This Week's Schedule

Today—*2nd Sunday of Advent*

9:00a Sunday School 10:00a Worship Service 6:00p Living Nativity Shows

Monday

6:00p Hebron Food Distribution

Tuesday

8:00a Men's & Women's Studies

Wednesday

6:00p Choir Rehearsal

Thursday

7:00p Praise Team Rehearsal

<u>Friday</u>

6:20p Living Nativity Shows

Saturday

6:00p Living Nativity Shows

Next Sunday

6:00p Living Nativity Shows

FUN! Friday December 19 5:30-7:30 PM



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This is a kid-friendly fellowship time with dinner, crafts & games! Register in the Commons to attend or to be a helper. Cost: 1 food item/child for MCEF. Contact Karen@Broadusmbc.org with any questions.

Nov Average Attendance

◆ Pole Green Worship— 177
◆ Hebron Worship— 43
◆ Pole Green Sun School— 128

♦ Hebron Sun School—

December MCEF Collection:
Canned Meats

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The **Poinsettias** that have been ordered will decorate the worship center beginning next Sunday. An insert will list the dedications by each person or family. We encourage picking up the poinsettias you purchased following the Christmas Eve Service, though you may take them home on Dec 21 or 28, if you prefer.

The 2026 Offering Envelope Boxes are available in the Commons for those who wish to use them. Please pick up all boxes labeled for your family, or put them in the recycle basket if you don't need them.

Christmas Eve Service Wednesday, December 24 5:00 pm

Join us for carols, candles, communion, and the biblical story of Christ's birth!

Contact office@broadusmbc.org to receive the newsletter, bulletin or church prayer update to your email!

CHURCH STAFF

Phil Peacock, Pastor

Jeff Poythress, Hebron Site Pastor

Karen Tucker, Minister of Children/Families

Jamie Cosley, Worship Minister

Abby Carter, Worship Minister

Carol Golden, Worship Minister (Hebron)

Geneva Bohannon, Office Manager

Ellis Dunton, Accompanist

Buddy Crawford, Custodian



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.



Broadus Memorial Baptist Church

5351 Pole Green Road, Mechanicsville, Virginia 23116 Office Hours: 8:30-12:30 on Monday-Thursday www.broaduschurch.org (Add it to your home screen now!) Phone (804) 779-2700 or office@broadusmbc.org

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Sunday Morning Worship December 7, 2025 10:00 am in the Worship Center

Prelude Ellis Dunton

Hymn #93 "It Came Upon the Midnight Clear" Congregation

Welcome & Prayer Phil Peacock

Praise Songs Jamie Cosley & Praise Team "God Rest Ye Merry Gentlemen (He Has Come for Us)" "How Many Kings"

Children's Message

Karen Tucker

The Advent Candle of Peace

Ray & Sylvia Massie

Song "Tesus' Lullaby" Praise Team (The offering will be received during this song.)

Message Fear Not, Zechariah Phil Peacock

"Silent Night" Hymn #91 Congregation

Observance of the Lord's Supper

Choral Benediction "Emmanuel" Congregation

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

Books Available: If you would like a Bible or hymnbook to use during worship, you may pick it up from the cart at the back of the worship center, then return it afterward. Feel free to take home a Bible if you need one!

Giving: Your offering or response cards can be placed in the plates which will be passed during the service, or in the receptacle located in the Commons.

Digital Access: Join us if you're sick or traveling! The service is broadcast on Facebook Live and posted to the church website BroadusChurch.org by Tuesday afternoon. To receive weekly bulletins & monthly newsletters via email, please contact the office to be added to the distribution list.

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!

SERMON NOTES

The "Fear Nots" of Christmas: "Fear Not, Zechariah!"

- The Righteous, Childless Couple (Luke 1:5-10)
- ◆ The Miraculous Encounter and Promise (Luke 1:11-17)

The angel said to him, "Do not be afraid, Zechariah; your prayer has been heard. (v.13)

The Questions and Confirmation (Luke 1:18-25)

Whatever you are going through today, whatever burden of your heart you are pouring out to God—Fear Not! Your prayers are being heard by the One who loves you and has the perfect plan for your life.



Living Nativity Begins

Our Living Nativity is in full swing! Please be praying for tonight's Playing ... praying ... performances and for

those taking place next Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

Refreshments: Our quests have been enjoying delicious treats following each show. Donations are still being received for next weekend. Please drop them by the main kitchen, or in the basket at the church entrance.

The Warming Tree!

Please decorate the tree in the Commons with hats, gloves, scarves, lap blankets, etc. These will be distributed I through area ministering organizations.

Thanksgiving Missions Offering 2025

Our church goal is \$15,000! Given to Date: \$6,035

- 75% Virginia Baptist Missions and Ministries
- 25% World Hunger Relief

Our Thanksgiving Offering will continue through December. Let's give generously for the cause of Christ in our state and around the world!

> Broadus Classics Christmas Light Tour

Tuesday, Dec 16th. Cost is \$15. Sign up in the Commons.