



As we consider the preparation for our Faith Journey for 2024, there is so very much to consider. Hatcher is presently evaluating several future ministry opportunities. Presently, Hatcher is learning what it will require to establish another relationship with a new child-care resource. All information will be shared with the church family in our regular business meetings as these plans materialize.

Brandon, Heather, Julie, Ann, Karen, & Donna continue to reach new children and their families through Hatcher's Sunday morning Children's ministry. The New Young Adult Bible Study Class, led by Brandon and Heather, is establishing itself as a valuable biblical support for young families.

The New Mid-Week Bible/Study time beginning January 10, for Wednesday at 11-11:45 am, followed with a fellowship Luncheon, will be providing a safe driving time for our members who can now safely drive.

It is so exciting to see the result of these ministries with the celebration of the baptism of the Misses Lorelai "Rory" Cheely, Brianna Meador, McKenzie Meador, and Brantley Norton on Sunday, January 7, 2024. Remember these beautiful young ladies and their families as their love of Jesus continues to grow and bring them further into a maturing faith with our Lord.

The Sunday of January 14, will provide a service of honoring the Reverend Tom Ingram as our Minister of Music Emeritus. (Please see the special article in the Herald sharing this special event).

The Sunday of January 28, will allow Hatcher to celebrate John Shinholser's vision that resulted in our mutual ministry partnership that began 2004. This service will allow us to reflect how God has used this Life Recovery Ministry and where it is today. This should be a time of joy and celebration.

It is so humbling to realize Jesus has entrusted his love to us; he has entrusted the keys to His kingdom to his children to share with those in so much need of God's love.

Let us be reminded his light is entrusted to us to shine into our world's darkness....How are we doing this; Is this our 2024, mission responsibility; Do we see this as part of our present life-style?

-Pastor Sharpe

Men Year's Day! **January** 1 *Church Office Closed* **January 3** 1pm Business Committee Mtg. Choir Rehearsal 7pm **January** 7 Baptism and Communion Sunday 10am **Bible Study** 11am Worship Service **January 8** 10am Staff Mtg. **January** 10 **Bible Study** 11am 7pm Choir Rehearsal January 14 Service of Recognizing Tom Ingram 10am **Bible Study** 11am Worship Service **January** 15 7pm Finance Committee Mtg. **January** 16 Church Council Mtg. 7pm January 17 11am Bible Study Choir Rehearsal 7pm **January** 18 Love & Fellowship 11am **January 21** 10am Bible Study 11am Worship Service **January 24** 11am **Bible Study** 6pm Year End Business Mtg. 7pm Choir Rehearsal Service of Recognizing John Shinholser **January 28** Bible Study 10am 11am Worship Service

January 31 11am Bible Study 7pm Choir Rehearsal

Our Deepest Sympathy To ...

Betty Waller and family on the passing of her husband, Fred Waller.

The family of John Beale on his passing.

David, Bob, and Jim Dunston on the passing of their mother, Dot Dunston.

In Our Prayers ... Angie (Mary Dunston's Daughter) **Betty Waller Bob** Carlton **Bubba & Harriett Garnett** Carol McCann **Carrie West-Bailey** (Carol West's Daughter) **Charlie Brammer** David & George (Lena Taylor's Brothers) **David Lamphere** (Brother in-law of the Lynn's) **Dorothy Irwin** Dot Major-Sancerra Atlee Station Room 101 Earl Phaup **Elsie Britton Gloria** Tiller (Shirley Tuck's Sister In-Law) Imani Foster (Friends of Taira Baudoin & Jerry Phaup) **Kristine Jenkins** (Friends of Taira Baudoin & Jerry Phaup) **Janet Henderson** (Family of Susan Dawson) Jean Beard **Judy Williams** (Sharon Bracken's Sister) June Banes—Surgery 1/9 **Katie Rowley** (Lena Taylor's Niece) **LaVerne Taylor** Lois (Lena Taylor's Sister In-Law) **Margaret Carins** (Cookie Martin's Friend) **Nancy Walker** Nikki Rettig (Friends of Taira Baudoin & Jerry Phaup) **Rick & Ann Haldeman** (Vivian Hucksteps Family) Sandy Biggs Lee Scout Craig (Kay & Joe Craig's Niece) Sharon & Johnnie Newcomb Steve Gallahan (Charlie Brammer's Son In-Law) Stuart Joerg Susan Dawson & Family **Timothy Singleton** (Junes Banes Son) Vivian Parks—Surgery 1/5

