

Welcome to May Memorial Baptist Church!

May Memorial is a wonderful church family that provides opportunities for people of all ages to nurture their faith and pursue their faith story through worship, Sunday School, youth (6th through 12th grade) and children's (infants through 5th grade) programs, adult choir, mission groups, and Bible study.

The Sunday worship schedule and weekly events are printed in the bulletin. If this is your first visit or you are a returning guest, we welcome you!

Restrooms are located through the doors beside the organ. Once in the hall, go down the steps to the right and the bathrooms will be directly in front of you. A water fountain is available in the hallway behind the sanctuary. Ushers are nearby to provide any assistance or information you may need. The pastor would like to meet you following the service. He will be at the door in the Narthex.

At May Memorial, we welcome children of all ages to worship with their families. There is a nursery available for children who are 4 and under. All of our friendly nursery volunteers are fully background-checked. The nursery is located behind the sanctuary through the doors behind the organ. Children who are in Kindergarten and up are encouraged to stay with their families to participate in community worship. Children's activity bags with coloring and puzzles are available in the narthex and outside of the office across from the nursery.

Thank you for choosing to worship with us today. We pray God's blessing on you and your family.

Welcome to our Guests!

So that we can get to know you as you get to know us, please complete the following and place it in the offering plate later in worship.

Guest Information

Name(s): _____

Address: _____

Phone(s): _____

E-mail: _____

Age Group(s): 13-18 19-25 26-35 36-45 46-55 56-65 65+

Our Staff:

Michael Edwards

Pastor

Carlisle Davidhizar

Associate Pastor

Stuart Joerg

Organist/Interim Director of Music

Sandra Parker

Pianist and Choral Accompanist

Diana Schmitz

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Announcements:

Youth Group Fall Retreat...The youth will attend CBF of Virginia's Fall Retreat from November 11-13th. The trip is at Eagle Eyrie. See Carlisle for more information.

Men's Breakfast—is this coming Thursday at County Seat at 8:30 a.m.

Rachael Circle Brunch and Meeting - On Saturday, November 12, The WMU Rachael Circle will meet at Capitol Ale House in Midlothian for brunch at 10:00 a.m. All Ladies are invited to join. We will also have a meeting with our main discussion being the Christmas Mother project.

BGAV—The Baptist General Association of Virginia is having the annual meeting November 14-16 in Hampton. This is an exciting gathering of Baptist Christians for worship, fellowship, celebration, and education. This event is open to any who would like to attend, and May Memorial is eligible to send 15 messengers. If you would like to go, especially as a messenger representing our church, let Pastor Michael know. You can learn more about this meeting by going to meeting.bgav.org.

Thanksgiving and Christmas

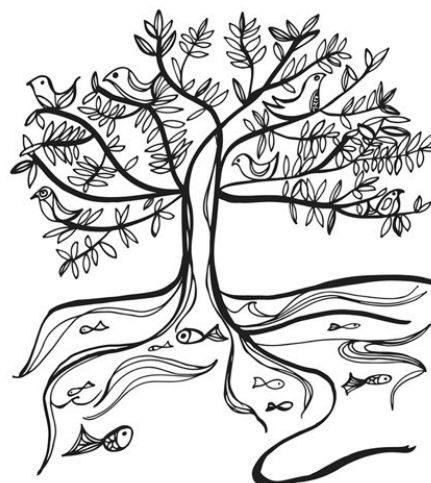
The Community Thanksgiving Service will be on Sunday, November 20 at May Memorial at 5:00 p.m. Father David Arnold will be preaching and there will be musicians from Unity Community Church, Mount Zion Baptist Church and St. Cyprians Orthodox Church.

Thanksgiving Complete Meal Flyers are available on the newsstand in the Commons Area.

Tickets for the COPC Christmas Tour - Tickets will be sold at May Memorial in the Commons Area on Saturday, December 3 from 9-5.

The Choir Cantata will be on December 11 during worship. The Children's Christmas Pageant will be that evening at 4 with a reception following.

