

# Hatcher Church

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## PASTOR SEARCH SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT

Your Pastor Search Committee is pleased to announce that we are presenting for your consideration on the weekend of October 12-13 a candidate as Senior Pastor for our church. On Saturday, October 12 there will be a time to meet and greet the candidate starting at 10am in the fellowship hall. Light refreshments will be served. There will also be a time when questions can be asked of the candidate as well as information from the PSC on how we arrived at this candidate. So plan to attend this very special time, enjoy a cup of coffee with us, and ask whatever questions you may have.

Then on Sunday, October 13, the deacons have approved a special called business meeting at the close of the combined worship service for the purpose of voting to approve the proposed candidate. The candidate will also be preaching the sermon for the morning worship service. So come prepared to attend an exciting worship time and plan to stay a few extra minutes for the church to conduct its business.

Your Pastor Search Committee has worked diligently over the past 18 months to arrive at this exciting day! As chairman, I continue to be so grateful for these people: Belinda Blanchard, David Dunston, Charlie Fleet, Terry Hoover, Dot Major, Daniel Ripley, and Mitch Wilhelm. It has been a team effort to reach this point, and we have faced many challenges to get here. A member lost a spouse, seminary dreams became nightmares, new grandchildren arrived, war claimed a soldier friend, and family and vacation time often interfered with scheduling meetings; however, this group persevered and with God's guidance got us here. Hallelujah!

Praying for God's blessing on our work and on you, the church, as we consider our church's next steps.

Feeling very blessed,  
Wayne Duke, Chairman  
Pastor Search Committee

## SPECIAL CALLED BUSINESS MEETING

***The Deacons call a special business meeting on Sunday, October 13, immediately following the 11 a.m. Combined Worship Service. The purpose of the meeting is to bring to vote the calling of the next pastor as recommended by the Pastor Search Committee.***

***Blessings,  
Mitch Wilhelm  
Deacon Chairman***



# Discipleship

“...They devoted themselves to the apostle’s teaching.”

## SHARPE’S POINTS FOR OUR CHURCH FAMILY...

The keys to identifying, knowing, and realizing an authentic Christian church ministry can be simply revealed by following what the Apostle Paul relates in Galatians 5:22-23. In today’s world there are diverse ministry styles, music, and worship formats that offer praise and glory to our wonderful Lord. Personal tastes, needs, and “likes” so often take on a Holy Glow of what is right and authentic while ignoring or sometime demeaning other worship styles beyond our comfort zones.

Paul reminds us, we are all a part of the Body of Christ and it is not our personal forms of worship that make worship correct....but His Spirit:

But the Fruit of the Spirit is: **Love, Joy , Peace, Patience, Kindness, Goodness, Faithfulness, Gentleness, and Self-Control.** Against such things there is no law.

May our prayers in October be, “Lord, renew a right spirit with me (us)”. Amen

- Pastor Sharpe

## October Sermon Series *Directions for the Journey*

**October 6**      *Communion Sunday*  
*Maria Lynn*

**October 13**      *Combined Worship Service*  
*Terry Sharpe*  
**Going Out Not Knowing**  
*Only on a Need to Know Basis*  
Genesis 12:1-5, Luke 2:1-7

### **October 20**

*Terry Sharpe*

**Traveling on the Road to Which Emmaus**  
*Going in the Right Direction*  
Luke 24:13-17, 18-31

### **October 27**

*Terry Sharpe*

**Traveling The Road to Calvary**  
*Destination Eternity*  
John 18:1-6, Luke 2:8-14

## Wednesday Bible Study

***Understanding the Different Faith Systems  
of the Hebrew People in the Life of Jesus***

October 2, 2019  
Understanding the **Pharisees**

October 9, 2019  
Understanding the **Sadducees**

October 16, 2019  
*Quarterly Business Meeting*  
Understanding the **Essenes**

October 23, 2019  
Understanding the **Zealots**

October 30, 2019  
Understanding the **Herodians**

# Fellowship

*"...devoted to the fellowship...all the believers were together...  
they ate together."*

