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Calendar

Wednesday Schedules:

7:00 - 8:00

Prayer/Bible Study

Thursday Schedule:

7:30-8:30 Praise Team



From the Pastor

In the Gospel of Luke, Jesus has a short teaching immediately after the parable of the sower. He has been talking about how the kingdom of God grows through the sowing of seed, and how the type of soil affects whether or not the seed grows to produce a harvest. Then he discusses how lights are meant to shine, and how all that is hidden will

Sunday Schedule:

9:00 am Worship Team

Practice

9:30 am Sunday School

10:30 am Worship



Greeters

Sue Huffman, Cindy Roadcap

Media

Sound

Ushers

John Hulvey

Bill Flavin

Raymond Lockridge

Chris Peters

Nursery- Sunday School

Molly Waldrop

Nursery- Worship

Rose Fernandez

be brought out into the open.

"No one lights a lamp and hides it in a jar or puts it under a bed. Instead, he puts it on a stand, so that those who come in can see the light. For there is nothing hidden that will not be disclosed, and nothing concealed that will not be known or brought out into the open." (Luke 8: 16-17, NIV)

We each have a light that is meant to shine. The light is not meant to be hidden, but Jesus is suggesting that sometimes we try to hide the light. If we are around people who do not embrace the light, we might try to hide the light that is in us. Our light should never be hidden.

And then Jesus says that whatever is hidden, will be disclosed. Anything that is concealed will be brought out into the open. In other words, we cannot have secrets from God. Our secrets will also be exposed for others to see. Anything we try to hide will be revealed. This could be embarrassing for

Children's Church



us. And Jesus is telling us that we need to live in such a way that when people see our light, they are seeing the truth in us. There are no hidden motives or secrets that would be embarrassing to expose. Our faith and walk with Christ has to be the same whether being seen on the lampstand, or if hidden in our hearts. All will be revealed. We need to live in such a way that we would never be ashamed of the light that shines for all to see, or the secrets hidden within us.

Your friend and pastor,

Bill



Wednesday 7:00pm

Bible Study

**No Choir Practice Until Fall--
Summer Break**

Deacon Meeting

Tuesday, September 4

7pm

This will be the first meeting for the deacons who are starting their new rotation. If you have been asked to be a deacon for the next year, please plan to attend this meeting.

Youth News

The Youth from Laurel Hill Baptist Church had a great time supporting the Block Party on Saturday. Cheyenne and AnnaBelle were our official face painters. Aidian, Kyler and AnnaBelle agreed to be dunked repeatedly in the dunk tank. They all came early and helped set up and were available to help tear down. It was a good day. I wanted to personally thank the youth for helping to make the day a success.

Upcoming events for the youth.

Kick off for the new Sunday School Year, Sunday September 16th from 5:00 pm to 8:00 pm.

The Youth will have a Cookout which will be held at Laurel Hill Baptist Church, Hamburgers, Hotdogs are on the menu, and s'mores for dessert.

Bring a friend, a chair, ideas for events, a side dish.

If you have Youth in your family or neighbor that would like to join our Youth Group, please invite them to this cook out.

Parents and Youth Committee please join us for planning events for the upcoming year.

Youth Bake Sale Fundraiser, Saturday, September 29th

The youth will be hosting a bake sale and it is a fundraiser for the youth, the money will be used to spend on mission events or activities throughout the year.

If you are able to donate baked good, please start baking freezing see Bobbie Howell for the date the youth package, pack and prize these items.

Escape Room, Sunday September 30th, 5:00 pm to 8:00 pm

August Baptist Association Youth Leaders are hosting an Escape Room event, and the location of this event is Greenville Baptist.

Youth that need a ride to Greenville Baptist, we will leave the church at approximately 4:15 pm and return at 9:00 pm.

Thank you for all your support of the Youth at Laurel Hill Baptist Church.

Bobbie Howell



Shenandoah Valley Children's Choir Auditions

If your child enjoys singing, they will love being a part of the Shenandoah Valley Children's Choir! SVCC is a nationally acclaimed children's choir based in Harrisonburg, Virginia, that values education, fun, musical excellence and community. SVCC will hold auditions for performing choirs (ages 7-18) on August 28, 29, and 30th from 4-7pm. Please call 540-432-4650 or email svcc@emu.edu to schedule an audition! www.svcc.org



**September
Fellowship Dinner
September
12, 2018 6pm**

Name _____
Adults \$7.50 ___ Children

\$7.50 _____

Catered by Wades Catering

Menu: meat loaf, mashed potatoes and gravy, green beans and peach cobbler.

RSVP by September 9, 2018 to Bill and Kay Flavin at 248-5093 or 448-2161 e-mail

50billy@comcast.net. The church pays for the number of meals ordered. If you sign up and find you are unable to attend please consider paying for the meal or sending a friend in your place.

