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APRIL 10 - 24, 2016

- 10 SUN**
 9:00 am Life Groups (Bible Study)
 10:30 am Worship / Kids Worship (K – 5th Grade, Room 222)
 12:00 pm Church-Wide Pot Luck Lunch (Fellowship Hall)
- 11 MON**
 9:30 am Nifty Knitters (Room 110)
 6:30 pm YComm Meeting (Conference Room)
- 12 TUE**
 10:00 am Staff Meeting (Conference Room)
 6:30 pm Church Council Meeting (Choir Room)
- 13 WED**
 5:45 pm Handbells (Music Wing)
 6:30 pm Adult Bible Study (Fellowship Hall)
 Mission Friends (Preschool Hall)
 Children in Action (Room 222)
 Youth Bible Study (Youth Wing)
 7:30 pm Choir Rehearsal (Choir Room)
- 14 THURS**
 6:30 pm Girl Scouts (Fellowship Hall)
- 16 SAT**
 6:00 pm Mom's Night Out (Fellowship Hall)
- 17 SUN**
 9:00 am Life Groups (Bible Study)
 10:30 am Worship / Kids Worship (K – 5th Grade, Room 222)
 2:30 pm Worship Service at Emily Green Nursing Home
 6:00 pm Quarterly Business Meeting (Sanctuary)
- 18 MON**
 9:30 am Nifty Knitters (Rm 110)
 7:00 pm WMU Barbara Deal Group (Overflow Room)
- 19 TUE**
 10:00 am Staff Meeting (Conference Room)
 6:30 pm Creative Writing and Painting Group (Overflow Room)
- 20 WED**
 7:30 am Pack Backpacks (Fellowship Hall)
 5:30 pm Church Dinner (Fellowship Hall)
 5:45 pm Handbells (Music Wing)
 6:30 pm Adult Bible Study (Fellowship Hall)
 Mission Friends (Preschool Hall)
 Children in Action (Room 222)
 Youth Bible Study (Youth Wing)
 7:30 pm Choir Rehearsal (Choir Room)
- 21 THURS**
 9:00 am Backpack Delivery to Southwestern Elementary
 6:30 pm Girl Scouts (Fellowship Hall)
 6:30 pm Savvy Savers (Room 110)
- 24 SUN**
 9:00 am Life Groups (Bible Study)
 10:30 am Worship / Kids Worship (K – 5th Grade, Room 222)

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WEEK IN REVIEW

	March. 27	April 3
LIFE GROUPS (Sunday Bible Study)		
Enrollment.....	357	361
Attendance	165	165
New Members.....	2	2
Visitors.....	5	5
Total Attendance	172	172
WORSHIP		
Morning Services.....	266	172
Kid's Worship	45	22
Total Attendance	311	197

FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP

BUDGET		
Required Per Week	11,187.51	11,187.51
Received	6,331.08	13,485.50
Mid-Week Received	1,248.50	
Online Received	715.00	925.00
Required to Date	145,437.63	156,625.14
Total Received to Date	139,630.85	154,041.35
MISSIONS		
JMBC Missions.....	200.00	20.00
Moldova.....		2,500.00
Annie Armstrong.....	1,995.00	1,340.00
Annie Armstrong to Date	3,998.00	5,338.00
OTHER		
Building Fund	150.00	
Backpack Ministry		20.00
Benevolence Fund	286.50	10.00
Deacon Fund.....	10.00	10.00

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Sunday Services

9:00 a.m. Life Groups
 (Bible Study)

10:30 a.m. Worship
Kids Worship

A WORD from the Pastor

I am excited about the opportunity to dig into Proverbs with you all on Wednesday evenings. As we prepare to embark on this study, I want to encourage and challenge you. Proverbs is a book that makes numerous promises for those who will take seriously the study of its truths. For example, Proverbs 2:10-11 states that wisdom will enter your heart; knowledge will become pleasant to your soul. You will be happy (blessed) according to Proverbs 3:13. If you study and apply Proverbs you will gain something more valuable than rubies (Proverbs 3:15) and be equipped for a long and prosperous life (Proverbs 3:16), just to name a few.

Proverbs contains 31 chapters, so my challenge to you is to read a chapter of Proverbs each day. The chapter that corresponds with that day of the month. Imagine reading and contemplating Proverbs 12 times in a calendar year! Just as the Lord answered Solomon's request for wisdom and discernment, God promises to give wisdom to those who ask in faith (James 1:5). So, consider reading Proverbs faithfully and asking God to give you wisdom in the process.