Church-Wide Christmas Party at the Edwards—Sunday December 18th from 5 to 7 pm.



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ALL SAINTS' SUNDAY

Sunday, November 6, 2022

11:00 a.m.

This is the House of God, All Are Welcome!

The Community Gathers for Worship

Prelude Sandra Parker and Stuart Joerg

Welcome and Announcements Michael Edwards

* Call to Worship

We remember, O God...
**The countless saints of history
who have blazed a trail of courage through time,**

We remember, O God...
**The tender touch of loved ones,
the example of heroes,
the healing words of comforters,
the remarkable acts of fearless ones.**

We remember, O God...
**The gentle strength of grandmothers,
the loyalty of friends,
the kindness of strangers,
the joy of children,
the sacrifice of parents.**

We remember, O God...
**The supreme love of Jesus,
the blessing of his Spirit,
the reminder of his words,
the sharing of his suffering,
the glory of his resurrection:
shown forth in the lives of his disciples,
young and old,
dead and living,
articulate and silent,
strange and familiar,
brilliant and ordinary.**

We remember in every time and place the saints of God
who have shown us the Lord.

*Since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses...
let us worship God with joy!*

* Hymn of Praise No. 355 SINE NOMINE
For All the Saints

* Invocation Carlisle Davidhizar

The Community Proclaims and Hears God's Word

Children's Sermon Carlisle Davidhizar

(As *Jesus Loves Me* is sung, the children will come down to the front for the children's sermon. After the children's sermon, they are invited to sit with their families and participate in worship with their children's bulletins.)

Prayer for All Saints Day

Faithful God... **We remember and praise You for Your saints.**

**Dwight Atkins
Diana Brown
Rae Copeland
Janice Hudgins**

**Paul Lindsey
Helen Mason
Francis Shelton
Dot Wilkins**

* Hymn No. 518 HANSON PLACE
Shall We Gather at the River

Worship in Stewardship
Offertory Prayer Jeanan Krueger
Giving of Tithes and Offering
* **Doxology** No. 253 OLD 100TH (ALTERED)

Gospel Reading Annie Sparrow
Luke 20:27-40

Anthem Adult Choir
Celtic Laud (Sophie Edwards, Violin)

Sermon Michael Edwards
On Our Sidewalk

The Community Responds to God's Word

* Response Hymn No. 524 MARCHING TO ZION
We're Marching to Zion

Celebration of the Lord's Supper
Invitation to the Table
Words of Institution
Prayer (Ending with the Lord's Prayer)
Sharing of the Bread and Cup

The Community Departs for Ministry

* Benediction Michael Edwards

* Congregational Response
Blest Be the Tie

* Postlude Stuart Joerg

* Please stand as you are able.

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This Week at May Memorial

Sunday, November 6

9:45 a.m. Sunday School
11:00 a.m. Worship
3:00 p.m. Deacons Meeting
5:30 p.m. Youth Soul Food

Monday, November 7

9:30 a.m. Powhatan Women's Club

Tuesday, November 8

10:00 a.m. Ladies Bible Study
10:00 a.m. Just Kids Open
7:00 p.m. Backpacks of Love

Wednesday, November 9

9:30 a.m. Food Pantry Team
3:30 p.m. Kingdom Kids
5:00 p.m. Church Meal
5:45 p.m. Bible Study
5:45 p.m. Handbells
6:30 p.m. Adult Choir

Thursday, November 10

8:30 a.m. Men's Breakfast
10:00 a.m. Just Kids Open
10:00 a.m. Alzheimer's
Caregiver Support
Group

Friday, November 11

Youth Fall Retreat

Saturday, November 12

10:00 a.m. Just Kids Open
10:00 a.m. Rachael Circle
Brunch off-site

Wednesday Night Dinner - November 9

**Chicken a la King with Puff Pastry, Fall Apple Salad, Hot Fudge
Chocolate Pudding Cake**

\$6 Adult/\$4 Child, \$20 Family Maximum
Pay at the meal with cash, check, or Venmo.

Name: _____ # Adults ____ # Children ____