

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



**Broadus Memorial Baptist Church**  
5351 Pole Green Road, Mechanicsville, Virginia 23116  
Office Hours: 8:30-12:30 on Monday-Thursday  
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**This Week's Schedule**  
**Today—Christmas Eve!**  
9:00a Sunday School  
10:00a Worship Service  
5:00p Christmas Eve Service  
**Monday-Tuesday**  
Office Closed for Christmas  
**Next Sunday—New Year's Eve!**  
9:00a Sunday School  
10:00a Worship Service

**Christmas Poinsettias!**  
If you purchased a poinsettia, you may take it home after worship this morning, or preferably after this evening's Christmas Eve service.

**Wednesdays in 2024**  
We will resume our Wednesday evening dinners (5:15) and classes (6:00) on January 10th. There will be something for everybody!  
Two New Adult Classes:  
• Laurie Ursiny will lead a 7-session women's study called "When You Pray."  
• Pastor Phil will lead "Ecclesiastes: A Search for Meaning...Then and Now."

**Nativity Follow-Up**  
♦ There will be a **Living Nativity After-Party on Saturday, Jan 6 at 3:30** at Pole Green. A main dish (BBQ?) and drinks will be provided. Please bring a side dish to share.  
♦ If you ordered LN apparel or cups but haven't paid, please do so as soon as possible. Designate your payment as "Nativity Purchase", and drop it in the offering or to the office.

**Ladies Book Club**  
**4th Mondays at 1:00 in the CB**  
Coming in 2024:  
⇒ January 22 "The Measure" by Nikki Erlick  
⇒ February 26 "In This Moment" by Karen Kingsbury  
Contact Cathy at 804-201-7283 or [cmtignor@yahoo.com](mailto:cmtignor@yahoo.com) for more info.

**Offering Envelope Boxed Sets**  
The 2024 Offering Envelopes are available in the Commons. Please pick up all boxes labeled for you and your family. If you haven't had them before, you may pick up an un-labeled box from the display tables.

**December MCEF Donations**  
**Canned Tomatoes**

**Church Office Hours**  
The church office is open this week Wednesday & Thursday, 8:30-12:30.

**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

*Sunday Worship*  
**December 24, 2023**  
*10:00 am in the Worship Center*

<b>Prelude</b>		<i>Ellis Dunton</i>
<b>Welcome &amp; Prayer</b>		<i>Karen Tucker</i>
<b>Call to Worship</b>	<b>“Light of the Stable”</b>	<i>Choir</i>
<b>Hymn #89</b>	<b>“O Come, All Ye Faithful”</b>	<i>Congregation</i>
<b>Children’s Message</b>		<i>Pastor Phil</i>
<b>Praise Song</b>	<b>“Make Room”</b>	<i>Jamie Cosley &amp; Abby Carter</i>
<b>Lighting the Advent Candle of Love</b>		<i>The Vogt Family</i>
<b>Anthem</b>	<b>“In a Manger Lowly”</b>	<i>Choir</i>
<b>Message</b>	<b>Saving the Best for Last</b>	<i>Phil Peacock</i>
<b>Hymn #93</b>	<b>“It Came upon the Midnight Clear”</b>	<i>Congregation</i>
<b>Choral Benediction</b>	<b>“Emmanuel”</b>	<i>Abby Carter</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!*

Saving the Best for Last  
 Hebrews 1:1-4

- ◆ Jesus has the best Proclamation.  
*“But in these last days, He has spoken to us by His Son...”*
- ◆ Jesus has the best Position.  
*“...whom He appointed heir of all things ...”*
- ◆ Jesus has the best Power.  
*“...and through whom He made the universe.”*
- ◆ Jesus is the best Picture.  
*“The Son is the radiance of God’s glory and the exact representation of His being ...”*
- ◆ Jesus has the best Purpose.  
*“He...provided purification for sins ...”*



**Christmas Eve Service**  
**This Evening at 5:00 pm in the Worship Center**

Let us gather together to celebrate the birth of Jesus Christ, the Light of the World! We will be singing carols, lighting the Christ Candle and sharing the Lord’s Supper. Weather permitting, we will end our service outside around the Christmas tree.

**Thanksgiving Offering**  
**Church Goal: \$14,000!**  
**Given to Date: \$12,393**

- 50% Lottie Moon Offering for SBC International Missions
- 25% VA Bapt. Kingdom Advance
- 25% World Hunger Relief

**Let’s all give generously for the cause of Christ around the world!**

End-of-year financial contributions received by next Sunday, Dec 31 will be counted toward 2023.

**The Warming Tree!**

Please decorate the tree in the Commons with hats, gloves, scarves, lap blankets, etc. These will be distributed through area ministering organizations. Next Sunday is our collection deadline.