My hope is that we will not only realize how much we do not know about God and His wisdom as we study Proverbs, but I want us to come to know the One who is the personification of wisdom. The Lord Jesus Christ is called the wisdom of God (1Corinthians 1:30) and the one in whom are all the treasures of wisdom and knowledge (Colossians 2:3).

Pastor Tommy

ANNOUNCEMENTS

WEDNESDAY NIGHT BIBLE STUDY SERIES

6:30 pm in the Fellowship Hall. Come join us as we start a study on Proverbs.

FAMILY MINISTRY

Mom's Night Out – It All Begins with MOM

Saturday, April 16 from 6:00 – 9:00 pm cost \$10.00. Janell Rardon is the speaker. Western Branch High School Culinary Arts Department will cater dinner. Sign up and pay by Sunday, April 10. Contact Linda Massengill (484-8585) for more information.

QUARTERLY BUSINESS MEETING

Sunday, April 17 at 6:00 pm in the Sanctuary.

CHURCH DINNER

Wednesday, April 20 at 5:30 pm in the Fellowship Hall.

Menu: Pork Loin with Gravy, Sweet Potatoes, Green Beans, Roll, Dessert.

Cost: Adults \$6.00, Children (12 and under) eat free.

Please sign up and pay with Betsy Gardner either before or after the Sunday Worship service at the Welcome Desk in the main foyer.

MISSION TRIP OPPORTUNITIES

Eastern Shore, July 10-16 and Standing Rock Indian Reservation July 24 – 30.

Applications available online or in the church office.

OUTER BANKS LUNCH & GARDENING TOUR – FRIDAY, APRIL 29.

Spend a day with our Gardening Class members. Enjoy lunch at Darrell's 2 BBQ & Seafood restaurant in Nags Head. Then enjoy a 1 hour guided tour of the historical 10-acre Elizabethan Gardens in Manteo. Lunch (Dutch). Tour \$8. NOTE: All payments will be made at the Restaurant & the Elizabethan Gardens. No payments accepted prior to the trip. Transportation: free for church vehicle riders (limited seating available; others may drive or carpool at their own expense. Sign-up sheet on Senior Adult Ministry Bulletin Board in the main hallway. **Deadline for sign up-Sunday, April 24th.** This event is open to everyone. Group will depart JMBC promptly at 10:00am. Event sponsored by the Senior Adult Ministry.

ANNIE ARMSTRONG EASTER OFFERING

Our goal is \$10,000. As of April 3, our total received is \$5,338.00. We have met over half of our goal. There is still time for you to give!

CHILDREN/YOUTH EVENTS

While reading 1 Kings 3:6-9 I saw the interaction between Solomon and God. Solomon approached his request for wisdom in a specific and unique way. The request was divided into 3 parts. Solomon first recognized God's authority. He praised God for all He is and thanked God for the active role in both his and David's life. Second, Solomon humbled himself. He recognized his shortcomings and his need for assistance. Third, Solomon asked for wisdom. His request was discernment to lead properly, not to gain any new standing.

We need to approach God in the same manner. We must humble ourselves and recognize our need for a savior. Then we can ask God for anything **according to His will** just as 1 John 5:14-15 explains.

I was encouraged by these passages and hope they allow you to approach God in a more specific way.

Phillip Reinke,
Minister of Family Life

Isaiah 6:8



There is a buzz of excitement in the Preschool Development Center. We have begun the accreditation process through Virginia Quality. This is an awesome opportunity to enhance our program as well

as increase visibility in the community

Registration continues for the 2016-2017 school year with an Open House scheduled for Sunday, April 10, 2:00 – 4:00 pm. For more information, please contact Linda Canterbury through the church office.

Graduation 2016

Graduation dinner, Saturday, June 4

Worship Service recognition, Sunday, June 5

This will be a celebration of both High School and College students' achievements. Please contact Eileen Rivera at emrivera27@yahoo.com by April 30 if you plan on coming; this will assist us in preparing for this wonderful milestone celebration. Please have your pictures turned in by May 15 to either Eileen or the church office.



CAR WASH, YARD SALE AND BAKE SALE

Saturday, May 7 from 9:00 – 12:00 noon

Sponsored by the Children and Youth Ministries

Proceeds will help support our Children and Youth go to camp this summer.

We are accepting donations for the Yard Sale and the Bake Sale. For more information contact, Roxanne Peterson (483-8247), Lynn Young (615-2282), or Rachel Emberton (966-7373).