



The Voice Of MBC

"We loved you so much that we shared with you not only God's Good News but our own lives, too." 1 Thessalonians 2:8 (NLT)



HE Is Risen!

I Love Easter!

THEN, AS THEY WERE AFRAID AND BOWED THEIR FACES TO THE EARTH, THEY SAID TO THEM, "WHY DO YOU SEEK THE LIVING AMONG THE DEAD? 'HE IS NOT HERE, BUT IS RISEN! REMEMBER HOW HE SPOKE TO YOU WHEN HE WAS STILL IN GALILEE,

LUKE 24:5-6 NKJV



What an exciting season to live for Christ! We have some wonderful plans to kick off the Easter month to encourage and focus upon the Death and Resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ.

- 1) On Sunday April 3rd in the morning service we will dive in Zechariah's Easter Prophecy to kick off the month!
- 2) On April 10th (Palm Sunday) Pastor Stanley Goodwin and Evangelina Dosapati (Children's Leader) will take lead in the morning service. The Youth and Children's Easter Service! I know they will be such a Blessing!
- 3) On April 10th at 5pm we will have S.N.A.P. (Sunday Night At The Park). We will have a picnic here on the church campus for everyone to enjoy. We will have a giant Easter Egg Hunt and we are inviting the community to participate. The grill and smoker will be fired up cooking some wonderful food! We will also have lots of home cooked sides and desserts! There will be activities for all ages!
- 4) On Easter morning (7am) at Lowther's Hill Cemetery we will have our SON-Rise service!
- 5) AT 10:30am we will have a Special Easter Service. The front of the church we plan on having an "Empty" Tomb. We will have our Children's Message inside the Empty Tomb. Also many other Head Stones representing the Cemetery in Jerusalem at the time. Some graves were occupied and some were vacant.

Please join me in Prayer and invite your neighbor!

Pastor Darryl George

Services

Sunday

Bible Classes for all ages	9:30a
Morning Worship	10:30a
Prayer Closet	4:00p
Children's Groups	5:30p
Evening Worship & Study	5:30p

Wednesday

Chapel Worship Service	10:30a
Fellowship Meal	6:00p
Worship Service	6:30p

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 Evangelina Dosapati
 Administrative Assistant-
 Cyndi Rice

**"Trust In The Lord With
All Your Heart..."**

The CREW News

We are super excited to once again have Ms. Evangelina and our kids join us for our Annual Youth Day. Youth Day will be Sunday, April 10th. We will have Youth Day practice, Saturday, April 9th from 10:00am - 12:00pm. Please make plans to have your kids or youth at this practice if at all possible. We are looking forward to a wonderful day of worship!

As of now, The CREW has an extremely busy summer. We will begin the summer with what I believe to be an amazing opportunity for any young person looking to find out what being a missionary is all about and not have to leave the Darlington Community. Everyone seems to look forward to going to other states or leaving the country to share Christ with people when our own communities are riddled with poverty and full of lost people. Beginning June 12th and ending June 16th, The CREW alongside other youth and adults from MBC and surrounding churches will be participating in Communing Changers right here in Mechanicsville. This is an opportunity for our youth to worship God, help others, and witness to the people right here in their own community (Just a side note, Community Changers will be an overnight camp once again this year).

June 21st - June 28th The CREW will once again send a missionary group to Puerto Rico. Ten "CREW" members including Suzie and myself will be working with Youth For Christ Missionaries, Daniel and Laura Peal. While in Puerto Rico we will be doing small construction projects at the recently purchased camp, leading a Sports Camp in a local apartment complex, and doing house to house evangelism while passing out personal health care kits.

The CREW's Summer will also include VBS, Movie Night, bowling, skating, and possibly a trip to Atlanta. Please continue to pray for The CREW, Suzie, and myself. As you can see, we have a very full Summer Calendar.

*Please don't forget Sunday, April 10th is Youth Day! Although we will not have a lunch following, we are asking that if you are able to please support one of our Mission projects in Puerto Rico or Atlanta! Thank you!!

Love in Christ,
Pastor Stanley



The nursery is always looking for volunteers on Sunday mornings during the Sunday School and worship hour. Our nursery is open to children from birth to 2 ½ (30 months). If you feel led to help, please contact Elizabeth Gunter.

Thank you for your continued prayer and support!



OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

Thank you so much for the continuous support of this ministry. As we begin thinking of the 2022 OCC boxes, I would like to encourage you all to commit to purchasing some items for the boxes. As you are in stores over the next couple months, maybe pick up a stuffed animal, a car, a ball, or anything that catches your eye.

During this season any Easter Basket items are also GREAT for shoeboxes as well as summer toys such as beach balls, jump ropes, small cars, and flip flops! The goal this year is to have CHRISTMAS IN JULY and pack some boxes!



Encouragement for These Last Days

And behold, the veil of the temple was torn in two from top to bottom, and the earth shook and the rocks were split. Matt.27:51
Therefore brethren, since we have confidence to enter the holy of place by the Blood of Jesus, by a new and living way which He inaugurated for us through the veil that is His flesh...Heb.10:18-22a
How comforting it is for us who have been washed in the Blood of Jesus to be invited and welcomed in the holy presence of God; in His throne room! Invited to come and boldly make our requests known. To enter in with a heart tender and broken, to confess sin, to praise His Holy Name, to share our concerns and fears to the One who knows all things is encouraging. To enter in with brokenness, so burdened for the lost, the prodigals, for the ones who have lost their way and lay them on God's mercy seat, washed with our tears is such a great privilege. He is the One who can save them and draw them. He comforts us there in that throne room. And as we watch evil grow, deception spread and many fall away, we are strengthened there, in the throne room. And as we keep looking up, may we enter it all the more as we see the day growing near. Remember the Men in white that appeared at Jesus's ascent told the men of Galilee that He would come back the same way they saw Him go into Heaven. And remember also that there is laid up a Crown of Righteousness for all those who love His appearing! Take great comfort in that!

Rhonda Edgerton

Thank You For The Prayers and Gifts For Ukraine!

Your generous prayers and offerings have been Amazing! Thank you for praying for the many needs of the people of Ukraine. The evil of this horrific war has brought much suffering. Your Prayers and Gifts combined with many others provide encouragement and needed resources for the Chaplains, Soldiers, and Orphans.

Even as Paul reminds us in 2 Corinthians 9:11-15, "Your generosity will result in Thanksgiving to God ... because of the surpassing Grace God has given you. Thanks be to God for His indescribable gift!"

It is a Blessing to be a part of the family of God here at Mechanicsville and watch His Body shine Jesus' Light here at home and around the World!

Jane Gunter



**PRAY
FOR
UKRAINE**

\$8.00

A plate

Mechanicsville Baptist Church

Bar B Que Fund Raiser

April 8th-11am-7pm

843-393-1029 or 843-393-1077 (Fax)

Live & Silent
Auctions

Eat In (11am-7pm) / Take Out (11am-7pm) / Lunch Deliveries (11am-2pm)

***Dinner Buffet -Eat In Only (4pm-7pm)**

The Buffet will include Regular Menu items and additional Southern Side Items and Desserts!

Country Store & Bake Sale 11am-7pm

Featuring some local wood work items, quilts, lots of sweets, jellies, sauces and other treasures!

Silent Auction Open All Day

Live Auction Starting at 6pm

MBC Famous Cake Auction & Some very nice items!

Bar B Que

\$10

Per Pound

Menu:

Bar B Que/ Rice

Red Gravy / Liver Hash

Cole Slaw / Sweet Potatoes

Sweet Pickles / Bread / Cake

Sweet Tea

\$4.00

A Gallon

All the proceeds from the Fund Raiser will go towards the funding of the Renovation of the Playground here at MBC! We have decided to dedicate the New Playground to Pastor Frankie Tanner, for the 20+ years of service he has given to MBC and the community!

We will be sharing updates about this project very soon!

Make sure to follow us on FaceBook and check out our website:

www.mbcdarlington.com



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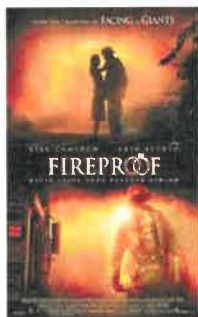
GRACE MOMENTS



Grace Moments met in March and were blessed with guest speakers from A Choice to Make Pregnancy Center, we showered them with baby items and had a great time! Our next meeting will be May 12! No meeting in April due to other church activities.



We will be starting adult small groups in the coming weeks and would love for you to join! There will be an informational "social" at The Cabin on Lide Springs Road, Friday April 15th starting at 5PM. This will be a family event, so please feel free to bring your kids along. We will be discussing plans, enjoying time together, and dinner will be provided. Please RSVP by April 8th using sign up on the sheet outside of the sanctuary, or text your name and how many from your family will be attending to (803) 730-8354. We are excited to see how God will be using this ministry to draw us closer to each other, and more importantly to Him!



