

Sunday Worship
August 15, 2021
9:00 & 11:00 am in the Worship Center

Bulletins and an offering receptacle are available under the carport for those remaining in their cars for worship. The 9:00 service will be broadcast on FM 101.1 and Facebook Live, then later posted to the church website, www.BroadusChurch.org.

In compliance with the CDC, fully vaccinated individuals are not required to wear masks. Please use discretion and respect for others regarding masks and social distancing. Masks are always welcome!

Prelude		<i>Ellis Dunton</i>
Call to Worship	"Let Us Praise the Lord"	<i>Choir</i>
Welcome & Prayer		<i>Karen Tucker</i>
Praise Songs	"Build Your Kingdom Here" "Eye of the Storm"	<i>Praise Band</i>
Children's Message		<i>Pastor Phil</i>
Scripture Reading	Romans 12:3-8	<i>Cathy Tignor (9:00)</i> <i>Charles Johnson (11:00)</i>
Anthem	"Higher Ground"	<i>Choir</i>
Message	"Wasting Divine Gifts on Trivial Pursuits"	<i>Phil Peacock</i>
Hymn	"Take My Life, and Let It Be Consecrated"	<i>Carl Monfalcone</i>
Benediction		

Our preschool classrooms 108/110 & 109/111 are available to parents and their children during worship. Devices to stream the service into those areas are welcome. Plans are being made to resume regular nursery care by the end of the summer. Children of all ages are always welcome in worship! Worship-related activity clipboards are available at the back.

SERMON NOTES

"Wasting Divine Gifts on Trivial Pursuits"
Lessons from the Story of Samson in Judges 13-16

Samson was born with a special calling upon his life to deliver his people from the Philistines and back into a right relationship with God.

- ♦ What were Samson's spiritual gifts and abilities?
- ♦ What did he accomplish?
- ♦ What if Samson had been fully devoted to God?

The same questions are important to answer for ourselves.

- ♦ What are my spiritual gifts and abilities?
- ♦ What am I accomplishing for God?
- ♦ What could I accomplish if I were fully devoted to God?

Fall Family Festival
Sunday, August 29, 2:00-5:00 pm

Put this great
afternoon of
fun and out-
reach on your
schedule!
Much help is
needed.



Bounce House * Petting Zoo
Fun Bus * Games * Pony Rides
*** Barrel Train * Hot Dogs**
Popcorn & Snow Cones
Cupcake Walk * Door Prizes
All Perfectly Free!

Living Nativity Needs!

We still need additional actors and actresses for this fall's Living Nativity. Please see Lynn Goodloe regarding specific needs. In addition, we are looking for the following animals for the Living Nativity (the animals would need to be brought to church each evening and returned home): 3 or more sheep or goats (that can be in a pen with people) and 1 or more donkeys. Please see Lynn Goodloe if you have contacts that may be able to support this request.

**Youth "Converge" at the
Mattaponi River!
TODAY from 2-9pm**

MEETINGS TODAY

**Deacon/Deaconess Meeting
4:00pm in Rm 105/107**

**Sunday School Teachers' Mtg
5:00pm in Rm 105/107**

**Church Council Meeting
This Tuesday at 6:30**

Handicap Ramp Ministry

We are looking for donations of aluminum ramps. We have a team that can disassemble and re-assemble these reusable ramps to help families in our church and community. Contact Dan at vajohnsons@comcast.net.

School Backpack Project!

We thank you for donations totaling \$2,678 toward purchasing school backpacks, as well as additional supplies! These are being distributed now in preparation for the start of school.

**August MCEF Collection:
Jam & Jelly**

Office Hours

For the summer months, our church office hours will continue to be Monday-Thursday, 8:30-12:30.



Fifty knights joined us online & in person on a quest to find the Armor of God! Thank you Broadus Church for a fantastic Bible School week!

Ladies Book Club

We will meet **Tomorrow, August 16** at 1:00 to discuss *"The Four Winds"* by Kristin Hannah.

Exciting News for the Book Club

Author Steven Rogers is coming September 27 @ 6:00 pm to talk about his latest book, *"Into The Room"*. He will be sharing his tumultuous journey to faith! **Contact Cathy Tignor for more information.**

A Celebration of Life Service for Hank Brent, former member and son of Nancy & Henry Brent, will be held in our Worship Center at 2:00 pm today. Food for the reception can be taken to the Community Building kitchen this morning or before the service.

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

Geneva Bohannon, Office Manager

Ellis Dunton, Accompanist

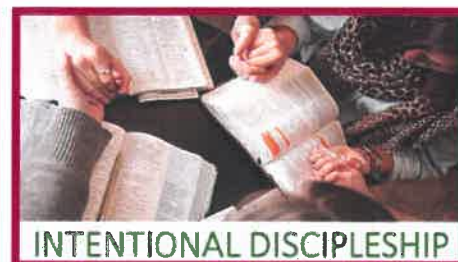
Buddy Crawford, Custodian

Making each one a witness!
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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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Eye of the Storm

*In the eye of the storm, You remain in control.
In the middle of the war, You guard my soul.
You alone are the anchor when my sails are torn.
Your love surrounds me, in the eye of the storm.*

Build Your Kingdom Here

Come set Your rule and reign in our hearts again.
Increase in us we pray; unveil why we're made.
Come set our hearts ablaze with hope like wildfire in our very souls.
Holy Spirit, come invade us now.
We are Your church; we need Your pow'r in us.

We seek Your kingdom first; we hunger and we thirst.
Refuse to waste our lives, for You're our joy and prize.
To see the captives' hearts released, the hurt, the sick, the poor at peace.
We lay down our lives for heaven's cause.
We are Your church. We pray revive this earth.

*Build Your kingdom here; let the darkness fear.
Show Your mighty hand; heal our streets and land.
Set Your church on fire; win this nation back.
Change the atmosphere; build Your kingdom here we pray.*

Unleash Your kingdom's pow'r, reaching the near and far.
No force of hell can stop Your beauty changing hearts.
You made us for much more than this, awake the kingdom seed in us.
Fill us with the strength and love of Christ.
We are Your church; we are the hope on earth.

Gareth Gilkeson | Chris Llewellyn | Thankyou Music | CCLI License #1208654

When the solid ground is falling out from underneath my feet.
Between the black skies and my red eyes I can barely see.
When I realize I've been sold out by my friends and my family,
I can feel the rain reminding me.

When my hopes and dreams are far from me and I'm runnin' out of faith.
I see the future I picture slowly fade away.
And when the tears of pain and heartache are pouring down my face,
I find my peace in Jesus' name.

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Take My Life, and Let It Be Consecrated

Take my life and let it be consecrated, Lord, to Thee;
Take my hands and let them move, at the impulse of Thy love,
At the impulse of Thy love.

Take my feet and let them be swift and beautiful for Thee;
Take my voice and let me sing always, only, for my King,
Always, only, for my King.

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,
It shall be Thy royal throne.

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