Church Activities

SUNDAY, May 15

9:45 a.m. Sunday School 11:00 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. International Fellowship 5:30 p.m. AWANA, English Class 6:00 p.m. Business Meeting		
MONDAY, May 16 8:45 a.mACA Homeschool		
WEDNESDAY, May 18 6:15 p.m		
THURSDAY, May 19 8:45 a.m. ACA Homeschool 7:00 p.m. ACA Graduation		

CHBC Ministry Team - Every Member a Minister

Rev. Ian McManamey	Lead Pastor
•	Worship Pastor
Rev. Mark Simpson	Youth Pastor
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To Know CHRIST and To Make CHRIST Known

5225 Fort Avenue Lynchburg VA 24502

Morning Worship

Third Sunday of May

MAY 15, 2022 11:00 a.m.

Great is the Lord and most worthy of praise; His greatness no one can fathom. (Psalm 145:3)

Prelude	Anne Wilkinson	
Welcome	Rev. Ian McManamey	
Congregational Praise We Bow Down Hear the Call of the Kingdom	Congregation	
Opening Prayer	Rev. lan McManamey	
Congregational Praise I Want to Be Like Jesus (#550)	Congregation	
Time of Giving Prayer	Mark Sihlanick	
Hymn of Praise Wonderful Words of Life (#406)	Congregation	
Message	Rev. lan McManamey	
"Knowing the Father – God Is Infinite" Romans 1:22-23 (page 1747 in the pew Bible)		
Invitation Jesus Is All the World to Me (#512)	Congregation	
Closing Prayer	Rev. Mark Simpson	
Postlude	Anne Wilkinson	

Evening Bible Study

Third Sunday of May

MAY 15, 2022

6:00 p.m.

We will be holding our quarterly **Business Meeting tonight at 6 p.m.** There will be no Adult or Youth Bible study this evening.

Announcements:

The Nominating and Constitution Committees have approved several changes to the church constitution. These changes have been mailed/emailed out to all members, and extra copies are in the front vestibule. Please read through these changes and come to our Business Meeting tonight ready to vote on them. Our Personnel Committee will also bring a motion tonight.

Thank you for coming and participating!

On Sunday, May 22, at 6 pm, Dr. Robert Putt will be speaking about missions activities here in our Lynchburg Baptist Association. Come to learn what our church is involved in and how you can personally participate.

LBA Missions Offering - During the morning worship service, May 22, in addition to our regular offering, we will be having a special collection for the LBA. Pray, asking God how He would have you support our local missions activities.

Offertory Prayer

May 15 – Mark Sihlanick May 22 – Ben Wilkinson



Tori McKinney has contacted our church to see if we are willing to help her prayerfully and financially to pursue her dream of teaching English in Mongolia.

Here is her request:

Tori will be teaching English as a second language in Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia through ELIC (English Language Institute/China). ELIC is a non-profit Christian organization that trains instructors to teach with excellence by loving their students well. The organization has professional teachers in 13 countries throughout the 10/40 window, including the Middle East, North Africa, and Asia. ELIC strongly believes in their teachers becoming cross-cultural servants who demonstrate grace, concern, and long-term investment in our students and coworkers. Through this reflection of the Father, Tori is seeking to be a living example of the Word to those in Mongolia, especially her students!

ELIC gives their instructors guidance and training on how to raise support, but Tori is responsible for establishing her own financial and prayer support network. To do this she is building relationships/partnerships with families, churches, and individuals.

If you are donating by check, please make the check payable to Chestnut Hill Baptist Church and reference ELIC.

"Knowing the Father: God is Infinite"

May 15, 2022

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See if you can find the **BOLD** and <u>UNDERLINED</u> words.

Romans 1:22-23 ²² <u>Professing</u> to be <u>wise</u>, they became <u>fools</u>, ²³ and <u>changed</u> the <u>glory</u> of the <u>incorruptible</u> <u>God</u> into an <u>image made</u> like <u>corruptible man</u>—and <u>birds</u> and <u>four-footed animals</u> and <u>creeping things</u>.

Psalm 147:5 **Great** is our **Lord**, and **mighty** in **power**; His **understanding** is **infinite**.

Job 11:7 Can you search out the deep things of God? Can you find out the limits of the Almighty?

Romans 1:22-23

"Knowing Your Father - God is Infinte"

I. We are inclined to make a god in our own image.

22 Professing to be wise, they became fools, 23 and changed the glory of the incorruptible God into an image made like corruptible man--and birds and four-footed animals and creeping things.

