

Sunday Morning Worship
December 27, 2020
9:00 am in the Worship Center

FOR PARKING LOT WORSHIPERS

If you plan on worshipping from your car in the parking lot, please remember that bulletins, Lord's Supper cups (1st Sundays), offering receptacles and a donation drop-off basket will be available each week under the carport. Please drive through the circle when you arrive.

The service will be broadcast on FM 101.1 and Facebook Live, then later posted to the church website, www.BroadusChurch.org.

FOR INDOOR WORSHIPERS

For safety purposes, we ask that everyone over the age of three wear a mask and practice social distancing while inside the building.

Prelude	<i>Ellis Dunton & Dustin Hunter</i>	
Welcome and Prayer	<i>Phil Peacock</i>	
Songs of Praise	<i>"Marvelous Light"</i> <i>"O Praise Him"</i>	<i>Jamie Cosley</i>
Scripture Reading:	<i>Philippians 3:7-14</i>	<i>Kim Garrett</i>
Instrumental Song	<i>"All Is Well"</i>	<i>Dustin Hunter, alto sax</i> <i>Ellis Dunton, piano</i>
Sermon	<i>Casting Off the Things that Hinder</i> <i>Hebrews 12:1-3</i>	<i>Phil Peacock</i>
Closing Hymn	<i>"Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus"</i>	<i>Carl Monfalcone</i>
Benediction		

We regret that we are not yet able to offer childcare for our worship services. We encourage whole families to worship together.

Don't worry about a little wiggling. It means the Spirit is working!

Sermon Thought for Today

"Let us throw off everything that hinders and the sin that so easily entangles, and let us run with perseverance the race marked out for us." John 6:35

No serious athlete would run a race wearing work boots, or carrying a bag of groceries, or with pockets full of rocks. All of those things would greatly hinder their performance, and they know it. In the same way, God gives us the wisdom to discern the attitudes and actions that hinder us from living the victorious Christian life. What are the things we need to leave behind here in 2020 so that we can be more like Jesus in 2021?

Have a safe and happy New Year, Everyone!

Retirement Recognition

After eighteen years of sharing the Office Manager duties at Broadus, Dare Wright and Gladys Seymour are retiring at the end of the month! (Dare also was the full-time Office Manager for fourteen years before that!) We will miss them in the office, but definitely celebrate their wonderful contributions to the ministry of our church. We also wish them many blessings in this well-earned transition!

The current virus situation prevents us from publically recognizing them as they deserve, but we encourage all members to send them cards of thanks and encouragement. You may send them to the church or their homes. On behalf of the congregation, they will be presented with retirement gifts at a small gathering of the staff next week.

Thanksgiving Missions Offering!

Church Goal: \$18,000

Given to Date: \$10,639

Our gifts will be distributed 50% to the SBC Lottie Moon International Mission Offering, 25% VA Baptist Kingdom Advance, and 25% World Hunger Relief. There are special offering envelopes in the boxed sets, and donations can also be made online through the church website:

www.BroadusChurch.org

The Church office will be closed this Monday-Tuesday, Dec. 28-29, for the Christmas holidays. It will be closed again Jan. 4 for New Year's. Financial gifts for 2020 must be at the office by Wednesday, Dec. 30.

January MCEF Collection

Crackers (Ritz, Saltines, Graham)

MCEF is also in need of two-handle paper grocery bags from Kroger.

Please bring here to the church. Items can always be dropped off in the glass vestibule.

Offering Envelope Boxed Sets

2021 Envelopes are available for pick-up. Please get all boxes labelled for you or your family. If you would like to begin using a box, you may pick up an *unlabelled* box from the display table.

NOTE: To save money on the purchase of envelopes, all box numbers greater than #300 have been reassigned to lower numbers. Our apologies that some of you will need to learn a new number.

Two Women's Bible Studies

"Sing a New Song: A Woman's Guide to the Psalms"

By Lydia Brownback

The Sisters-in-Christ will gather remotely on Mondays at 7pm beginning January 4.

"Breaking Free" by Beth Moore

This group will meet in person at Hebron on Tuesdays at 6pm beginning January 12.

If you need tech assistance to participate with the church on Facebook Live or Zoom, please contact the church office. We will try to arrange a volunteer to help you.

Office Hours

For the winter months, our church office hours will continue to be Mon-Thur, 8:30-12:30. The staff can also be reached by cell phone or email. If you need financial or other assistance, please call Pastor Jeff or Pastor Phil.

Ladies Book Club

Tomorrow, Dec 28 at 1:00

At the Picnic Pavilion

We will discuss "A Christmas Message" by Debbie Macomber.

The Broadus Family's Favorite Dessert Recipes Cookbook is here!

You can pick up a copy in the Commons for \$5.

