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# THE MISSION

A Welcoming Family of Faith  
**Broadus Church**  
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**New Sunday School Year Begins on Promotion Day**

**September 10th**



When school begins, so does our new Sunday School year! Parents, remember that many of the children and youth move up to new classes. Classrooms are posted in the Commons. If you haven't been in Sunday School lately, this is a great time to start. There's a place for you!

## Wonderful Wednesdays Begin on September 13th

### 5:15-6:00 Dinner is Served.

Make reservations by putting a card in the offering plate or calling the office by noon on Monday. Make a permanent reservation if you will be attending every week. The cost is \$3.50 for adults and \$2.50 for children (5th grade & under) to be paid at the door, with a maximum family cost of \$12. Check the Sunday bulletin for weekly menus.



### 6:00-7:15 Programs for All Ages:

- **Nursery Care** (Rooms 109/111)
- **Children:** Preschoolers and 1st-5th graders always enjoy this time of music, Bible study and mission projects.
- **Youth:** Our 6th-12th graders will be doing a series called "Extraordinary" during "Elevate."
- **Adult Discipleship Groups:** Check out the Bible study options for adults listed on page 3.

### 7:15-8:15 Worship Choir Practice.

## 2017 Leadership Development Conference Monday, Sept. 25, 5:15-8:15 Branches Baptist Church

This conference sponsored by the Central Virginia Baptist Ministries offers a dinner, speaker, and 15 different seminars related to many areas of church leadership. Each participant gets to pick two 50-minute sessions to attend. For session details, go to [www.BaptistLeaders.org](http://www.BaptistLeaders.org) or pick up an information flyer in the church commons.

Our church will pay the \$10 registration fee if you sign up by Sunday, September 17. Anyone is welcome—present and potential leaders!

## Back to School Blast




**For Youth & Their Families  
Sunday, Sept. 10 at Church**

**Come enjoy a picnic, fellowship, and a great youth vs parents kickball game!**



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The church office is regularly open on Monday—Thursday, 8:30-5:00.						
<div> <b>SUNDAY MORNING AT HEBRON CAMPUS</b>            3407 King William Road            Aylett, Virginia            11:00 - Worship Service         </div> <div> <b>SUNDAY MORNING AT POLE GREEN CAMPUS</b>            8:45 - Traditional Service            10:00 - Sunday School            11:00 - Contemporary Service         </div>					1	2
3	4 OFFICE CLOSED 	5 	6 6:00 Worship Ministry Dinner	7 12:00 Lunch with Jeff (Hebron)  6:30 Praise Team	8	9
10 Baptism  Promotion Sunday  2:00 Prayer Shawl 4:00 Youth Back- To-School Blast	11  7:00 MCEF Benefit @ Walnut Grove Baptist	12	13  <b>Wednesday Programs Begin</b>  5:15 Dinner 6-7:15 Programs 7:15 Choir	14  6:30 Praise Team	15  5:30-8:15 Fun! Friday	16
17 4:30 Personnel 6:00 EOC 6:00 Finance 6:30-8:00 Youth Connect Groups Kick-off in CB 7:00 Business Mtg.	18  5-8 MCEF night @ Stevi B's	19	20  5:15 Dinner 6-7:15 Programs 7:15 Choir 6:30 Hebron Praise Team	21  6:30 Praise Team 7:00 Shalom/ Broadus Inasmuch Day Planning Mtg	22 <b>Autumn Begins</b> 	23
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With school kicking back into gear, I guess the summer is just about over. Like my family, many of the rest of you had the opportunity to take some vacation and maybe even do some traveling. I hope the fall will give you time to recuperate from that. Vacations wear me out!

Don't get me wrong, I like summer as much as the next guy. But as a pastor, I also look forward to September when the schedule settles down into some sort of routine—which usually means more people are home on the weekends and come back to church. It is always a joy to see the sun-tanned faces of those who have been at the rivah. If you have been away a while, I hope you will make it a priority to reconnect with your Sunday School class and join us at one of our Sunday morning worship services. Hebrews 10:25 says, *"Let us not give up meeting together, as some are in the habit of doing, but let us encourage one another."* It is certainly an encouragement to me when you are here!

This September, our worship focus at the Pole Green and Hebron campuses will be about becoming the kind of people God can use to make a positive impact in this world. The series title is: *"God Can Use You When ..."* We will be pulling four lessons from the Prophet Jeremiah in the Old Testament, beginning with his call to ministry in chapter 1. Let's encourage one another to grow into fruitful servants of God. God bless you all!