- Romans 1:22-23 NKJV

"This God we have made and because we have made him we can understand him; because we have created him he can never surprise us, never overwhelm us, nor astonish us, nor transcend us." – A W. Tozer

II. God is infinite -- beyond measure.

5 Great [is] our Lord, and mighty in power; His understanding [is] infinite. - Psalm 147:5 NKJV

27 "But will God indeed dwell on the earth? Behold, heaven and the heaven of heavens cannot contain You. How much less this temple which I have built! - 1 Kings 8:27 NKJV

2 Before the mountains were brought forth, Or ever You had formed the earth and the world, Even from everlasting to everlasting, You [are] God. - Psalm 90:2 NKJV

7 "Can you search out the deep things of God? Can you find out the limits of the Almighty? - Job 11:7 NKJV

"to say that God is infinite is to say that He is measureless.

Measurement is the way created things have of accounting for themselves, It describes limitations, imperfections, and cannot apply to God. Weight describes the gravitational pull of the earth upon material bodies; distance describes intervals between bodies in space; length means extension in space, and there are other familiar measurements such as those for liquid, energy, sound, light, and numbers for pluralities. We also try to measure abstract qualities, and speak of great or little faith, high and low intelligence, large or

meager talents. Is it not plain that all this does not and cannot apply to God?" – A. W. Tozer

A God beyond our comprehension is concerned about us and wants a relationship with us.

III. Does it matter that God is infinite?

If God is not unlimited, He is not worthy of worship.

God is infinite, while we are finite -- That should humble us.

Trust God's timing

Because God is infinite, He can offer us eternal life

3 "And this is eternal life, that they may know You, the only true God, and Jesus Christ whom You have sent. - John 17:3 NKJV

God's grace knows no bounds

20 Moreover the law entered that the offense might abound. But where sin abounded, grace abounded much more,

- Romans 5:20 NKJV

We Bow Down

Verse 1

You are Lord of creation
And Lord of my life
Lord of the land and the sea
You were Lord of the heavens
Before there was time
And Lord of all lords You will be

Chorus 1

We bow down
And we worship You Lord
We bow down
And we worship You Lord
We bow down
And we worship You Lord
Lord of all lords You will be

Verse 2

You are King of creation And King of my life King of the land and the sea You were King of the heavens Before there was time And King of all kings You will be

Hear The Call Of The Kingdom

Verse 1

Hear the call of the kingdom
Lift your eyes to the King
Let His song rise within you
As a fragrant offering
Of how God rich in mercy came in Christ to redeem
All who trust in His unfailing grace

Verse 2

Hear the call of the kingdom
To be children of light
With the mercy of heaven the humility of Christ
Walking justly before Him
Loving all that is right
That the life of Christ may shine through us

Chorus

King of heaven we will answer the call We will follow bringing hope to the world Filled with passion filled with power to proclaim Salvation in Jesus' name

Verse 3

Hear the call of the kingdom
To reach out to the lost
With the Father's compassion
In the wonder of the cross
Bringing peace and forgiveness
And a hope yet to come
Let the nations put their trust in Him

I Want To Be Like Jesus

Verse 1

I have one deep supreme desire
That I may be like Jesus
To this I fervently aspire
That I may be like Jesus
I want my heart His throne to be
So that a watching world may see
His likeness shining forth in me
I want to be like Jesus

Verse 2

He spent His life in doing good
I want to be like Jesus
In lowly paths of service trod
I want to be like Jesus
He sympathized with hearts distressed
He spoke the words that cheered and blessed
He welcomed sinners to His breast
I want to be like Jesus

Verse 3

A holy harmless life He led
I want to be like Jesus
The Father's will His drink and bread
I want to be like Jesus
And when at last He comes to die
Forgive them Father hear Him cry
For those who taunt and crucify
I want to be like Jesus

Verse 4

O perfect life of Christ my Lord
I want to be like Jesus
My recompense and my reward
That I may be like Jesus
His Spirit fill my hung'ring soul
His power all my life control
My deepest prayer my highest goal
That I may be like Jesus

Wonderful Words Of Life

Verse 1

Sing them over again to me
Wonderful words of life
Let me more of their beauty see
Wonderful words of life
Words of life and beauty
Teach me faith and duty

Chorus

Beautiful words wonderful words Wonderful words of life Beautiful words wonderful words Wonderful words of life

Verse 2

Christ the blessed One gives to all Wonderful words of life Sinner list to the loving call Wonderful words of life All so freely given Wooing us to Heaven

Verse 3

Sweetly echo the gospel call Wonderful words of life Offer pardon and peace to all Wonderful words of life Jesus only Savior Sanctify forever

Jesus Is All The World To Me

Chorus 1

Jesus is all the world to me
My Life my Joy my All
He is my strength from day to day
Without Him I would fall
When I am sad to Him I go
No other one can cheer me so
When I am sad He makes me glad
He's my Friend

Chorus 2

Jesus is all the world to me
My friend in trials sore
I go to him for blessings and
He gives them o'er and o'er
He send the sunshine and the rain
He send the harvest's golden grain;
Sunshine and rain, harvest of grain
He's my friend

Church Family,

A lot is going on right now in our church. Change can be both exciting and scary. I am told that the Chinese word for "crisis" is composed of two characters. One meaning "danger" and the other meaning "opportunity." One of the changes that we are considering for the summer is moving the Worship Service to Grandview Hall. Moving the service provides the opportunity to fill the space better and promote community. We are looking at having bagels, donuts, juice, and coffee available between Sunday School and the Worship Service. We will have an opportunity to discuss this more tonight at the business meeting and decide as a church family if this is something that we would like to do, but want to provide the opportunity this Sunday morning for people to indicate their opinion.