## October Birthdays & Anniversaries

October 3	Honesty Liller
October 7	Phyllis Bolton
October 9	Jerry Myers
October 11	Sandy Taylor
	Gary Duke
	Sharon Vecchione
October 12	Rilton May
October 13	Katherine Gumbs
	David Dunston
	Edwina Hale
October 17	Gerry Robinson
October 19	Laverne Taylor
October 20	Marie Hill
	Jo Mitchell
October 25	Johnnie Pedigo
October 26	Debbie Welch

## Women on Mission

**Tuesday, October 8th • 10:30 a.m.  
Imperial Plaza**

The Hatcher/Imperial Plaza Women on Mission will meet on Tuesday, October 8th at 10:30 A.M. in the Virginia room at Imperial Plaza. The meeting will include a prayer time for missionaries having a birthday on the 8th, a devotion, an update on mission work around the world and here in the U.S. We will discuss our Mission Involvement project for October.

Our guest speaker will be Rev. Wesley Garrett, Missions Director of the South Richmond Center of the Richmond Baptist Association. Lunch and fellowship around the table will close the meeting.

*We would love to have you come!*

## LOVE & FELLOWSHIP

October 17th 10 a.m.  
BEAN DAY



Come enjoy fellowship around the table !

## WEDNESDAY NIGHT SUPPER

Served 5:15-6 p.m.  
HMBC Fellowship Hall

Adults \$7 \* Children \$3  
Please make checks payable to HMBC

You may make reservations by  
calling the church office at  
(804) 266-9696.

Dinner Reservation Deadline:  
Mondays at Noon



# Outreach & Service

*"...added to their number daily those who were being saved."*



## Hearts in Motion

### *Lakeside House*

Saturday, October 19th  
10 a.m.—Noon

We will be doing a craft and providing snacks, playing Bingo and providing prizes

## Hearts in Motion

### *Christmas Cards for Fluvanna*

Hearts in Motion is participating in the Christmas Card Collection for Fluvanna Women's Correctional Center inmates to send to their family and friends. You may purchase new Christmas cards or donate leftover unused cards from last Christmas with envelopes. There will be a donation box in the second floor foyer to collect cards. And if you would like to donate a few postage stamps, that is much appreciated also!

## Trunk or Treat Thursday, Oct. 31<sup>st</sup>

### Volunteers Needed

- To decorate their cars and distribute candy
- To donate **LOTS** of bags of candy
- To help with cooking hotdogs and preparing drinks
- To setting up the area for eating and other activities
- To direct parking
- To greet children and families

If you can help with any of these efforts, please contact Sue Mitchell, Kathy Ridenour, or the Church office.



## Deacon Thanksgiving Food Drive

The Deacons are sponsoring a Thanksgiving Food Drive to benefit individuals and families in the 23228 area code. Beginning immediately please bring your donations of non-perishable items to the stage in The Fellowship Hall. Please place the items behind the curtain. Gift Cards are also welcome and can be given to Mitch Wilhelm, Deacon Chair. The cut-off date for donations is November 23, 2019.

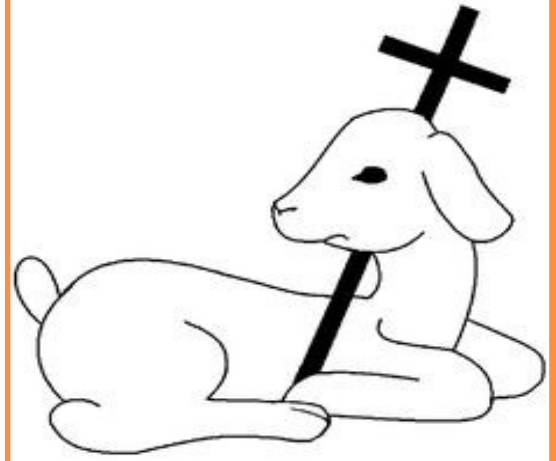


# Outreach & Service

*"...They gave to anyone as he had need."*

## LAMB'S BASKET MINISTRY

Hatcher Memorial Baptist Church participates in LAMB'S Basket, a food access organization in Henrico, which serves as many as 75 hungry people each of the three days it is open each week. Here are some ways you can support the LAMB'S Basket Ministry of the Lakeside churches:



