chronicles 28; 2 Kings 16-17
	16	Isaiah 13-17
	17	Isaiah 18-22
	18	Isaiah 23-27
	19	2 Kings 18:1-8; 2 Chronicles 29-31; Psalm 48
	20	Hosea 1-7
	21	Hosea 8-14
	22	Isaiah 28-30
	23	Isaiah 31-34
	24	Isaiah 35-36
	25	Isaiah 37-39; Psalm 76
	26	Isaiah 40-43
	27	Isaiah 44-48
	28	2 Kings 18:9-37; 2 Kings 19:1-37; Psalm 46, 80, 135
	29	Isaiah 49-53
	30	Isaiah 54-58
	31	Isaiah 59-63

July brings July 4th where we celebrate the signing of the Declaration of Independence. We were freed from the tyranny of England. Are you celebrating your freedom from sin? “And having been set free from sin, you became slaves of righteousness.” (Romans 6:18)(NKJV)



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— JULY —

EVENTS

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4 - INDEPENDENCE DAY

8 - HILLCATS BALLGAME  
FOR RED TRUCK

22- FINDING NEMO  
MOVIE NIGHT

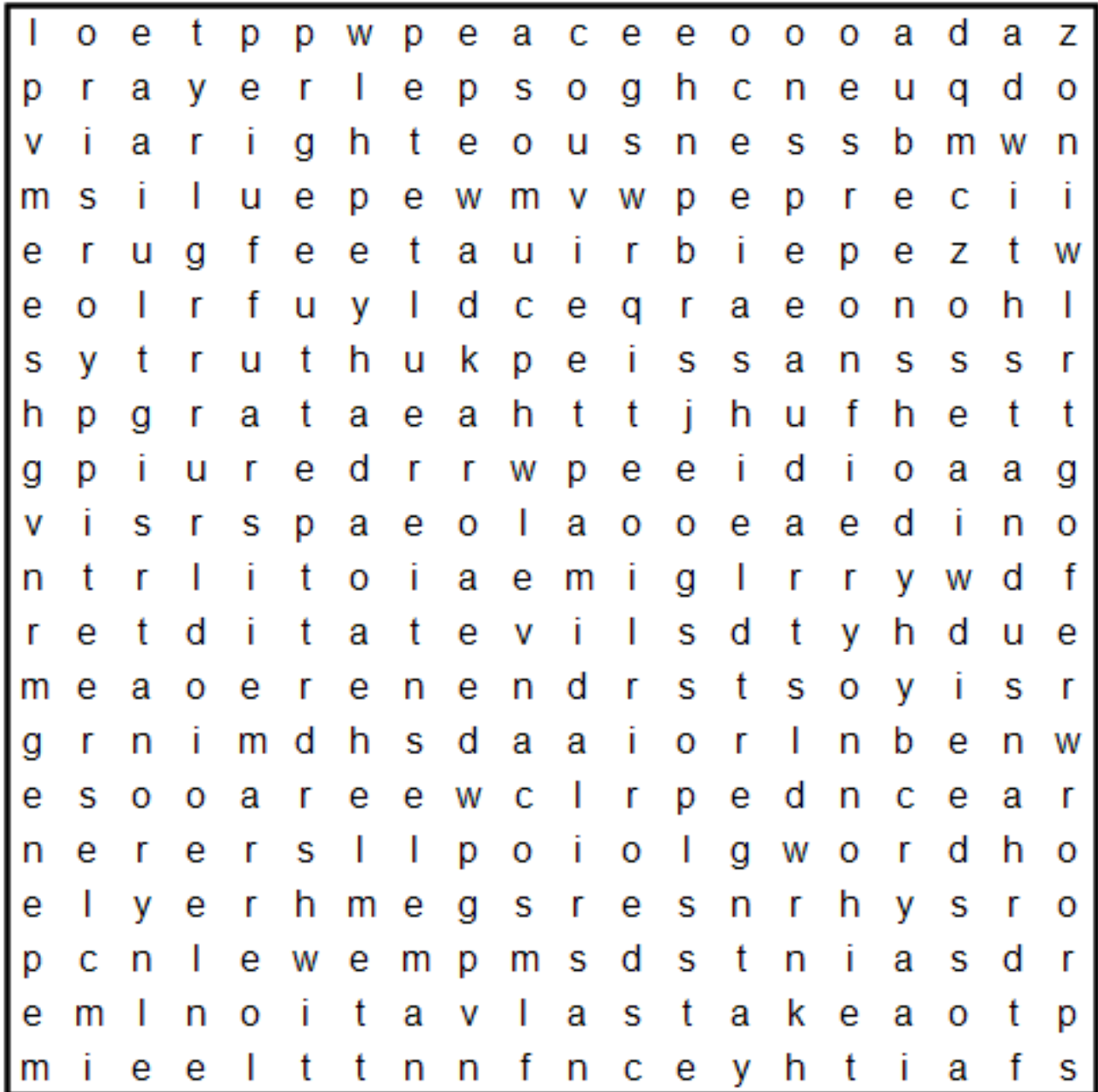
29 - YOUTH POOL PARTY

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# “The Armor God Gives Us”

June 25, 2023



See if you can find the **BOLD** and UNDERLINED words.