For those of you interested in joining our adult small group ministry, we will be having a MOVIE NIGHT Friday May 6th starting at 6PM. We will be watching "Fireproof" in preparation for the Love Dare study. There will be childcare offered to include a kid-friendly movie time in the youth room upstairs. Please RVSP by April 29th using the sign-up sheet outside of the sanctuary, or text your name and how many from your family will be attending to (803) 730-8354.



Thank you for your continued prayers as we gear up for the fundraiser and purchase of our new playground equipment! Although we do not have one specific piece of equipment picked out, we have several options on different price levels that will accommodate many children of all different ages. We are excited about what God is doing in our church and we are trusting Him during this process. Thank you for your continued prayers and support!



If you have a child, or know of one, that is 2 ½ (30 months) through 5-year-old kindergarten, please bring them on Sunday mornings! The preschool Sunday school class is from 9:30-10:30 in the Classroom downstairs. Starting Sunday April 24th we will have a class for the preschoolers during the worship hour. This will be a fun time of learning and shaping the littlest hearts in our church. Please contact Cori McInville or Elizabeth Gunter with any questions.

Health Kits / Migrant Bags

- 1- Toothbrush
- 1-Toothpaste (6oz)
- 1-Soap (4.5 oz bath size)
- 1-Washcloth
- 1-Bath Towel
- 1-Comb

** Items should be placed in a 2-gallon zip lock bag**

Please turn in all kits to the office by May 8th. If you would like to make a donation and have the team purchase the items to make a kit for you please make sure you note- Health Kits on the envelope and bottom of your check!

If you have any questions please call the church office.

Thank you for supporting our local missions!

UPCOMING EVENTS

April 16th-



Starts @ 8am

May 1st SENIOR ADULT SUNDAY Starts @ 10:30am

May 22nd-



Starts @ 10:30am

HELP SPREAD THE WORD!
COMMUNITY CHANGERS
2022
JUNE 12-16
(Sunday-Thursday)
\$50

* Must have completed 6th grade to attend

Finding Jesus
Vacation Bible School
July 10th-14th



April



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Jimmy Bryant 843-858-1888	Stan Thompson 843-230-7118	John Bonnoitt 843-616-4386	Kacy Gunter 843-618-2441			
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3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Deacon Jimmy Bryant 9:30 Sunday School 10:30 Service 4pm-Prayer Time Pray & GO 5pm Run 4 God- 6:15pm		Fund Raiser Meeting @ 5:30pm			Fund Raiser 11am-7pm	Youth Day Practice 10am-Noon
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
Deacon Stan Thompson Youth Day Egg Hunt & Easter Celebration 5pm Palm Sunday	ISI 6:00pm MNM 6pm	Community Changers Meeting @ 5:30pm	6:00 Fellowship 6:30 Worship & Bible Study		Good Friday Social @The Cabin	 Grounds Clean up 8am
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
Deacon John Bonnoitt 7am-Son Rise Service 9:30 Sunday School 10:30 Service 			6:00 Fellowship 6:30 Worship & Bible Study	Church Council Meeting @ 5:30pm		
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
Deacon Kacy Gunter Deacon's Meeting 9:30 Sunday School 10:30 Service 4pm-Prayer Time Pray & GO 5pm Run 4 God- 6:15pm	ISI 6:00pm MNM 6pm		6:00 Fellowship 6:30 Worship & Bible Study		Extra Innings 9pm-Midnight The CREW Event	

A P R I L



26-Kerri Anderson
27-Ken Gunter
29-Patricia Hobbs

- 3-Janci Cannon
- 05-Jordan Rice
- 06-Wendy Weeks
- 09-Mackenzie Evans
- 10-Rebekah Isgett
- 11-Punk Bonnoitt
- 12-Frankie Tanner
- 15-Mamie Gunter
- 16-Issac Isgett
- 17-Aurora Isgett
- 18-Colby Odum
- 20-Dahlia Jenkins
- 21-Jason Isgett
- 22-Wyatt Bryant
- 24-Lara Kelly
- 25-Jacob Adams
- 26-Bejamin Boyd
- Austin Blackman



05-Curtis & Denise Boyd



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