



## Minister's Moment

As I write this we're in the middle of Vacation Bible School, and we are having a great time on the Rolling River Rampage! There's a good group of young 'uns coming every night, and they're having a big time with a Bible story, singing, making things, snacks, and a little recreation. A big thank you to all who have stepped up to help make it a special week.

Next, in case you haven't noticed, we're missing the shelf in the narthex (the churchy term for the room just outside the sanctuary). It used to be beside the water fountain, but it's gone! The reason is the elevator installers have cut out what used to be the wall behind the shelf. That will be the upstairs access to the elevator. We're told that the elevator itself should be arriving in July. If you want to get a peek at what's going on, go in the room downstairs across from the bottom of the stairs that come down from the narthex.

The next project is new nurseries! Work should begin soon in what used to be the handbell room and the southeast corner Sunday School room. They may not be completed in time for the anniversary, but everyone will be able to see work in progress.

Because this "plan B" will create vacancies in the current nurseries, the Facilities Implementation Team is considering using those rooms as our new youth rooms. This means we would not upgrade the annex, leaving it for storage and for use by Preston's Fine Bluegrass Group (not their official name, but I think it has a good ring to it). That in turn means we might not need to purchase an additional storage building. Let me or Ann or a member of the team know what you think about that idea.

Once we knock down those dominos we get to the sanctuary video screen or screens/camera/connection to the gathering area, fellowship hall and nursery. We've received two bids for this big project, both coming in at around \$14,000. All we need is the money! The team is working on a way to carve that amount into smaller pieces, which we can give. We would then keep track of those gifts until we arrive at the total we need. Stay tuned for more info. And many, many thanks for your generous gifts to date for our improvement projects.

Speaking of our 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary, plans are looking good for the weekend of September 7-9. We will begin with dinner in the fellowship hall on Friday night. We have a confirmation that Mark and LeAnne Benson will be with us, and we are waiting to hear from other possible special guests. That evening we will "look back" at our history and have fun reminiscing. Tickets will go on sale soon.

Saturday we will have an open house from 2-4, where you will get to take a ride in the elevator(!), tour our facilities, and learn about our mission work. So that day we will highlight "looking at the present."

Sunday will be a particularly special day. The theme for the day is "looking ahead." However, we will begin with a bit of step back. Most of you know that TCC began its life with weekly worship in the Brookville High School auditorium. Well, we're headed back there for worship on the 9<sup>th</sup>! We will gather there at 10:30am, hear from our Transitional Regional Minister and TCC member Coretha Loughridge, and then gather back at "our place" for lunch.

So, exciting times are upon us and ahead! Stay tuned, and I look forward to seeing you soon.

**Bob**

## Our Mission

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To grow and share our relationship with God through Christ

## Our Vision

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Reflecting the love of God through welcome, worship, and witness

## Our Core Values

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Welcoming  
Companionship  
Growth  
Respect  
Caring

## Our Bedrock Beliefs

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Open Communion  
No Creed but Christ  
Spiritual Environment  
Service  
Love God/Love Neighbor

## Our Staff

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Rev. Dr. Robert E. Mooty,  
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Rev. Ann B. Shepherd, Dir. Of  
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*ann@tccdoc.org*  
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Mari W. Smallshaw,  
Handbell Director  
Melinda Floyd, Secretary  
*tcc@tccdoc.org*  
Dale Maddox, Custodian  
Kim Garrett, Nursery Attendant  
Aubrey Boas, Nursey Attendant  
Rev. Dr. John W. Johnson,  
Minster Emeritus

## Office Hours

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Melinda—Monday: 8:30am-12pm  
Tuesday: 8:30am-11am  
Thursday: 8:30am-1:30pm  
Friday: 8:30am-12:30pm  
Bob—Monday to Friday,  
9am to 12pm  
Ann—Monday to Thursday,  
9:15am- 12pm  
1pm-2:45pm



Tap. Give. Done.

