

Sunday Morning Worship

January 2, 2022

10:00 am in the Worship Center

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

Please use discretion and have respect for others regarding masks and social distancing. Masks are always welcome!

Prelude		<i>Ellis Dunton</i>
Welcome & Prayer		<i>Carl Monfalcone</i>
Hymn	"To God Be the Glory"	<i>Congregation</i>
Children's Message		<i>Karen Tucker</i>
Praise Songs	"Confidence" "Mighty to Save" "I Worship You, Almighty God"	<i>Praise Team</i>
Scripture Reading	Psalm 100	<i>Norris Gryder</i>
Message	Gideon: God Calls Unlikely Heroes	<i>Phil Peacock</i>
Hymn	"Trust and Obey"	<i>Carl Monfalcone</i>
Benediction		

Childcare for infants - 5 year olds is provided from 9:50-11:00 am in rooms 108-111. Worship bulletins with activities for older children are available at the back of the worship center. It's great to see children worshipping with their families!

Instead of observing the Lord's Supper today, we will share it together in worship next Sunday, January 9th.

The church office will be closed tomorrow for the New Year's holiday.

Gideon: God Calls Unlikely Heroes Judges 6

We find the story of Gideon in the Old Testament book of Judges, which follows the conquest and settling of the Promised Land by the tribes of Israel. During the period of the Judges, a familiar cycle is often repeated.

- ◆ The Israelites would turn away from the Lord and do evil in His sight.
- ◆ God would allow His people to be oppressed by neighboring tribes.
- ◆ In their suffering, the Israelites would cry out to the Lord for help.
- ◆ God would raise up a leader (judge) to deliver them from oppression.

Gideon was a man from the tribe of Manasseh whom the Lord chose to deliver His people from the Midianites.

- ⇒ God calls us to an honest assessment of the challenges we face. (v.8-10)
- ⇒ God calls us based not on who we are, but on who we can be. (v. 12)
- ⇒ God calls us to depend upon His strength, not our own. (v.14-16)
- ⇒ God calls us to be faithful in small things before giving bigger assignments. (v.25-26)

Thanksgiving Missions Offering Church Goal: \$18,000 Given to Date: \$16,330

- ◆ 50% Lottie Moon Offering for SBC International Missions
- ◆ 25% Virginia Baptist Kingdom Advance
- ◆ 25% World Hunger Relief

We will conclude our offering next Sunday. Pray about making a generous donation to help feed the physically and spiritually hungry in our world!

Living Nativity After-Party Beginning at 11:30am on Sunday, Jan 16

This is a special celebration of the 2021 Nativity with pictures, videos, funny stories and touching testimonies. Sign up in the Commons for the delicious lunch of BBQ, baked beans, macaroni & cheese and dessert. Everyone is invited!

There are still some poinsettias available for pickup at the back of the worship center.

Wednesday Night Dinners
Beginning January 12
5:15-5:45 pm

If you expect to eat supper with us on Wednesday nights, please fill out a red reservation card from the chair pockets and put it in an offering receptacle as soon as possible, or call the church office (779-2700) by noon on Mondays. Thanks!

Men's Book Club
Tuesday, January 4
6:30 in Trailer #1

The Prayer Shawl Group will meet next Sunday, Jan 9th at 2:00pm.

FUN! Friday for Kids
January 14, 5:30-7:30 PM

Dinner, crafts & games for kids. A little time away for parents! Register in the Commons. Helpers always needed! Cost is one food pantry item.

The Deacon & Deaconess Breakfast has been re-scheduled to Saturday, Jan 22 at 8:00 AM

January MCEF Collection:
Pancake Mix & Syrup

Office Hours

Our church office hours are Monday-Thursday, 8:30-12:30.

Wednesday Small Groups
6:00pm beginning January 12th

- ◇ Children meet in Choir Rm, #240.
- ◇ Youth meet in Community Bldg.

Adult Groups

- ◇ **"What the Women Saw"** - a 6-session women's group exploring the love and respect Jesus showed to women in his life. Led by Susan Smith and Laurie Ursiny in Room 207.
- ◇ **"Joseph, Son of Jacob"** - a 6-session study led by Pastor Phil in Room 105/107. Also offered on Zoom at 7:15.
- ◇ **"The Path to the Cross"** - a 5-session video/discussion study by Ray Vander Laan. Led by Howard Rhodes at in Room 101.

2022 Offering Envelopes

Some of you have still not picked up your boxes! Please do so TODAY. If you no longer use the envelopes for giving, please put your box in the "recycle basket." If you would like to begin using a boxed set, pick up an unlabeled box and record the number on the clipboard. Thank you!

CHURCH STAFF

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