

SERVICES OF HOLY WORSHIP

January 21, 2018
11:00 am

Sermon:

"Focus on God"
Dr. Matthew Tennant

Scripture:

Psalms 62:5-12
Gospel Lesson: Mark 1:14-20

Anthem:

God is Our Refuge and Strength
— Pote

Deacons: *Debra Bryant, Anne Keith,
Diane Mundell, Jimmy Li, Johnny
Ellen, Raynell Stokes

Nursery Workers: Catherine Cooper,
Lindsay Marshall, Jen Bates

Children's Church: Amanda Ohlms,
Connor Marshall

Ushers for January: Ian Pallini,
Ed Barker, Melvin & Mildred Spicer,
Ron Tweel

Greeters: Charlotte Bailey, Peter Ohlms
Medical On Call: Sally Chewing

UBC Meeting the Needs of Refugees

Most of you are aware that UBC is partnered with Woodbrook Elementary, through Love INC, to provide school supplies for underprivileged students. What you may not know is that the Woodbrook family services workers occasionally contact our WMU (Woman's Missionary Union) with other more urgent needs.

Just before Christmas we were asked for help for two kindergarten students, a five year old girl and six year old boy (unrelated) both newly arrived from Honduras with only their fathers, and with only the clothes on their backs. With just a few emails to our elementary aged families, we were quickly able to collect clothing for the children and fathers, an air mattress, bedding, and towels.

One more example of UBC meeting needs in our community with things we would have discarded.

Honor Your Loved Ones with Sanctuary Flowers

There are three ways to reserve a date to donate a sanctuary arrangement in memory or honor of your loved ones: sign up on the Flower Calendar on the bulletin board in the first floor hallway, or contact Sarah Buchanan at 434-409-9064 or sarahbucha@gmail.com. An announcement of your choosing will be published in that Sunday's bulletin. The cost is \$45, and you may take them home or leave them to be repurposed by the floral committee.

The Word

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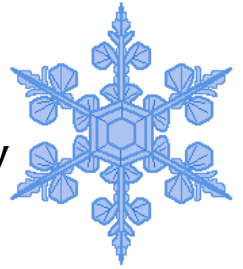
CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA

PACEM

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People And Congregations Engaged in Ministry

January 27 - February 9



PACEM is a collaboration of congregations in Charlottesville that provide shelter at night during the winter months for people who have nowhere else to sleep. For two weeks UBC will partner with the PACEM organization. We will open Fellowship Hall from 6:00 pm until 7:00 am for 45-50 homeless men to have dinner, take showers, socialize, and spend the night. This ministry requires a huge collective effort and many volunteer hours. We need YOU!

— Laura Morris, Jennifer Wagoner, and Katherine Hamel
Your PACEM People

Signup sheets are available for volunteers to select an area of service.

For more information or to volunteer, email Laura Morris at [morisx5@embarqmail.com](mailto:morrisx5@embarqmail.com).

WE ARE COLLECTING:

- \$5 gift cards to McDonald's, Wendy's, Subway, and CVS
- New or gently-used backpacks and duffle bags
- Boxes of NutriGrain bars
- Travel-size lotion

ALSO:

- Toothbrushes (individually wrapped)
- Toothpaste (small)
- Disposable razors
- Washcloths
- Peppermints
- Cough drops
- Men's underwear
- Adult coloring books
- Colored pencils
- Pencil sharpeners
- Small note pads

Please have all donations at the church by
4:00 pm on Sunday, January 21,
so we can assemble goody bags for the men.

Central Virginia Baptist Association Women's Retreat Ask, Praise, Bless

February 24, 2018

Time: 8:45-9:00 registration, coffee & pastries, etc

9:00 am—2 pm program

Location: Beaver Dam Baptist church

1794 Richmond Road, Troy, VA

RSVP: Jeanete McCloud

Email: cvbawomensministry@gmail.com

Cost: \$10 lunch provided, Childcare provided



Thank You! Thomas Hill

Thank you to Thomas Hill for all the years you have driven in from Gordonsville on Sunday mornings just to unlock the church.

