

The Word

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UNIVERSITY BAPTIST CHURCH

CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA

SERVICE OF HOLY WORSHIP

June 2, 2013 11:00 am

Sermon:

"The Gospel of Grace" Dr. Michael Cheuk

Scripture:

Galatians 1:1-12

Anthem:

In Remembrance—Red

Deacons: Don Long, Barbara Phipps, Mike Smith, Elson Johnson, Jackie Lockwood, Donna Marshall, W.C. Keith, Pam Johnson, Jim Moore

Nursery Workers: Aimee Marshall, Anne Smith, Ellen Woodson, Katherine Wagoner

Children's Church: Katherine Hamel, Tavaneh Brown

Ushers for June: Bryan Parsons, Shirley Clark, Jim Mann, Shelley Miller

On-call Nurse: Lynne Gardner

UBC Bereavement Ministry

As one of the components of UBC's Circle of Caring, initiated by the Deacons a couple of years ago, the Bereavement Team served its first bereaved family in May 2012. Our first team leader, Elva Ferguson, and husband Wayne took our first Bereavement Basket to



this family. The Basket has become our symbol of caring at a difficult time for our bereaved families. It contains a variety of practical gifts — paper goods, plastic utensils, tea bags, coffee, notebooks and pens, kleenex, toilet paper, trash can liners, etc. — items that the household might need with extra guests arriving suddenly. The notebooks, for example, are helpful in recording phone messages and visitors to the home, as well as flowers, food, and other gifts that are brought or delivered, and are very helpful when the time comes to write thank-you notes.

After I became team leader in November of last fall, UBC families have experienced six deaths in six months and we have delivered nine Bereavement Baskets (multi-generational situations may require an extra basket). We have also offered (and provided as requested) house-sitting during visitations and funerals while all family members are occupied elsewhere; and we have attempted to be good listeners/shoulders to cry on as the need arises. While we decided at the outset to not be responsible for receptions *per se*, but are willing to assist family members in contacting others who may help in this or other ways. We work closely with UBC staff, deacons, and funeral homes as needed.

Each situation is different; each family has its own traditions, ways of handling grief, and time tables. Indeed, sometimes support is needed just as much or more AFTER the funeral than before. We always try to call before we visit the home, giving the bereaved a choice at a time when so much is not under their control. Recently our team (currently there are twelve of us) decided that each of us will choose a bereaved family for ongoing contacts and support for at least one year following the death of their loved one. The first anniversary of the death is an important event for the bereaved, and most hope that others will remember with them, call their loved one by name, and otherwise acknowledge that their loved one lived and mattered.

Please let us_know if you would be willing to join our team.

~Margie Howell, 974-9314

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Oh, Jonah! — Genesis Choir Musical Wednesday, May 29, 6:15 p.m.

Oh Jonah! is meant to be a whale of a good time for both performers and audience as the story of the prophet Jonah is brought to life with music, mime, and merry-making by our children's choir. It's more than just a story about a whale swallowing a human. It's a story about us. It's a tale involving responsibility, repentance, listening for the word of God in our lives, accepting people who are different

from us, and believing that there is mercy and compassion for all who turn toward God — serious thoughts, but told with a sense of humor and frolicking.

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CHANGE SERVICE REQUESTED



Sympathy

Christian sympathy is extended to Robby Gough and family at the death of his mother.

Summer Adult Sunday Bible Study June 2 — August 25

Combined Adult Classes

Variety of discussion leaders "Story of the Bible" DVD series by Luke Timothy Johnson **Room 117**

Joyful Servants Class

Pam Johnson Formations Literature Room G17

Kairos Class — David Wagoner "Parables of Jesus" Off Fellowship Hall

Youth Mission Trip Donations

On June 16th, ten members of our youth group will travel to Raleigh, N.C. for 5 days to be the hands and feet of Christ. As they prepare to serve the Raleigh community, you are invited you to assist them in their mission by making a financial contribution to the Youth Ministry. The cost of participation and travel is a large part of the youth budget and it is vital that this ministry opportunity be available to anyone who desires to serve. Be on the look-out for the youth to assist with serving dinner and waiting tables on the night of the Children's Musical as well as collecting any donations you may have after the church service on Sunday, June 2.

Special Guest: Bo Prosser



On Wednesday night, June 5, we will have our first Summer Potluck Fellowship Dinner beginning at 5:30. At 6:15 our guest speaker will be the Dr. Bo Prosser, CBF Coordinator of Missional

Congregations, based in Atlanta.

Bo Prosser is a dynamic, entertaining. and powerful motivator and humorist. He has a passion for sharing with all age groups through comedy, stories, and personal experience. Bo is particularly passionate about adult education and helping fellow CBF leaders reclaim their excitement and effectiveness.

> Vacation Bible School **Monday-Friday** June 17-21 9:00 a.m. to noon For kids who have

> > Music and

completed grades K-5. Come join us and bring a friend. To register, call the church office. To help, call Bob Badgett, 293-5106.

Music Camp at Eagle Eyrie

Worship Arts Camp July 15-19, for children and youth who have completed grades 4-12. College students may also apply for camp internship positions. Contact Alba Beasley <abeasley@universitybaptist.org> for more information.

CALENDAR

WEDNESDAY, May 29

- 5:00 Supper (Wayside Fried Chicken)
- Oh, Jonah! Children's Musical
- 7:00 Sanctuary Choir rehearsal

THURSDAY, May 30

10:30 Women's Prayer Group

FRIDAY, May 31

6:00 Softball, McIntire 2

SUNDAY, June 2

- 8:30 Church Council Meeting
- 9:30 Joyful Servants Bible Study Seekers Bible Study
- 9:45 Bible Study
- 11:00 Worship
- 5:30 Kittie Colvin Trail Circle
- 6:00 Youth Real Life @ Kegler's

TUESDAY, June 4

- 9:00 Painting Group
- 11:45 WMU Exec. counsel
 - 6:30 Prayer Shawl

WEDNESDAY, June 5

- 5:30 Summer Potluck Supper
- 6:15 Guest speaker Bo Prosser
- Sanctuary Choir rehearsal 7:00

Coming Attractions

Summer Fellowship Dinner (covered dish) Wednesday, June 5, 5:30 pm Special guest: Bo Prosser, CBF Missions

Church Picnic

Sunday, June 9, 3:00 pm at the Marshalls'

Youth Mission Trip to Raleigh, NC

June 16-21

Vacation Bible School

June 17-21, 9 am-Noon, register now

CBF General Assembly

June 26-28, Greensboro, NC

Who is on the stamp? Morning Work Crew Elson Johnson of the Wednesday

Give to CBF tornado relief: www.thefellowship.info/GiveNow?fund=17000