Next Business Meeting September 12 7:00 pm

Come participate in the business of the church and hear reports about various church ministries. The main items of business will be:

- Discuss and approve leaders selected by the nominating committee for next year
- Discuss and approve a video surveillance system
- The Finance Committee has a motion to switch our bank to DCCU
- Hear reports from various ministries of the church

Seeking: New Church Clerk



The nominating committee is looking for a Church Clerk for the next year. The

responsibilities include taking minutes at the quarterly business meetings and keeping the church membership role on the church computer. Please let Logan Lockridge or Bill Davis know if you are interested in this position.

Seeking: Sunday School Director

We are looking for a Sunday School Director to help support the Sunday morning Bible study ministry at Laurel Hill. The responsibilities include keeping track of attendance, ordering the study material for each class, and distributing this material to each class. The Director will also find and advertise training opportunities and other activities for teachers to help support their work. Please contact Bill Davis for more information.

Media Team Volunteers

Needed:

We are looking for volunteers to help with running the PowerPoint on Sundays and putting together the announcements PowerPoint? Contact Logan for more information.

**Next Adopt-A-Highway Pick-up
September 22
8:00 am**

We will pick up trash again that has accumulated along Laurel Hill Road between the interstate and the church. The work usually takes between 2 and 3 hours, and really helps Laurel Hill Road look nice. If this would be your first time to help, come early to watch the VDOT safety film at 7:45am.

Operation Inasmuch
Saturday, October 6
7am to 1pm
(Some projects work until 3 or 4pm)



Join in with members of other churches to participate in a one day mission event. Participants can be any skill level, any age, and any gender. We will have a project for you. The event is sponsored by the Augusta Baptist Association and will be launched from Laurel Hill Baptist Church. This is a great way to develop relationships with others in our community as we work together to serve. If you want to be part of the planning process, or are willing to lead one of the projects, please contact Bill Davis at 688-6235. Sign up sheets will be available soon so that you can chose how you would like to serve.

Augusta Baptist Annual Meeting

October 22 @ 7:00 pm

West Side Baptist Church

715 W. Wolf St./ Harrisonburg

The Augusta Baptist Association of Virginia will hold it's annual Fall meeting on Oct. 22, at West Side Baptist Church, 715 W. Wolf St., Harrisonburg. Each member church may elect up to five voting messengers to represent the church in business sessions. Please support your church's participation in the ABAV. Anyone can attend this meeting, only ABAV officers and elected church members may vote.



Bus Trip to Sight and Sound

Performance: "Jesus"

September 15

Trip to Sight and Sound on September 15, 2018 to see the new production, Jesus. Taking deposits now. \$119.41 total cost for adults and \$80.16 for children. \$65 deposit due to secure your spot. See Lisa Cleveland.

Museum of the Bible Trip Tuesday, September 18

Departure: 6:30 am from Linden Heights Baptist Church

Return: About 3:30 pm

Join us as we travel via motor-coach to our nation's capitol to see the newly open Museum of the Bible where you will experience the Bible like never before. This 500 million dollar museum is the largest privately-funded museum in Washington, D.C. Over two thousand ancient Biblical artifacts are on display from the Dead Sea Scrolls to the Bibles over 1000 years old.

Cost: \$79 per person.

Includes the round transportation, group admission and self-guided tour, Flyboard Theater and all general exhibits. Some exhibits cost an additional \$8. Lunch is available on the sixth floor at your own expense.

For reservations: Make \$79 non-refundable check payable to the ABAV and send to Charlie Downs, 109 Gloucester Court, Waynesboro, VA 22980.

Website: <https://museumofthebible.org>

For additional information contact:
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gloucester@ntelos.net
David Anderson at 434-770-4632,
diraugmissions@gmail.com
Doris Carter at 540-885-1986,
dorielea@gmail.com

Reservation Deadline: August 21 or until full.

Young At Heart

Seniors...



(A Few seats are still available)

are planning a trip to the Cincinnati area to visit the Ark Encounter and Creation Museum October 1-4, 2018. Trip includes motor coach transportation, 3 nights lodging, 3 breakfasts, 3 dinners including a Riverboat Dinner Cruise. In addition to the Ark and Creation Museum we will visit the Cathedral Basilica of the Assumption, National Underground Railroad Freedom Center, and the World Peace Bell. All taxes and gratuities are

included. The cost is \$549.00 per person double occupancy with \$100.00 deposit due by July 15, 2018. Final payment will be due by September 1, 2018 with checks made payable to Laurel Hill Baptist Church. Trip flyers are in your church mail boxes. Feel free to invite your family and friends. If you need additional information, let me know. While deposits are not due until July 15th, it would be helpful if you could let me know if you are interested in making the trip as I will be sending information to Augusta Baptist Association for distribution so I want to be sure Laurel Hill has first priority. Thanks.

Charlotte Cleveland
Senior Director



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Sept 15: Sight and Sound Trip
Sept 18: Museum of the Bible Trip
Sept 22: Adopt a Highway Trash Pickup
Sept 29: Youth Bake Sale Fund Raiser
Sept 30: Youth Escape Room~5 pm to 8 pm ABA Youth
Event Sunday
Oct 1-4: Ark Encounter and Creation Museum
Oct 6: Operation Inasmuch

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