Zachary Unroe

(Jane Stanard's Grandson)

Baptism Sunday

Hatcher Happenin

The upcoming new year will start off with baptism Sunday on Sunday, January 7th 2024 during the 11am Worship Service. We have four wonderful girls ready to take the next step in their faith.

Being baptized will be:

Rory Cheely , Brianna Meador, Brantley Norton, and McKenzie Meador

Mark your calendar for this special event and be here to support some of the amazing kids from our Children's Ministry!

Church Office Holiday Closure

The church office will be closed on Monday, January 1st, 2024 in observance of New Year's Day.

> They will resume normal hours Tuesday, January 2nd, 2024.

> > Happy New Year!!

Celebrating the Ministry of Life Recovery

As John Shinholser has now recently retired from The McShin Foundation. The organization John co-founded and helped grow into the well known

> staple of the recovery community it is today. Hatcher Memorial Baptist church will be honoring and celebrating John Shinholser for all that he has done to help countless lives be recovered. Join us Sunday, January 28th 2024 during the 11am worship service as we pay special tribute to John.

Lamb's Basket Volunteers 2024

Our church supports the Lamb's Basket in supplying volunteers each month to go in and help sort/clean. Hatcher has one day each month designated to come help them out.

The hours are **10am-12pm** each volunteer day. The dates for 2024 are:

February 8th, March 14th, April 11th, May 9th, June13th, July 11th, August 8th, September12th, October 10th, November 14th, and December 12th

Please join us in helping support the Lamb's Basket so they can continue to supply those in need with much needed food!



Recognizing

Tom Ingram

Be it resolved, on January 14th, 2024 in the worship service of Hatcher Memorial Baptist Church, we declare the Reverend

Thomas "Tom" Ingram Minister of Music Emeritus!

Whereas, Tom has demonstrated his faith, leadership, and musical skills in love, ministry, and music, he has further served the Hatcher Memorial Baptist Church family by making the love of Jesus Christ a living reality.

Whereas, Tom has further shown the visible strength in Christian unity, prayer, and service, the church comes now this day to resolve its support and Godly recognition of Tom Ingram, by declaring Tom Ingram Minister of Music Emeritus for his faithful service of twenty-two years for the Baptist General Association of Virginia
(BGAV) as the Worship and Church Music Specialist and Field Strategist, creating the Virginia Baptist All-State Choirs, and also directing the Virginia Baptist Male Chorale while serving. Then he further served twelve years at Hatcher Memorial Baptist Church as Minister of Music and Administration, and has continued to serve in leadership after retirement.

We now officially resolve and affirm this Resolution,

Rev. Thomas "Tom" Ingram, Minister of Music Emeritus

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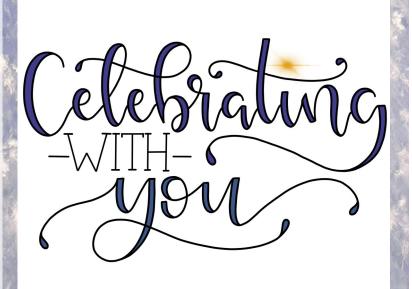
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Jerry Welch

Dianne Rife

Terry Sharpe

Terry Hoover *Denotes Wedding Anniversary



Deborah Barefoot **January 3** Randy Earley **January** 4 Margaret Carneal **January** 5 Ann Duke Cecilia Fleet Craig Wilcox **January** 7 Chris Weis **January 9** Shirley Day Ellen Hicks January 15 Lee Rettig January 16 Ronnie Moore Sandra Wiltshire January 17 Sarah Truslow **January** 18 Peggy Goodwin **Russell Goodwin** Paula HuYoung Chad Matthews January 19 Dee Bowles

January 21

Janice Lynn

Worship Themes

Understanding the Mysteries of God

Deuteronomy 29:29

"The secret things belong to the Lord our God, but the things revealed belong to us and to our children forever, that we may follow all the words of this law."

