

May Memorial Baptist Church



*May 30, 2021
11:00 a.m.*

This is the House of God, All Are Welcome!

The Community Gathers for Worship

Prelude

Voluntary in D Major

Peter Edison

Marc Antione Charpentier

Greeting and Announcements

Michael Edwards

Memorial Day Remembrance

Let us begin our time of worship with a moment of remembrance.

**We remember fallen soldiers,
and the sacrifice they made for the sake of others.**

Let us begin our time of worship with a moment of thanksgiving.

**We thank God for brave men and women who
have given their lives so that we may worship without fear.**

Let us begin our time of worship with a moment of silence;
for a moment is the least we can do for those that gave their lives.

(Silence, followed by the playing to Taps)

Let us Pray:

God of every nation, as we remember those that gave their life for our sake, let us be stirred to action in their memory. We confess that we have not done all that is possible to promote peace and justice in our world. We have not loved our neighbors, let alone our enemies. Forgive us for failing to live up to your commandments. Empower us to work for your Kingdom in this world, and welcome us by your grace into your Kingdom in the next. Amen.

* Hymn of Praise No. 630

America the Beautiful

Samuel Ward

* Invocation

Michael Edwards

The Community Proclaims and Hears God's Word

Children's Sermon

Ashley Edwards

(As *Jesus Love Me* is sung, the children will come down to the front. After the sermon they will follow Ashley to Extended Session.)

Prayer of the People

Sharing of Prayer Concerns and Words of Celebration

Silent Prayer

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

Michael Edwards

* Hymn

O Living God

Ken Bible

1. O Liv-ing God, I long to see You Lift-ed up in all Your
2. O Liv-ing God, I long to praise You Heart and voice, with all cre-
3. O Liv-ing God, I soon will see You Face to face, in all Your

glo-ry; To see You there in ho-ly beau-ty.
a-tion; To wor-ship You for ten-der mer-cy.
glo-ry. I'll wor-ship You in end-less won-der.

O Lord, Al-might-y God, Liv-ing Christ, I love You.
O Lord, Al-might-y God, Liv-ing Christ, I love You.
O Lord, Al-might-y God, Liv-ing Christ, I love You.

Giving of our Tithes and Offerings

* Offertory Prayer

Bill Karnolt

Giving of Tithes and Offering

* *Doxology No. 253*

Hebrew Scripture Reading

Michael Edwards

Isaiah 6:1-8

Choir Anthem

The Battle Hymn of the Republic

Julia Ward Howe

Sermon

Michael Edwards

Woe is Me

The Community Responds to God's Word

* Hymn of Response No. 585

Tell It Out with Gladness

Georgia Harkness

During the Hymn of Response, we invite you to publicly profess your belief in Jesus Christ. If you have not made a profession of faith, we invite you to do so and receive believer's baptism. You may also respond by moving your membership to this church on a promise of a letter, or you may respond by re-dedicating yourself to Christ. The pastor will be available for prayer and consultation and would welcome your response.

The Community Departs for Ministry

* Benediction

Michael Edwards

* Postlude

Peter Edison

Rondo

John Bull

* Please stand as you are able.

Sanctuary Flowers

*The flowers are placed by Mary Ellen Balarzs in honor
and memory of our veterans and military personnel.*

KOINONIA SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS Regathering! - Sunday School will resume for the Koinonia Class on Sunday, June 6, 9:45 AM in the adult classroom behind the sanctuary. We will begin the study of Daniel "Faith Under Fire". Copies of this study are available in the classroom. We welcome ALL who would like to attend. There are 4 teachers who rotate teaching the lesson, each style of presentation very unique. For more information, please contact Juston Sanudo (804-393-0235).

Church Quarterly Business Meeting – Wednesday, June 9, at 6:30 p.m. in the Sanctuary.

Graduate Recognition Sunday will be June 13th - Please email or call the church office with your graduate's information at maymem@verizon.net or (804) 598-3098.

Save the date: Family Pool Party – June 26th, more information coming soon.

This Week at May Memorial

Sunday, May 30

9:15 a.m. Zoom Sunday School

11:00 a.m. Worship, Extended Session

Wednesday, June 2

5:00 p.m. Choir Practice

Saturday, June 5

9:30 a.m. Food Pantry Ministry

Michael Edwards, Pastor (804) 922-0101

Peter Edison, Organist

Ashley Edwards, Minister of Youth/Children

Trish Hutchinson, Financial Secretary

Diana Schmitz, Church Secretary

Andrew Snead, Minister of Music