### A Whole New Way to Donate to TCC!

At their June meeting, the Administration/Finance Committee decided it was time to add mobile giving as another way for people to donate to Timberlake Christian Church. So, we set up a Givelify account and we are READY TO ROLL! Making mobile donations is simple....just download the app, set up your profile, make your first donation, and everything is saved on your phone for the future! You can even specify where you want your donation to go (Capital Campaign, General Fund, 50th Anniversary, Youth, etc.). Having this resource available will allow us to receive donations in a whole new way by being able to take credit cards. Don't worry, we aren't getting rid of the traditional ways to give to the church, just adding another way for people (like Ann) who rarely carry cash or checks. If you have any questions, need help with the app, or would like more information, Ann is happy to help!

### Prayer List

*The following people have been on our prayer list since the last newsletter:*

Mamie Bolton, Becky Rosser's sister; Barb & Lynn Franz; Wanda Garner; Barbara Hoff, friend of Nancy Jamerson; Carrie Shafer, friend of Nancy Jamerson; Ashley Taylor and family, friend of Cathy Truxell; Lauren Tiller.

Congratulations to Kaitlin Falinski on the birth of Kaden Marshall on June 11. Proud grandmother is Kim Falinski, and proud great-grandmother is Sis Marshall.

Our sympathy is extended to the families of John Baughn, grandfather of Johnny Shelton, Mike & Stephanie Staton's son-in-law and J.B. Buckland, high school classmate of Bill Richardson.






### Trying a New Sunday Morning Schedule in August

At TCC, we are always striving to do what we can to be as welcoming as we can be, so we are going to try an experiment. During the month of August, we are going to try a new Sunday morning schedule to see what we and others think about it. So, please note the new schedule and watch the September newsletter to see if we are going back to the old schedule, continuing the experiment, or making the change permanent in September.

- 8:30am Bethany Class
- 9:30am Early Worship
- 10:00am Friendship Class
- 10:30am Fellowship Time (with snacks)
- 11am Traditional Worship

## How To Make Your First Givelify Donation

- 1 Download the free Givelify app  
 
- 2 Locate our Place of Worship
- 3 Tap My Place of Worship
- 4 Tap the Give button
- 5 Tap an amount
- 6 Select an envelope
- 7 Tap Give Now
- 8 Create your account
- 9 Enter payment information
- ➔ Next time you use Givelify, save time with the  button

Please leave this slip here to help spread the word.



## 50th Anniversary Ornaments are Here!

Our beautiful, one of a kind, ornaments are here! If you preordered one or more, you can pick up your ornament at the 50th Anniversary table in the Gathering Area. We also have extra that are available for purchase at the same table! Only 100 have been made, so get them quick!

**Each ornament is \$8**

## 50th Anniversary Shirts and Hats are Available!



In addition to the ornaments, we are also offering 50th Anniversary shirts and hats! And you have choices! You can order polo shirts, t-shirts, hats, vests, oxford shirts, denim shirts, and even shirts for toddlers and onesies for babies! Each item is priced based on size. [Download the order form](#) and return it any Sunday in July to the 50th Anniversary Table in the Gathering Area or mail it, along with payment, to the church office. You can also order your items on Sundays in July by talking to the planning team member at the table. All items will be delivered in August.



## Greeters Training

Bob and Ann will be offering training for people for volunteer to greet people before the 8:45am and 11am service. We will offer 2 opportunities to attend training for each service.

### Early Service Greeter Training

July 1 at 9:45am  
July 15 at 9:45am

### 11am Service Greeter Training

July 15 at 10:30am  
July 22 at 10:30am

Each greeter only needs to attend one training.  
More information will be coming out soon.



More and more plans are in place for our 50th Anniversary Celebration! We hope you can be there!

Friday, Sept 7 at 6:30pm  
Catered Dinner & Remembering our first 50 years  
\$15/adult (13+), \$8/child (5-12), children under 5 free

Saturday, Sept 8 from 2pm to 4pm  
Open House! Come see our facilities and learn more about our current ministries. Plus, we will have a Bounce House!

Sunday, Sept 9 at 10:30am  
50th Anniversary Worship Service at Brookville High School Auditorium

Sunday, Sept 9 at 12pm  
Catered Lunch in the TCC Fellowship Hall  
\$10/adult (13+), \$5/child (5-12), children under 5 free

Tickets can be purchased at [tccdoc50th.eventbrite.com](http://tccdoc50th.eventbrite.com), by printing and mailing in the order form, with a check, to the church office, or at the 50th Anniversary Table in the Fellowship Hall during the month of August.

