

## This Week's Schedule

### Today

- 9:00a Sunday School  
10:00a Worship Service  
11:15a Nativity Costume Fittings

### Tuesday

- 8:00a Men & Women's Bible Study Groups  
6:00p Hebron Youth Midweek  
6:15p Hebron Adult Studies  
6:30p Finance Committee

### Wednesday

- 4:15p Nativity Costume Fittings  
5:15p Fellowship Supper  
*Menu: marinated chicken breast, baked potato bar, broccoli, bread and dessert. [Kid's option is chicken nuggets.] Please make reservations by noon Monday.*  
6:00p Programs for All Ages  
7:15p Choir Practice

### Thursday

- 9:00a Sewing/Quilting Group  
7:00p Praise Team

**Next Sunday**—Staff Appreciation!

### Ladies Book Club

4th Mondays at 1:00 in the CB

- ⇒ October 23 "The Last Sin Eater" by Francine Rivers  
⇒ November 27 "Anxious People" by Fredrik Backman

Contact Cathy at 804-201-7283 or [cmtignor@yahoo.com](mailto:cmtignor@yahoo.com) for more info.

### October MCEF Donations

#### Thanksgiving Items

(Shopping lists are in the Commons.)

### Church Office Hours

The church office is open Monday—Thursday, 8:30-12:30.

### Staff Appreciation Sunday

We are collecting notes of appreciation, goodies, gift cards and meals as we celebrate our church staff next Sunday, October 8th! To sign up for providing a meal, please contact Sara for Hebron ([ellasmom0507@gmail.com](mailto:ellasmom0507@gmail.com)) or Lynn ([lcgoodloe1964@gmail.com](mailto:lcgoodloe1964@gmail.com)) for Pole Green. Notes and goodies should be brought to each campus by this Wednesday, October 4. Meals can be brought on October 8 (or another arranged date).

### Senior Adult Interest Survey

Copies are available in the Commons and in Sunday School classrooms. Please return the surveys to the basket in the Commons by Oct. 29th.

**Free Covid Tests:** Our church has a large box of free test kits. If your family needs some, please contact the church office to arrange for pickup.

### Worship Attendance

September 3—164  
September 10—181  
September 17—153  
September 24—156

### CHURCH STAFF

Phil Peacock, Pastor  
Jeff Poythress, Hebron Site Pastor  
Karen Tucker, Minister of Children/Families  
Tyson Banks, Minister of Youth  
Jamie Cosley, Worship Minister  
Abby Carter, Worship Minister  
Carol Golden, Worship Minister (Hebron)  
Geneva Bohannon, Office Manager  
Ellis Dunton, Accompanist  
Buddy Crawford, Custodian

Making each one a witness!

# Broadus Church

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.



**Current Sermon Series:  
When Your Faith Can Shine**

### Broadus Memorial Baptist Church

5351 Pole Green Road, Mechanicsville, Virginia 23116

Office Hours: 8:30-12:30 on Monday-Thursday

[www.broaduschurch.org](http://www.broaduschurch.org) (Add it to your home screen now!)

Phone (804) 779-2700 or [office@broadusmbc.org](mailto:office@broadusmbc.org)

### Follow Broadus Church on social media!

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Instagram:

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Broadus.youth

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Donations:



# Sunday Worship

## October 1, 2023

### 10:00 am in the Worship Center

<b>Prelude</b>		<i>Ellis Dunton</i>
<b>Hymn #227</b>	<b>“Praise Him, Praise Him”</b>	<i>Congregation</i>
<b>Welcome &amp; Prayer</b>		<i>Phil Peacock</i>
<b>Praise Songs</b>	<b>“I’ll Fly Away” “Graves Into Gardens”</b>	<i>Jamie Cosley &amp; Praise Team</i>
<b>Scripture Reading</b>	<b>Matthew 11:28-30</b>	<i>Leigh Smith</i>
<b>Children’s Message</b>		<i>Karen Tucker</i>
<b>Song</b>	<b>“Rise up (Lazarus)”</b>	<i>Praise Team</i>
<b>Message</b>	<b>Series: When Your Faith Can Shine Shining in Times of Grief</b>	<i>Phil Peacock</i>
<b>Hymn #416</b>	<b>“My Faith Looks Up to Thee”</b>	<i>Congregation</i>
<b>Observance of the Lord’s Supper</b>	<b>“Above All Else”</b>	<i>Abby Carter &amp; Jamie Cosley</i>
<b>Choral Benediction #253</b>	<b>“Doxology”</b>	<i>Congregation</i>

Childcare for infants-Pre-K is provided from 9:50-11:00 a.m. in rooms 108-111. Older children may help themselves to activity-filled worship bulletins on the shelves at the entrance to the Worship Center.

*Traveling or sick? That’s no reason to miss worship! The service is broadcast on Facebook Live and posted to the church website [BroadusChurch.org](http://BroadusChurch.org) by Tuesday afternoon. To receive weekly bulletins & monthly newsletters via email, please contact the office to be added to the distribution list.*

If you or someone you know needs a Bible, please feel free to take one home from a worship center chair pocket.

*Thank you for worshipping at Broadus Church. Please take this bulletin home & keep it handy, so you don’t miss a thing that God has planned for you!*

#### Shining in Times of Grief John 11:1-44

Toward the end of his earthly ministry, Jesus’ good friend Lazarus died and was buried. John 11 records Jesus’ visit to the family and the subsequent miracle of resurrection as he called Lazarus from the grave. Before the miracle, though, we are given a glimpse of how faith can shine in times of grief.

Grief is an unavoidable and valuable part of life. It is directly related to change and loss. People respond to it differently, but it cannot be avoided and should not be denied or minimized.

- ◆ Faith shines through grief when we allow it to turn us toward God.
- ◆ Faith shines through grief when we allow it to coexist with hope.
- ◆ Faith shines through grief when we allow it to enlarge our heart.

#### **Church Directory Update**

There is a copy of the family information roster on a table in the Commons. Please make any corrections or additions in red pen on the roster or on sticky notes **by next Sunday**. If you are not pictured in the 2022 Directory, please send a picture to Pastor Phil, or see a staff person about a quick photo! We hope the printed updates will be available in a couple of weeks.

**Men’s Military Book Club**  
will not be meeting this week.

#### **Sewing/Quilting Group** This Thursday, 9am-4pm Community Building

For more info, contact Mary at [mwcolgin@gmail.com](mailto:mwcolgin@gmail.com) or 559-8537.

**Finance Committee Meeting**  
**2024 Budget Prep Meeting**  
This Tuesday at 6:30pm

#### **Living Nativity Costume Fittings**

*All actors need to stop by Rm 202 (2nd floor education wing) for a fitting!*

**Sundays in Oct, 11:15am-12:15pm**  
**or**  
**Wednesdays in Oct, 4:15-6:15pm**

**Our Mo Hope Ministry** needs plastic grocery bags. There is a collection container in the church Commons.