Men's Military Book Club

Tuesday, Jan 5

6:30 in Trailer #1

Warming Tree

You are welcome to contribute to the Warming Tree through next Sunday, Jan 3. You may put your donations of new items on or under the tree: hats, scarves, gloves, socks, underwear (toddler-adult 3XL), men's T-shirts (L-3XL), umbrellas, blankets or throws (new or clean gently used). Your gifts will be distributed through Moments of Hope, MCEF, and other area organizations.

CHURCH STAFF

Phil Peacock, Pastor

Jeff Poythress, Hebron Site Pastor

Karen Tucker, Minister of Children & Families

Tyson Banks, Minister of Youth

Jamie Cosley, Minister of Contemporary Worship

Carl Monfalcone, Interim Worship Leader

Carol Golden, Ministry Coordinator

Gladys Seymour, Office Manager

Dare Wright, Office Manager

Geneva Bohannon, Office Manager

Ellis Dunton, Accompanist

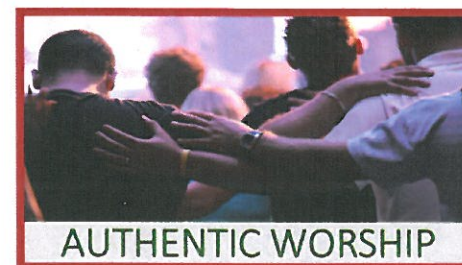
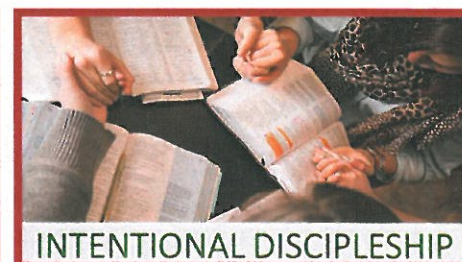
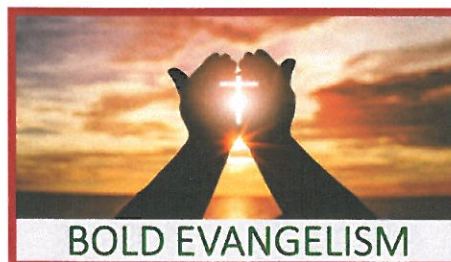
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Making each one a witness!

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Belong. Believe. Become.

At Broadus Church, you can belong to a welcoming family of faith that helps people become all God means for them to be through a life-changing relationship with Jesus Christ.



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Turn Your Eyes upon Jesus

O soul, are you weary and troubled? No light in the darkness you see?
There's light for a look at the Savior, and life more abundant and free!

*Turn your eyes upon Jesus, look full in His wonderful face,
And the things of earth will grow strangely dim,
In the light of His glory and grace.*

His word shall not fail you, He promised; Believe Him and all will be well.
Then go to a world that is dying, His perfect salvation to tell!

Welcome To Our Guests!

Please drop this card in the red offering receptacle as you leave.

Name(s) _____
Address _____
Phone _____
Email _____

☐ "I would like a newsletter." ☐ "I would like to be contacted."

Spiritual Response (Mark any that apply.)

☐ "I would like to receive Jesus Christ as my Lord and Savior."
☐ "I would like to discuss baptism and/or church membership."
☐ "I would like to rededicate my life to God."
☐ "I would like to be contacted by a minister."

Name _____ Phone _____

Prayer and Praise

I would like to share this prayer request or word of
praise with the church staff:

Marvelous Light

*Into marvelous light I'm running, out of darkness, out of shame,
By the cross You are the truth, You are the life, You are the way.*

I once was fatherless, a stranger with no hope.
Your kindness wakened me, wakened me from my sleep now.
Your love it beckons deeply, a call to come and die.
By grace now I will come and take this life, take Your life.

Sin has lost its power, death has lost its sting.
From the grave You've risen victoriously.

My dead heart now is beating; my deepest stains now clean.
Your breath fills up my lungs, now I'm free, now I'm free.

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O Praise Him

Turn your ear to heaven and hear the noise inside:
The sound of angels' we, the sound of angels' songs, and all this for a King.
We could join and sing, all to Christ the King.

How constant, how divine, this love of ours will rise.
O how constant, how divine, this song of ours will rise, will rise.

O praise Him, O praise Him, He is holy, He is holy, yeah.

Turn your gaze to heaven and raise a joyous noise:
The sound of salvation come, the sound of rescued ones, and all this for a King.
Angels join to sing, all for Christ our King.

How infinite and sweet, this love so rescuing.
O how infinitely sweet, this great love that has redeemed, as one we sing.

*O praise Him, O praise Him, He is holy, He is holy, yeah.
Alleluia, alleluia, He is holy, He is holy, yeah.*

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All Is Well (Instrumental)

All is well, all is well, angels and men rejoice,
For tonight, darkness fell into the dawn of love's light.
Sing alleluia.

All is well, all is well, let there be peace on earth.
Christ is come, go and tell that He is in the manger.
Sing alleluia.

All is well, all is well, lift up your voice and sing.
Born is now Emmanuel. Born is our Lord and Savior.
Sing alleluia, sing alleluia, all is well.

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