

Announcements

FOR OUR GUESTS: We invite you to visit our Welcome Table today in the Narthex (Lobby) for information about the life and ministries of Rivermont. A member of our Hospitality Team will be there to greet you and answer your questions.

COLLEGE STUDENTS: Join us for "College Hour" at 9:45 am in Rivermont A (connected to the downstairs Fellowship Hall). College Hour is a combination of teaching and small group discussion that is facilitated by the Campus Outreach staff. If you are interested in hearing about on-campus opportunities for growth and fellowship, email colynchburg@gmail.com.

YOUTH NEWS:
SNL: Tonight all 6th to 8th grade students are invited to a time of fun and fellowship with Josh for games in the Youth Center from 6:00 to 7:30.

636: All high school boys and girls are invited to early morning fellowship this Tuesday! The students will join Shane and Ciera at Bojangles on Old Forest Road at 6:36 am.

RFN: This Wednesday we continue our RFN study on the book "Alive: Gospel Sexuality for Students." Be encouraged to view sexuality in light of who Jesus is and approach these issues with truth, faith, and compassion. Dinner begins at 5:45 pm and the study at 6:30 pm.

Progressive Dinner: All 9th to 12th grade students are invited to enjoy a progressive dinner this Saturday. We will meet at the church at 5:30 pm, traveling together to enjoy a three-course meal at different host homes. Come out for good food and fellowship!

60 PLUS OR MINUS: From September to May, join us for a luncheon and special speaker presentation on the third Wednesday of each month. Though these luncheons are planned with those 60 years and older in mind, they are open to all ages. This Wednesday, our BBQ luncheon will be in the Rivermont A at noon. Please make your reservation by Monday, September 17 on the sign-up sheet beside the Library.

CLUB 56 NEWS:

RFN: Our study of the book of Mark continues this Wednesday! By diving into the key themes of the book's "docu-drama," Josh and his team will help students understand the character of Jesus. Dinner begins at 5:45 pm. For the study, meet in the Club 56 room at 6:30 pm.

FNL: All 5th and 6th grade students are invited to join Josh in the Youth Center for the first ever Club 56 Friday Night Lights! Next Friday, September 21, from 6:00 to 7:30 pm, come out for a time of fun and fellowship.

RIVERMONT FELLOWSHIP NIGHT is our midweek gathering where we enjoy fellowship and experience growth in Christ. Cost for the meal is \$5 per person (9 and older), \$3 for children (8 and under), with a maximum cost to a family of \$22. The menu for September 19th is Teriyaki Chicken. Make your reservations online at www.rivermont.org, fill out the reservation card and place it in the offering plate, email ciera@rivermont.org, or call the church office: 846-3441. **Reservations are mandatory and should be made by noon on Monday, September 17th.**

COUPLES' LOW COUNTRY BOIL: All Rivermont couples are invited to a Low Country Boil Thursday, October 4th at 6:00 pm. Meeting on the back terrace of the church, Pastor David Weber will share a message after dinner to encourage couples in their life together. Child-care will be available. Please RSVP on our website at www.rivermont.org.

ATTENTION PARENTS OF STRING PLAYERS: Our Rivermont youth string players will participate in a special prelude and postlude at our Hanging of the Greens service Sunday evening, December 2, with Ginger Paris leading the group. If you are the parent of a youth who plays the violin, viola, or cello and is interested in participating, please contact Peggy Bettcher. All ages and levels are welcome!

Concerns of the Church

IN THE HOSPITAL: David Wiseman

ATTENDANCE: Morning Worship: 8:30 service: 295; 11:00 service: 289; Total: 584.
Sunday School: 421.

USHERS SERVING NEXT SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 23 : **Head Deacon:** Patrick Yeatts
Assistant Deacon: Alan Pettigrew **Morning Only:** Todd Matthews
8:30 am: Mark Faulconer, Warner Hall, Jay Hutt, Keith Mascher
11:00 am: Ned Hudson, Ned Hudson, Jr., Daniel Lass, Steve McCann

Calendar

Sunday, September 16
8:00 am Prayer for the Services (Family Room)
8:30 am Worship
9:45 am Sunday School
9:45 am College Hour (Rivermont A)
9:45 am Getting to Know Rivermont (203)
11:00 am Worship
12:30 pm Missionary Luncheon: Humberto Alferez (Fellowship Hall)
6:00 pm 6-8 Grade SNL (Youth Center)
6:00 pm Mission First Service (Chapel)