- Pastor Phil

### Broadus Youth: Belong! Believe! Become!

#### EVENTS COMING UP:

- **Sept. 10- Back to School Blast!** 4-7p m Enjoy the picnic and games for youth and their families. Join in the youth vs parents kickball game!

#### REGULAR WEEKLY ACTIVITIES

- **Sunday School** each Sunday at 10:00 in the Community Building. New Fall series **"Explore the Bible-Exodus."**
- **Elevate** will resume on Wednesday night, Sept. 13. We will begin our new series **"Extraordinary"**
- **Connect Groups 'Kick-off' night** at CB 6pm

### Fall Adult Discipleship Groups Wednesdays beginning Sept 13, 6:00-7:15 PM

- ♦ **"Joshua: Claiming God's Promise"** Pastor Phil will lead this study in Rm 105/107.
- ♦ **"Second Look"** Amber Peacock will lead a discussion & application of the sermon topic from the previous Sunday. Meeting in Rm 254.
- ♦ **"Forever Settled, O Lord: Learning to Love the Word of God"** A journey filled with interesting facts, inspiration, and practical helps related to studying the Bible. Led by Linda Smith in Rm 101.
- ♦ The Men's Group will study **"Joshua, Judges & Ruth"** led by Jeff Poythress in Rm 207.

#### At the Hebron Campus

- ♦ Jeff Poythress is also leading the **"Joshua, Judges & Ruth"** study at Hebron on Tuesday evenings at 6:30 beginning Sept. 12.

### WORSHIP MINISTRY DINNER

Wednesday, Sept. 6, 6:00

Community Building



Worship is important. It is where we feed the mind with the truth of God, open the heart to the love of God, and devote the will to the purpose of God.

We are looking for singers, musicians, sound technicians, computer operators, and videographers to fill our worship ministry needs at both campuses. This event is for current and prospective participants in all areas of worship ministry.



If you are considering being involved, come enjoy a delicious meal and talk to those who already serve in these areas. We'd love to have you join us!

- Carol

### Hebron Happenings

October 9<sup>th</sup> will be our one year anniversary. So many people have been a huge part of making Hebron come to life, I wish I had space to thank you all. We will greatly miss those of our original core team from Broadus who are "returning home": the Smiths, Hazelgroves, Cowherds, Baldersons, and some of the Garthrights. You each played a wonderful part in this new ministry, and I know I speak for all the people at Hebron in saying we greatly appreciate your friendship, fellowship and hard work at Hebron. We know you will continue to support this ministry, and we hope you will stop in to see us occasionally.

An exciting addition to our schedule is Sunday School, which starts September 10<sup>th</sup> with classes from toddlers to adults. I want to give a huge thank you to our teachers: Sara Donaldson, Chuck Lewis, Evelyn Woody Martin, Cathy Poythress, Karen White, Pam Worley and Lacey Worley. Please come join us at 10:00 AM beginning September 10<sup>th</sup>!

- Pastor Jeff

# Broadus Bulletin Board

The church office will be closed on Monday, Sept. 4th for Labor Day.

## Ladies' Book Club

We will talk about *"They Left Us Everything"* by Plum Johnson on Sept. 11 at 6:30 in the Community Building. Come join us!

## New Pictorial Directories!

If your family has not yet picked up a copy, stop by the church office and ask a staff member to assist you.

The 2018 Budget Preparation Packets have gone out to our committees and ministry leaders. Please have your budget requests returned to the Finance Committee by Wednesday, Sept. 27.

## Email Prayer List

If you would like to receive the weekly email prayer list, or if you had been receiving it from Cindi Anderson, but have not received it the past few weeks, please send your name and email to Carl Monfalcone at [cdmonfalcone@comcast.net](mailto:cdmonfalcone@comcast.net). He will now be coordinating the ministry.

## E-Giving at Broadus

Online donation options are now available! Visit [BroadusChurch.org](http://BroadusChurch.org) to set up your account.



## September Collection: Cereal

Third Monday MCEF Support Night at SteviB's is September 18th. Mention MCEF when you place your order at the register!

## Alumni Band To Help MCEF

The John Marshall Alumni Band will perform a Patriotic Concert on September 11 at 7:00 at the Walnut Grove Baptist Church. A \$2 donation or 2 cans of food to benefit the MCEF Food Pantry will be accepted at the door.

**Business Meeting**  
Sunday, September 17  
7:00 pm in Rm 105/107

**FUN! Friday**  
September 15th  
5:30-8:15 PM



This is a great evening of food, fun, games, crafts and activities for babies thru 5th graders. Parents can have the night out! Flexible drop off and pick-up times. Register your children or sign up to be a helper in the Commons.



## The September Mission

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