- Yes, I would support moving the worship service to Grand View Hall and would still attend.
- No, I do not think it is a good idea or would not continue to attend.

Nothing is written in stone and things could change based on COVID numbers or other factors. Right now, we are looking at making the change June 5.

Associational Emphasis Week May 15th-22nd





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\$3,000- Kingdom Builders

To help with disaster relief or local handicap ramp projects



\$3,000- Coat 4 Kids

To help purchase brand new coats for low income children



\$2,000- Klothes 4 Kids

To help purchase back-to-school clothes and supplies for low income children



\$1,000-Nickelsville

To help support volunteer' partnership missions



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CHESTNUT HILL BAPTIST CHURCH PRAYER CONCERNS May 12, 2022

IN THE HOSPITAL

AT HOME

Carol Deans
Jean Brown
Patrick Parnell
Ken Bush
Sylvia Clements
David St. John
Malcolm Gowell
Kelly Parnell
Tim Saxon
Edna Puckette

IN RETIREMENT HOME OR NURSING HOME

Shirley Tweedy, Runk & Pratt @ Liberty Ridge, 30 Monica Blvd, Apt.316, 24502 Doris Falwell, Runk & Pratt @ Liberty Ridge, 30 Monica Blvd, Apt.142, 24502 Helen Howard, Summit Assisted Living, 1320 Enterprise Dr., #119, 24502 Beulah Woodson, the Summit Assisted Living, 1320 Enterprise Dr, #206, 24502 Dale Shelton, Fairmont Crossings, 173 Brockman Park Drive, #131, 24521 Thelma Driskill, Valley View, Apt 403, 1213 Long Meadows Dr, 24502 Pete and Grace Monroe, Valley View, 1213 Long Meadows, Apt. 225, 24502 Velma Jackson, Valley View, Apt 112, 1213 Long Meadows, 24502 Carolyn Smith, Valley View, Apt 200, 1213 Long Meadows Dr, 24502 Jean Tweedy, Valley View, Apt. 223, 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

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

SPECIAL PRAYER CONCERNS

Wayne Figg, nephew of Delores Figg in Richmond, adrenal cancer

Aleta Robertson's daughter, Candis Grishaw

Reggie Akers, heart/health issues

Michael Bomar, emphysema

Bettie Almond, health issues

Phil Davis, Jean Gilliam's brother, cancer

Steve Conley, Joyce Myers' son, cancer

Carolyn Smith, breast cancer and heart issues

Frank Knight, in memory care center

Bobby Moyer, Debbie Montgomery's brother, heart issues

Edna Puckette's brother, Lloyd Jones, health issues

Ann Reynolds, Elizabeth Johnson's daughter, cancer

Ida Wright, health issues

Courtney Middleton, health concerns

David St. John, mass on kidney

Pastor Ian McManamey, utilizing cochlear implant

Sherry "Penny" Martin, Jean Deaner's niece, recent stroke

June Coffey, blockage in carotid artery causing reduced vision in right eye

Shirley Tweedy, recuperating from recent fall

Macon Clements, wound therapy for knee

Trustyn Love, youth, healing from foot surgery

John "Rocky" Ruffin, friend of Barnes family, diagnosed w/ throat cancer

Laura Simpson, health concerns

Peggy Pugh, recent epidural, continued pain in leg

Jerry Zengler, George Barth's brother-in-law, complications after heart surgery

Pauline Finn, Malcolm Roberts' sister, kidney/bladder surgery

Edith Barley, Butch Barley's mother, heart issues

Chelaine Carlton, Ken and Melody's daughter in law, recovering from lower back surgery

Mary St. John, kidney issues

Cindy Hammond, Melody Carlton's sister, at Carillion for health issues

Jeff Terry, Brenda Terry's son, fell and broke jaw

Ronnie Parker, knee replacement surgery 4/7

Ken Carlton, pinched nerve causing leg pain

Amanda Pitts, Nora Saunders' granddaughter, surgery at UVA 4/14

Betty Burton, Nancy Barnes' aunt, brain tumor

Manie Wilkinson, Ben Wilkinson's mother, broken femur after a fall

Prayer for salvation request list: S.C. and J.C.

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

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.