## GLEN ALLEN DAY PARADE

**October 5, 2019**

LAMB'S Basket is going to be part of Glen Allen Day on 10-5-19. We are walking/riding in the parade (anyone else who wants to do this can!), then manning a booth as well. Anyone that wants to help with setting up; walking/riding in the parade; help with manning the booth; or help with taking down, is MORE than welcome to participate. LB usually gets a great location every year (handy to bathroom, food, other exhibitors, stage, parking).

## GEORGE WINSTON CONCERT

**Glen Allen Cultural Arts Center**

**October 25, 2019**

Proceeds for sale of his music will go to LB as part of a fundraiser as well.



## VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

LAMB'S Basket is ALWAYS needing volunteers! Especially those that can do some heavy lifting. Keep in mind when volunteering, to ask what can you do FOR them, not what you will or will not do & they have to accommodate you. No two days are the same & the influx is never predictable either, so flexibility is the best attitude to have!!! All manner/sorts of dry goods are the most appreciated.

**HATCHER VOLUNTEER DAYS ARE MONDAYS**

## FOOD NEEDED

**Pasta, sauce, PB & J, cereals, canned fruit, canned meats** seem to be great staples, as they can go a longer way for more than just one meal. Also remember the need for **plastic bags, paper bags and 12, I say 12, count egg cartons** are needed too. This is a great way to recycle them & pass it forward.

*Thanks to all who help with LB!!!!*

*Susan Haynes, Hatcher Representative*



# Worship

“...They devoted themselves to... breaking of bread and prayers ...praising God.”

## Worship & Events

### Wednesday, October 2

5:00 p.m. Wednesday Night Supper  
6:00 p.m. Prayer Meeting & Bible Study  
6:45 p.m., Fellowship Hall New Day Worship  
Band Rehearsal  
7 p.m., Sanctuary Chancel Choir Rehearsal

### Sunday, October 6

9 a.m., Chapel New Day Service  
10 a.m. Sunday School for All Ages  
11 a.m., Sanctuary Traditional Worship Service  
Noon Church Council

### Tuesday, October 8

10:30 a.m. Women on Mission

### Wednesday, October 9

5:00 p.m. Wednesday Night Supper  
5:45 p.m. CDC Committee Mtg.  
6:00 p.m. Prayer Meeting & Bible Study  
6:45 p.m., Fellowship Hall New Day Worship  
Band Rehearsal  
7 p.m., Sanctuary Chancel Choir Rehearsal

### Thursday, October 10

6:30 p.m. Finance Committee Mtg.

### Saturday, October 12

10 a.m. Meet & Greet with Pastoral Candidate

### Sunday, October 13

10 a.m. Sunday School for All Ages  
11 a.m., Sanctuary Combined Worship Service  
Noon Special Called Business Meeting

### Wednesday, October 16

5:00 p.m. Wednesday Night Supper  
6:00 p.m. Quarterly Business Meeting  
6:45 p.m., Fellowship Hall New Day Worship  
Band Rehearsal  
7 p.m., Sanctuary Chancel Choir Rehearsal

### Thursday, October 17

10:00 a.m. Love and Fellowship

### Sunday, October 20

9 a.m., Chapel New Day Service  
10 a.m. Sunday School for All Ages  
11 a.m., Sanctuary Traditional Worship Service

### Sunday, October 27

9 a.m., Chapel New Day Worship Service  
10 a.m. Sunday School for All Ages  
11 a.m., Sanctuary Traditional Worship Service  
Noon Deacon's Meeting

### Wednesday, October 30

5:00 p.m. Wednesday Night Supper  
6:00 p.m. Prayer Meeting & Bible Study  
6:45 p.m., Fellowship Hall New Day Worship  
Band Rehearsal  
7 p.m., Sanctuary Chancel Choir Rehearsal