January 7

The Mystery of where do we go from here?

Hebrews 10:15-25 & Matthew 6:33-34 Service of Baptism & Communion

January 14

The Mystery of God in Jesus the King (David)

John 18:33-37 & John 19:19-22 Service of Recognition for Tom Ingram

January 21

The Mystery of God in Jesus the Messiah (Savior) Genesis 49:10-11 & Zechariah 9:9-11

January 28

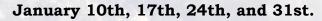
The Mystery of God in Jesus the Lamb and the Lion

Isaiah 11:6 & Revelation 5:5-6 Service of Recognition for John Shinholser

Mid-Week Bible/Prayer Time

No Bible Study on January 3rd

Starting Wednesday, January 10th we will move Bible Study from 6pm Wednesdays to 11am, they will end at 11:45am and be followed by a Fellowship Luncheon! Join us as we follow along with *The Chosen* series. Let the church office know if you can attend so we can have enough food prepared. The dates we will meet are:





Young Adults Ministry

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Young adult studies are moving days/times. Their last Sunday morning meeting will be Sunday, January 7th. Starting Friday, January 19th our young adults will move their bible study from 10am Sunday morning to Friday evenings at 6pm.

They will still meet in room 317.

Hearts in Motion

Hearts in Motion will be going to Lakeside House on Saturday, January 20th from 10 a.m. until noon. Please contact Sue Mitchell if you can help out on that day. (804) 513-4086 or <u>smitchell@parkerpollard.com</u>

Our February project will be to collect inexpensive reading glasses and sunglasses, and toothbrushes. There is a medical team from WMUV traveling to Kenya on March 1st and they have requested these items. The deadline is Sunday, Feb. 18th.

Details Below!

Kenya Medical Missions DONATIONS NEEDED

MISSION PROJECT: READING GLASSES, SUNGLASSES AND TOOTHBRUSHES NEEDED

Our medical missions team will leave March 1, 2024, to serve at Mully Children's Family (MCF) in Kenya. Under the leadership of Dr. Lynne Stockman, former WMUV President, twenty-five medical specialists and other personnel will provide direct medical care to many people. Lynne has requested inexpensive drugstore readers and sunglasses as well as toothbrushes. No toothpaste, please.

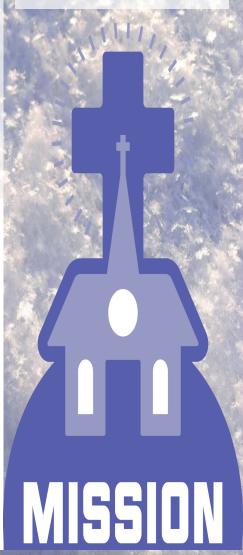
Please send to: WMUV, 2828 Emerywood Pkwy, Henrico, Virginia 23298 on or before Monday, February 19, 2024. For questions or concerns, please email Valerie Carter Smith at vcarter@wmuv.org or call at 804-928-2920.

Love & Fellowship

Love & Fellowship will be meeting on Thursday, January 18th at 11am in the Fellowship Hall.

They will be having several types of Chili being provided for lunch. Plus our very own organist, Michael Gaines, will be entertaining with his wonderful musical talents!

We hope you can join for this fun time of music, food, and fellowship!





Hatcher Kids are so blessed to have an amazing crew of volunteers who put their all into lessons and fun activities for them. This past Sunday on Christmas Eve the kids had a Christmas party with Food, "Grinch" juice, crafts, and cookie decorating!
Special thanks to Ann Duke, Julie Snyder, Karen Stamey, Donna Myers, Heather Stamey, and Brandon Johnson for all they do for our kids every week!

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