Ephesians 6:13-18 <sup>13</sup>Therefore **take** up the **whole armor** of God, that you may be able to **withstand** in the **evil** day, and having done all, to **stand**. <sup>14</sup>Stand therefore, having girded your **waist** with truth, having put on the **breastplate** of righteousness, <sup>15</sup>and having **shod** your **feet** with the preparation of the gospel of **peace**; <sup>16</sup>above all, taking the shield of faith with which you will be able to **quench** all the fiery darts of the wicked one. <sup>17</sup>And take the **helmet** of salvation, and the sword of the **Spirit**, which is the word of God; <sup>18</sup>praying always with all **prayer** and supplication in the **Spirit**, being watchful to this end with all perseverance and supplication for all the saints— (NKJV)

June 25, 2023

Ephesians 6:13-18

## “The Armor God Gives Us”

13 Therefore take up the whole armor of God, that you may be able to withstand in the evil day, and having done all, to stand firm. 14 Stand therefore, having fastened on the belt of truth, and having put on the breastplate of righteousness, 15 and, as shoes for your feet, having put on the readiness given by the gospel of peace. 16 In all circumstances take up the shield of faith, with which you can extinguish all the flaming darts of the evil one; 17 and take the helmet of salvation, and the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God, 18 praying at all times in the Spirit, with all prayer and supplication.

- Ephesians 6:13-18 ESV

### I. God equips us so that we will not be moved. (vv. 13-14a)

13 Therefore take up the whole armor of God, that you may be able to **withstand** in the evil day, and having done all, to **stand firm**. 14 **Stand** therefore, - Ephesians 6:13-14a ESV

11 Put on the whole armor of God, that you may be able to stand against the schemes of the devil. 12 For we do not wrestle against flesh and blood, but against the rulers, against the authorities, against the cosmic powers over this present darkness, against the spiritual forces of evil in the heavenly places. - Ephesians 6:11-12 ESV

### II. God is the source of what we need to withstand the battle. (vv. 14-17)

14 Stand therefore, having fastened on the belt of **truth**,

44 You are of your father the devil, and your will is to do your father's desires. He was a murderer from the beginning, and does not stand in the truth, because there is no truth in him. When he lies, he speaks out of his own character, for he is a liar and the father of lies. 45 But because I tell the truth, you do not believe me. 46 Which one of you convicts me of sin? If I tell the truth, why do you not believe me? 47 Whoever is of God hears the words of God. The reason why you do not hear them is that you are not of God." - John 8:44-47 ESV

1 Now the serpent was more crafty than any other beast of the field that the LORD God had made. He said to the woman, "Did God actually say, 'You shall not eat of any tree in the garden?'" 2 And the woman said to the serpent, "We may eat of the fruit of the trees in the garden, 3 but God said, 'You shall not eat of the fruit of the tree that is in the midst of the garden, neither shall you touch it, lest you die.'" 4 But the serpent said to the woman, "You will not surely die. 5 For God

knows that when you eat of it your eyes will be opened, and you will be like God, knowing good and evil." - Genesis 3:1-5 ESV

31 So Jesus said to the Jews who had believed him, "If you abide in my word, you are truly my disciples, 32 and you will know the truth, and the truth will set you free." ... - John 8:31-32 ESV

and having put on the breastplate of **righteousness**,

9 ... not having a righteousness of my own that comes from the law, but that which comes through faith in Christ, the righteousness from God that depends on faith—

- Philippians 3:9 ESV

15 and, as shoes for your feet, having put on the readiness given by the **gospel of peace**.

16 In all circumstances take up the shield of **faith**, with which you can extinguish all the flaming darts of the evil one;

1 Now faith is the assurance of things hoped for, the conviction of things not seen. ... 6 And without faith it is impossible to please him, for whoever would draw near to God must believe that he exists and that he rewards those who seek him. - Hebrews 11:1, 6 ESV

### What fiery arrows does Satan throw at you?

17 and take the helmet of **salvation**,

8 ... for a helmet the hope of salvation. - 1 Thessalonians 5:8 ESV

and the sword of the Spirit, which is the **word of God**,  
- Ephesians 6:14-17 ESV

11 I have stored up your word in my heart, that I might not sin against you. - Psalm 119:11 ESV

### III. Communication with God is essential. (v. 18)

18 **praying** at all times in the Spirit, with all prayer and supplication.  
- Ephesians 6:18 ESV

2 Continue steadfastly in prayer, being watchful in it with thanksgiving.  
- Colossians 4:2 ESV