Monday, September 17
9:00 am Preschool
10:00 am Prayer Group (Family Room)
4:30 pm Preschool Council Meeting (204)

Tuesday, September 18
6:30 am Dawn Patrol
6:36 am HS Boys and Girls' 636 (Bojangles)
9:00 am Preschool
6:15 pm Deacons' Meeting (John Knox)
7:00 pm Officers' Prayer Meeting (John Knox)
7:30 pm Session Meeting (John Knox)

Wednesday, September 19
9:00 am Preschool
12:00 pm 60 Plus Luncheon (Rivermont A)
3:45 pm Rivermont Ringers (206)

Wednesday, September 19 (continued)
4:30 pm Rivermont Chimes (John Knox)
4:30 pm Praise Ringers (206)
5:15 pm Carillon (206)
5:15 pm Cherub Choir (308)
5:15 pm Chapel Choir (Choir Room)
5:15 pm New Song Choir (301)
5:45 pm RFN Meal (Fellowship Hall)
6:30 pm RFN Classes, Prayer Service
6:30 pm Sanctuary Choir

Thursday, September 20
9:30 am CBS (Sanctuary)
9:30 am OASIS (Quinlan Room)

Friday, September 21
5:00 pm Officers' Retreat (Sweet Briar)
6:00 pm Club 56 FNL (Youth Center)

Saturday, September 22
5:30 pm Youth Progressive Dinner

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MINISTRY STAFF
David Weber | SENIOR PASTOR
Ron Cox | EXECUTIVE PASTOR/HEAD OF STAFF
Brett Eubank | PASTOR OF OUTREACH AND ASSIMILATION
Mike Palombo | PASTOR OF RELATIONAL DISCIPLESHIP
Shane Whelan | PASTOR OF STUDENT FAMILIES
Peggy Bettcher | DIRECTOR OF MUSIC MINISTRY
Ann Knight | DIRECTOR OF CHILDREN'S MINISTRIES
Josh Dempsey | DIRECTOR OF MIDDLE SCHOOL MINISTRIES
Matt Bradner | REGIONAL DIRECTOR, CAMPUS OUTREACH
Julia Sansone | DIRECTOR OF CHOIRS AND ACCOMPANIST
Alisha Meador | CARE COORDINATOR

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OUR MISSION

REPC SEEKS THE RENEWING OF LIVES THROUGH GOD'S COMPELLING LOVE
IN LYNCHBURG AND THE WORLD.

September 16, 2018

8:30 AM & 11:00 AM

Order Of Worship

The prelude is a time for the body of Christ to prepare spiritually to enter into His presence in worship. As the prelude begins, please assume a quiet, prayerful and reverent attitude of worship. (Please silence your mobile devices.)

PRELUDE:

"Consecration"

Heidi Terry, soloist

John Ness Beck

Take my life, and let it be consecrated, Lord, to Thee;
Take my moments and my days, let them flow in ceaseless praise.
Take my hands, and let them move at the impulse of Thy love;
Take my feet, and let them be swift and beautiful for Thee.
Take my voice, and let it sing always, only, for my King.
Take my lips, and let them be filled with messages from Thee.
Take my silver and my gold; not a mite would I withhold.
Take my intellect, and use every power as Thou shalt choose.
Take my will, and make it Thine; it shall be no longer mine.
Take my heart, it is Thine own; it shall be Thy royal throne.
Take my love, my Lord, I pour; at Thy feet its treasure store.
Take my self, and I will be ever, only, all for Thee.

THE SILENT PRAYER OF PREPARATION:

Gracious Lord, we humbly ask Your blessing upon this worship service, that by Your power we may worship You in spirit and in truth, and truly honor You. May Your glory be magnified, may Your name be exalted, and may we find our greatest joy in You. Pour out Your Holy Spirit upon us afresh: to strengthen the faint-hearted, encourage the weak, comfort the suffering, and call us all into renewed faith and committed discipleship; to the glory of Your name. Amen.

THE GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Pastor Brett Eubank

*THE CALL TO WORSHIP: 1 Peter 1:3-4; Psalm 95:1-2 (responsively)

Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! By His great mercy we have been born anew to a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead;

And to an inheritance which is imperishable, undefiled, and unfading!

O come, let us sing to the LORD; let us make a joyful noise to the Rock of our salvation!

Let us come before His presence with thanksgiving; let us make a joyful noise to Him with songs of praise!