Thomas is continuing as our weekday custodian and jack-of-all-trades, but is giving up the Sunday morning shift. Volunteers will take over that duty.

We appreciate everything you do! God bless you, Thomas!

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CHANGE SERVICE REQUESTED

Thank you

Thanks so much for the prayers, cards, and posts after my surgery. Special thanks to Matt for coming to the hospital and praying just before surgery. Many thanks to Michelle and Laura Faye for delicious meals. — Diane Woerner

Stewardship Pledges for 2018

We invite you to prayerfully consider turning in a Pledge Card if you have not already done so. You can send your card to the church office, put it in the offering plate on Sunday, call Sue Walton at the office, or email office@universitybaptist.org.

UBC Cancellation Policy

In the event of bad winter weather, announcements of any cancellations or changes in worship or church activities will be made on our local TV stations; Radio AM WINA 1070 and FM 98.9, ESPN AM 1450, FM WVTF 89.7, Z95.1, 3WV 97.5, and The Corner 106.1; and on the home page of our website. We will make an announcement usually no later than 8 am Sunday or 1 pm for Wednesday evening activities.



Help Us Feed the Hungry

The WMU will be collecting non-perishable food and cash donations for the Jefferson Area Branch of the Blue Ridge Food Bank in January. Collection boxes are located in the First Floor lobby and Fellowship Hall. Checks can be made to UBC and earmarked "Food Bank."

The Youth will be collecting money for Souper Bowl of Caring on Super Bowl Sunday, February 4.

PACEM Prep Day for Kids & Families

Saturday, January 20
 9:30 am in Fellowship Hall

Children of all ages and their parents are invited to a day of making cards, assembling gift bags and making baked goods for PACEM guests. Everyone is welcome!

Save the Date
 Mark Your Calendars Now
OIAM 2018
 Saturday, May 5, 8:00 a.m.

CALENDAR

THURSDAY, January 18

9:30 Pre-K Play Group

SATURDAY, January 20

9:30 PACEM Prep Day

SUNDAY, January 21

8:30 Finance Committee Meeting

9:00 Fellowship

9:30 Seekers Bible Study

9:45 Bible Study, ESOL Classes

11:00 Worship Service

6:00 Real Life

6:00 Jubilate

MONDAY, January 22

10:30 Bible Study at Rosewood

TUESDAY, January 23

9:00 UBC Work Team

9:00 Painting Group

10:15 Staff Meeting

6:30 Prayer Shawl

WEDNESDAY, January 24

5:00 Supper (BBQ & Hotdogs)

6:00 Prayer Time

6:00 Children's Mission Program

6:15 Church Conference

7:10 Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal

Venable Backpack Mission Program

Every week we pack 17 backpacks for the Venable School Backpack Program to help students who receive free lunch at school during the week, but don't have enough to eat at home over the weekends. That comes to:

- ◆ 34 shelf-stable individual milks
- ◆ 34 breakfast food items
- ◆ 68 lunch/dinner items
- ◆ 34 snacks
- ◆ 34 individual juice items

Your ongoing donations of food and money help us meet this need every week.

Collection boxes are located in the First Floor Lobby and in Fellowship Hall.

Easy meals: mac-n-cheese, ramen noodles, Cup-o-Noodles, canned soup, canned chicken, Chef Boyardee, etc.

- ◆ **Fruit:** applesauce, individual servings of peaches/pears/mixed fruit, raisins
- ◆ **Milk:** shelf-stable milk in individual servings (like Horizon or Organic Valley)
- ◆ **Juice:** juice boxes, Caprisun, or other juices in individual servings
- ◆ **Other foods:** individually-packaged breakfast items (cereal, protein bars, oatmeal, grits, etc.) and individually-packaged snacks (packs of sandwich crackers, Goldfish, pretzels, popcorn, granola bars, etc.).

Church Conference

Wednesday, January 24
 6:15 pm in Fellowship Hall



Worship Service on YouTube LIVE!

Soon, University Baptist Church will begin broadcasting the weekly worship service live on YouTube. As we make final preparations for this, we need your help:

Go to YouTube and search for "University Baptist Church." Then subscribe to our channel. When we have 100 subscribers, we will be eligible for a custom URL.