### Thursday, October 31

6:00 p.m. Trunk or Treat

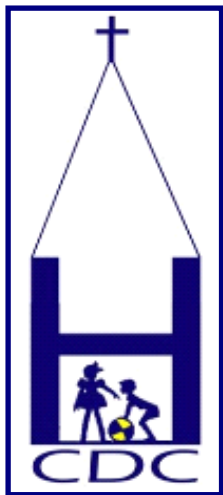


## CONGRATULATIONS

Miss Gabrielle Marie Fleet arrived Thursday,  
September 19, 2019

Congratulations to parents, Brian and Alexandra  
Fleet, big sister Aryia, and grandparents, Cecilia  
and Charlie Fleet!

# Mission & Ministry Partners



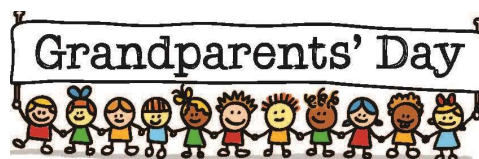
## HATCHER CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTER

### Grandparents Day

#### Luncheon

October 10

Noon



### Halloween Carnival

October 25

6—8:30 p.m.



### Halloween Costume Parade

October 31

10 a.m.



## HATCHER CDC SILENT AUCTION

Hatcher CDC will be holding a Silent Auction December 2 through 6. They are currently collecting items for the auction. If you have a business connection and are able to donate a gift certificate from your business, that is much appreciated. Donations of new merchandise which can be auctioned are appreciated as well.

*You may bring items to the CDC Office on the first floor during the week, or contact Sharon Vecchione to donate on Sunday.*



# Mission & Ministry Partners



## McShin Foundation Recovery Meeting Schedule

Mondays at noon 1<sup>st</sup> floor – High Noon (AA)

Mondays at 5:30 1<sup>st</sup> floor – Serene Women (NA)

Mondays at 6:30 3<sup>rd</sup> floor - 12YSR (Recovery Yoga)

Mondays at 7 3<sup>rd</sup> floor – Nar-Anon

Mondays at 7 1<sup>st</sup> floor – NA

Mondays at 7 1<sup>st</sup> floor – AA

Tuesdays at noon 1<sup>st</sup> floor – High Noon (AA)

Tuesdays at 7 1<sup>st</sup> floor – YPNA (NA)

Tuesdays at 7 3<sup>rd</sup> floor – GRAPLE (Grief Recovery Support group for those who have lost someone to addiction)

Wednesdays at noon 1<sup>st</sup> floor – High Noon (AA)

Wednesdays at 7 2<sup>nd</sup> floor – Families Anonymous

Wednesdays at 7 1<sup>st</sup> floor – TAPS (NA)

Wednesdays at 6:45 3<sup>rd</sup> floor – Family Education Group

Thursdays at noon 1<sup>st</sup> floor – High Noon (AA)

Thursdays at 6 1<sup>st</sup> floor – On Our Way (NA)

Thursdays at 6 3<sup>rd</sup> floor – LGBTQ+ Support Group

Fridays at noon 1<sup>st</sup> floor – High Noon (AA)

Fridays at 7 1<sup>st</sup> floor – No Matter What (NA)

Fridays at 8:15 1<sup>st</sup> floor – YPNA (NA)

Saturdays at 8 1<sup>st</sup> floor – Clean Air (NA)

Sundays at 6 PM 1<sup>st</sup> floor – Sunday Hope (NA)

## Hatcher Church offers

Sundays at 9 AM New Day Worship in Chapel

Fridays at 3:30 PM Bible Study with Phyllis





# Mission & Ministry Partners



## 5th Annual Fall Meeting

Sunday

October 20, 2019

3:30 – 5:30 PM

**DERBYSHIRE BAPTIST CHURCH**

### **“A Booming Future for YOUR Church”**

**“Jesus said, ‘I’m telling you, open your eyes, take a good look at what’s right in front of you....It’s harvest time!’”**