## DON'T MISS OUT ON THE FUN!



All Church Picnic!  
Sunday, July 15  
5pm

We will have hot dogs and hamburgers and we are asking that people please bring side dishes, desserts, and drinks. We will have activities for adults, as well as a bounce house (maybe even a water slide) for the kids! Sign up sheets are going around at both services! See you on July 15! Rain date on July 22.

Outdoor Movie Night  
Friday, July 27  
8pm

Come out for a great night at TCC! We will be watching (and singing along to) *The Greatest Showman*! We will start at 8pm so we can see the movie screen and will have popcorn and drinks available. Bring your blankets, pillows, chairs....whatever you need to feel comfortable. You can even wear your pajamas! If it rains, we will move into the Fellowship Hall. See you on July 27!



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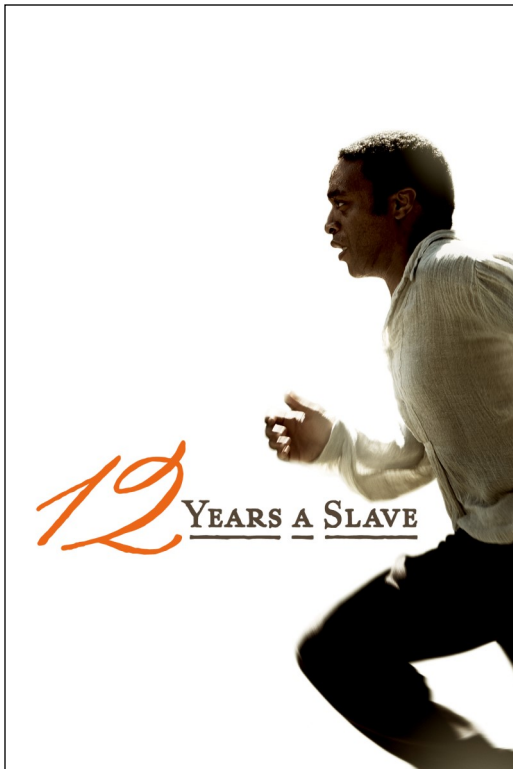
**12 Years a Slave Screening**  
**Sunday, July 22**  
**6pm**  
**Fellowship Hall**

(rain date on July 29...if we have the All Church Picnic on July 22)

It has been said that “Until the lion learns how to write every story will glorify the hunter.” Historical accounts of the Civil War have been researched and claimed by many in the last 150 years. One “real time” account from that era has resurfaced recently and offers documentary detail and chilling confrontation of the glamor tales of the genteel and glorious south... and north.

*12 Years a Slave* recounts the author’s life story as a free black man from the North who was kidnapped and sold into slavery in the pre-Civil War South.

The son of an emancipated slave, Northup was born free. He lived, worked, and married in upstate New York, where his family resided. He was a multifaceted laborer and also an accomplished violin player. In 1841, two con men offered him lucrative work playing fiddle in a circus, so he traveled with them to Washington, D.C., where he was drugged, kidnapped, and subsequently sold as a slave into the Red River region of Louisiana. For the next twelve years he survived as the human property of several different slave masters, with the bulk of his bondage lived under the cruel ownership of a southern planter named Edwin Epps. In January 1853, Northup was finally freed by Northern friends who came to his rescue. He returned home to his family in New York and there, with the help of editor David Wilson, wrote his account in *12 Years a Slave*.



For more information, please contact Ed Parrish.



## Back to School Shoe Drive

Helping Hands Clothes Closet is working on getting everything they need for "Back to School". TCC has been given the task of collecting shoes for children in Kindergarten through 12th grade. The shoes can be new or gently used. Please place them in the container in the Gathering Area. If you would rather donate money, please see Kaye Hartless or any of the Clothes Closet volunteers or place the money in the envelope on the container in the Gathering Area. Deadline for collecting shoes is July 15.