**John 4:34-35 (MSG)**

Keynote address by:

**Mr. Matt Thornhill**

Founding and Managing Partner, Institute for Tomorrow

### *Messengers Needed*

Based on Hatcher’s relationship and giving to the River City Faith Network of the RBA and to the Baptist General Association of Virginia (BGAV), we are eligible to elect messengers to their annual meetings. If you are willing to represent Hatcher Memorial Baptist Church at one or both of these annual meeting, please submit your name to the church office. Messengers will be formally elected at Hatcher’s October Business Meeting on October 16, 2019.

MORE INFORMATION AVAILABLE ONLINE: [BGAV.ORG/MEETING](http://BGAV.ORG/MEETING)

196<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL MEETING OF THE BAPTIST GENERAL ASSOCIATION OF VIRGINIA

## BGAV ANNUAL MEETING

NOVEMBER 11-13, 2019

BONSACK BAPTIST CHURCH  
ROANOKE, VA

### FEATURING...

Pastor’s Conference and other special interest group gatherings

Missions Monday: Missions-focused breakout sessions, opportunities, and evening program

Breakout sessions addressing relevant issues

Fellowship dinner available on-site Monday and Tuesday evenings

On-site childcare available for all main gathering times!



main speaker

**SCOT MCKNIGHT**

Julius R. Mantey Chair of New Testament, Northern Seminary



**BGAV**  
Advancing the Kingdom Together

[BGAV.ORG/MEETING](http://BGAV.ORG/MEETING)

## HATCHER CHURCH LEADERSHIP FOR 2019-2020

*\* indicates serving one additional year & rotates off in 2020*

### Deacons

Chair — Mitch Wilhelm\*  
Vice Chair — Karen Stamey

Secretary: Susan Dawson\*  
Treasurer: Mary Dunston

#### **2017-2020**

Mary Dunston  
Eddie Harris  
Debbie Welch  
Jerry Welch  
Susan Dawson\*  
Mitch Wilhelm\*

#### **2018-2021**

Virginia Garrett  
Bill Mosely  
Karen Stamey

#### **2019-2022**

Janice Conroy  
Jackie Matthews  
Stuart Matthews  
Donna Myers  
Jerry Myers  
Sharon Vecchione

### Church Officers

Moderator: Rick Bancroft  
Treasurer: Jackie Matthews  
Clerk: Sharon Vecchione

### Program Leaders:

Outreach/ Mission Director: Sue Mitchell  
Sunday School Director: Alice Phillips  
Love & Fellowship Coord.: Kay Craig

### Committee Chairpersons

CDC: Sharon Vecchione\*  
Counting: Mary Atwell  
Endowment: Bob Llewellyn  
Finance: Belinda Blanchard  
McShin:  
Nominating: Sandra Wiltshire  
Personnel: Susan Haynes\*

### Team Leaders:

Audio/Visual: Ray Clary  
Building & Grounds:  
Flower & Decorating: Betty Bancroft  
Hostess: Kay Craig  
Kitchen: June Banes  
Transportation: Ray Clary  
Ushers: Eddie Harris

Building Use Coordinator : Bill Moseley  
Wedding Coordinator: Margie Pugh  
McShin Board Representative: David Dunston  
LAMB"S Basket Representative: Susan Haynes

## *Hatcher Memorial Baptist Church*

*Rev. Terry Sharpe, Pastor*

*Rev. Charlie Fleet, Campus Pastor, Ministry and Administration*

*Rev. Daniel Ripley, Campus Pastor, Missions and Discipleship*

*Chris and Tom Patch, Worship Leaders, New Day Service*

*J. Warren Mitchell, Church Organist and Interim Chancel Choir Director*

*Jo Mitchell, Director, Child Development Center*

*Jennifer Ramos, Financial Secretary*

*Dr. Maria Lynn, Church Office Ministry Coordinator*

*Kay Craig, Love & Fellowship Coordinator*