**thank you**  
for your time and interest  
in providing us feedback.

Thank you to every member who took the time to complete a staff survey for the Personnel Committee. We received 59 surveys; 22 with written comments. The information is extremely helpful as we try to be loving and supportive of our staff as they execute their duties for TCC. Overall, the surveys were very positive, comments were detailed and criticism was constructive. We are reviewing the details now and plan to spend our next meeting on Thursday, July 21st, taking a fresh look at our ministers' job descriptions. If you have any questions or more input for the committee, please contact any one of the committee members: Chair-Richard Jones, member- Nancy Kendrick, Joyce Mays, Elsie Lemke, Hazel Palmer, and Silver Jones.

## July Serving Schedule

### 8:45 Service

Date	Worship Leader	Elder	Scripture	Greeter	Children's Moment	Power Point	Refreshment	Childrens Worship & Wonder
7/1	Jonathan Sledge	Harold Thompson	VBS Kids	VBS Kids	VBS Kids	Justice Haskins	Clyde Smith	No Cw&W
7/8	Sarah Jones	Stephanie Staton				Jenna Jones	Richard Jones	Resa Payne , Willa Coe
7/15	Christi Horning	Jonathan Sledge				Andrew Jones		Richard Pulley, Kirk Shepherd
7/22	Stacey Jones	Rick Coe				Anna Samples		Ashlee Hick
7/29	Don Gleason	Jean Gleason				Grace Supernaw		Rachel Sledge

### 11:00 Service

Date	Deacon	Elder	Greeter	Scripture Reader
7/1	Kirk Shepherd, Alfred Maddox Al & Nancy Kendrick	Resa Payne, Richard Pulley	Mike Gogan & Woodrow Mullins	Dawn Rezai
7/8	Kent & Cathy Truxell Nancy Jamerson, Elsie Lemke	Jean Gleason Scott Oliver	Nancy Jamerson & Lynn Maddox	Scott Oliver
7/15	JD May, Anna Sample Woodrow & Betty Mullins	Richard Pulley Jane Anderson	Elsie Lemke & Kay Green	Preston Davis
7/22	Carroll Amiss, Sis Marshall Bill & Brenda Richardson	Scott Oliver Resa Payne	Joyce Smith & Lorrie Sarver	Ed Parrish
7/29	Fred & Kathy Englund Kirk Shepherd, Alfred Maddox	Jane Anderson Harold Thompson	Albert & Nancy Kendrick	Elsie Lemke

## New Members:

Jessie & Sheri Lynch joined June 3rd.

Address: 682 Leesville Road, Lynchburg, VA 24502.

Jessie c: 665-3580

Sheri c: 665-6404



## Youth News

Ann, Jenna Jones, JD May, and Mackenzie Mays are heading to Christmount for a week long mission trip, working with the Asheville Youth Mission, leaving Sunday, July 8 and returning Friday, July 13.

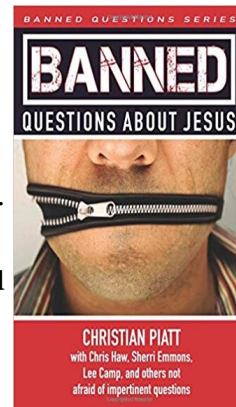
## We Heard From...

Leon & Sue Coffey, brother-in-law and sister of Lois Whitehurst, who say, "Thank you for the nice memorial service for our sister. Give a special thanks to the ladies of the church for such an eloquent and delicious table of food. May God continue to bless your church."

## 5 Week Young Adult Study in July

July 1, 8, 15, 22, and 29  
10am in a room downstairs to be determined.

Richard Jones will be leading a 5 week discussion for Young Adults (20s, 30, 40s....ish) around the book "Banned Questions About Jesus" by Christian Piatt. It will be pub-style discussion about questions, mostly unanswered, about Jesus' life...but they are really unanswered questions about our lives. This is not traditional "Sunday School". For more information, contact Richard Jones.



Thank you so much to all the amazing people who helped with Vacation Bible School! We had quite a ride on the Rolling River Rampage!

- Ayla Dooley—Recreation
- Ashlee Hicks—Science
- Jenny Horton—Music
- Karla Jones—helping with snacks
- Ryan Knott—Amazing set pieces
- Eva Loos—Recreation
- Wesleigh Loos—Recreation
- Jackie Maddox—helping with preschoolers
- Lynn Maddox—crafts
- Bev Maslow—helping with preschoolers
- Katie Mays—helping with preschoolers and the puppet
- Bob Mooty—Paddle Captain and adult leader
- Ed Parrish—Bible Time
- Jane Parrish—helping with the preschoolers & snack
- Virginia Pulley—helping with snack and set up
- Glenda Thompson—helping with the older kids
- Harold Thompson—recreation
- Grandkids—recreation
- Rachel Sledge—helping with the older kids
- Grace Supernaw—helping with the preschoolers and the puppet

### Need a ride to Church

If you do not have transportation to church we would like to offer you a ride. Please call the church office and let us know.



## MEN'S GROUP

Reminder  
Monthly Breakfast  
July 14, 2018,  
8:00am  
Country Cookin'  
on Timberlake Road

All men are invited to attend and be part of future service project for our church and the community.

TEAM Food  
Pantry Needs



**Jelly, crackers, oatmeal, pancake mix, syrup, dried beans, Tuna Helper, Hamburger Helper, dried potatoes, spaghetti sauce**

*Thank you for your support!*

*Timberlake scheduled for week of July 23*

# July 2018

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1 8:45am Worship 9:45am Greeter Training 10am Sun. Sch. 11am Worship 12:15 Memorials	2	3	4	5	6 Daily Bread	7
8 8:45am Worship 10am Sun. Sch. 11am Worship	9	10 7pm Bluegrass	11	12	13	14 Men's Breakfast at Country Cookin 8am
Youth Mission trip to Christmount					Youth return from Mission Trip	
15 8:45am Worship 9:45am Greeter Training 10am Sun. Sch. 10:30am Greeter Training 11am Worship 5pm All Church Picnic	16 Gateway—Poultry	17 7pm Bluegrass	18	19 6:30 Personnel Mtg	20 Daily Bread	21
22 8:45am Worship 10am Sun. Sch. 10:30am Greeter Training 11am Worship 6pm 12 Years a Slave Screening	23	24 7pm Bluegrass	25	26	27 8pm Outdoor Movie	28
29 8:45am Worship 10am Sun. Sch. 11am Worship 12:15pm Facilities Team 7pm Board	30	31 7pm Bluegrass				



1 William Kidd  
5 David Johnson  
6 Hossein Rezai  
6 Elsie Lemke  
7 Don Gleason  
8 Beth Anne Childress Bort  
11 Ken BeCraft  
11 Rita Hartless  
12 Pam Wade  
13 Cynthia Hill Matheson

15 Ethan Galliher  
19 Sandra Hudson  
20 Tina BeCraft  
21 Daniel Maddox  
21 Ryan Knott  
24 Jennifer Layne  
26 Sis Marshall  
27 Benjamin Johnson  
28 Paul Jones  
28 Marianne Scholes  
29 Joe Lindsoe  
31 Jamie Hartless



1 Resa & Gary Payne (1990)  
10 Scott & Laurie Oliver (2010)  
25 Chris & Ruth Foley

## Miracle Jars

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First two Sundays in July we will be collecting for Kids Haven. The third and fourth Sunday we will collect for WMG Pearson Center Snack Ministry.

June we raised \$176.00 for Brookville/Timberlake Volunteer Fire Department and \$161.00 for Campbell County Rescue Squad..

## Capital Facilities Campaign balance as of June 24

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Pledged - \$ 89,735.00  
Received - \$ 69,140.00

## Scripture Readings and Sermon Texts for July

sermon texts are underlined

- 1 - VBS Sunday - 2 Samuel 1.1, 17-27, Psalm 130, 2 Corinthians 8.7-15, Mark 5.21-43 - VBS celebration
- 8 - 2 Samuel 5.1-5, 9-10, Psalm 48, 2 Corinthians 12.2-10, Mark 6.1-3 - *We can travel light.*
- 15 - 2 Samuel 6.1-5, 12b-19, Psalm 24, Ephesians 1.3-14, Mark 6.14-29 - Mission Trip Report
- 22 - 2 Samuel 7.1-14a, Psalm 89.20-37, Ephesians 2.11-22, Mark 6.30-34, 53-56 - *We need time away.*
- 29 - 2 Samuel 11.1-15, Psalm 14, Ephesians 3.14-21, John 6.1-21 - *Jesus cares for us.*

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